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City and News Items.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations for the *Gazette*, by G. E. Shaw, Optician, 58 Fifth St.—corrected daily:

	IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock A. M.	80	63
12 " M.	112	74
6 " P. M.		67
Barometer		29 5 10

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Tickets! Tickets! The Republican State and County Tickets are now printed, and ready for distribution. Our friends are requested to call and supply themselves.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS, ETC.—*Sureties of the Peace.*—The cases of quarrel, small beer matters of assault and battery, and threats to assault and batter, occupied the attention of the Court on Tuesday morning.

The case of Little vs. Dixon came up first. It appeared, as alleged by defendants, that while one of the Dixon brothers was absent in California, Little had spoken against him. On the return of Dixon, words passed and Dixon threatened to whip Little. Hence the suit. The costs were divided between the parties litigant.

Another case of Frederic Beilstein vs. Frederic Riddle, was settled in the same way, after a hearing.

Jackson Link, of Findley township, was put under bonds to keep the peace towards his wife, whom he has been beating and abusing when in his cups. This couple have been married 26 years and have had eleven children. Whisky is at the bottom of the whole of this trouble.

Juler Dunoz vs. Nani Nardi. This is a case in which the Italian element is prominent. Dunoz is the barkeeper of Gazzolo, at the corner of 5th and Wylie streets. Nardi is a very bilious looking customer, a cap-maker by trade. He has that expression of eye and feature peculiar to the fiery races of the South. It appears that when in Gazzolo's saloon, some months since, he drew upon Dunoz a tremendous bowie knife, bearing on it the inscription, "My Bosom Friend." He was arrested, committed and on hearing yesterday ordered to pay the costs.

Peter Owen brought an action against John Hoffman, charging him with malicious mischief, in hamstringing his horse. The case was sent to the grand jury.

The case of G. W. Nichols, school teacher of Lawrenceville, charged with threatening for a surety of the peace, on oath of Edward Davison, came on for a hearing. It was put off until next Saturday, when, as there is no school, it might be convenient for Mr. Nichols to be present.

Jury Trial.—The first case was that of Commonwealth vs John M'Leese, charged with committing an assault and battery with intent to kill, on oath of Jefferson Lewellen. The prosecutor, having been sworn, testified that he lived up the Monongahela, that M'Leese keeps a tavern, where he went on the 9th of July, got drunk and then into a fight. They had about ten drinks. Was playing a game of quoits with a man named Nicholson; got into a fight and he struck Nicholson in the house; M'Leese then pitched into him and struck him, the prosecutor, over the head and face with a spittoon.

J. H. Hampton, Esq., appeared for the defence in his usual able manner. The count, charging "intent to kill," was abandoned, there being no evidence to sustain it. The verdict was that McLeese, the defendant, was not guilty, and each party was sentenced to pay half the costs.

George W. Hewitt alias James Murray pleaded guilty to a charge of horse stealing. He stole an animal valued at $150, from Robert Long, Esq., of Upper St. Clair, in June last. He was remanded for sentence until Saturday.

John Colleuer was brought before the Court on complaint of Mrs. A. Getty. It appeared that she kept a boarding house and that this man, who is an Irishman, troubled her exceedingly trying to get away her daughter. The court made John pay the costs and charged him not to trouble complainant any more.

Charles Lamb, charged with surety of the peace, was discharged, no one appearing against him.

Mary Ann Slmm and Jemima Mason were concerned in a case of surety of the peace. The former was ordered to pay the costs. Adjourned.

PROTHONOTARY'S OFFICE.—This room, formerly occupied for the sessions of the Supreme Court, is now finished and was ready for occupying yesterday evening. It is now the finest compartment in the Court House. It is supplied with shelves, closets, book-racks and pigeon holes all around the walls and up to the ceiling. To facilitate the use of the higher tiers of shelves, a balustrade runs around at a convenient height above the floor, thus reducing to actual use the whole of the area of two sides of the room, the other two being largely occupied with windows. The carpenter work has been well done. The contractor was Mr. John McDonald, and he had engaged upon the work Messrs. M. K. Malone, Wm. Doran and John McClure. We think their work will stand the test of careful scrutiny.

The painting is in oak, the job was taken by Messrs. Murphy & Boggs. Messrs. G. R. Thompson and Thomas Nesbit were the workmen engaged on the painting. We trust that this elegant room, fitted up at a large expense, will fully answer the end for which it is provided, and will afford ample room for the safe bestowment and keeping of the many important papers that lawfully pass through the hands of the Prothonotary.

TRUE BILLS.—The Grand Jury, on Tuesday forenoon, returned into Court two bills for assault and battery against J. W. Carnes. This is the case where "Jack" put James Campbell's horse off the Passenger Railway track, and James didn't like it.

They also found a true bill of three counts—selling liquor after notice, to a person of known intemperate habits, and to a person already drunk, against Pat McMahon. Also, a true bill for horse stealing, against George H. Hewitt alias John Murray, against John Burns and John Young, charged with larceny, and against John Riggs, charged with malicious mischief. A number of charges of assault and battery, in which George McCombs, Josiah Myers, George Fidell and Frances Fidell were parties, were ignored, and prosecutors required to pay the costs.

[illegible] the 1st inst., and appointed the Republican Executive Committee: [illegible] Saturday,

1st district—A. McCollister, Joel [illegible], Samuel McAnulty; 2d—Jesse Cunningham, [illegible] Moore, Matthias Burkhart; 3d—Harvey Robison, Robert Wilson, M. H. West; 4th—G. W. Roberts, A. Ringhisen, J. W. Redman; 5th—W. M. Ogden, Michael Wilds, Lieut. Ross McGibbery; 6th—Wm. G. Noble, P. S. Pollock, John Burns; 7th—David Pollock, Wm. Wilson, J. McKnight; 8th—Wm. Rogerson, Major J. S. Hillman, Jacob Zeigler; 9th—Wm. Smith, Robert J. Hamilton, John A. Martin.

THE LIBERTY STREET M. E. CHURCH.—This fine structure is finished in its basement story, and rapidly progressing to completion in its other parts. The lecture room has been already opened to public service each Sunday. Dr. Baird says of it, in the *Advocate*, that it "is admirably arranged for sound and light, and well-proportioned in size. It will compare favorably with any room in the two cities of a similar character. Workmen are busily engaged in getting forward the main audience room and the outside work. It is thought that soon after the opening of the new year the building will be ready for dedication."

DIAMOND STREET.—A large company of men were at work on Tuesday, widening Diamond street, between Grant and Smithfield. The widening is carried down directly through McKee's Wagon shop, on the corner of the Diamond, and necessitates the removal of that old building on whose site we expect to see some elegant structure speedily arise.

This old structure has, however, quite a history. It is about 20 years old, and was at first a church for Rev. Bryan. It was afterwards a temperance hall, then a stable, and finally a shop for furnishing the iron work of wagons. Its day is done.

A LARGE and respectable meeting of the Republicans of the Fourth Ward, and vicinity, of Allegheny city assembled at P. Beilstein's Hall on Monday evening, Oct. 3. On motion of Dr. Baldwin, Mr. R. Bard was elected President, and Wm. Oakley, Secretary. Mr. Moffat being called upon, addressed the meeting eloquently in behalf of Republican principles. At the conclusion of Mr. Moffat's address, Mr. Elias H. Irish, candidate for State Senator, addressed the meeting. On motion, Mr. D. L. Smith was called upon and addressed the meeting.

MINIATURE ENGINE.—A very neat miniature engine, with copper boiler attached 20 inches long by 8 inches in diameter, and everything about it in complete running order, is advertised for sale in to-day's paper. Aside from being quite a curiosity, it could be usefully employed in driving a sewing machine, or light machinery of almost any kind. It can be seen at Tate & Son's plumbing establishment, on Liberty street, at the head of Wood.

WE are pleased to announce that George Vandenhoff, whose Readings gave such pleasure last season, has been engaged by the Lecture Committee of the Literary Association to give two or more Readings some time during the present month.

TWO MEN BURIED ALIVE.—On Tuesday afternoon what came near being a fatal and very lamentable accident occurred in the Ninth ward. A large company of laborers is at work excavating Smith street for the sewer which is to drain a large district there. The excavation is about twenty-two feet in depth, sixteen feet wide at the top, and sloping down to about five feet at the bottom. The line of the excavation is straight from Penn street to the river, by the east of O'Hara's Glass Works.

At the bottom of this excavation the men were at work. In an instant the bank above them took a sudden start with a shock. Most of the men had been on the look-out and made their escape. Two of the company, however, whose names we could not learn, the one an old and the other a young man, both Irishmen, were buried under from fifty to sixty tons of gravel and sand. No one seemed to know the names of the two men. The crowd who stood around scarcely knew what to do for a moment. Word came to Wm. O. Davis, Esq., of the Glass Works, who with several of his men went to the spot and worked away with might and main. The buried men were found in about five minutes, they judged. They were buried standing, and this was one circumstance which saved their lives. The dirt was removed in a few minutes so that the men could breathe, and in the course of half an hour they were taken from their living grave. The younger man was perfectly crazy when disinterred. The old one appeared to be nearly dead, but soon revived. Neither of the men were seriously injured, which was owing to the efforts of Mr. Davis and his men, sided by the excavators on the ground.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.—But a small proportion of the jurors summoned were in attendance on Tuesday morning. A jury having been at length empannelled, the first case coming up was that of Shaw & Murdoch vs. the County Commissioners.

The plaintiffs are highly respectable physicians of this city, who bring their action for services done and performed in making post mortem examinations. The defence set up, did not deny the services of plaintiffs, but set forth that the Commissioners had appointed a regular physician to do and perform all such services; that Dr. George M'Cook, jr., had been thus appointed, and that the Coroner having due notice of this when he hired other physicians, must do it at his own expense. The Court held that the County Commissioners in making this permanent appointment had exceeded their powers. A verdict for the plaintiffs in the sum of $30, the amount claimed, was rendered.

In the case of the assignees of Ener & Magee vs. J. Jones, plaintiffs took a non suit.

A verdict was rendered for plaintiff in the amount of his claim in the case of G. W. Evans vs. H. Albricht, in an action for bones sold and delivered.

Altmann vs. Neal. The facts are these: Neal hired the plaintiff to take a pair of coal boats from Pittsburgh to Louisville. The river was low. The pilot went down to Deadman's bar to examine a snag or obstruction in the river. While absent, defendant hired another pilot, and Altmann thereby lost his trip. He brings this suit to recover damages. On trial.

DISTRICT COURT.—In the case of Miller and wife vs. James Gillespie, action on a feigned issue to recover property levied on by the Sheriff, the verdict was for plaintiff.

Ross & Bailey vs. Reese, Davis and Severance. The action is a feigned issue to recover some half dozen coal barges levied on by the Sheriff. On trial.

VIEW OF PITTSBURGH.—Mr. William Schuchman, lithographer, has left at the GAZETTE office a copy of his fine lithographic view of the City of Pittsburgh. We have before, in our columns, noticed this view at length. The holder is supposed to look down upon us, and see at one glance, with no smoke to dim his vision, every street, lane, alley and building in the whole town. This picture makes an elegant ornament for a counting room, and would not be amiss even upon the walls of a drawing room. By the way, we may remark that Mr. Schuchman is about removing his place of business to the magnificent Brewer Block on the corner of Fifth and Market streets.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.—A woman named Covell appeared before Mayor Morrison, on Tuesday, and charged officers Swain and Grubbs with having seriously abused and maltreated her while arresting her for drunkenness. The officers answer that they used no more force than was necessary. It appears that the woman had been in the watch house that evening, but had been released at the request of her friends; that after she got out and while yet intoxicated she used very opprobrious language towards the police, and this may have incited them to use extra diligence in their second arrest.

BIRMINGHAM RAILWAY.—The work on this new road is now pressing forward on Smithfield street. A large crew of men were engaged on Tuesday evening in digging up the pavement, preparatory to laying down the rails. The track is finished, or nearly so, to the farther end of the bridge, and all that remains now is to lay it down across the bridge and along Smithfield to Fifth street. Workmen are laying down the iron crossings at the intersection of Third and Smithfield. It is obligatory upon them to do this before laying the track. The road will be completed within a short time now.

WE observe by our Minnesota exchanges that Mr. Henry Swisshelm, now on a visit to his aged mother in Swissvale, but who resides in St. Cloud, Minnesota, has been unanimously nominated by the Republicans of his district for State Senator. Mr. Swisshelm we have known long and intimately, and we know him to be an honest, straight-forward man, and a thorough Republican. We hope and trust that he may be elected by a rousing majority.

FIFTH WARD RALLY.—There will be a Union Republican meeting (meeting for both precincts) in the school house on the corner of Pike and Walnut streets, on Thursday night of this week. The meeting will be addressed by Mr. Koethen and other German speakers, and by John H. Hampton, Esq., and other English speakers. Let the Fifth Ward Republicans turn out in full force.

THE lawyers employed by Mr. Rutherford to defend him in his approaching trial, are John H. Hampton, Esq., and Judge Shaler. In the prosecution are engaged F. H. Collier and Thos. M. Marshall, Esqs. The case will not in all probability come on till near the end of the term. The general jail delivery cases must of course be first disposed of.

THE Great Republic Monthly, for the present month, is out. It contains the usual amount of interesting reading matter—this number being fully up to those which have preceded it, and it has now become one of the most prominent magazines of the day. It is published by Oakesmith & Co., New York, to whom we are indebted for a copy.

COMMITTED.—At the jail, John Hoffman was committed by Squire Hageman, on surety of the [illegible] son, on oath [illegible] alias "Sharper Smith," was [illegible] are two commitments [illegible] before Mayor Morrison [illegible] larceny.

TO THE REPUBLICANS OF [illegible] There will be a Republican meeting [illegible] Smith, evening, Oct. 6th, in the hall of the N[illegible] School House. The meeting will be addressed by E. H. Irish, J. K. Moorhead, Geo. Stewart, Thomas Howard and John H. Hampton.

VISITORS.—A large company of ladies and gentlemen from Philadelphia are at the Monongahela House, on a visit to the city. They are the Directors of the Penn's Railroad, with their families. They were visiting the manufactories of the city yesterday afternoon.

A YOUNG MAN named Thomas Stewart, formerly resident of this city, was killed recently, on board the steamer Silver Lake, at Leavenworth, by a huge stone, which was projected from a blast and fell through the cabin, striking him on the head.

PART SIX of Chambers' Encyclopaedia is now ready at Davis & Co.'s, No. 60 Fifth street. Back numbers can be had at short notice.

Notice to Builders and Contractors. THE UNDERSIGNED (formerly foreman for Rowland Parry) would respectfully inform those for whom he has done work, and the public generally, that he is now prepared to furnish Slate, or put on Slate Roofs, in the most approved manner. Orders for Roofing or Repairing of Slate Roofs (if left at the office of Alex. Laughlin, corner of Etna street and the Canal, Fifth ward,) will be promptly attended to. THOMAS PARRY. my26:6md.

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[Correspondence of the Daily Pittsburgh Gazette.]
WASHINGTON, PA., Oct. 3d, 1859.

The exciting scenes which have kept in active motion the good citizens of this place, for the last two weeks, it was supposed had terminated with the Fair. But not so. The town was again crowded on Monday to hear the argument in the Railroad Tax case, which was laid over at the August term until the 1st Monday of October. At three o'clock the court room was crowded, by citizens of the country, principally, whose anxiety to hear the argument had induced them to devote a day for that purpose. There was a full bench, Judge Gilmore and his Associates, Slagle and Hart, all being at their post. As anticipated, Montgomery, the attorney for the anti-tax men, asked leave to file an amendment to the replication to the answer of the respondent. This application gave rise to a lengthy discussion between Montgomery and George P. Hamilton, the attorney on the other side. After consultation on the part of the court, it was decided, in view of the great importance of the matter in issue, to grant the filing of the amendment, which was done; and at the instance of Mr. Hamilton, the court adjourned until 8 o'clock on Tuesday morning, to give him time to consider the new matter sprung upon him upon the eve of entering into the argument of the case. So I presume the war of words will come off to-morrow, unless Montgomery can conjure up some new facts, in his dreams to-night, material to the issue.

This case has caused intense excitement throughout the county, and has formed the staple of the conversation of the tax-payers for months past. The locofocos, with their characteristic cunning and disingenuousness, have labored to torture the question into a party one, but with no success. It can not be made to prejudice the Republican candidates, who are "all right on the record," and "took time by the forelock" in "heading off" their wily opponents. The "dear people" have more to expect from the honest Republican candidates than dare be hoped for from the trimming and shuffling course of their unscrupulous opponents. By the way, from all that I can learn, the prospects of the Republican ticket are most cheering. A full vote is certain victory, and I think that may be safely relied on, as the watch-fires begin to burn brightly in the Republican camp.

I promised a few last words in reference to the Fair. I will make them brief, as your space is now precious on the eve of the election. I noticed some very fine specimens of fruit from the orchard of Mr. John Smith, of the Mt. Hope Nursery, in Upper St. Clair township, Allegheny county, 6½ miles from Pittsburgh. His post office is Woodville. His collection embraced a great many varieties, and the samples were of the very finest kind, and did honor to old Allegheny. Mr. S. took some premiums here, and very deservedly, as his skill and success in horticulture are deserving of reward. Mr. S. has an extensive Nursery, not only of fruit but ornamental trees, and those wishing either well know where to get a supply of prime qualities.

The only Sewing Machines on the ground were the "Braman," from the establishment of our friends Lasscell & Northrop, of Market street, opposite N. Holmes & Son's Banking House, in your city. They were in constant operation and attracted the attention and admiration of thousands of spectators. Having no competition, they took the premium, of course. This machine is having an extensive sale in this county.

I will not tax your columns at greater length, concluding with a simple notice of some very rare specimens of vegetables from the gardens of Mr. Isaac Autin, of Elizabethtown, below Wheeling. The were all of the mammoth species, being unsurpassed in size and quality by any I have looked upon this season. Having come so far to exhibit such admirable and excellent samples of his skill in cultivation, I have thought it due to him to speak a word in commendation of his rare vegetables.

The citizens of this place were greatly shocked on Sabbath morning, on learning of the melancholy death of Mr. THOS. BARLOW, a highly respected citizen, whose body was found early on Sabbath morning in the yard at the back of his dwelling, life being totally extinct. His death was caused, it is supposed, from his having missed his footing on the porch and being precipitated some five feet or more upon the hard earth, inflicting a contusion upon his temple, causing instant death. Mr. B. had been left by his lady in the sitting room, engaged in reading, when she retired. It is supposed he arose to go back and having pitched from the porch was instantly killed. His lady having sunk to sleep, his absence was not discovered until the morning, when his body was discovered by some person visiting the pump at early dawn. An inquest was held, we believe, and a verdict rendered in accordance with the facts. His body was interred in the Washington Cemetery, this afternoon, followed by a large cortege of relatives and friends. Mr. B. was aged about 67 years. He was a gentleman highly esteemed for his amiable qualities. He was for many years a resident of Manchester, below your city. His melancholy end is a painful bereavement to a large circle of attached relatives and friends. B.

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Executor's Sale. I WILL OFFER AT PUBLIC SALE, at the Court House, in Ashland, Ohio, at 10 o'clock, on WEDNESDAY, the 2d day of November, 1859, the FARM of the late J. B. BACKHOUSE, deceased, lying within ¾ of a mile of Ashland, and containing about 104 acres of choice land. T. H. NEVIN, se29-4twF Executor of J. B. Backhouse's estate.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.—Letters Testamentary on the last Will and Testament of Thomas R. Holmes, late of the city of Pittsburgh, dec'd, have been granted to the undersigned. All persons having claims against the estate will present them for adjustment, and all persons knowing themselves to be indebted will please call and make payment without delay. WM. M. SHINN, 137 Fourth street, WM. P. BECK, 57 Market street, Executors of the last will and testament of se29 1td&4twF Thomas R. Holmes, deceased.

THE CELEBRATED COPPER TOE! Mitchell's Patent Metallic Tip, DESIGNED ESPECIALLY FOR Boys', Youths' and Children's BOOTS AND SHOES. AN IMPROVEMENT has been applied to Boots and Shoes, by which a saving of expense to the consumer, of two-thirds, is realized, by actual experiment. THE TIP consists of a piece of copper or other indestructable material, neatly fastened to the toe of the boot or shoe forming a complete protection. This invention is now presented to the public, with the fullest knowledge of its practical utility, having been tried over two years, and is destined entirely to supersede the old style, for CHILDREN'S, BOYS' & YOUTHS' BOOTS & SHOES. The importance of this invention will be readily appreciated, as it is well known that children invariably wear out their boots and shoes FIRST AT THE TOE, and, with this protection, they will upon an average wear at least two or three times as long as the old style, while the expense is BUT A TRIFLE MORE. This invention is also especially applicable to Miners Boots and all occupations subjecting the toe of the boot or shoe to be cut or worn. Merchants, and the public generally, will see the importance of obtaining these goods immediately, as they are destined for general use, to supersede all other kinds. The Goods may be obtained of nearly all the wholesale dealers in the principal cities, or of the subscribers, CHASE, McKINNEY & CO. (OWNERS OF THE PATENT,) BOSTON.

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LAND—The undersigned offer for sale an excellent tract of LAND, situate in Perry township, Lawrence county, Pa., adjoining the lands of A. Vangorder, John Johnston, Charles Hall, W. Martin, Robert Francis and others, containing 150 acres, more or less, on which are erected a Frame House, eighteen by thirty-two feet, and a Log Barn. About twenty-five acres cleared and fenced, and an Orchard and other improvements thereon. MARSHALL & BROWN, se13:3twF Attorneys at Law, Pittsburgh, Pa.

50 SACKS new Buckwheat Flour in store and for sale by (oc4) JOHN McGILL & SON.

Telegraphic.

From California.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 4.—The overland mail of the 12th reached Jefferson City to-day. Sufficient returns have been received to insure the election of the entire Lecompton Democratic State Ticket, two members of Congress, Supreme Judge and State Printer. There is also a very large Lecompton majority in both branches of the Legislature. The People's Reform Ticket in San Francisco is elected by a majority of 1,000 to 3,000.

Just previous to the departure of the mail on the 9th, Judge Terry challenged Senator Broderick, which the latter seems to have accepted as a meeting between the parties was prevented this morning by the police.

Business at San Francisco continued dull, with a light country demand. The quotations are nominally unchanged but for the few goods selling, buyers obtained better terms.

WASHINGTON CITY, Oct. 4.—Months ago, information was received in this city of fillibustering movements against Nicaragua. Although the statement was not fully credited, it was deemed of sufficient importance to justify the issuance of instructions to proper federal officers to exercise more than ordinary vigilance, the President himself superintending these precautionary measures. The recent advertisement in the New Orleans papers of a steamship to start from Mobile for Chiraqui on the 1st of October, added to the other accumulating suspicious circumstances attending the alleged contemplated invasion of Nicaragua; but on inquiry of the Collector at Mobile, nothing had been heard to confirm the truth of the report, so far as that port is concerned.

Within the present week reliable information has been received here, as stated in a general newspaper dispatch yesterday, that a large number of strangers were in New Orleans, including many prominent persons known to have been heretofore connected with fillibustering enterprises, and this, together with other circumstances, excites a suspicion in the mind of Collector Hatch that they meditated an unlawful expedition. Late last night, 100 or 150 of them left that city, the presumption being that they had gone to the Balize to await their vessel. The clearance had been asked for the steamer Philadelphia confessedly for Chiriqui, but which Collector Hatch refused, for the reasons above stated. The agent of the steamer was persistent and again applied for a clearance, but met with no better success than at first. Of these facts our government is informed, and probably they are the only ones from authentic sources in its possession. It is believed that this subject was, to-day, a matter of Cabinet consideration.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The Teutonia, from Southampton on the afternoon of the 17th ult., arrived at this port last evening, bringing London files to the date of her sailing. They contain Admiral Hope's report of the battle between the British and Chinese at Taku, in which no allusion whatever is made to the aid and comfort rendered the British Commander by our forces on that occasion.

COL. Wood, who, it is alleged, had pushed down Stryker at the instigation of the Mozart Hall men, comes out in an affidavit declaring that he was in the interest of Tammany Hall and the regency as represented by Cagger and Fowler, and that in knocking down Stryker, he had knocked down the wrong man, and intended to lay low Mr. Alvord, the chairman of the regular and rival convention.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—It has been decided by the Post Master General that the foreign mails for Aspinwall, Panama, Central America, &c., are to be sent by the Vanderbilt steamer, Northern Light, to leave on the 5th inst., from New York. The matter of the California mails is still unsettled.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 4.—Collector Hatch refused a clearance to the steamer Philadelphia, for Aspinwall, because it was alleged that the steamer was engaged to take Walker and two or three hundred men, from Alabama, Texas and elsewhere, now encamped below the city, ready to start for Nicaragua, but ostensibly bound for the Chiercique gold diggings. They were to have left on the fifth.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 4.—Walker and his men got off last night, and sailed from Berwicks Bay this morning in his own steamer without a clearance.

Accounts represent the Cotton crop of Louisiana first rate. The Sugar crop is inferior and small.

The attempted clearance of the Philadelphia for Aspinwall was made to blind the authorities. Harry Maury commands the steamer.

The Brownsville Flag says that the fever is fast disappearing.

Doblado, with 3000 North Mexicans, is marching south. Woll's recruiting army sustained sever losses in the late victory over Doblado.

OTTOWA, C. W., Oct. 4.—Professor La Mountain and Mr. Haddock came into Ottowa to-day, having landed 150 miles North of Ottowa in the Canada wilderness. They were brought out by Indian guides in bark canoes. They travelled in their balloon 300 miles and were up in the air only from 4 to 5 hours. For over four days they have been in the wilderness without food, and with no means of striking fire. They were rescued most providentially by a Mr. Cameron, who was hunting timber with Indian guides.

LEAVENWORTH, Oct. 4.—The Leavenworth election took place to-day. The question of the acceptance or rejection of the Wyandotte Constitution, passed quietly. The adoption of a Constitution was generally conceded. Leavenworth city gives 23 maj. for a Constitution. Atchison city and township give 1 maj. Other precincts, to hear from, will increase the majority.

BOSTON, Oct. 4.—The bark Hazard, which arrived at this port to-day, from the coast of Africa, reports having been fired into on the coast by the British war steamer Pluto. The U. S. sloop-of-war Vincennes was at Leando on Aug. 14th. All was well.

AUGUSTA, Oct. 4.—The returns from the election held in this State yesterday, indicate that Governor Brown is re-elected by a heavy majority. In the Seventh and Eighth Congressional Districts the returns, so far, indicate the election of the Democratic candidates.

MADISON, Ind., Oct. 4.—Laneskes, who killed Hallis, last March, in a street affray, was to-day sentenced to imprisonment for life, in the penitentiary.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 4.—The river is falling slowly, with 4 feet 8 inches water in the canal, and 2 feet 10 inches on the falls.

THE BRAMAN SEWING MACHINE.— It excels all others in SIMPLICITY. All that is asked for it is a FAIR EXAMINATION AND TEST. AGENTS WANTED. No. 60 Market st. se19:1w LASSCELL & NORTHROP.

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REMOVAL.— JOHN S. LEE, MERCHANT TAILOR, Has removed his establishment to NO. 65 MARKET STREET, Next door to N. Holmes & Sons, Bankers. se10

PRESERVES—50 doz. Peaches; 25 do. Pears; [illegible] Quinces; [illegible] Citron; [illegible] Preserved Ginger, se19

TO GROCERS A[illegible] A large lot of PAPER BAGS, for sale by W[illegible] se2 Corner Market and Second, Wood and [illegible]

200 BBLS. Galliopolis City Mills White Wheat Extra Family Flour for sale by oc3 McBANE & ANJER.

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10 BBLS. VARNISH, Coach and Copal; 50 do Linseed Oil, for sale by se16 W. MACKEOWN, 167 Liberty st.

OIL—20 bbls. Linseed Oil in store and for sale low to close consignment. se14 F. SELLERS & CO., 309 Liberty street.

TENN. WHITE WHEAT FOR SEED—100 bus. in store and for sale by se6 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

SWEET OIL—8 bbls. for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO., se23 Corner of First and Wood streets.

MACKERAL—Nos. 1 and 2 in kitts, and No. 3 in bbls., warranted, for sale by se10 J. B. CANFIELD & CO.

1600 BUSHELS Prime Yellow Corn in store for sale by se5 McBANE & ANJER.

MOLASSES—35 bbls prime N. O., on consignment, and for sale low by J. S. LIGGETT & CO., se26 Nos. 75 Water and 92 Front sts.

SEED WHEAT—300 bushels choice and clean; Butter, 400 lbs fresh roll; Eggs, 4 bbls. fresh, received and for sale by RIDDLE, WIRTS & CO.

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LOST—On Wood street, by my dray man, on his way to the river, A BAG OF SHOT. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at my store, No. 211 Liberty street. se24 R. H. KING.

BOILED LINSEED OIL—1000 galls. for sale by B. A. FAHNESTOCK & CO.

CEMENT, for sealing fruit cans, &c., &c.—A superior article for sale low by JOS. FLEMING.

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PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

Reported Specially for the Pittsburgh Gazette.
PITTSBURGH, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1859.

FLOUR—a sale of 100 bbls extra was made from first hands, at $4,75. From store, sales of 1100 bbls in lots at $4,65@4,75 for Super, $5 for Extra and $5,37@5,50 for family do. Corn Meal, 10 bbls at $3,75@3,87.

GRAIN—sales from store of 200 bush Oats at 42. Wheat, 350 bush Red at depot and 120 do from store at $1,10.

GROCERIES—sales 20 hhds Sugar at 7¾@8 and 5 do at 8; Molasses, 40 bbls at 40@41 and 10 do at 42; Coffee, 10 bgs at 12½, and 50 do at 12½@12¾.

APPLES—a sale of 50 bbls at $1,75.

POTATOES—a sale of 50 bush mixed at 25.

CHEESE—sales of 60 bxs W. R. at 8¼.

BACON—a sale of 20 hhds Sides at 9½ cash, and 1500 lbs at 7¾ for Shoulders and 10½ for Hams.

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 30—P. M.—Flour in rather better demand, and prices firmer; superfine $5,10@5,20, and extra $6@6,50.

Mess pork firm with a moderate demand at $15. The stock in the inspection warehouse is 19,127 bbls.

Bacon firm and sides higher, with sales at 7¾ for shoulders and 10½c for sides.

Lard firm at 11½c.

Corn advancing, with sales at 95@98c for mixed, and $1,10@1,15 for white.

A good demand for coffee, and holders asking higher prices; 4,000 bags sold at 11¾@12½c.

Sight exchange on New York ¼@¾ prem.

The export of specie for the week ending to-day was as follows:—

Total	$ 1,414,590 00
Previously reported	56,437,412 24
Total for 1859	$57,852,002 24

The following is a comparative statement of the Imports of foreign Goods at New York for the week, and since Jan. 1, compared with the same periods in 1857 and 1858:

For the week.	1857.	1858.	1859.
Entered at the port	$1,097,956	$1,295,477	$1,630,362
General merchandise	1,498,088	2,008,503	3,205,31[illegible]
Total for the week	$ 2,596,054	$ 3,303,980	$ 4,835,676
Previously reported	181,293,498	110,146,508	189,848,107
Since Jan. 1	$181,889,552	113,450,488	194,683,783

[N. Y. Trib.

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

	Sept. 2.	Oct. 3.		
Capital Stock	$11,637,395	$11,638,280	Inc.	$ 72[illegible]
Loans	25,125,114	25,479,419	Inc.	354,305
Specie	5,437,722	5,321,153	Dec.	116,569
Due from other banks	1,448,499	1,696,161	Inc.	247,562
Due to other banks	2,780,398	2,732,862	Dec.	47,536
Deposits	15,243,099	15,560,755	Inc.	317,656
Circulation	2,730,835	2,742,456	Inc.	11,611

The wheat market to-day was more active, and closed ½@1c better. At the opening buyers held off for lower prices; but the steamer's news caused a firmness on the part of holders, and the former had to advance their figures in order to supply orders. Winter wheat was very quiet, except No. 2 red, which was in good request, and advanced 1c. The day's transactions foot up about 90,000 bush, at 92c for No. 2 white, 78@79c for No. 2 red, 76@77c for No. 1 spring, 74@75c for No. 2 spring, and 70@71c for rejected. After the close of 'Change there was an active demand for No. 2 spring, at 75c, with however, little or no inquiry for [illegible]. The flour market was less active to-day, on account of the firmness of holders; about 1,600 bbls changed, at $5 to $5,75 for fair to choice white winter, $4,12½ for common red winter, $4 to $4,37½ for spring extras, and $4,25 for spring superfine ruling rather weaker. Corn was in fair demand and steady, with sales of about 8,000 bushels at 74 to 76c for No. 1 in store, and 75c for canal afloat. Oats were more active and 1c better; about 18,000 bushels were sold at 30½c afloat, and 30c in store for No. 1. Rye in good demand at 62½c, at which about 6,000 bushels changed hands. Barley active and steady at 65c in store for No. 1. Timothy seed quiet at $2,05@2,12½.—[Chicago Press.

RIVER NEWS.

The St. Louis, Capt. Dean, arrived yesterday from Cincinnati with a good load. She was the only arrival.

The Andy Fulton was ready to leave for the South last evening with a fine load of plows and other articles of Pittsburgh manufacture.

The old coal boat that lay sunk in the channel has been pumped out and raised. She is therefore no longer in the way.

The river was about at a stand with near four feet of water.

We heard the rumor yesterday that the Mary Cook had been sunk. We did not learn the particulars.

—Since writing the above we learn that the steamer Mary Cook, bound to this port with 2000 bbls flour, sunk at Raccoon on Monday. She was not insured. A dispatch to Captain Campbell did not give the particulars. It is supposed to be a bad "sink."

The steamer Orb, Capt. Moore, for Louisville, is loading with dispatch. The Clara Dean and Key West, for the same port, are nearly ready to leave.

The Emma Graham is the only steamer now in port for Nashville.

A full compliment of excellent boats are up for St. Louis. In our advertising columns may be found the cards of the Rochester, Moderator, Sir Wm. Wallace and Marengo. These boats are all loading and getting good loads.

The Louisville Courier, of Monday, says:—The hull of the Jacob Traber, on which the Progress had stored a portion of her freight, was sunk on Wednesday night, and a large portion of the freight lost or badly damaged. The Progress had stored her cargo upon two barges, one of which the Champion was unloading at the time of the sinking. The Champion saved what she could, and took it on board. Considerable floating freight was picked up in the river below.

Yesterday about 11 o'clock, the new boat called the John C. Calhoun, from Pittsburgh, on her way to New Orleans, grounded on the falls, and up to a late hour last night had not got off. She sustained no injury as we are aware, having slowly floated into the head of the chute opposite the upper part of the big mill. She was evidently drawing more water than was actually on the falls, with her bow on the left hand reef. There were but 3½ feet water in the pass, and it was said the boat was drawing nearly 4 feet water.

The Cincinnati Gazette, of Monday, says:—The Mississippi, after rising about two inches at St. Louis, is now falling, with 5½ feet to Cairo. The Cumberland is rising at Nashville, with 4½ feet feet water on the shoals, with every prospect of a heavy rise. The Indian, No. 1, and Newsboy arrived from Pittsburgh yesterday, en route for New Orleans. The Argonaut left for St. Louis on Saturday with a good load.

A Cairo letter, of Saturday, says:—The Era No. 4 passed down at 7 o'clock yesterday morning. The Melnotte and Shenango arrived at 2 P. M. The Mariner passed up from here. The new Magnolia went down in the afternoon.

Imports by River.

CINCINNATI, per St. Louis—1,000 bbls flour, Rea; 4 bbls oil, Scott; 12 do alcohol, Hayden; 15 do whisky, Leech & Hutchison; 1 bx tobacco, Little & Trimble; 50 bxs soap, J B Dalzell; 2 hhds glass, Wormser & co; 422 bgs barley, 4 bbls hops, Garrard; 20 bbls whisky, M'Cullough; 40 bbls charcoal, Lyon, Shorb & co; 10 bbls alcohol, M'Keown; 5 do whisky, Howley & co; 10 bbls oil, M'Clurkan Herron & co.

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ARRIVED.	DEPARTED.
Telegraph, Brownsville;	Telegraph, Brownsville;
Jefferson, Brownsville;	Jefferson, Brownsville;
Col. Bayard, Elizabeth;	Col. Bayard, Elizabeth;
St. Louis, Cincinnati.	River—4 feet—at a stand

Telegraphic Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Cotton heavy; sales 300 bales. Flour heavy; sales 10,000 bbls; Ohio $5,20@5,45. Wheat declined 2c; sales 28,000 bush at $1,45 for choice white, $1,27@1,31 for western, $1,03 for red western, 96@$1 for Milwaukee club and 93 for Chicago spring No. 2. Corn advanced; sales 14,000 bush at 95@95½. Beef heavy at $5@8,50. Pork is heavy at $15,25@15,50 for mess and $10,37½ for prime.—Lard firm at 11¼@11½. Sugar firm; the fair grades have advanced ¼c; muscovado sells at 5¼@6¾. Coffee firm; Rio 11½. Iron steady at $23@24. Tobacco firm at 4¾@11. Wool firm; sales 10,000 lbs fleece at 40@62½; pulled, most with a small stock is very firm at 32@50. Pot Ashes $5,37; Pearls $5,50.

STOCK MARKET.—Stocks lower; Chicago & Rock Island 65½; Illinois Central Railroad 66¼; Illinois Central bonds 84½; Michigan Southern 21; Reading 43; Missouri sixes 83¾; Galena & Chicago 72½; Michigan Central 42¾; Cleveland & Toledo 20¾; Harlem R. R. 35¾; Pacific Mail 78; Tennessee sixes 87⅞.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 4.—Flour quiet but firm; sales to the trade at $5@5,50 for common and extra, and $5,62½@6,75 for extra family and fancy. Rye Flour and Corn Meal are scarce; the former is firm at $4,12½ and the latter at $3,75. Wheat is in fair request, with rather less offering; sales of 2000 bush red at $1,19@1,20, and white at $1,30, afloat. Rye is scarce and wanted; 1600 bush Southern sold at 85. Corn is in demand and has advanced; sales of 3000 bush yellow at 88, in store, and 90 afloat. Oats firm; 4000 bush new Delaware sold at 40@40½, and old Pennsylvania at 40. Whisky is better; sales at 27½.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 4.—The market for Flour is dull, and prices have again declined full 10c per bbl; superfine is quoted at $4,50@4,60. Wheat is in light request at $1 for red and $1,08@1,12 for white. Corn is in good demand at 80@83 for yellow. Oats 1@2c per bush better. Rye steady at 76@78. Barley dull at 65 for spring and 75 for fall.—Whisky is active at an advance of ½c per gallon. Provisions are held firmly, without change; sales 500 hhds Bacon at 8c for Shoulders and 9¾@10 for Sides. There is no variation in exchange. The river continues to fall slowly. The weather is pleasant.

BALTIMORE, Oct. 4.—Flour quiet; Ohio and Howard street sells at $5. Wheat is very firm and advancing; white sells at $1,32@1,51 and red at $1,17@1,18. Corn quiet; white sells at 84@85 and yellow at 84@86. Whisky quiet; Ohio sells at 28@28½. Provisions buoyant; Pork unchanged; Shoulders sell at 8¾@8¾; Sides 10¾@10½. Groceries are unchanged.

Cincinnati, &c.

FOR CINCINNATI A[illegible] [LOU]ISVILLE.—The splendid [illegible] ning steamer O R B, Ca[illegible] leave for the above and [illegible] DAY, 5th, at 4 o'clo[illegible] on board or to [illegible] oc1

FOR CIN[illegible] [LOU]ISVILLE.—[illegible] DEAN, Capt. S. [illegible] termediate ports [illegible] freight or passa[illegible] oc1

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