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WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOV. 14, 1860.

CITY AFFAIRS.

METEOROLOGICAL Observations for the *Gazette*, by G. R. Shaw, Optician, 55 Fifth St.—corrected daily:

	IN SUN.	IN SHADE.
9 o'clock, A. M.	55	50
12 " M.	75	58
6 " P. M.		44
Barometer		29 7-10

COLLISION ON THE OHIO RIVER.—The steamer Switzerland, Capt. J. P. Schenk, bound from Cincinnati to New Orleans, with a cargo of 700 tons, and the tow boat Conestoga, Capt. J. J. Vandegrift, bound from Madison to this city, with a tow of ten empty coal barges, collided at 2½ o'clock on Sunday morning in the Ohio, opposite the mouth of Laughery Creek. The Captain of the Conestoga furnishes the following details of the disaster:

"The night was clear, and it had just commenced to fog when the boats came together. A pair of floating coal boats were in the foot of the bend, and both steamers claim to have been trying to pass between the coal boats and the Kentucky shore. He (Capt. Vandergrift,) had retired for the night, leaving the mate of the Conestoga and Pilot, Goodwin Mead, on the watch. The Conestoga claims to have whistled for the starboard side, while Switzerland's pilots also claim to have whistled previously, which was not heard, however, by the ascending boat. The Conestoga had stopped her engines when the collision took place. Six of the barges being in advance of the Conestoga, one of the number struck the Switzerland on the starboard side, tearing off the guard from the forward, chalk aft to the water wheel—the bow of the high empty barge instanly killing five valuable horses, sweeping a quantity of freight and the cook-house and contents overboard, and likewise bending the levers, and otherwise disabling the starboard engine. The hull was not materially injured, although Captain Schenk, is of the opinion that he will be compelled to reship the Switzerland's cargo, and return to Cincinnati for repairs. The striker on the Switzerland, lives at Commodsville, a short distance above Cincinnati. He is reported mortally wounded, having broken one leg and one arm. A deck hand on the Conestoga, also, had an arm broken. He was sent to the Hospital on the arrival of the boat at Cincinnati, Monday night. The Conestoga was turned completely around by the collision. One of her barges was demolished. It was forced up over her forecastle, sweeping away the steps, boiler breeching, and finally landed on the Conestoga's cabin floor, barely missing the boilers, thus avoiding an explosion. Another barge was torn loose and floated off. The Switzerland succeeded in landing on the Indiana shore, half a mile below the point where the collision occurred. Captain Vandegrift estimates the damage at $1,500.

SUBPOENAED.—The following notice which explains itself, was served on the Clerk of the Commissioners of this county, on Monday afternoon:

John W. Dobbin vs. The County of Allegheny:

To David L. Smith, Clerk of Commissioners of Allegheny county. Sir:—As subpœnas having been served upon you in the above case, you are requested to produce the following documents:—The book containing the registry of the proceedings of the Commissioners, so far as relative to the bonds issued to the following railroad companies: The Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad Co., Chartiers Valley Railroad Co., Allegheny Valley Railroad Co., Pittsburgh and Steubenville Railroad Co., together with the proceedings of the Commissioners in relation to the subscriptions to the stock of the several companies above named and in relation to the bonds and coupons issued to the said companies, and all documents at your office relating thereto, and the book of minutes so far as they have reference to the said subscriptions; 2d. Minute Books of Commissioners containing entries under the dates of Sept. 28d, 1858, and Aug. 25th, 1858, and entries or resolutions relative to any authority given to the clerks of the Commissioners, or any other person to sign or execute the bonds or coupons issued to the above mentioned railroad companies; 3d. The original bonds given on behalf of the said subscription or any of them which have been cancelled, and any other documents in your possession relating to cancelled bonds or any bonds and coupons issued so far, or on account of said railroad companies; 4th. The receipt books or books containing receipts for bonds issued to the above mentioned companies. HENRY STROUD,

Clerk of U. S. Circuit Court.

ATTEMPTED ARSON.—On Monday at attempt was made by some individual or individuals to burn the Seventh Ward Public School House down. The fire was made in the basement, among some scattered shavings, etc., placed in such a position that the fire would communicate with the wood work, which being dry pine is like so much tinder. The fire was well started, and had gained some headway before it was discovered. A teacher in the first story, seeing smoke issuing from a hole in the floor, quickly guessed what was the matter, and without saying a word to the scholars for fear of alarming them, quietly walked to the spot and stopped the hole up, so as to prevent any draught. He then went down stairs and commenced pouring water on the flames, which were beginning to burn fiercely. Happily the fire was extinguished before it had made much headway. Too much praise cannot be awarded to the teacher, who by his coolness probably prevented a catastrophe like that in the New York Primary School last spring, where a similar case was the cause of the death of a number of children, by being crushed in their frantic endeavors to escape from the room.

The Board of Directors were engaged the whole of the forenoon yesterday in investigating the matter. They have strong suspicions of whom one of the perpetrators is, but think that he had two accomplices, and they were anxious to secure them also. The police are on their track.

SCANDALOUS AFFAIR.—Yesterday morning an information was made before Mayor Wilson by the notorious Eliza Mooney, alias "Nigger Brown," against a man named Jas. A. Bradley, charging him with fornication and bastardy. Bradley was promptly arrested but immediately released on giving bail to answer the charge at court, a gentleman named Connor becoming his bondsman. Yesterday afternoon, about five o'clock, Mr. Connor was coming down Smithfield street, as when near the corner of Fifth, was met by the gentle Eliza, who without saying a word struck a pugilistic attitude, and in the most scientific manner proceeded to pitch into the unfortunate object of her wrath. A crowd quickly collected, and in a few seconds numbered over a thousand persons. A couple of policemen who were attracted to the spot by the noise, succeeded, after some difficulty, in arresting the infuriated woman, and conveying her to the tombs. She was subsequently released on bail.

This is the same woman whose marriage to a negro named Brown, on Centre Avenue, attracted considerable attention a some time since. In addition to the dusky pal mer of her joys and sorrows, above mentioned, it is said that she has most her husband alive in Scotland, whom she deserted several years since, when she came to America.

LICENSE REFUSED.—Mr. Fred. Fuller, the "Benecia Boy's" agent, arrived in this city on Monday afternoon, for the purpose of making arrangements for a "Grand Fistic Tournament," to come off at City Hall, Friday and Saturday nights. He called at the Mayor's office and applied for a license, but was considerably astounded on being informed that he could not have one, as his Honor, the Mayor, deemed such exhibitions as he proposed to give immoral in their tendencies. Mr. Fuller was very much disappointed, and left in the evening train the same day for Wheeling. Hyman, accompanied by Ned Price, of Boston, and Aaron Jones, will arrive in this city in the noon train from the east on Friday.

PERJURY.—John Carraban was committed to jail yesterday by Alderman Donaldson of the 4th ward, in default of $500 bail, to answer a charge of perjury preferred against him by an Irishman named Barney Burns. The defendant appeared as a witness against the prosecutor in a case in which Burns was accused of larceny, swearing positively that he (Carraban) saw him commit the larceny.

NEW TOWNSHIPS.—A new township, called Hampton, has been recently formed by the Court of Common Pleas, out of parts of West Deer, Indiana and McCandless townships.

The same Court has authorized the formation of a new township to be called Marshall, out of Franklin township, but the vote of the people has not yet been taken.

COLLINS PARK.—A trotting match is to come off Monday afternoon at Collins Park, best 3 in 5, for a stake of $200, between Van Voorhis b. s. "Greyhawk" and Charles Jeremy's b. m. "Lizzie Jones." The stallion has already won a name for himself on this course, and the backers of the mare can easily find takers for their nags.

THEATRE.—Mr. Sothern's "Lord Dundreary" is the quintessence of comic nonsensicality. Sothern accomplishes the ambling caricature of a fop of the first water marvelously. The whole play was well put upon the stage. To-night will be presented "Flowers of the Forest," Mr. Sothern appearing as Kinchin.

MESSRS. HUNT & MINER has just received a new novel entitled "The Raised Gamester," from the prolific pen of that eminent novelist George W. Reynolds, accompanied by "The Nobleman's Daughter," by Mrs. Norton. These novels are well worth the price asked.

POLICE ITEMS.—There were 12 commitments to the county jail yesterday. Of these 6 were for drunkenness; 2 for disorderly conduct; 1 for keeping and maintaining a nuisance; 1 for perjury and 2 for vagrancy.

FUNERAL COURT.—Chief Justice Lowrie and Judges Woodward, Thompson, Reed and Strong on the Bench.

Hunter vs. Hulings. Submitted by Myers and Shaler for Plaintiff in error, and by S. P. Johnson, contra.

Beakens appeal; Mercer. Submitted by B. F. Beakens for appellant, and argued by Stewart, contra.

Reed vs. Plumer and Gray; Clarion. Argued by Campbell for plaintiff in error, by Barr, contra.

Brandon vs. Benner; Venango. Argued by Heydack for plaintiff in error, by Johnson, contra, and by Kerr for plaintiff in error.

Sinclair vs. Henley; Elk. Continued

Workman vs. Guthrie; Clarion. Argued by Campbell for plaintiff in error, and Corbett, contra.

Lucy vs. Halls; Venango. Argued by Maynard for plaintiff in error.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—Judges Grier and McCandless on the Bench.

Tuesday, Nov 13.—WM. M. Richardson vs. The borough of McKeesport; suit to recover interest on 56 coupons on bonds issued by the borough of McKeesport in payment of subscription to the capital stock of the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad. On trial.

The counsel for plaintiff, Mr. Shiras, first submitted to the Court the act of Assembly authorizing the subscription, then the ordinance passed by the Council of the borough of McKeesport, making the subscription and lastly the bond itself with the signature of the Burgess and the seal of the borough attached. The ground of the defence was that the bonds had not been signed by the Burgess, and that the seal was not the seal of the corporation; that the railroad company had agreed to pay the interest until the maturity of the bonds.

That the Railroad Company never sold the bonds but merely hypothecated them to Thompson Bell, a broker in this city, on a loan at the ratio of 25 cents on the dollar, and that he afterwards sold them contrary to the protest of the Company, at about 9 cents on the dollar.

Three witnesses, W. E. Harrison, Andrew Soles and A Russel, were called, who corroborated the above, Harrison testifying that the borough never had any seal, except one which was furnished by the Railroad Company at the time the bonds were signed, after which it was taken away by the Company and had never been seen since. The jury will be charged at ten o'clock this morning.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS—Before Judges M'Clure, Adams and Parke.

Tuesday, Nov. 13*th*, 1860.—The jury in the case of John Humphreys, indicted for seduction on oath of Mary Ann Smith, came into court about 9½ o'clock, after an absence of about 20 hours, and returned a verdict of not guilty. The defendant is a good looking young man, not over 26 years of age. He will probably be sentenced on Saturday.

COURT OF OYER & TERMINER—Before Judges McClure, Adams and Parke.

Thursday, Nov. 13.—The case of the Commonwealth vs. Mathew Harbison, indicted for rape, on oath of Mrs. Mary Donahue, occupied the attention of the Court during the entire day.

The jury were charged about 4 o'clock, when they retired. A verdict of acquittal was brought in about half an hour afterwards

ESCAPED FROM THE HOUSE OF REFUGE.—Four boys, aged 17 each, and named respectively Chas. Laferre, Frank Kerr, Edwin Greves and W. Graves, managed to escape from the House of Refuge yesterday morning. The thumb on the right hand of Laferre is wanting. Owens is an Englishman by birth, and speaks with a cockney accent. His widowed mother resides in the 8d ward, in this city. The boys were all dressed alike, each wearing a check shirt, dark pantaloons, and roundabouts. As soon as they were missed, Mr. D. P. Lowary, the Superintendent of the institution, sent a description of them to all the various police officers in both cities, so there is but little doubt but the youngsters will soon be in their old quarters again.

NUISANCE.—A Irishwoman named Mary Grogan was committed to the county prison yesterday by Alderman Rodgers on default of bail, on charge of keeping and maintaining a nuisance in the shape of a hog pen on Pennsylvania Avenue, preferred against her by policeman Jerry Gunbert.

COAL DISCOVERY.—A company boring for oil on the Neshannock, in Washington township, Lawrence county, struck, the other day, a vein of coal seven feet thick, when they stopped for the surface. The discovery is said to be a most valuable one, and no doubt the owner of the property will make a handsome thing out of it.

SHINGLES.—The shingle market is very dull just now, and prices have a declining tendency. This decline is attributed by a great many to the supply being more than equal to the demand, but the real cause may be found in the fact that the demand is not great as in former years, shingle roofs not being thought of when "Gregg's celebrated Asphalt Roofing Felt" can be obtained. The agent for this excellent material can be found at his office, Langhley's building, Canal bank, near the city Water Works.

☞ We call the attention of our readers to an article advertised in another column, called BLOOD FOOD. It is an entirely new discovery, and must not be confounded with any of the numerous patent medicines of the day. It is *Food for the Blood* already prepared for absorption present to the taste and nostrils in action, and not one pill, nor potion, but a food. Let all those, then, who are suffering from poverty, impurity or debility of blood, and consequently with some chronic lesion or ailment, take this Blood Food and be restored to health. We notice that our Druggists have received a supply of this article, and one of the world renowned DR. EATON'S INFANTILE CORDIAL, which every mother should have. It contains no paregoric or opiate of any kind whatever, and is perfectly innocuous for all infantile complaints. It will allay all pain, and of so the gums in process of teething, and at the same time regulate the bowels. To all mothers and nurses, who have tedious nights with sore eyes and sleepless nights, procure a supply, and be convinced. ☞ See advertisement. For sale by GEO. H. KEYSER, Agent, 140 Wood st., Pittsburgh, Pa. sol14:3m5

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L. G. CRAFF, COMMISSION MERCHANT, AND MERCHANDISE BROKER, No. 233 Liberty Street, PITTSBURGH, PA. no8:ly

ORANGES—5 bbls. Sweet Oranges, just rec'd for sale by REYMER & ANDERSON, no13 59 Wood st., opposite St. Charles Hotel.

OIL CLOTH CRUMB CLOTHS—Of different sizes and styles, for sale at the Oil Cloth Warerooms, 56 and 58 St. Clair st. no13 J. & H. PHILLIPS.

LARD OIL—8 bbls. now landing from str. Anglo-Saxon, for sale by no10 ISAIAH DICKEY & CO.

DELAINES, FRENCH MERINOS, SHAWLS, CLOAKS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS, and a large assortment of New Goods just received at no13 BURCHFIELD & EOYE.

INDIA RUBBER STEAM PACKING, GASKETS, MANHOLES, and SQUARE ROPE, for sale at the India Rubber Depot, St. Clair st. no13 J. & H. PHILLIPS.

STARCH—200 boxes best Pearl Starch, for sale by no13 J. S. CANFIELD & CO.

BEAUTIFUL WALL PAPERS, in Oriental and Boquet patterns, for sale by no13 W. P. MARSHALL.

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GUM PACKING—All thicknesses, LACE LEATHER, BELT HOOKS, COPPER RIVETS, &c. &c., for sale by no12:4t M. DE LANGE.

GUM GASKETS—All sizes, round and oval, for sale at 235 Liberty street, opposite head of Wood, by no12:4t M. DE LANGE.

LEATHER BELTING, of the best Eastern make, oak-tanned, all sizes, for sale at 233 Liberty street, opposite head of Wood. no12:4t M. DE LANGE.

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OATS—150 bus. Prime Oats; just rec'd and for sale by JAS. A. FETZER, no12 corner Market and First sts.

HOOP POLES—10,000 Hoop Poles, "light and stalky" on wharf, for sale by JAS. A. FETZER, no12 corner Market and First sts.

THE LATEST NEWS.

BY TELEGRAPH,

RECEIVED AT THE DAILY GAZETTE OFFICE.

LATEST FROM EUROPE.

Arrival of the Steamer Canada.

HALIFAX, Nov. 13.—The Royal Mail steamship Canada, from Liverpool on the 3d inst., via Queenstown on Sunday the 4th, arrived at this port this afternoon. Advices are two days later.

The steamship North Briton has sustained no damage by grating shores.

It is stated that the steamer Etna has been bought for Inman's New York line.

Sir William Dunneston has been gazetted as Governor of Madras.

GREAT BRITAIN.—The London Daily News publishes the text of a dispatch from Lord John Russell to the British minister at Turin, dated Oct. 27th, in which he says the great questions which appear to the British government to be at issue are these:—Were the people of Italy justified in taking assistance of the King of Sardinia to relieve them from governments with which they were discontented, and was the King of Sardinia justified in furnishing them the assistance of his army. Lord John Russell says that the government does not feel justified in declaring that the people of Southern Italy had not good reasons for throwing off their allegience, and cannot, therefore, blame the King of Sardinia. The dispatch closes as follows:—Her Majesty's government will turn their eyes rather to the gratifying prospects of a people building up the edifice of their liberties on the sympathies and good wishes of Europe.

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India and China.—The India and China mails are aboard the Canada.

The French version of the late victories in China says that on the 21st the allies, after meeting with a vehement resistance, carried by assault the most important of the taken forts; 200 of the French and 200 of the English were thrown *hors de combat*; one thousand Tartars who were found in the fort were killed, among them was the General-in-Chief. The other forts surrendered successively on the same evening. A general capitulation gives the allies the whole country as far as Tientsin and 600 brass guns of large calibre. The English and French Ambassadors were at Tientsin when the Chinese commissioners attacked them to open negotiations. It was reported that the ambassadors will soon proceed to Pekin with a cavalry escort

The Calcutta telegrams report symptoms of disaffection in the 6th European regiment at Dinapore.

London Money Market.—The market is quiet but steady. The China news had no influence on Consols. Money was unchanged in rates, but the continued withdrawal of gold from the bank led to the expectation that the bank minimum will soon be raised, possibly next week.

The steamship Africa arrived at Queenstown on the afternoon of the 4th.

Liverpool, Friday, Nov. 2.—The sales of cotton for the week amounted to 111,500 bales, including 47,000 bales to speculators and 10,000 bales for export. There has been a considerable advance on all qualities on the middlings and lower grades to the extent of ¾@¼d. This advance has been caused by the advices from America. The sales of to-day are estimated at 12,000 bales, including 5000 bales to speculators and for export.

Later. Friday evening.—On the receipt of the steamer Vanderbilt's letters this afternoon, a renewed excitement in the cotton market was created and there was a further slight advance in prices, under the effect of the large speculative inquiry; the sales are variously estimated at from 25,000 to 40,000 bales.

Liverpool, Saturday 3.—The sales of to-day are estimated at 20,000 bales; the market is buoyant and prices have advanced ¼@½d over the official quotations.

Brown Cotton Market, Wednesday.—New Orleans, *fair ordinaries*, is quoted at 6¾d, and fair at 6¾d, an advance of ¾@¼d. The market is buoyant; stock in port, 222,000.

Liverpool, Saturday.—*Breadstuffs* firm.

London Money Market.—The Bullion in the Bank has increased £307,000 during the week. Money market generally unchanged.

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INDEPENDENCE, Nov. 12.—The New Mexican mail, in charge of conductor Tucker, with dates to the 25th ult., arrived to-day.

Capt. Geo. McLane, of the Mounted Rifles, was killed by the Navajoe Indians on the 13th of October. He was cut off on a scout, with his company.—When about 25 miles from Fort Defiance a party of Indians were overtaken, and Capt. McLane killed four with his pistols. When the charge was made they attempt to rally given, the Captain became separated from his command, and was seen to fall from his horse. His foot becoming entangled in the stirrup, his horse became frightened and ran off, dragging him a considerable distance before he could be stopped. When he came up he was dead; he had three shots in him, which must have caused his instant death. So perished one of our noblest officers by the hands of the red skins. Capt. McLane was a cousin of Senator McLane, of Delaware. He leaves a widow and three children, who are at Alburquerque. The Indians, after the death of Capt. McLane, made their escape.

Business in Santa Fe was very dull.

There was considerable snow and cold weather beyond the Arkansas; from thence there is pleasant weather.

There is no news from the Plains of any interest.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 13.—Hon. Wm. G. Brown, who was recently elected Mayor of this city, on the Reform ticket, was inaugurated to-day. He closed his inaugural address with a strong expression of the Union sentiments. He declared that he expressed the unanimous sentiments of the people of Baltimore—the largest of the Southern cities—when he said that the true policy of Maryland is to adhere to the Union as long as she can do so with honor and safety. In conclusion, he said no cause has yet arisen sufficient to justify the overthrow of the noblest and most beneficent government ever established by human wisdom, and which is consecrated and endeared to the hearts of all, not only by the abundant blessings of the present moment, but by the sacred memories of the past and the great hopes of the future.

The expediency of calling a mass meeting of citizens to sustain the Union, is much canvassed by our prominent men. A Southern gentleman made his appearance on Baltimore streets, late yesterday, with a blue cockade on his hat. He was regarded with much curiosity, but evidently very little favor.

OMAHA, Nov. 12.—An express coach arrived today with seven passengers, through from Denver in five days, bringing Denver dates to the 6th. The miners generally are going into winter quarters in the towns. Mr. W. P. McClure, charged with an attempt to kill a Mr. Gilpin, has submitted himself to the city authorities, and was to have his trial on the 7th. The weather in the mountains is reported cold, with considerable snow. This coach brings no mail or express.

November 13.—The Denver mail each, with seven passengers and $8,483 in gold dust, and $9,000 in the hands of passengers, passed here on Saturday evening. Snow at the Upper Platte crossing is reported to be from seven to twelve inches deep.

FT. KEARNEY, Nov. 13.—P. Strong, a clerk in the Commissary department, U. S. army, was shot and instantly killed at Kearney City, about two miles west of this place, on Sunday evening, the 11th.—From the testimony of the parties who were present, the occurrence appears to have been accidental. The shot was fired by Mr. Mount, a discharged sergeant of the U. S. army, who was on his way east from Camp Floyd, Utah. The deceased was also discharged and was going east from Camp Floyd. He was formerly from Texas.

The Pony Express, leaving St. Joseph on Sunday morning, passed here at 7 p. m. on Monday.

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., Nov. 12.—The Military State Convention met to-day. The attendance was large. Resolutions were passed favoring a secession from the Union. Governor Brown made a strong resistance speech, declaring the right of secession, and the duty of other Southern States to sustain the right. If the Federal troops attempted coercion, he said, then for every Georgian who fell in the conflict the heads of two Federal soldiers shall atone for the outrage on State sovereignty. Nothing of interest was done in the Legislature to-day.

ATCHISON, Nov. 12.—Three carloads of provisions arrived yesterday and the day before yesterday, for the relief of the settlers in the territory, making six within the past week, and each car load ranging from eight to ten tons. Teams are now waiting to be loaded from Greenwood; Butler, Breckinridge and Otoe counties. Supplies are given to those only who have proper credentials from the neighborhood from which they come.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 13.—The result in Missouri is doubtful and cannot be known positively for several days. The Republican and the Democrat have Douglas as slightly ahead with about 30 counties to hear from. The Bulletin figures Bell considerably ahead with 35 counties to hear from. The vote for Breckinridge is about 23,000; Lincoln 16,000. Fifty-four counties, official, give Bell 34,394; Douglas 29,617.

JACKSON, Miss., Nov. 13.—Gov. Pettus has issued a proclamation convening the Legislature on the 26th inst., to consider the propriety and necessity of providing more and better safeguards for the lives, liberty and property of Mississippians than the late election and past action of the Northern State governments promise.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The *Constitution* publishes one of the forms of a Declaration of Independence to be submitted to the South Carolina Convention.—It embodies a portion of the American Declaration of Independence with the list of grievances altered to suit the present condition of affairs in that state. A copy of this document, it is understood, was laid before the President yesterday.

Arrival of the Overland Mail.

Latest from California.

FORT KEARNEY, Nov. 13.—The pony express, from San Francisco Nov. 3d, passed here at 4 o'clock this afternoon, bringing the following California news:

The steamer Uncle Sam sailed on the 1st instant, for Panama, taking 150 passengers and $1,185,000 treasure, $1,082,000 of which is for New York.

The steamer Moses Taylor, advertised as opposition for Panama, has been withdrawn.

The pony express, with St. Louis dates to the 19th ult., arrived at San Francisco on the 5th.

Beverdy Johnson has been speaking for the last two days on the New Almaden mine case.

A statement is published showing the yield of Col. Fremont's Mariposa mine, in the last five months, to exceed $176,000. Nothing is said about the expense of working the mine during the same time, so that the actual profits cannot be arrived at.

Gov. Downey has declined the appointment of a commissioner on behalf of the State to act with Lieut. Mowry on the boundary of California, and the work must be delayed till the meeting of the Legislature.

Accounts from the peninsula of Lower California represent that a band of Indians in Mexico and California, thieves and murderers, have lately entered that territory and committed atrocious outrages upon many persons, besides murdering ten native Mexicans for throwing off their allegience, and cannot, therefore, blame the King of Sardinia. The dispatch closes as follows:—Her Majesty's government will turn their eyes rather to the gratifying prospects of a people building up the edifice of their liberties on the sympathies and good wishes of Europe.

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The French version of the late victories in China says that on the 21st the allies, after meeting with a vehement resistance, carried by assault the most important of the taken forts; 200 of the French and 200 of the English were thrown *hors de combat*; one thousand Tartars who were found in the fort were killed, among them was the General-in-Chief. The other forts surrendered successively on the same evening. A general capitulation gives the allies the whole country as far as Tientsin and 600 brass guns of large calibre. The English and French Ambassadors were at Tientsin when the Chinese commissioners attacked them to open negotiations. It was reported that the ambassadors will soon proceed to Pekin with a cavalry escort

The Calcutta telegrams report symptoms of disaffection in the 6th European regiment at Dinapore.

London Money Market.—The market is quiet but steady. The China news had no influence on Consols. Money was unchanged in rates, but the continued withdrawal of gold from the bank led to the expectation that the bank minimum will soon be raised, possibly next week.

The steamship Africa arrived at Queenstown on the afternoon of the 4th.

Liverpool, Friday, Nov. 2.—The sales of cotton for the week amounted to 111,500 bales, including 47,000 bales to speculators and 10,000 bales for export. There has been a considerable advance on all qualities on the middlings and lower grades to the extent of ¾@¼d. This advance has been caused by the advices from America. The sales of to-day are estimated at 12,000 bales, including 5000 bales to speculators and for export.

Later. Friday evening.—On the receipt of the steamer Vanderbilt's letters this afternoon, a renewed excitement in the cotton market was created and there was a further slight advance in prices, under the effect of the large speculative inquiry; the sales are variously estimated at from 25,000 to 40,000 bales.

Liverpool, Saturday 3.—The sales of to-day are estimated at 20,000 bales; the market is buoyant and prices have advanced ¼@½d over the official quotations.

Brown Cotton Market, Wednesday.—New Orleans, *fair ordinaries*, is quoted at 6¾d, and fair at 6¾d, an advance of ¾@¼d. The market is buoyant; stock in port, 222,000.

Liverpool, Saturday.—*Breadstuffs* firm.

London Money Market.—The Bullion in the Bank has increased £307,000 during the week. Money market generally unchanged.

Liverpool, Saturday.—*Breadstuffs* quiet.

INDEPENDENCE, Nov. 12.—The New Mexican mail, in charge of conductor Tucker, with dates to the 25th ult., arrived to-day.

Capt. Geo. McLane, of the Mounted Rifles, was killed by the Navajoe Indians on the 13th of October. He was cut off on a scout, with his company.—When about 25 miles from Fort Defiance a party of Indians were overtaken, and Capt. McLane killed four with his pistols. When the charge was made they attempt to rally given, the Captain became separated from his command, and was seen to fall from his horse. His foot becoming entangled in the stirrup, his horse became frightened and ran off, dragging him a considerable distance before he could be stopped. When he came up he was dead; he had three shots in him, which must have caused his instant death. So perished one of our noblest officers by the hands of the red skins. Capt. McLane was a cousin of Senator McLane, of Delaware. He leaves a widow and three children, who are at Alburquerque. The Indians, after the death of Capt. McLane, made their escape.

Business in Santa Fe was very dull.

There was considerable snow and cold weather beyond the Arkansas; from thence there is pleasant weather.

There is no news from the Plains of any interest.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 13.—Hon. Wm. G. Brown, who was recently elected Mayor of this city, on the Reform ticket, was inaugurated to-day. He closed his inaugural address with a strong expression of the Union sentiments. He declared that he expressed the unanimous sentiments of the people of Baltimore—the largest of the Southern cities—when he said that the true policy of Maryland is to adhere to the Union as long as she can do so with honor and safety. In conclusion, he said no cause has yet arisen sufficient to justify the overthrow of the noblest and most beneficent government ever established by human wisdom, and which is consecrated and endeared to the hearts of all, not only by the abundant blessings of the present moment, but by the sacred memories of the past and the great hopes of the future.

The expediency of calling a mass meeting of citizens to sustain the Union, is much canvassed by our prominent men. A Southern gentleman made his appearance on Baltimore streets, late yesterday, with a blue cockade on his hat. He was regarded with much curiosity, but evidently very little favor.

OMAHA, Nov. 12.—An express coach arrived today with seven passengers, through from Denver in five days, bringing Denver dates to the 6th. The miners generally are going into winter quarters in the towns. Mr. W. P. McClure, charged with an attempt to kill a Mr. Gilpin, has submitted himself to the city authorities, and was to have his trial on the 7th. The weather in the mountains is reported cold, with considerable snow. This coach brings no mail or express.

November 13.—The Denver mail each, with seven passengers and $8,483 in gold dust, and $9,000 in the hands of passengers, passed here on Saturday evening. Snow at the Upper Platte crossing is reported to be from seven to twelve inches deep.

FT. KEARNEY, Nov. 13.—P. Strong, a clerk in the Commissary department, U. S. army, was shot and instantly killed at Kearney City, about two miles west of this place, on Sunday evening, the 11th.—From the testimony of the parties who were present, the occurrence appears to have been accidental. The shot was fired by Mr. Mount, a discharged sergeant of the U. S. army, who was on his way east from Camp Floyd, Utah. The deceased was also discharged and was going east from Camp Floyd. He was formerly from Texas.

The Pony Express, leaving St. Joseph on Sunday morning, passed here at 7 p. m. on Monday.

MILLEDGEVILLE, Ga., Nov. 12.—The Military State Convention met to-day. The attendance was large. Resolutions were passed favoring a secession from the Union. Governor Brown made a strong resistance speech, declaring the right of secession, and the duty of other Southern States to sustain the right. If the Federal troops attempted coercion, he said, then for every Georgian who fell in the conflict the heads of two Federal soldiers shall atone for the outrage on State sovereignty. Nothing of interest was done in the Legislature to-day.

ATCHISON, Nov. 12.—Three carloads of provisions arrived yesterday and the day before yesterday, for the relief of the settlers in the territory, making six within the past week, and each car load ranging from eight to ten tons. Teams are now waiting to be loaded from Greenwood; Butler, Breckinridge and Otoe counties. Supplies are given to those only who have proper credentials from the neighborhood from which they come.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 13.—The result in Missouri is doubtful and cannot be known positively for several days. The Republican and the Democrat have Douglas as slightly ahead with about 30 counties to hear from. The Bulletin figures Bell considerably ahead with 35 counties to hear from. The vote for Breckinridge is about 23,000; Lincoln 16,000. Fifty-four counties, official, give Bell 34,394; Douglas 29,617.

JACKSON, Miss., Nov. 13.—Gov. Pettus has issued a proclamation convening the Legislature on the 26th inst., to consider the propriety and necessity of providing more and better safeguards for the lives, liberty and property of Mississippians than the late election and past action of the Northern State governments promise.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 13.—The *Constitution* publishes one of the forms of a Declaration of Independence to be submitted to the South Carolina Convention.—It embodies a portion of the American Declaration of Independence with the list of grievances altered to suit the present condition of affairs in that state. A copy of this document, it is understood, was laid before the President yesterday.

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PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

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PITTSBURGH, WEDNESDAY, Nov. 14, 1860.

FLOUR—We have no new feature to notice in this article. The demand is limited while rates are unchanged. The sales were

Barrels	Where to ship	From store	Sales	Extra	Ex. Fam.	Fancy
200	Ohio	do	—	5 40	5 75	5 90
50	do	do	—	5 43	5 70	6 25
100	do	do	—	5 50	5 75	6 00
125	do	do	—	5 50	5 75	—
75	do	do	—	—	5 50	—
65	do	do	—	5 15	5 70	—
50	do	do	—	—	5 60	—
20	do	do	—	—	5 75	—
40	do	do	—	5 50	—	6 75
25	do	do	—	—	6 00	—
110	do	do	5 55	5 70	6 75	—
100	do	do	5 10	—	5 70@5 90	6 00

GRAIN—Oats—Sales of 2,500 bus from store at 27c per bush. Corn—Sales from store of 100 bush Ear at 40c. Rye—Sales from store of 100 bush spring at 60c.

GROCERIES—Sugar is dull and prices have a downward tendency. Coffee—Sales from store of 20 bags at 15¾@16¼. Molasses declining. Sales of 10 bbls at 44c.

CHEESE—In fair request. Sales of 400 bxs W. R. at 10c