

“AUGUSTUS DRUM was a son of Simon Drum, of Greensburg, Pa., and was educated at Jefferson college, Pa. He studied law under John B. Alexander, at Greensburg, and located in Indiana in 1831. He was a successful lawyer, and a gentleman of pleasant social qualities and fine literary taste.

“He was member of the Democratic party, and took a decided part in politics, and to some extent was a newspaper writer. He served in the State Senate and in Congress. He died on the 17th day of September, 1858, aged forty-three years.”