Pittsburgh Gazette:

PITTSBURGH:

WEDNESDAY MORNING, OCT. 27, 1858.

OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE CITY.

City and News Items.

MEAN TEMPERATURE.—Observations taken at Shaw's Optician Store, No. 55 Fifth st., Oct. 26th.

		IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock, A. M.	cloudy		45
12 " M.		77	56
6 " P. M.			53
Barometer		29	5.10

TO OUR REPUBLICAN FRIENDS.—We find it necessary to remind our Republican friends, that there are only two Republican German papers published in Pittsburgh, the "*Freeman's Friend*," published by Messrs. L. & W. Neeb, and the "*Courier*," published and edited by Messrs. Backofen & Bauer. The two other German papers belong to the Democratic party.

A MEETING of the Republican County Committee will be held at the room of the Agricultural Society, on Friday, Oct. 29th, at 2 o'clock, P. M. The following gentlemen compose the committee:

S. H. GEYER, Allegheny.
JAMES PARK, Jr., do.
ROBERT McCLAREN, Findley.
SOLOMON SALA, Birmingham.
HARRY WOODS, Peebles.
J. W. F. WHITE, Sewickley.
MOSES CHESS, Chartiers.
JOSEPH KAYE, Pittsburgh.
JNO. G. BACKOFEN, do.
PERRY MARTIN, Upper St. Clair.
FRANK PATTERSON, Elizabeth.
ANDREW MILLER, Pittsburgh.
L. H. CARLISLE, West Deer.
S. P. BARR, Lawrenceville.
J. W. RIDDELL, Pittsburgh.
T. A. ROWLEY, do.
ALFRED BLACK, Allegheny.

A full attendance is requested.

A. M. BROWN, Chairman.
RUSSELL ERRETT, Secretary.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Tuesday.—In the case of the Com., vs. Wm. French, indicted for cutting a timber tree on his neighbor's land, on oath of Wm. Cooper, a verdict of guilty was rendered.

Com. vs. George Johnson, indicted for stealing a horse, valued at $100, from Alex. Campbell, of this county, on the 9th of September last. The prisoner's counsel entered a plea of guilty, but claimed that the defendant was an imbecile. A jury was then empanneled to inquire into his sanity. Dr. M'Cook testified that he had come to the conclusion after several investigations, that there was a softening of the brain apparent in the prisoner, and he would consider him an imbecile. A number of witnesses from Territory township, Westmoreland county, who had known the prisoner from boyhood, testified to circumstances going to show that the prisoner was of unsound mind. The Court charged that if the jury believed there was testimony to show that the prisoner was so insane as to be unable to distinguish between right and wrong, they could render a verdict of "not guilty, by reason of insanity." If otherwise, they would declare him guilty. Verdict not guilty, by reason of insanity, and the prisoner is not safe to be at large. Remanded for the present.

Hugh Hagan was indicted for assault and battery with intent to commit an outrage on Mrs. Ann Wright, a married woman residing in the Fifth ward. It is alleged that in July last, defendant entered the house of the prosecutrix at night, while her husband was absent and while she was in bed, and attempted the offence charged. Verdict guilty, but recommended to the mercy of the Court.

Wm. Topper, alias, charged with stealing a horse from J. B. Poor, of the Ninth Ward, was placed in the box. He plead guilty, and was remanded for sentence.

Com. vs. Isaac H. Whitesell, indicted, on oath of Patrick Silvers, for perjury, in falsely swearing before the Mayor that the prosecutor sold liquor to a minor. On trial.

Walton Mains, distiller, plead guilty to an indictment for selling liquor by retail, but stated that he did so under the impression that his distillery license gave him the right. He was fined $50.

Y. M. C. A.—The regular monthly meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association, on Monday evening, 25th inst., was the largest and most interesting one that has been held for some time. The meeting was opened with singing and prayer by Rev. Collier, of the M. P. Church. The minutes of last meeting, and of the Board of Managers, were read and approved. The 1234 hymn, commencing "How pleasant thus to dwell below," was sung. A report, full of facts and incidents, very interesting and cheering to those whose hearts were engaged in the work to which the Association has applied itself, was read from the Daily Union Prayer Meeting, followed by a short, interesting and well-written report from a member of the committee conducting the meeting at the Good Intent Engine House; also one from that at the Neptune House. Rev. Mr. Krauth then led in prayer. A report was read by the chairman of the committee having under consideration the subject of the employment of a City Missionary, which elicited considerable discussion, and was laid over to be taken up at a special meeting to be held on Monday evening, Nov. 8. A resolution was offered to appoint a committee of five to wait upon the pastors, and request them to call a meeting of all the ministers and officers of the Evangelical churches in our city, to consider the propriety and take steps towards organizing a Daily Union Prayer Meeting, which was passed, and the committee appointed. We understand the committee has already entered upon its duties. Committees of three each, were appointed to open prayer meetings in the Vigilant, Eagle and Relief Engine Houses. The meeting was closed by benediction by Rev. Stewart, of the R. P. Church. Revs. Krauth, Stewart and Collier expressed themselves pleased with the project of instituting the Daily Union Meeting. An announcement was made that Rev. Dr. Douglas will address the meeting at the Good Intent Engine House, on Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock, and Rev. Dr. Howard will address the meeting on Friday evening, at the Neptune House. The meeting adjourned to meet Monday evening, the 8th of November.

SUPREME COURT.—*Crawford County vs. Pittsburgh & Erie Railroad Co. and G. W. Howard.*

In the course of the opinion, which we were not able to procure in full, the Court say, after a full examination of the facts, that this is a mere sham corporation. If it was not so from the first it became so when the original subscribers withdrew their capital and subscriptions and passed the charter into the hands of thirteen new men, not one of whom appears to have paid or subscribed, or intended to become responsible for a single share of the stock. The following is the

ORDER:

October, 25, 1858.—This cause came on for a hearing at the last term at Harrisburg on the bill, supplemental bill, answers and evidence, and was argued by counsel, and now, on full consideration thereof, it is ordered and decreed:

1st. That the supplemental bill against Geo. W. Howard be dismissed without prejudice.

2d. That the bill as against the individual persons named therein be dismissed without prejudice.

3d. That the plaintiff recover from the defendant, the Pittsburgh & Erie Railroad Company, the sum of $30,000 with interest from the 25th of August, 1853, and costs, to be taxed by the Prothonotary of the Western District.

4th. That all bonds yet remaining in the possession of the said corporation, defendant, be delivered up to the plaintiff, and that the amount so delivered shall be credited on the above judgment of $30,000 and that any part thereof may be paid by the surrender of bonds according to this amount.

5th. That the subscription of $200,000 made by plaintiff to the stock of the corporation, so far as the same remains unexecuted, be vacated, annulled and set aside, and that the plaintiff be totally discharged from any further performance thereof.

And the plaintiff has leave to apply to such further directions relative to the delivery of the bonds as his case may require, against any or all the defendants named in the bill, except George W. Howard.

The opinion was read by Ch. Justice Lowrie.

SUPREME COURT.—Before Chief Justice Lowrie, and Judges Strong and Thompson.

Tuesday, Oct. 26.—Campbell, Braden & Co's appeal. Lawrence county. Argued by Denny for appellant, by Taylor contra, and by Johnston for appellant.

Simpson vs. Breckenridge; Mercer. Argued by Stephenson for plaintiff in error and by Stewart contra.

County of Lawrence vs. N. W. R. R. Co. et al. In equity. Called up and continued till Saturday next.

Renkinger vs. The Commonwealth; Lawrence. Argued by Taylor for plaintiff in error and by McCalling contra.

Wilson vs. Arnold vs. Pierce; Clarion. Non Pros.

Pendleton vs. Richey, and Richey et al. vs. Pendleton; Venango. Submitted by Drum, and argued by Johnston for plaintiff in error in one case, and defendant in error in the other.

Judge Church being interested in the cases did not sit during its argument.

BAYONE.—Our worthy Sheriff, Mr. Graham, has already undertaken the task of reform in the management of our county prison. He has issued instructions to his Jailor, Mr. Small, to keep that class of prisoners who are incarcerated for capital offences, in their cells, and not allow them, as heretofore, the "privileges of the house," including the opportunity of association with less hardened parties. It has also been determined to prevent the indiscriminate access of visitors to their inside friends, and to stop the practice of loafing in front of the prison bars. These are all much needed reforms, which we are glad to record.

A MEETING of joint committees from the Councils of Pittsburgh, Allegheny and the adjoining boroughs, was held in the Common Council Chamber of this city, on Tuesday evening, for the purpose of preparing a joint ordinance under an Act of Assembly passed April 21st, 1858, relative to licensing of vehicles in Allegheny county.

Hugh S. Fleming, of Allegheny, was called to the chair, and Wm. R. Brown, of Pittsburgh, chosen Secretary.

The following corporations were represented:

Pittsburgh—Russell Errett, J. Robb, William R. Brown.

Allegheny—William Boyd, J. U. Barr, H. S. Fleming.

Manchester—J. Spear, Wm. Spratt.

Duquesne—Wm. Walker, Robt. Taggart.

Birmingham—James Fawcett, Geo. Duncan.

South Pittsburgh—John Forsyth, Wm. Starr.

Monongahela Borough—John Peebles, John Kyle.

West Pittsburgh—J. Rodgers, J. S. Beale.

Lawrenceville—Charles Peterson, Wm. Johnston.

Mr. Errett moved that a joint meeting be fixed for next Monday night, which was adopted.

On motion, a committee of three, consisting of the following gentlemen, was appointed to make the necessary arrangements for holding the joint meeting: J. Robb, J. U. Barr and J. Rodgers.

Mr. Errett offered the following rules for the government of the joint meeting on Monday night, which were adopted:

"The rules of the joint meeting shall be the rules of the Councils of the city of Pittsburgh, so far as applicable.

The presiding officers of each council are requested to be present, and will decide among themselves who shall preside at the joint meeting.

The ordinances shall be read a first time for general information; after which the Councils shall go into Committee of the Whole for general discussion and amendment.

After the ordinance is reported from the Committee of the Whole, it shall be put upon the third reading and final passage; and the clerk of each Council shall enter upon his minutes a full account of the proceedings of this joint convention.

The ordinance, when passed, shall be signed by the officers of all the Councils, who shall see that the same is duly recorded and published in the papers authorized to do the printing of the general corporations represented."

The Act of Assembly under which the committees met, was then read, on motion of Mr. Robb.

Mr. Errett offered a draft of an ordinance to be submitted to the joint-meeting, and after considerable discussion, and sundry amendments being made, it was approved by the meeting.

A committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Errett, Boyd and Forsyth, was appointed to have the ordinance, as amended, printed in slips for the use of members of the several Councils, and to prepare a memorial to the Legislature to make such a modification in the law, as regards the basis of collection and distribution of the licenses among the several corporations, as will suit all parties. The meeting then adjourned.

THE Committee of Arrangements for the celebration of the Centennial Anniversary of the occupation of Fort Duquesne, met at the Mayor's office on Tuesday afternoon, and decided upon the following programme. A procession will be formed at 10 o'clock on the morning of Nov. 25th, in the following order:

Military, under command of Brigadier General.
Revolutionary Soldiers.
Soldiers of 1812.
Scott Legion.
Officers of the Army and Navy of the United States.
U. S. Officers.
State Officers
County Officers.
Municipal Authorities of Pittsburgh, Allegheny and Boroughs.
Clergymen, in carriages.
Historical, Literary, Benevolent and other Societies.
Masons
Odd Fellows.
Firemen.
Tradesmen, &c., &c.

One hundred guns will be fired at an early hour in the morning of the celebration and during the march of the procession. An Oration will be delivered at 3 o'clock, P. M., at the Duquesne Depot of the Pennsylvania Railroad, on Liberty street.

The various railroad companies have authorized the issue of excursion tickets for the occasion. By order of the Committee.

THE MANDAMUS CASE.—On the hearing of the writ of alternative mandamus issued against Allegheny county, at the instance of Jos. T. Thomas, at Harrisburg, on the 14th of July last, the motion to quash having been refused and the Court having ordered a peremptory mandamus, against our County Commissioners, commanding them to make provision for payment of interest on railroad bonds. The Court fixed Thursday, the 25th day of October, for hearing this motion, at Pittsburgh, at the same time granting leave to the County Commissioners to amend and perfect their return, which was deemed insufficient. That Thursday will be tomorrow.

We clip the following from a communication which appeared in the *Chronicle* of yesterday: "The vestry of Christ Church, Allegheny, have called the Rev. Dr. Page to the care of that Parish. We congratulate the church on the wisdom of the selection; we congratulate the Rector on thus being restored to his old home, around which so many pleasant memories must cluster. There, his boyhood, with all its happy associations, was passed; there his manly studies, with all their pleasant recollections, were pursued upon; and there, we trust, he will find as pleasant a rest from his wanderings as he will find a vast field for his labors."

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.—At the anniversary meeting of the Preachers' Aid Society, the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing year:—President, Allen Kramer; First Vice President, James T. Kincaid, Sr.; Second Vice President, John McGill; Secretary, Josiah H. Hillerman; Treasurer, Alex. Bradley. Managers: Richard Parker, Wm. Wilkinson, James L. Graham, Wm. H. Scaife, and Revs. S. P. Woolfe, H. Sinsabaugh, J. McKendree Reilly, A. J. Eadsley and David Rees.

MESSRS. ANDREW M'ALESTERS AND W. B. NEGLEY, the Committee who were sent out to locate lands for the Iron City Land Association of this city, made a very full and satisfactory report to the association on their return, which we published yesterday. We have examined maps of that portion of South Western Missouri in which the Iron City and a German association also, of this city, have entered lands, and incline to the opinion that they have both made very good selections.

ANOTHER CHALLENGE.—The Vigilant Barge Club has challenged the "Putman" to row the "Josephine" for a purse of $100, over the Monongahela course, the former to be rowed by the same crew that pulled the "Gullett," in her late race with the "Cassady." The "Putman" has accepted the challenge, and the race will come off on Saturday week for $100, and the crew which pulled the "Cassady" last Saturday, will row the "Josephine."

ELECTION.—At a recent meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association of Allegheny, the following persons were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, David Kirk; Vice Presidents, John P. Knox, John White; Recording Secretary, Samuel Dobbins; Registering Secretary, Geo. A. Rahm; Corresponding Secretary, Jos. C. McPherson; Treasurer, Wm. H. Smith; Librarian, John Dalzell.

THE *Chronicle* says "we are informed, and are truly sorry to learn it, that the Rev. Mr. Moore, who for some time back has been engaged as Professor at Oakland College, Miss., has positively declined the offer of the Western University trustees, but has accepted instead a professorship at Oxford College, situated in Northern Mississippi."

THE magnificent buildings now in process of erection on Fifth street, will present the finest front of any block in the city. That portion of the iron work which has been put up gives one a vivid idea of what the whole will be. The work speaks well in all its parts for the skill of the men who have planned and so far executed it.

COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT.—A complimentary benefit has been tendered to Manager Porter, of the Pittsburgh Theatre, to place on Friday evening. A good bill will be presented, and we have no doubt the benefit will be a "bumper."

THE ST. CLAIR HOTEL.—This old established hotel, which has been closed for a few weeks past, has been re-opened this week by Mr. Geo. H. Bell as proprietor.

THE excellent Opera of "Don Pasquale" will be presented this evening, at Porter's Theatre—the last night of the Troupe.

Miss Sallie St. Clair is playing at Foster's.

THE deaths in this city from Oct. 9 to Oct. 24 were: Males 9; Females 11. Total 20. White 20. Thirteen of these were children under 15.

OLIVER, St. Clair, near Liberty street, serves up *Oysters* and all the seasonable luxuries in the neatest style, at all reasonable hours of the day and evening. The rooms are new and richly furnished, and visitors can be accommodated in the best style. Meals served up to parties on short notice. The best of family bread, cakes and confectionaries constantly on hand.

STRANGERS and others whose time will permit, will find it to their interest to visit the establishment of J. L. Carnaghan, Allegheny city. His stock of men's and boys' wear, furnishing goods, &c., will be found among the best kept at fair rates.

IF YOU wish to get the worth of your money go to Bown's, Federal street, Allegheny, where you will always find an extensive assortment of every thing connected with their business, including confectionery of every description. Plain and fancy Cakes, Fruits, Nuts, Pickles, Preserves, Jellies, &c., &c.; also, Bread of unsurpassed quality, fresh every morning. Parties supplied with their delicious Ice Cream on short notice.

WHAT, OR WHICH IS THE BEST, VERMIFUGE OR WORM DESTROYER is a question daily and hourly asked by parents, anxious for the health of their children. All who are at all acquainted with the article, will immediately answer, Dr. McLane's Celebrated Vermifuge, prepared by Fleming Bros., Pittsburgh, Pa. It has never been known to fail, and is one of the safest remedies that can be used. A friend of ours lately handed us the following statement in reference to this Vermifuge:

NEW YORK, September 25th, 1852.

Gentlemen:—A young lady of my acquaintance had been for a long time very much troubled with worms. I advised her to try Dr. McLane's Celebrated Vermifuge, prepared by Fleming Bros., of Pittsburgh, Pa. She accordingly purchased and took one vial, which caused her to discharge an unusual large quantity of worms. She was immediately relieved of all the dreadful symptoms accompanying this sickness, and rapidly recovered her usual health. The young lady does not wish her name mentioned; her residence, however, is 250 Fifth street, and she refers to Mrs. Hardie, No. 2 Manhattan place.

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Colored Gallery	25	Proscenium Boxes	$3.00
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WEDNESDAY EVENING, October 27th, 1858, will be presented Donizetti's grand comic opera of DON PASQUALE —Dr. Malatesta, Mr. F. Lyster; Ernesto, Miss Georgia Hudson; Norina, Miss Rosalie Durand.

☞ To-morrow, Sheridan's comedy of the "School for Scandal."

On Friday evening, October 29th, a grand testimonial benefit to Mr. O. S. PORTER, tendered him by the citizens of Pittsburgh, on which occasion a great bill of attraction will be offered.

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Lewistown, Pa., Jan. 28, 1857.

Should any doubt Mr. McCormick's statement, he refers to the following gentlemen:

Hon. Wm. Bigler, ex-Gover'or, Pennsylvania.
Hon. Thos B. Florence, Philadelphia.
Hon. J. C. Kunz, Germantown, Phila. Co. Pa.
Hon. J. S. Black, Judge, Philadelphia.
Hon. D. R. Porter, Governor, Pennsylvania.
Hon. Ellis Lewis, Judge, Philadelphia.
Hon. R. C. Grier, Judge U. S. Court.
Hon. G. W. Woodward, Judge, Philadelphia.
Hon. W. A. Porter, City Solicitor, Philadelphia.
Hon. John Bigler, ex-Governor, California.
Hon. E. Banks, Auditor General, Washington, D. C.

And many others, if necessary.

☞ See advertisement headed HELMBOLD'S GENUINE PREPARATION, in another column. oct25-d&w1y

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Latest from Europe.

SANDY HOOK, Oct. 26.—The Royal Mail steamship Persia, from Liverpool, on the 16th inst., has been signaled off this point. Her advices are four days later.

The steamer Vanderbilt, from New York, arrived out on the 12th inst.

The Atlantic Telegraph stock had declined to £340 @370. A prospectus had been issued to form a company for the Galway line, the capital to be half a million of pounds sterling.

Lieut. Higginson, a shareholder in the Atlantic Telegraph Company, had applied for a summons against the Company for failure to register the list of shareholders, but his application was not granted.

The discounts on the Bank of France have largely increased.

The panic continued unchanged at Vienna.

The Bank of France lost seventeen hundred thousand pounds sterling in bullion during the month.

The Bank of England's bullion decreased £29,000 during the week.

The free importation of breadstuffs into Portugal is to be permitted.

The iron trade at Birmingham has greatly improved, buyers being numerous, and the prices were firmly maintained.

The officers and crew of the burnt steamer Austria publish a card in the Liverpool papers, claiming that they did everything possible during the calamity, and that the captain did the same.

The discounts of the Bank of France during the month increased upwards of a million and a quarter pounds sterling.

The panic prevailing in the Vienna Change is owing to the fears of speculators of an approaching resumption of cash payments by the Bank.

The assassinations of the French and Spanish Consuls at Tetuan, Morocco, created great excitement, and immediate measures were contemplated for satisfaction. It was rumored that the two French ships recently sent to Lisbon would proceed to Tetuan forthwith.

TURKEY.—A new excitement had arisen in Candia, in consequence of further Musselmen demonstrations against the Christians, and a general massacre was feared. Two additional battalions of troops were ordered to the Island.

INDIA.—The mutiny at Moultan occurred on the 31st of August. Their almost total extermination followed. The fugitive rebels from Pounee were defeated with great slaughter on the 5th of September. Four of the emissaries of Nena Sahib had been captured at Gwalior, while attempting to corrupt the native troops. They were executed. The Gwalior rebels were again defeated in the field on the 13th of September. They were dispersed in all directions.

AUSTRALIA.—The advices from Australia are to the 28th of August. A nugget of gold weighing twenty-one hundred ounces, was exhibited at Melbourne.

The latest by telegraph from London to Liverpool is to Saturday. There has been no reduction in the bank rates, which remained at 3 per cent., although in open market the minimum rate was 2½ per cent. Great dissatisfaction prevailed in consequence.

Liverpool, Saturday, Oct. 15.—Cotton Market.—The sales of cotton for the week have been 43,000 bales. There has been a slight decline in all qualities. Middlings, uncharged. The sales to speculators were 1200 bales, and to exporters 5000. The estimated sales to-day are 7000 bales, the market closing firm at the following quotations: New Orleans fair 7¾; Middlings 7⅜; Mobile 7 9-16; Middling 7 5-16; Uplands fair 7⅝; Middlings 7¼. The stock of cotton in port is 495,000 bales, including 385,000 bales of American.

The Manchester advices are unfavorable, there being but little inquiry, and prices weak.

Havre, Oct. 13.—New Orleans *tree ordinarie* 111 francs.

Liverpool Breadstuff's Market, Oct. 15.—The market closed dull. Richardson, Spence & Co. quote Flour quiet; fine qualities are wanted; Western 20s @21s; Philadelphia and Baltimore 21s@22s; Ohio 22s@29s 6d. Wheat quiet but steady; red western 5s 2d@5s 6d; white western 6s@6s 6d; southern 7s @7s 3d. Corn is declining; yellow quoted at 31s@33s; white 33s 6d@34s.

Liverpool Provisions Market, Oct. 15.—The market closes dull. Pork quiet. Bacon dull. Lard heavy, at a decline of 1s@2s; sales at 58s.

Liverpool Produce Market, Oct. 15.—Sugar quiet. Coffee firm. Rice dull. All qualities of Tea have advanced. Rosin steady at 3s 10d@4s for common. Turpentine steady at 32s 6d. Tallow firm at 47c in store. Linseed Oil dull at 32s 6d@33s. Spirits of Turpentine steady at 38s@38s 6d.

London Markets, Oct. 15.—Messrs. Baring quote Breadstuffs dull but steady. Walsh bar Iron £6 5s @£6 10s, closing steady. Pig Iron steady at 44s 3d. Sugar steady and in better demand. Coffee firm. Spirits Turpentine firm at 40s@42s. Linseed Oil quiet at 33s 6d. Rice heavy.

Money Market.—The Money Market has slightly declined. American Securities are unchanged.

Liverpool, Saturday afternoon, Oct. 16.—Cotton is quiet but steady, with sales of 7000 bales. Breadstuffs are firm but quiet. Provisions dull.

London, Saturday afternoon, Oct.-16.—Consols 98¼@98¾ for money and 98¼@98¾ for account.

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The Herald's Washington correspondent says Senor Mata, the representative of President Juarez and the Constitutionalists, has left Washington. Before leaving he was admitted to a private interview with the President and another with Gen. Cass. The chief point of debate on the part of President Juarez is to obtain some pecuniary aid from our Government, and Senor Mata was given to understand that our Government could take no part in the present contest in Mexico, but should the Constitutionalists succeed and secure a stable Government, arrange the pending questions between the two countries, and the claims of American citizens in an amicable and just spirit, they would find on the part of the Government every disposition to afford them such moral and material aid as was in its power. The points on which such a negotiation might turn, are a railroad route to some port on the Gulf of Mexico, a liberal commercial treaty, including reciprocity in certain articles on the Northern and California frontier, and a treaty guaranteeing the neutrality of the Nicaraguan route.

Senor Mata will return here before the close of the session, so as to give the President an opportunity to request Congress to act before Spring.

The Cuban Government Department, at Havana, has received a communication from the Spanish Government, to the effect that the Spanish Government will not readily abandon a foothold in the Islands. Hoping this may prove acceptable, while purchasers can be imposed on with goods of a worthless character.

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CARD.—To the Clients of A. R. M'ALMONT.

Having left Pittsburgh to reside temporarily in Washington City, I have placed my unfinished law business in the hands of IRISH & MACKENZIE, Attorneys, No. 60 Fourth street, to whom I respectfully recommend those who have business to transact in my profession.

Commercial.

COMMITTEE OF ARBITRATION FOR OCTOBER. EDWARD GAZZO, B. F. JONES, WM. MEADE, JOHN S. COSGRAVE, F. R. BEXNOT.

PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

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PITTSBURGH, WEDNESDAY, OCT. 27, 1858.

FLOUR—there was more activity yesterday, but no change in prices. On wharf, 34 bbls sold at $4,50 and $4,12, superfine and extra, and small lots of extra sold from wagon at $5,00. From store, the sales aggregated 500 bbls in lots at $4,00 for super, $5,25@5,50 for extra, and $5,75@5,87 for family do—the inside figures ruling.

GRAIN—the receipts of Barley by wagon yesterday were large, reaching fully 3,000 bus, which sold in lots at 70@75 for prime Spring and Fall, Oats, 550 bus from first hands at 42c ⅌ bus of 32 lbs.

GROCERIES—sales of 15 hgs Rio Coffee at 12½, and 10 bbls N. O. Molasses at 50. Sugar, 5 bbds at 9.

PROVISIONS—sales of 160 bus Pickeyes and Neshannocks at 70 and 75, and 100 do Neshannocks at 75, and 12 bbls Sweet at $3,75 ⅌ bbl.

MESS PORK—a sale of 10 bbls at $16.

HAY—sales of 15 loads at scales, at $9@$11 ⅌ ton.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—sales of 20 and 150 sks of 50 lbs, at $1,37½ ⅌ sack, from store.

FISH—Sales of 15 bbls No. 3 Mackerel at $10,50 ⅌ bbl.

SEEDS—sales from first hands of 100 bus Timothy at $1,50, and 150 do at $1,55.

SALT—sales of 500 bbls No. 1 at $1,60.

CHEESE—sales of 80 and 125 bus W R at 7½ ⅌ lb.

CHESNUTS—sales of 30 bus from store at $1,25 ⅌ bus, and some sales at depot at $2,75.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

THE ROCK ISLAND BRIDGE.—Lately a spirited meeting was held in the City of Clinton, Iowa, situated on the Mississippi river, above Davenport, in which strong resolutions of opposition to the Rock Island Bridge, and to all bridging of the Mississippi river, were passed. A committee was appointed by the Clinton meeting to confer with the citizens of St. Louis and to concert measures to remove all such obstructions. Part of that committee is in St. Louis at the Planters' House, and this morning had an interview with a committee of the Chamber of Commerce. The gentlemen here representing the Clinton meeting are: Charles H. Stuart, Esq., an eminent Engineer of New York; Hon. C. H. Toll, and Hon. V. D. Boneteel, of the city of Clinton; and Mr. Park, of Comanche. They will find abundant sympathy here in the object of their visit, and can no doubt become valuable allies in the removal of the Rock Island nuisance.—St. Louis Dem.

A comparative statement of the Foreign Imports of Merchandise at New York for the week and since Jan. 1:

For the week.	1856.	1857.	1858.
Dry Goods	$1,183,271	$ 914,211	$ 943,502
General Merchandise	1,543,345	1,885,121	2,104,263
Total for the week	$2,626,616	$2,807,332	$3,047,960
Previously reported	176,305,424	192,502,616	118,252,420
Since January 1	$180,932,040	195,309,947	121,299,880

A comparative statement of the Exports, exclusive of specie, from New York to foreign ports for the week and since Jan. 1, 1858:

	1856	1857.	1858.
Total for the week	$1,412,764	$1,774,874	$ 937,133
Previously reported	261,948,013	$56,187,225	$46,911,971
Since Jan. 1	$263,360,577	$57,962,099	$47,809,519

The exports of specie from New York for the week ending Oct. 23, and for the year 1858, were as follows:

Total for the week	$ 401,860 80
Previously reported	$22,674,332 43
Total 1858	$23,076,193 23

—[N. Y. Trib.

It is useless to say much about Money matters—in fact the market offers no scope for comment. Its leading characteristics are continued and growing ease. The paper offering outside is quite insufficient to absorb the surplus means, and that capital is seeking other investments, such as Stocks and other securities. Real estate also promises to come into play, and we hear already of some inquiry. We notice some negotiations of prime paper this morning at 8 ⅌ ct.

SUGAR—We notice sales of about 300 hhds at about previous rates. Common to fair ranging at 5¾@6¾c ⅌ lb.

MOLASSES—With increased receipts prices have given way a little, and the sales embrace some 40 hhds at 33@34c, and 150 half hhds at 35c ⅌ gal.—[N. O. Pic., 19th.

The torpid condition of trade which we have recorded for months past still continues, and the plethoric condition of the Money market does not engender a spirit of speculation. The street rates are 4½@6 ⅌ cent. for undoubted names, with but very limited offerings, as the Banks are absorbing most of that which is presented.

The weekly statement of the Philadelphia Banks presents the following aggregates as compared with those of the previous week:

	Oct. 18.			
Loans	$25,449,7[illegible]	$25,225,000	Dec.	216,768
Specie	7,261,2[illegible]	7,261,906	Inc.	100,775
Due from oth. Bks.	1,599,1[illegible]	1,583,969	Dec.	15,222
Due other Bks.	3,380,724	3,445,986	Dec.	64,262