Pittsburgh Gazette.

PITTSBURGH:

MONDAY MORNING, SEPT. 13, 1858.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

City and News Items.

MEAN TEMPERATURE.—Observations taken at Shaw's Opti'cian Store, No. 65 Fifth street, Sept. 11th.

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9 o'clock	A. M.	97	69
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COWARDLY OUTRAGE—PROBABLE MURDER.—A most cowardly and cold-blooded act, (as far as the testimony at present shows,) was perpetrated in our city on Saturday morning about 11 o'clock. It appears that a young man, about 19 years of age, named Thomas Smithson, a painter by occupation, had been desirous for some time of paying his addresses to a young lady named Elenor Henry, aged about 17 years, daughter of a respectable widow woman, Mrs. Harriet Henry, residing at the foot of Second street, adjoining the First Ward School House.

As the young lady had been informed that Smithson was rather dissipated, she had avoided him entirely. On Saturday morning, he visited her mother's house, and by some means obtained an interview with Elenor, remaining about an hour in the house, Miss Henry, during most of the time being engaged in domestic duties, and not appearing desirous of his company. As we learn from the deposition made before the Mayor by Mrs. Henry, the defendant and her daughter were conversing in the entry, when she heard the report, as she supposed, of a pistol, and immediately heard her daughter scream, exclaiming that Smithson had shot her. It was found that a ball had entered her back, below her left shoulder, passing through the lung.

Several persons standing near the house heard the report of the pistol, and saw Smithson run. The crowd immediately pursued, but he eluded them by passing into an alley running parallel with Market street, and he was not seen for some time, when he was observed passing up Fourth street at full speed, again eluding his pursuers by some means. Mayor Weaver at once dispatched his whole police force, aided by Mr. Finnigan of Alderman Rogers' force, and several others in every direction. Meanwhile, crowds of citizens, highly excited, were gathered about the Mayor's office and other places, very strongly advocating Judge Lynch's code of law in this last outrage. About half-past two o'clock, officer Job G. Patterson, accompanied by a citizen, arrived at the Mayor's office with the man in custody, the excited crowd gathering around them, and it was with the greatest difficulty that the offender was lodged safely in the tombs. He was as pale as a sheet, and appeared to be exceedingly fearful of violence. He was caught at Dam No. 1, as he was about taking passage, apparently, on a small tow boat which was then in full look, bound up the river. He had previously passed over to the Birmingham side on the dam, and was returning when first observed by the officer and his companion, who concealed themselves until he stepped up on the lock. He recognized officer Patterson, and seeing no hope of escape, gave himself up. He stated that the discharge of the pistol was accidental!

Before the Mayor had taken the deposition of Mrs. Henry, Ald. Donaldson took the declaration of Miss Elenor in regard to the affair. She says that when Smithson came there, she told him she did not want to have anything to do with him, and that she then had household duties to perform. As she turned to leave him he fired.

The ball, before entering, broke one of her ribs, and passing through the lung, came out at the breast. Drs. McDonald, McCook, Walter and Dickson attended her. The bullet was found among the bed clothes after she had been lying there for some time. She was still alive late on Sunday night, with but slight hopes of recovery.

Miss H. was a young lady of excellent reputation, and a member of the Liberty Street Methodist Church. She had been sent away from home for the purpose of avoiding the defendant, and had but just arrived home on the morning of the sad occurrence. Her mother, whose husband died some five years ago, has been since that time janitor of the First Ward School.

Smithson was committed for a further hearing on Tuesday morning at ten o'clock.

AT a meeting of the Board of Managers of Allegheny Cemetery, held on the 9th inst., the most unfortunate and accidental death of

WHEREAS, Mr. John Bissell, Jr., late Secretary and Treasurer of this Board, having been called, since our last meeting, from time to eternity, by a sudden and awful casualty, it is proper that we should place on record an expression of our feelings and sentiments in regard to this melancholy and distressing occurrence. It is, therefore,

Resolved, That while we bow with humble submission to the mandate of that Great Being whose agency controls and determines every event of our lives, we desire at the same time to express the profound grief we feel at the removal from our midst, in the very prime and vigor of his manhood, of one so well fitted by the sterling qualities of his mind and heart to perform honorably and usefully his part on the great theatre of life.

Resolved, That in the death of Mr. Bissell, the large social circle of which he was a worthy and highly esteemed member, as well as the business community in which his punctuality, probity and energy had gained him an enviable reputation; have sustained an irreparable loss.

Resolved, That to his bereaved and heart-stricken family and relatives we tender our sincere sympathies and condolence.

Resolved, That the above resolutions be published in the newspapers of the city, and that a copy signed by the President and having the corporate seal of the Company attached be presented to the family of the deceased.

Attest: THOS. M. HOWE, *President*.

THE Steubenville *Herald* gives the following, relative to the disaster on the Steubenville and Indiana road:

"As to the cause of the disaster, it was at first supposed that the structure, from some undiscovered cause, had given way; but it is now ascertained that some of the hind cars were displaced on reaching the end of the bridge, which, knocking out some of the main timbers, the structure had to give way. The locomotive and tender, fortunately, passed over in safety; the express car remained suspended on end of bridge, the hind truck having gone down; after it, descended the baggage car and the two passenger cars—not falling in one mass, but scattered about. Only one car was shattered into pieces. The descent was about 12 feet, and the water in the creek was very low."

THE District Conventions adjourned yesterday without making nominations. In the Congressional Convention Gen. Dick's name was withdrawn, and the Crawford Conferees supported Hon. John H. Walker as their choice. Between twenty and thirty ballots were cast after the withdrawal of Gen. Dick, during which the Crawford delegation steadily voted for Mr. Walker and the Erie Conferees supported Mr. Babbitt. The Crawford delegates refer the subject back to the Convention which appointed them. We are not able to state what the Erie Conferees intend to do.

The Senatorial Conference also broke up without making any nomination.—*Erie Bulletin*.

POLICE ITEMS.—George Niblo, charged with stealing a vest and pair of boots from John Mish, of the Eagle Hotel, was committed for trial by Mayor Weaver.

Wm. Dunlap, John Waterman and Enoch Davis were committed on Saturday by the Mayor for disorderly conduct.

John Baptiste was committed by Ald. Rogers, charged with keeping a disreputable house in the Sixth ward.

Squire McKee, of Birmingham, committed Theodore Vogel, charged on oath of Jacob Leibforth, with keeping a gambling house and selling liquor on Sunday.

APPLICATION.—Isaac J. Woods, charged with being in the bogus lottery business some time ago, and committed by Mayor Weaver to stand his trial, was before the Court on Saturday, with R. B. Roberts, Esq., as counsel, on an application for admission to bail. Judge McClure stated that he had given notice at the close of last term, that in all cases of persons arrested for violation of the lottery laws, he would require bail in $2,500. The defendant was ready to give $1,000, but the Court demanded the amount stated and as the party could not give it he was remanded for the present.

THE Great Atlantic Cable has been laid and messages have passed through the entire length. The portion left on board the "Niagara" has been purchased by Messrs. Tiffany & Co., of New York, and they are now supplying it to all the world in the shape of canes, charms, batons, &c. We refer our readers to their card in another part of our paper, which gives the particulars as to prices.

MRS. M. MACKRADY, who has been giving a successful series of dramatic readings in this country, we are informed will soon give several entertainments in this city. Her reputation is world-wide, and we have no doubt our citizens will be glad to see and hear her. Her agent is now in the city.

SENTENCED.—In the U. S. District Court on Saturday, George Rush, formerly postmaster at Etna, who pleaded guilty to robbing the mail, was sentenced to ten years imprisonment in the Penitentiary. His wife and family are left in Ohio, and very destitute.

PITTSBURGH ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE M. P. CHURCH.—*Thursday Afternoon, Sept. 9th.*—Conference was convened and was opened with prayer by Rev. W. Wragg. Roll called, minutes read and approved.

On motion, Rev. J. Gibson, of C. P. Church, was invited to an honorary seat in this conference.

Report of Committees in order.—Committee on Boundaries reported, 1st, the propriety of establishing a mission in Allegheny city, to be called Allegheny Mission. 2d.—The establishment of a mission in Greene county, to be called Greene County Mission. 3d. A mission to be established in Lawrence county, to be called the Wilmington Mission. Report accepted and Committee continued.

On motion, Rev. Knox, of the M. E. Church, was invited to an honorary seat in this body.

On motion, a committee was appointed, called Standing District Committee, consisting of W. Hinshart, R. Glass, G. Brown, J. Redman, J. Hubert and John Cowl.

Resolutions were offered from the Brookville circuit, Allegheny Station, Rioeville Mission, favoring the present movement of the north and west in reference to the abolition of slavery, and concurring in the measure taken to call a convention to take action upon the proceedings of the late General Conference held in Lynchburg, Va.

On motion, the resolutions were referred to the Committee of nine who were appointed for that purpose.

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COMMITTED TO JAIL.—On Friday morning, a warrant was issued for the arrest of a boy named Taylor, a grand-son of Andrew Gilkie, who lives near the mouth of Long Run about two miles above McKeesport, on the Youghiogheny. The boy had committed some trick of a malicious character, in destroying the property of Col. George A. Bayard, and at his instance the warrant had been issued. Officer Cook, of McKeesport, went to Gilkie's house to serve the warrant, on Saturday morning. Gilkie refused to give him any information as to where the boy might be found, and Cook went then into Gilkie's house, or attempted to go in, to perform his duty. Gilkie, who had been drinking considerably, forbade Cook going into the house with many oaths, and when he did enter with the desired effect, he seized an iron drill, some two feet in length, and struck at Cook with all his might. The latter, in attempting to ward off the blow, received it on his arm, which was nearly broken. Old Major Caven, who was standing near, received a stroke with the end of the heavy drill on the back of the hand which tore up the flesh and injured the hand and arm of the old gentleman very seriously. Cook thereupon struck Gilkie a heavy blow over the eye with his cane, which felled the belligerent to the ground and covered his face with blood. His hands were then tied and he was taken before Justice Coobrane, of McKeesport, when the facts above stated having come out, bail in $300 was demanded, in default of which Gilkie was committed to the county jail.

A DESPERADO.—The Mayor's police arrested Edw. M'Cann and Emily Wray, on Saturday night, charged with keeping a disreputable house on Reed street, in the Eighth Ward. M'Cann resisted the officers, with a knife and a bottle in his hand, and threatened to kill whoever should enter the room. The door was forced open by Mr. Wray, with an ax, and when M'Cann was about using his weapon on Mr. Hamilton, the latter snapped a pistol in his face, which missed fire, and Wray then knocked him down and secured him. He and the woman were committed for trial.

ANOTHER.—Officer Drennan, on Saturday, arrested an Italian named Vincenzo Sturla, charged before Ald. Cummins with going to the house of Mrs. Celia, (also an Italian,) in the 7th ward with a loaded pistol, and threatening to shoot her and her daughter, Mary Antolnette, because the latter refused to marry him. He was committed for trial. The girl was married yesterday to another Italian.

REPUBLICAN MEETING.—There was a grand rally of the Republicans of Versailles and Elizabeth townships at M'Gaiston's store on the Youghiogheny river, on Saturday last. The place is somewhat remote, and difficult of access by carriage. Nevertheless a very large and enthusiastic meeting was held there, which was addressed by J. P. Penney, Esq., our candidate for Senator, and by others. Frank Patterson, of Buena Vista, presided, with Messrs. Dravo and Knowland, as Vice Presidents, and Frank Flanigan, as Secretary. The Republicans of that sterling township are all right, and the false issues attempted to be raised by the locofoco party will not have the slightest effect to draw them off from their allegiance to the cause of Freedom. On election day we shall have a good report from all that district.

SHOOTING AFFAIR IN TEMPERANCEVILLE.—About one o'clock Sunday morning, an affray occurred in Temperanceville, as we are informed, in which a man named Jas. Blunden was shot and seriously injured. It is said that Blunden went to the house of Mr. James Anderson, and tried to gain admittance, while drunk, and when refused attacked the house with stones. Mr. A. and one Adam Walters went to drive Blunden away, during which one of them shot him. Edw. Blunden, father of the injured man, made information before Squire Carnahan, and the parties were arrested and committed to jail.

FALL STYLE HATS.—It will be seen by advertisement of Messrs. Leary & Co., of New York, in our issue of to-day, that they are prepared to furnish their Fall Style Hats for 1858. It would be entirely superfluous for us to comment upon the beauty and style of their hats.

DEAD.—James Irwin, whom we noticed on Saturday as having taken poison at the jail, died Saturday morning from its effects. A coroner's inquest was held, which rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts. Deceased resided in the Fifth Ward, and leaves a family.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—As will be seen by our telegraph columns, a serious accident occurred on Friday evening, near Steubenville, on the S. & I. Railroad. Among the injured we find the name of Captain H. I. Barr, of this city.

EUREKA SALOON.—This restaurant, No. 217 Liberty street, is kept by Mr. George Pierce, who will accommodate his friends and the public with lunch at the hour stated in the advertisement.

THE MINSTRELS.—The Morris, Pell & Trowbridge troupe of minstrels open at Masonic Hall, to-night, and will remain a week. This is an exceedingly popular troupe, and will, no doubt, draw full houses every night. See advertisement.

THE case of Henry Moore, convicted of counterfeiting, in the U. S. District Court, has been postponed until Wednesday, for argument on the motion for a new trial.

THE tressel-work of the new Birmingham bridge has been completed to the Pittsburgh side, and will soon be ready for passengers.

YOUNG AMERICA HARD DRILL.—We desire to direct attention to the advertisement of Messrs. Varnum & Adams, in another column. During a recent trip to the country, we were afforded an opportunity of seeing this drill in operation, and we were much pleased with its simplicity of construction, and the singularity of its movement.

A REMEDY FOR HOT WEATHER.—The very best remedy for this hot weather is to drop in at Bown's, Federal St., Allegheny, and treat yourself to a saucer of their delicious Ice Cream, or a glass of sparkling, ice cold Mineral Water, flavored with the choicest of Syrups, and drawn from a fountain in excellent order. Their stock of Cakes and Confections are of the best description, manufactured from good material, and got up in the neatest style imaginable. Give them a call.

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The above is from a widow lady, 46 years of age, resident of this city. For further particulars, the public are referred to Mrs. Hardie, No. 3 Manhattan Place, or to E. T. Theall, Druggist, corner of Rutger and Monroe streets

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A. O. HEISTER,
Secretary State Agricultural Society.
DAVID TAGGART, President. se4-dwtf

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PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 11.—The result of the Convention of Railroad Presidents is a general advance of passenger rates from all Western points to New York of $3, and to Philadelphia of a very slight amount, so as to make the rates to both points the same as they were previous to the reduction. These rates, as well as the following freight charges to New York, will go into effect after the ratification of the four lines interested:

RATES FROM NEW YORK TO THE WEST.

	1 Class.	2 do.	3 do.	4 do.
Cincinnati, Dayton, Xenia, Piqua	$1,20	$ 85	$ 70	$ 55
Louisville	1,35	1,02	83	63
Cairo	1,75	1,40	1,15	85
Evansville	1,70	1,35	1,10	80
St. Louis	1,70	1,35	1,10	80
Alton	1,65	1,30	1,05	76
Vincennes	1,55	1,20	1,00	76
Columbus, Newark and Zanesville	1,15	83	70	55
Springfield, Ohio and Urbana	1,18	88	70	54
Cleveland	90	68	55	40
Sandusky	1,00	76	58	40
Toledo	1,04	79	64	48
Mansfield, Crestline and Wooster	1,07	82	65	51
Madison, Indiana	1,35	1,02	82	63
Terre Haute	1,60	1,12	90	73
Indianapolis	1,25	95	76	58
Jeffersonville	1,35			
New Albany	1,40	1,12	91	73
Ballefontaine	1,15	85	65	52
Forest (not less than Ballefontaine)				
Fort Wayne, Indiana	1,27	99	80	60
Peru, Indiana	1,34	1,05	84	65
Logansport	1,39	1,07	85	66
Lafayette	1,50	1,20	97	68
Attica	1,44	1,14	93	70
Danville	1,50	1,14	93	73
Toledo	1,50	1,23	1,00	76
Decatur	1,65	1,18	1,05	84
Springfield, Illinois	1,68	1,30	1,05	84
Jacksonville, Naples	1,74	1,36	1,14	88
Chicago	1,55	1,10	1,00	70

STEUBENVILLE, Sept. 11.—The express going west yesterday evening on the Steubenville and Indiana Railroad, met with a serious accident thirteen miles west of this place. In crossing a bridge the express car and rear of the engine jumped the track, and knocking out some of the main timbers caused the bridge to suddenly give way and the baggage car and front passenger car went down with the bridge, ten or twelve feet, while the rear end of the hind car remained on the abutment. The first car was almost completely broken up, and the seats nearly all broken from their fastenings in the rear car.

The following are the persons injured: J. Mooney, conductor, head severely cut; Byron Roach, of Louisville, Ky., both legs broken; E. J. Cornell, baggage master, wrist sprained and badly bruised; Rev. Mr. Watson, of Amsterdam, ankle sprained; Jas. Jacobs, of Mayaville, Ky., slightly bruised; Andrew Anderson, of Harrison county, Ohio, slightly bruised; Mrs. C. Cartwright, of New Jersey, slightly injured; D. C. Gill, of Dayton; Mrs. Meredith, of Xenia, Ohio; Miss Lyons, of Elizabethtown, N. J.; Dr. Allen, of Evansville, Arkansas; Rev. S. J. Humphreys and lady, of Newark, Ohio; H. H. Moore, of Hilton, Indiana; John P. Draper, of Danville, Ill.; Capt. H. T. Barr, of Pittsburgh; Jos. Fleming, of Zanesville, fatally; Oliver Ormsby, of Vevay, Ind., and a great number of others who would not give their names, were injured more or less.

CLEVELAND, Sept. 11.—Eight steamers and one schooner load of passengers from lake ports, numbering about 1,200, arrived here this morning. Perry's Victory left at Put-in-Bay yesterday. The U. S. steamer Michigan was present. Prayer was offered by Rev. Duffield, of Philadelphia. Speeches were delivered by Dr. Peterson, of Providence, R. I., Surgeon of Perry's flag ship, Capt. Champlin, of the steamer Scorpion, Mayor Starkweather, of Cleveland, Cooke, of Sandusky, Mason of Toledo, Wilkins, of Detroit, Gov. Chase, Gov. Dingley, and Senator Wade, were present. The Monumental Association formed and Hon. Lewis Cass was chosen President.

WASHINGTON CITY, Sept. 11.—Dr. Thos. Rainey, of New York, has been appointed by the President special agent to accompany the re-captured Africans and deliver them to the authorities of Liberia. He is well known in connection with the enterprise for establishing a line of steamers between the United States and Brazil, which he will continue to press at the next session of Congress.

NEW YORK, Sept. 11.—The steamers North Star and New York sailed at noon. The former carries out $193,000 in specie.

MURPHY & BURCHFIELD have rec'd a lot of Figured Swiss Muslins, a decided bargain. Also, Purple and Linen Collars, lower than usual. And we are now offering our Rose and Granadine Robes at much lower prices than sold at early in the season.

WINES AND LIQUORS—I have constantly on hand a large supply of pure Wines and Liquors for medicinal purposes. Those in want of anything in this line can rely upon getting a pure article at

JOS. FLEMING'S,
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OIL CLOTHS—A large assortment of Floor Oil Cloths on hand, from 3 ft. to 24 ft. wide, at very low prices for cash.
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ORIGINAL BEE HIVE.—We are now opening our Fall Stock of Goods, and feel confident that we have to offer, one of the most complete assortment of Staple and Fancy Goods that it has been our privilege to open to our house. We invite all our friends to call and examine good bargains.
C. HANSON LOVE,
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EVERY DESCRIPTION OF DRESS GOODS, Shawls, Needle Work Collars, &c., selling at the NEW STORE OF LOVE, 74 Market street.

A LARGE LOT of Selfridges, Checks and Sundries, just received and for sale, wholesale or retail, at FLAHERTY'S Family Grocery and Tea Store, Federal street, Allegheny city.

PRODUCE FOR SALE—
20,000 lbs. country cured Bulk Meat;
25 bbls Mess Pork;
150 bus. Dry Apples;
2,000 lbs country cured Lard.
To store at my3 SHRIVER & DILWORTH'S.

NEW STYLE CARPETS—We are just opening some new style Brussels and three-ply Imperial Carpets, which will be sold at very low prices, for cash.
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50 BAGS RIO COFFEE;
15 bbls. s. N. O. Sugar;
40 bbls B. D. Molasses;
20 boxes assorted Family Chocolate;
30 half chests V. H. and Black Teas;
10 bags Pepper, Spice and Ginger;
10 do Extract Logwood,
Together with full assortment of Spices, Wrapping, &c., &c.
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BREAST PUMPS—I have just received a large and fine assortment of Breast Pumps. Also, a new article of Breast Pipes superior to any article of the kind now in use. Those in want of anything in this line, should call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere.
JOS. FLEMING,
au28 corner Diamond and Market st.

PLAIN AND FIGURED DE LAINES—A good assortment just received and selling very cheap
C. HANSON LOVE.
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MACKAREL—100 bbls. No. 3 Large;
80 do No. 1
50 bbls do No. 2
50 do No. 3
HENRY H. COLLINS.

BUTTER.—40 kegs packed Butter in store and for sale by JAS. ATWELL, Lee & Co.

NO. 1 LARD—44 tierces irregular coopers,
70 do regular do in store;
76 do do do to arrive
and