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Monetary and Commercial Reviews.

BALTIMORE, December 6, 1861.

The Stock market is still devoid of activity, and the operations at the Board to day were quite light. Baltimore City 6's advanced to day 2 per cent., 1890's which sold at the close on yesterday at 83, selling at 84⅛@85. Nothing was done in 1875's or 1886's, but the former closed at 82 bid, 85 asked, and the latter at 84 bid, 86¼ asked; 1890's left off at 84 bid, 85 asked. Maryland 6's were ⅛ per cent. lower than on yesterday. Sales were made of $3,000 1870's at 91, and $2,400 1890's also at 91, and they closed at 91 bid for both 1870's and 1890's. In Railroad bonds there was no movement, but Northern Central 1885's were ¼ better again to-day, the market for them closing at 60¼ bid, 61¼ asked. Baltimore and Ohio bonds closed at 82¼ bid for 1867's; 73 bid for 1875's, and 46¼ bid, 49 asked for 1862's, (the extra-dividend bonds). Railroad shares were steady at yesterday's figures, Baltimore and Ohio closing at $48 bid, $50 asked, and Northern Central at $47 bid, $17¼ asked regular way. No sales were made. Bank stocks continue in demand and they are generally firm. Sales were made to-day of 8 shares Western at $16, and 56 shares Marine at $21½. There has been no demand for Mining stocks for some days past, and no quotations were given for any of them to-day. For Canton Co. $9¾ was bid, which is an advance.

We have no change to note since last week in the condition of the money market. Money continues very abundant, but the demand for it is limited, and capitalists find it a very difficult matter to make satisfactory investments. The banks take all the good endorsed paper that is offering, and good single name passes readily on the street at from 6 to 10 per cent., the inside figure being for strictly first class signatures. Money can be readily had on call with good collaterals at 5@6 per cent.

The foreign exports from Baltimore for the week ending on Thursday, amount in value to $212,310, against $44 443 last week. Included in the exports were 12,559 bbls. flour, 56,337 bushels wheat, 2,443 bushels corn, 184 bbls. corn meal, 62 hhds. tobacco, about 100,000 lbs. bacon, and 40,000 lbs. lard.

In New York to-day Tennessee 6's advanced ⅛, North Carolinas ¼; and New York Central ⅛, but Reading declined ⅛, Virginia and Missouri 6's, Canton, Erie and Treasury notes all closed at yesterday's figures.

SALES AT THE BALTIMORE STOCK BOARD.

FRIDAY, December 6, 1861.

$2,400 Maryland 6's '90		91
3,000 do. '70		91
233 Baltimore 6's '90		81½
200 do. '90		81½
36 shares Marine Bank		21½
8 shares Western Bank		16

PRICES AND SALES OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK.
BY TELEGRAPH.
Through WILLIAM FISHER & SON, Stock and Bill Brokers. No. 22 South street.

	1st Board	2d Board
Virginia 6's		
Missouri 6's	48	00
Tennessee bonds	40	40
North Carolina bonds	41½	00
Canton Company	60¼	00
Erie Railroad	10	00
New York Central Railroad	29¾	31
Reading Railroad	77¼	77¾
Treasury notes 2 years 6 per cents	33¾	00
	99⅞	00

The New York *Herald* of yesterday says:

Stocks were quiet to-day. Business remains dull, operators generally being anxious to hear from England and to read the report of the Secretary of the Treasury before buying. Virginia 6's rose 1 per cent.; Missouris were steady. The movements in the railway shares was irregular. Galena rose ¾, Rock Island ¾, Michigan southern ¾; while, on the other hand, Erie declined ¾, Hudson ¾, Harlem preferred ¼, Reading ¼, Michigan Central ¼, Milwaukie and Prairie du Chien ¾, Canton, Harlem old, Panama, Illinois Central, Toledo and Burlington were without change. The market was dull at the close.

REVIEW OF THE BALTIMORE MARKETS
FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 6.

ALCOHOL.—There is no Alcohol in market but 95 per cent. would bring if here 43 cts per gallon.

ASHES.—Ashes are selling at New York at $5.50 per 100 lbs. for both Pot and Pearl, but we hear of no sales here.

BRIMSTONE.—There is no Brimstone here, but crude Sicily is quoted at New York $42.50@45 per ton.

BREAD.—Bread is unchanged in price and it is still selling at 4½ cts. for Navy; 5 cts. for Pilot; and 6½ cts. for Water Crackers, less the usual discount.

BARK.—Quercitron Bark ranges in price at from $18 to $22 per ton, according to quality. There is a good inquiry for it, but it is scarce, and we hear of no sales being made this week.

COFFEE.—There has been quite an active inquiry this week for Coffee, and the market has throughout it been very buoyant and strong. Prices have advanced since last Friday fully ⅛ a cent per lb, but the principal holders are indisposed to sell even at the advanced rates. A lot of 650 bags Rio was sold after we left the market on last Friday at 16¾ cts. net, and we note sales this week of about 1,000 bags do. at 16¾@17¼ cts. net cash. There is now no Rio Coffee to be had under 17 cts., and for prime do. holders ask 18 cts. We quote Laguayra nominal at 20@21 cts.; and Java at 23@24 cts. We note the import here this week of 3,000 bags Rio per bark "Lapwing," and the stock here to-day is about 20,000 bags. The receipts of Coffee from Rio at this port, since Januyry 1st amount to 133,353 bags against 177,563 bags for the same period last year.

COTTON.—Cotton is still advancing. There have been sales this week of about 200 bales ordinary to middling Upland at from 28½ to 30 cts cash, and the market closes firm with 30 cts. asked for Middling.

CHEMICALS.—Soda Ash is selling at 2¾@2¾ cts. cash, for 80 per cent; Sal-Soda at 1⅞@2 cts.; Bi-Carb Soda at 3¾@4¼ cts.; Bleaching Powders at 3½@4 cts.; and saltpetre at 9¾@10¾ cts. for crude, and 10@14 cts. per lb. for refined.

CANDLES.—Candles are dull. Adamantine are selling slowly at 15@17½ cts.; Chemical Sperm at 28@29 cts.; Sperm at 30@32 cts.; Paraffine at 22@23 cts.; and Patent Wax at 39@40 cts. per lb. Mould may be quoted at 10@12 cts. for Western, and 12½@15 cts. per lb. for Baltimore

COAL.—There is nothing doing in Cumberland Coal there being very little here, but Anthracite is active and very firm. It is selling by the cargo for steam purposes at $5.50, and from the yards for domestic use at $6 per ton of 2,240 lbs. The stock here is unusually light.

COPPER.—Baltimore refined ingots have again advanced and we now quote them at 23 cts. per lb. There is an active demand for them and some large sales have been made recently. Yellow Metal Sheathing is now bringing 29 cts., but we still quote Yellow Metal Bolts and Nails at 22@23 cts. per lb.

FEATHERS.—Feathers still range at from 30 to 45 cts. per lb., as in quality, but there is very little doing in them.

FRUIT.—Some lots of new Malaga Fruit have been received here coastwise within the past few days, but there have been no direct imports here as yet. Raisins are selling at $3.45@3.50 for bunch, and $3.90@3.95 per box for layer. We quote Figs at 9@10 cts.; Dates at 4¾@5 cts; Currants at 10@12 cts. per lb. There are no Lemons or Oranges in market. Green Apples, which are arriving quite freely are selling at from $3.25 to 3.75 per bbl., and we quote Dried do. at 7 cts. per lb. Cranberries are still selling at $8@8.50 per bbl.

FISH.—Mackerel are in good demand and quite firm at the quotations, which are as follows, viz: $9.50@10 for No. 1's; $7.50@7.75 for medium No. 2's; $5.50@5.75 for medium and large No. 3's; and $3.25@3.50 per bbl. for small do.; but Herrings are dull at $1.75@2.25 for Shad-alers, and Halifax, and $4@4.50 per bbl. for Labrador. We quote Codfish as bef re at $3@3.75, and Hake at $1.75@2 per 100 lbs. There is a good stock of Fish here.

FLOUR.—There has been a good inquiry this week for Extra Flour, and some large purchases have been made for export, but for Super the market has throughout the week been dull and heavy, and for all descriptions prices have declined. The sales of Flour this week add up about 8,000 bbls., and they embrace 2,000 bbls. City Mills Super at $5 25, this figure being a decline of ⅛ on the lowest quotations of last Friday; 500 bbls. Howard Street do. at $5 62½; 700 bbls. do. at $5 50; 2,000 bbls. Howard Street Extra at $6, 100 bbls. Ohio do. at $5.94; 2,500 bbls. do. at $6, and 200 bbls. choice do. at $6 12½ per bbl. Super may be quoted as closing to-day dull at $5.50 for Howard Street; $5 37½@5 50 for Ohio; and $5.25 for City Mills; but Extra closes steady at $6 for regular standard brands Ohio and Howard Street; and $6@6 25 per bbl. for ship ping brands City Mills. The exports since last Friday are as follows, viz:

	Bbls.
To Liverpool	5,481
" Rio de Janeiro	2,000
" Pernambuco	2,500
" Montevideo	1,000
" Halifax	250
" Demerara	1,400
Total	12,559

FAMILY FLOUR.—Family Flour is still selling by the dray load to the trade at $8 25 for the best brands Baltimore, $6 50@7 for Ohio and Howard Street, and Baltimore high grade Extra is bringing $7 75 per bbl.

RYE FLOUR.—We continue to quote Rye Flour firm at $4 37½@4 50 per bbl., but we have heard of no sales this week.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR.—Buckwheat Flour is in fair demand, and it is selling in lots as wanted at from $1.75 to $2 25 per 100 lbs.

CORN MEAL.—We note sales this week of some 500 bbls. Baltimore Corn Meal at $3.20 per bbl., and it closes steady at this figure.

The following are the inspections of Flour and Meal for the week ending December 5th, 1861:

	bbls.	hf. bbls.
Howard Street	8,327	----
City Mills	7,028	229
Ohio	3,145	----
Family	1,720	----
Total wheat Flour	20,220	229

Together with 525 bbls. Rye Flour, and 570 bbls. Corn Meal.

GRAIN.—Grain has been in good supply again this week, the receipts embracing about 100,000 bushels Wheat, 60,000 bushels Corn, 50,000 bushels Oats, and 4,000 bushels Rye, making a total of 214,000 bushels. The demand for all descriptions has through the week been fair, although not specially active, and prices have varied very little since the opening. We note the export of some 56,000 bushels Wheat this week to Europe.

WHEAT.—There has been less activity in the Wheat market this week than there was a week or two since, but the demand has nevertheless been fair, and most of the lots received have been taken up on arrival. Prices have varied very little since the opening, and the sales have generally been made at 110@115 cts. for low grades red, 125@135 cts. for fair to prime do., 105@115 cts. for common white, 125@130 cts. for medium do., 135@140 cts. for fair do., and 145@155 cts. for good to prime do. To-day 132 cts. was the outside price for red, and 152 cts. for white.

RYE.—Rye is in fair request, and most of the receipts have changed hands this week at 65@68 cts. for Maryland, and 75 cts. for Pennsylvania.

CORN.—The market for Corn has throughout the week been active and firm, and prices have advanced since the opening 2 to 3 cts. per bushel. The opening sales were made at 56@60 cts. for new white and yellow, 59@62 cts. for old yellow, and 65@68 cts. for old white; but since the opening prices have been steadily improving, and to-day new white sold at 59@62 cts., new yellow at 60@62 cts., old yellow at 66@68 cts., and old white at 70@71 cts. per bushel.

OATS.—Oats have through the week been active and firm, and the receipts have mostly changed hands at from 40 to 45 cts. per bushel, at which figures they close firm to-day.

PEAS AND BEANS.—Black-eyed Peas are scarce and wanted, and they are selling as fast as they arrive at $1.75 per bushel for new crop. Beans are active at $2@2.25 per bushel for prime lots.

GUANO.—The season for the sale of Guano is over, and there is now little or nothing doing in it. The Agents' price for Peruvian is still $60 per long ton, and dealers ask $55 for short, and $61 per long ton. We quote California or Elide Island Guano at $45@47; Ichaboe do. at $45@48, Sombrero do. at $27; and A A Mexican do. at from $18 to $22 per ton of 2,240 lbs. Reese Manipulated Guano sells at $45; Maryland Company's Super Phosphate at $40@43; Whitelock & Co's. at $43; Turner's Excelsior, Rhodes' and Delferig's Super Phosphate of Lime at $45; and Baugh's raw bone Phosphate at $45 per ton of 2,000 lbs.

GUNNY BAGS.—Gunny Bags are still selling at 13 cts. for small, and 16@18 cts. each for large.

GINSENG.—There is no Ginseng selling but we continue to quote it at 45@50 cts. per lb.

HEMP.—We quote Hemp as follows, viz: at $130@135 for rough American; $215@220 for dressed do.; $220 per ton for Russia; 6¾ cts. per lb. for Manilla; 8¾@8¾ cts. for Sunn; and 5 cts. for Jute.

HIDES.—There are no foreign Hides in market, and of course nothing is doing in them. We quote wet city slaughtered at 7½@8 cts.; and wet country do. at 6¾@7 cts. per lb.

HAY AND STRAW.—Hay is very active at $18 per ton for good baled Timothy, but Straw is dull $15 per ton for Rye.

IRON.—There is very little doing in Iron, but the market for it is very firm in tone, and prices have rather an upward tendency. We quote as follows, viz: Baltimore Charcoal Forge at $27⅞; Catoctin do at $24@25; Charcoal No 1 Wheel at $27@28; Anthracite Iron at $23@24 for No. 1; $21@22 for No. 2; $20@21 for No. 3; and Scotch Pig at $23@24 per ton from the yards. We quote Blooms as before at $40 for puddled, and $60@62½ per ton for best Charcoal; Bar Iron at $47½@50 for common English and American, and $57½@60 per ton for refined do.; and Sheet do. at 3¾@4 cts. for English; 4¼@4½ cts. for American, and 17½ cts. per lb. for Russia. Boiler Plates are selling at 3¾ cts. for puddled, and 4@4½ cts. per lb. for refined Charcoal, and we quote Nails at $2.80@2.85 per 100 lbs., cash, and $3, six months, for Cut 4d. and upwards.

INDIGO.—Indigo has advanced materially within a few weeks past, and we now quote as follows, viz: Bengal $2@2.50; Kurpah at $190@2.50; Guatemala at $175@2.37½; Madras at $1@1.15, and Manilla as ranging from 75 cts. to $150 per lb.

LEATHER.—There is less doing in Leather than there has been, but it is steady at our previous quotations, viz: 27@30 cts for City slaughtered Sole; 25@28 cts; for Country do; 25@28 cts. for Spanish Sole; 30@32 cts. for City harness Leather, black; 27@28 cts. for Country do; 27@28 cts. for Rough Skirting; $3.50@5 for Upper in rough hide; 50@60 cts. for rough Calf Skins; and 85@100 cts. per lb. for finished do.

MOLASSES.—There has been some inquiry for Molasses this week, but we have heard of no sales worth noting. We quote as follows, viz: Cuba at 28@33 cts. for clayed, and 33@35 cts. for Muscovado; Porto Rico at 40@45 cts.; and New Orleans 50@56 cts. per gallon. We note the import this week of a cargo of 196 hhds., and 22 tierces Cuba.

MILL FEED.—Mill Feed continues in good demand and firm at 15@17 cts. for Brown Stuff, and 27@28 cts. per bushel for Middlings.

NAVAL STORES.—There has been no movement this week in Naval Stores so far as we have heard. We quote Spirits Turpentine at 135@140 cts. per gallon, common Rosin at $6, Pitch at $6, and Tar at $6.07 per bbl.

OILS.—Oils are in fair demand but the market cannot be said to be active. We quote as follows, viz: Linseed at 80@83 cts. for American; Sperm at 155 cts. for fall, and 160 cts. for winter; Whale at 56@58 cts. for crude, and 65@68 cts. for patent bleached; Solar at 65@68 cts.; Sea Elephant at 68@70 cts.; and Lard at 70@75 cts. per gallon.

PROVISIONS.—For Provisions generally the market has through the week been dull and heavy. Prices are very unsettled, and the tendency for all articles is downward. We have heard this week of sales of 150 hhds. Bacon Sides on private terms, and 550 bbls new Western Mess Beef at $15.50 per bbl., both to go to New York, but these are the only transactions of importance that, we have heard of, with the exception of a sale of 50 bbls. regular packed Western Mess Pork at $13.50 per bbl.—Mess Pork ranges in price at from $12 to $13.50 per bbl. as in quality, and we quote Prime do. at $10@11, and Prime do. at $8@9 per bbl. There is no Bulk Meat here, and no reliable quotations can be given for it. The new crop will shortly be in market Bacon is very low. Shoulders are selling at from 4¾@4¾ cts., Sides at 5¼@5¾ cts. and hams at from 6 to 10 cts. per lb. Lard may be quoted at 8¾@9 cts. for City and Western, but there is very little inquiry for it. There is a fair demand for Beef, and we quote it steady at $12.50@13 for Baltimore packed No. 1; $16 for do. Mess; $12 for old Western Mess; and $15@15.50 per bbl. for new do.

BUTTER.—Butter is in good demand, especially the better qualities, and the market for it is quite firm. We quote as follows, viz: Western solid packed at 8¾@12 cts.; New York State at 18@23 cts.; new Glades at 14@17 cts.; Roll at 12@16 cts. per lb. Eggs are selling at 22@23 cts. per dozen for fresh selected.

CHEESE.—Is rather firmer. We quote to day Western cutting at 6¾@7 cts.; Eastern do. at 8@8½ cts.; Western English Dairy at 7@8 cts., and Eastern do. at 8½@9 cts. per lb.

PLASTER.—We continue to quote Plaster at $3.12½ per ton, but it is dull at this figure.

POTATOES.—Prime white Mercers which are scarce, would bring 75@80 cts., but other descriptions, of which the supply is large, range at from 45 to 60 cts. per bushel.

POWDER.—We continue to quote Dupont's, Hazard's and Hawkins's Powder at $3.25 for blasting, and $5@5.50 per keg of 25 lbs for sporting.

RICE.—A small lot of Rice was sold to-day at 7¾ cts. net, but this is the only transaction in this article we have heard of for some time past.

SUGARS.—Sugars continue very firm, but there is comparatively little doing in them. Sales were made early in the week of 9,000 bags Manilla, and 2,500 bags Pernambuco for refining, on private terms, understood however to have been at 8¾, less 5 per cent for both lots, but the sales in addition embrace only 61 hhds. Porto Rico at 8.50 net, and 25 hhds. do. at 8 75@9 net. The stock of Sugar here is light, and holders generally are indisposed to press sales. We quote to day as follows, viz: Cuba at 8¾@8.25 for refining, and 8¾@9 for grocery grades; Porto Rico and New Orleans at 8.50@9 50; and Manilla and Pernambuco at 8¾@8.25. There have been no imports this week. We give below a statement of the stock at the principal Atlantic ports on the 1st inst, and at the same date last year:

STOCK IN BALTIMORE.

Dec. 1st, 1861.	Dec. 1st, 1860.
1,156 hhds.	8,061 hhds.
160 tierces.	9,394 tierces.
16,502 bags.	21,629 bags.

STOCK IN PHILADELPHIA

Dec. 1st, 1861.	Dec. 1st, 1860.
672 hhds.	4,145 hhds.
2,586 tierces.	4,453 tierces.
1,200 bags.	4,100 bags.

STOCK IN NEW YORK.

Dec. 1st, 1861.	Dec. 1st, 1860.
24,289 hhds.	18,067 hhds.
13,848 tierces.	27,559 tierces.
155,102 bags.	99,542 bags.
Melado.	*Melado.*
1,394 hhds.	6,254 hhds.

REFINED SUGARS.—For Refined Sugars the rates are still as follows, viz: 11¼@11½ cts. for loaf, 10¼@11¼ cts. for crush d, powdered and granulated; 10¼@10¾ cts. for soft crushed white; and 9¾@10 cts. per lb. for C yellow. Sales to the extent of 1,600 to 2,000 bbls. have been made this week.

SALT.—Liverpool Salt has declined within a few days past and it is now selling at 100@110 cts. for Ground Alum, 155@160 cts. per sack for Marshall's, Worthington's and Jeffrey & Darey's fine. Turks Island Salt is still quoted at 25 cts. per bushel from store. We note the import this week of 5,408 sacks Salt per Br. ship "Montgomery" from Liverpool.

SEEDS.—Cloverseed is arriving slowly, and there is consequently but little doing in it. We note however a sales this week of some 200 to 300 bushels at $4.62½, and we quote it as ranging from $4.50 to $4.75 per bushel. Timothy Seed may be quoted at $2.12½@2.25, and Flaxseed at $1.60@1.70 per bushel.

STAVES.—We hear of no sales of Staves this week but we quote prime W. O. Hhd. at $65, and prime W. O. Pipe at $78 per thousand.

STARCH.—Starch is steady at 4¾@5 cts. for Western Pearl, and 5½@6 cts. per lb. for Oswego. There is however very little selling.

SPICES.—Spices are in good demand at the following rates, viz: 12½ cts for Pepper; 18 cts. for Pimento; 14 cts. Cloves; 30 cts. for Cassia; 10¾@11 cts. for Ginger; 45 cts. for Mace; and 45@50 cts per lb. for Nutmegs.

TOBACCO.—The receipts of Maryland Tobacco are light, the bulk of them consisting of Ground Leaf, which, being of very good quality, finds ready sale. The demand for all kinds of Maryland is quite active, and shippers would no doubt purchase freely if there were any stock in market. As it is, all the receipts sell promptly, and there being no old stock on hand, the market is kept bare. We quote as before, viz: Ordinary to common lugs $3@5; good common $5@5.50; middling $6@7.50; good and fine brown $7.50@10; extra fine $11@12. The sales of Ground Leaf are at $4.50@11. The receipts of Ohio Tobacco are very light, and offer no inducements to shippers, and we are without any sales to notice this week. Nothing doing in Kentucky Tobacco, there being none in first hands. The inspections of the week are 675 hhds. Maryland, 176 hhds. Ohio, and 5 hhds. Virginia—total 856 hhds.

TALLOW.—We have heard of no transactions in Tallow this week. The last sales were made at 9¾ cts. per lb.

TIN AND LEAD.—Tin Plate is still selling at $9 for I. C., and $10.75 per box for I. X. We quote Banca Tin at 29@30 cts.; Spelter at 4¾@4¾ cts.; and Lead at 6@6¾ cts. for Pig; 7 cts. for Bar; and 7¾@7½ cts. per lb. for Pipe and Sheet.

WOOL.—Wool is quiet, but steady at our last quotations, viz: 34@36 cts. for unwashed; 45@50 cts. for tub washed; 38@40 cts. for pulled; and 45@48 cts for common fleece. Of the finer grades there are no sales making, and it is impossible to give correct quotations for them.

WHISKEY.—During the early part of the week Whiskey was very dull, but within the last day or two the demand for it has increased, and the market has improved slightly. The sales which have been principally of Ohio, add up for the week about 500 bbls at 20½@21 cts., these figures being a decline of ½ a cent to a cent on the closing price of last week. We quote Ohio as closing to day at 20½@20¾ cts., and Country and City nominal at 20 cts. per gallon.

FREIGHTS.—Since our last the Brem. ship Union has been taken up for Belfast, Ireland, at 11¾d. for grain in bulk and bags, but this is the only engagement we have heard of. To Liverpool rates are firmer, but the quotations are still 10d. for grain, and 3s. for flour. We quote to Bremen at 30s., and Holland at 40s. for tobacco.

IMPORTS INTO BALTIMORE.

FOREIGN.

HAVANA—*Steamship Baltimore.*—450 boxes sugar, Lambert Gittings & Co.; 211 do., 69,000 oranges, 80 bunches bananas, 29,000 cigars, Friend, Ricketts & Co.; 12,000 cigars, C. G. DeGarmendia; 1 pkg. cigars, Spence & Keid; 2 cases cigars, Gieske & Siemann, 1 ca e cigars, W. Hanna; 3 bbls, fruit, H. Pollock; 3 pkgs. do., F. Sullivan.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

BOSTON, Dec. 4—The market for Flour continues firm for low grades, but superior is in moderate request and remains without improvement—we quote common brands Western at $5.25; fancy brands at $5.50; extra at $5 62½@5 75; and $6.00@7.50 for superior, including choice St. Louis; Southern Flour is quiet—and we quote choice brands Baltimore at $7 00@8 75 per bbl. In Corn there is very little doing, and prices are almost nominal, although holders are firmer in their views—we quote Western and Southern yellow at 70@72 cts; a lot of new Baltimore yellow sold at 69 cts; and Western mixed at 66@68 cts. In Oats sales at 43@45 cts per bushel for Western and Canada; and Prince Edward Island have sold in small lots at 40@41 cts. per bushel. In Rye sales at 82 cts. per bushel.

RUMORED CONTEMPLATED PURCHASE.—Secretary Cameron, it is said, on his recent visit to Hartford, had a conversation with Colonel Samuel Colt, about buying his whole works in the South Meadow for the Government, and asked the Colonel for his terms for factory, machinery, grounds and all. Colonel Colt wished time for consideration, and the story is, he has quite recently sent a letter to Mr. Cameron, offering his whole concern for five millions of dollars—everything to be included for this sum except his own private dwellings and grounds contiguous. We give the story as it goes, without vouching for its accuracy.—*N. Y. World.*

ARREST OF A NEW YORK MERCHANT FOR FITTING OUT SLAVERS.—Mr. Pierre S. Pearce, a shipchandler doing business at No. 27 South street, was arrested yesterday on a warrant issued by United States Commissioner Henry, on the application of the District Attorney, charged with fitting out the ship Brutus at New Bedford, Mass., for the slave trade. The Brutus, it will be recollected, was successful in her cruise, and landed a cargo of negroes in Cuba. The affidavit against Pearce was made by parties in Boston. The examination is set down for Tuesday next, until which time Pearce remains in custody.—*New York Times.*

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMERS.

FROM THE UNITED STATES

Names	Leave	Date	For
Fulton	New York	Dec 7	Havre
Etna	New York	Dec 7	Liverpool
Asia	New York	Dec 4	Liverpool
Karnak	New York	Dec 10	Nassau
United Kingdom	New York	Dec 10	Glasgow

FROM EUROPE.

Names	Leaves	Date	For
City of Baltimore	Liverpool	Nov 20	New York
Bavaria	Southampton	Nov 20	New York
Africa	Liverpool	Nov 22	New York
St Andrew	Glasgow	Nov 23	New York
Hansa	Southampton	Nov 27	New York

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF BALTIMORE, DEC. 6.

Arrived.

Steamship Baltimore, Denkin, from Havana, 30th ult, at 5 P M—sugar, segars, fruit, &c, to Friend, Ricketts & Co Left brig Union State, hence, disch. The brig H A Didier, from Baltimore, had not arrived. There were several American vessels in ports—freights dull. The U S steamer St Jago de Cuba put into Havana on the 28th, coaled and sailed again next day on a cruise. The Baltimore passed off Cape Henry, on Thursday evening, a loaded bark, painted black, with double topsails, bound in, and off the Rappahannock river, a ship, at anchor, supposed the Banshee, hence for Rio de Janeiro.

Steamer Adelaide, Edgar, Old Point Comfort, Va—M N Falls.

Steamer F W Brune, Foster, from New York—mdse to Jas A Shriver.

Steamer Richard Willing, Claypole, Philadelphia—Jas A Shriver.

Barge L A Birely, Dorman, Havre de Grace—ice to W H Oler.

Steamtug Edwin Forrest, Cannon, from below—towed out schr Mohawk. Reports off North Point, Thursday evening, ship Flora Macdonald, aground, on account of low tide.

Schr Lydia Ann, Weaver, from New York—coal to order.

Schr Prowess, Jackaway, from New York—to Rose & Lyon; hay to order.

Schr Maryland, Cathcart, from New York—to Rose & Lyon; stores for Government.

Schr M C Durfee, Crowell, from New York—E Pratt & Bro; stores for do.

Schr M C Town, Cummins, from New York—W Rhoads & Son; stores for do.

Schr H W Benedict, Ellis, from New York—W Rhoads & Son.

Cleared.

Steamer Adelaide, Cannon, from Old Point Comfort, Va—to M N Falls.

Steamer Artisan, Chance, New York, J A Shriver.

Steamer Richard Willing, Claypole, Philadelphia—Jas A Shriver.

Steamer Pioneer, Norman, Annapolis and West River, Md—Jas Hollingshead.

Steamer Mary Washington, Weems, Patuxent river, Md—master.

Schr Stella Maris, (Br) Folt, Halifax, N S—Jas Corner & Sons.

Schr Exchange, Ow, New York—Heslen & Rogers.

Schr L S Davis, Fairchild, New York—Rose & Lyon.

Schr Whitman Phillips, Longstreet, New York—Wm Rhoads & Son.

Schr Barnard, Walling, New York via Salisbury—Wm Rhoads & Son.

Schr Alex Law, Wood, New York via Chesapeak bay—master.

Schr J Buckalew, Bennett, Philadelphia—W Rhoads & Son.

Schr Alliance, Ireland, Philadelphia via Accomac, Va—Rose & Lyon.

Schr Butterfly, Hubbard, Potomac river—Wm Applegarth & Son.

Schr J J Darrill, Dawes, Philadelphia—Wm Applegarth & Son.

Schr Vermillion, Avery, New York via Tangier—Rose & Lyon.

Schr Phil Holt, Dougherty, Somerset Co—master

Schr Wm Henry, Lawson, do

Schr Mary Eliza, Brooks, do

Schr Chesapeake, Travers, Hooper's Is

Schr Mary Priscilla, Meekins, do

Schr Sarah Eliza, Conroy, St Mary's

Schr Geo S Powell, Boggs, Accomac, Va.

Schr Mary Ellen, Selley, Newtown.

Schr Complete, Kennedy, Vienna.

Sailed.

Ship John M Mayo, Chason, Belle Isle, in tow of the Lioness.

U S steamer Lockwood, Graves, Old Point, Va.

Vessels in the Harbor.

Schr S N Smith, Fisk, New York, 5th inst.

Schr Rescue, Bacon, Philadelphia, 5th inst.

Schr Ann Pickrell, Elzey, Philadelphia, 5th inst.

Schr Alonzo Morton, Green, Aspinwall, 24th ult.

Schr E C Knight, Whitlow, Philadelphia, 4th inst.

Clearances in Baltimore.

Steamer F W Brune, Foster, New York, 5th inst.

Barge Alice, Meekins, New York, 4th inst.

Schr E W Dutton, Taylor, New York, 5th inst.

Schr R H Vermilyea, Genity, New York, 5th inst.

Schr Sea Gull, Howland, New York, 5th inst.

Schr C A Crook, Evernham, New York, 5th inst.

Bark Gustav, Mullin, Liverpool, 18th ult.

Schr John Duckfoot Bond, Bond, Boston, 4th inst.

Schr C L Vanderveort, Loper, New York, 4th inst.

Schr Pathaway, Crawford, Boston, 5d.

Memoranda.

Brem ship Augusta, Bremer, from Bremen for Baltimore, was off Dover on the 16th ult, and passed outside on the 17th.

Bark Kate Lincoln, (Br) Erskine, from Matanzas for Turks Island, was spoken Oct 31st, lat 27 40, lon 71.

Brig Mary, Wilson, from Rio de Janeiro, arr'd at Falmouth, 17th ult.

Br schr Lizzie Russell, Todd, from St Andrews, arr at New York, 4th inst.

At Montevideo, October 3—Barks Agnes, Thompson, for Baltimore, cleared—crew refuse duty—waiting for them to turn to; Milton, Bradford, from Baltimore, disch; J H Chadbourne, Masson, from do, for Rio de Janeiro, discharging.

Ships Gorilla, George, for Baltimore, sailed from Liverpool, 17th ult, Percy Pope, Hugo, also for Balto, sailed from do, 16th.

Ship Edward Everett, Lambert, from Baltimore, put into the Texel on the 16th ult, with the loss of anchors, chains, &c.

Bark Contest, Allen, from Baltimore for Cape Town, was spoken October 20th, Pernambuco, S S W, about 120 miles.

Bark Snapdragon, Kissam, 66 days from Valparaiso, for Baltimore, was spoken October 31st, lat 14 44 N, lon 48 30.

Brig R R Kirkland, Knight, was loading at Cardenas 25th ult for Baltimore.

Bark I C Jones, Woodburn, for Baltimore, sailed from Havre, 16th ult.

Bark Adelaide, Pendergast, for Lisbon, cleared at New York, 4th inst.

Brig Wm Wilson, Plummer, for Palermo, cleared at Gibraltar, 5th ult.

Brig Gilmor Meredith, Doane, for Maranham, sailed fm Cardiff, 11th ult.

Brig Ellen Bernard, Bourne, from Trieste, arrived at Genoa, 11th ult.

Schr P Keating, Snow, for Baltimore, sailed from Rockland, 2d inst.

Bark Hugh Birckhead, Bennett, was disch at Faita, 7th ult, to sail for Guayaquil in a few days.

Eastern Ports.

NEW YORK, December 4—Noon.—Arr steamship City of Baltimore, Liverpool; Northern Light, Aspinwall; ships R S Ely, Liverpool; E F May, London; Shirley, Manila; Twilight, San Francisco; brig Talbot, Bahia.—Cl'd ship Sierra Nevada, San Francisco; bark Wm John, Queenstown.

BOSTON, December 4.—Arr'd ship Thaor, Waterford, England.

PORTLAND, December 2.—Arr'd brig Wm C Clark, Sagua.

LIST OF VESSELS IN PORT, DEC. 6.

SHIPS.

Energie, (Brem) Schmidt, Amsterdam—F L Brauns & Co
E W Nider Farley, Nichols, Bath
Ferdinand, (Brem) Bullerdieck, Liverpool—F L Brauns & Co
Montgomery, Bell, Liverpool—Foard & Rogers

BARKS.

Anna, (Br) White, Demerara—H Perot
Florence Chipman, (Br) Jones, Liverpool—C A Berry
George & Henry, Gunby, ——, Fitzgerald, Booth & Co
Lapwing, Kelly, Rio de Janeiro—H Jenkins & Co
Solitaire, Jones, Rio de Janeiro—Levin Jones
Union, (Han) Schutte, Belfast, Ire—Katz & Leupold

BRIGS.

Alice Gray, (Br) King, ——, Kelsey & Gray
Ann E Applegarth, Groves, ——, W Applegarth & Son
Black Hawk, (Br) McLeod—C M Jackson & Co
Canada, Leary, ——, Fitzgerald, Booth & Co
Francis Jane, Kirch, St Johns—Kirkland, Chase & Co
Hope, Webster, Fortress Monroe
Mount Vernon, Hall, Rio de Janeiro—Spence & Reid
Onward, (Br) Higgins, ——, R K Gray
Palmetto, Jones, Pernambuco—Jas Hooper & Sons
Standard, (Br) Card, Cornwallis, NS—Kelsey & Gray
Zebulon, (Br) Parr, Cornwallis, NS—Kelsey & Gray

SCHOONERS

Alliance, Ireland, ——, Rose & Lyon
Alma Olden, Conery, Bluehill, Me—C M Jackson & Co
Astrea, Pine, Eastport—Kelsey & Gray
Asa Eldridge, Freeman, New York
A E Douglass, Coleman, Boston
Alice Mowe, Askins, ——, Stirling & Ahrens
A E Smith, Cook, Jones
Alida, Finney, for freight, W Rhoads & Son
Butterfly, Hubbard
Buena Vista, Robey, New York
B N Hawkins, Wyatt, New York
Bergen, Cole, New York
Breeze, Hulse, New York—Rose & Lyon
Banward, Walling, New York
C Pendleton, Church, New York—W Rhoads & Son
Catherine, Latcham, ——, Jas Corner & Sons
Carlton Jayne, Rowland, New York—Rose & Lyon
Dwight Davidson, Ketchum, New York—Rose & Lyon
E J Raynor, Raynor, New York—Rose & Lyon
Hampton, (Br) Davison, Horton, NS—Kelsey & Gray
E A Cummins, Riley, ——, R K Gray
E Clossen, Combs, ——, Kelsey & Gray
E Buxton, ——, Kelsey & Gray
Eureka, (Br) Clark, ——, C M Jackson & Co
Fred Dyer, Shute, Portsmouth—Kelsey & Gray
Flying Scud, Carmine, Hatteras—W Applegarth & Son
F P Randolph, Miller, New York
Fanny, Stokes, ——, W Rhoads & Son
Franklin Bell, Robinson, New York—Rose & Lyon
Fred Warren, Coombs, Belfast—Kelsey & Gray
Forward, Jones, ——, W Applegarth & Son
Helene, Derrickson, New York
H Martin, Slaight, New York—Rose & Lyon
Horace, Bunker, ——, W Rhoads & Son
H W Benedict, Ellis, New York—W Rhoads & Son
Iram Smith, McGiveren, New York—E Pratt & Bro
Isabella Dart, Farren, Bridgeport—Rose & Lyon
John R Ford, Campbell, Philadelphia—W Rhoads & Son
J B & F L, Parker, New York
Jas Butler, (Br) Hall, ——, Kelsey & Gray
J P Sawyer, Shaw, Boston—Heslen & Rogers
J P Armitage, Fisher, New York—W Rhoads & Son
J C Henry, Lore, Philadelphia—W Rhoads & Son