CITY INTELLIGENCE

MORE AID FOR THE POOR.—A number of the benevolent residents of the northwestern section of the city have formed an association for the purpose of contributing to the support of the many poor people who have been thrown upon the charity of the more fortunate of their fellow-men by the scarcity of employment which has for some time existed. With this view, a house located on Biddle street, a few doors west of Madison, has been secured and fitted up, from which rich soup and bread will be daily dispensed, commencing to-morrow morning, at ten o'clock. All of the arrangements are of the most complete order, and are similar to those of the other soup-houses already in operation. In the kitchen are four large iron kettles, each capable of holding eighty gallons of soup. It is estimated that two thousand persons can be daily supplied. A space has also been set apart for "boarders"—persons who wish to get a plate of soup and eat it in the house. The house will be open at all hours to-day for the inspection of visitors; and at twelve o'clock there will be an organization of the "North-western Soup Association," at which all ladies will be present who intend to assist in the disposition of the soup, as well as all those persons who have contributed to the support of the Association. This will constitute the fourth soup-house now in operation in Baltimore—another testimonial of the proverbial generosity of her citizens.

THE BALTIMORE ORPHAN ASYLUM.—The claims of this noble charity to the sympathy and aid of the Christian community, and the public generally, were yesterday presented to the congregation of the Charles street Methodist Episcopal Church, by the Rev. William Hamilton, in an interesting and forcible address. The children who are fostered by its beneficence were present in large numbers, and added interest to the occasion by the chanting and singing of several beautiful hymns. At the close of the exercises a liberal response was made by the congregation, quite a handsome sum being contributed to aid the managers in the prosecution of their philanthropic object. The institution is one of our old charities, being founded in 1793 by a few benevolent ladies. It has become wide spread in its usefulness, and deserves the fostering care of the community.

A SOLDIER ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.—On Saturday afternoon, between five and six o'clock, three soldiers belonging to the Third New York regiment, stationed at Fort McHenry, were returning to the Fort from the city, and as they reached the rail road track near Locust Point, a train of cars was passing up. They attempted to cross the track in advance of the train, and two of them succeeded in doing so, but the third party was knocked down by the locomotive, and the train passed over him, cutting his body into so many pieces that he could not be recognized. The remains were gathered together, placed in a basket and conveyed to the Fort. The roll was then called, and it was ascertained that his name was Caul, a corporal in one of the companies of the regiment. No inquest was held.

CONFEDERATE PRISONERS.—On Saturday last there passed through this city about thirty Confederate prisoners, *en route* for Fortress Monroe, from which place they will be sent to Norfolk under a flag of truce. These prisoners were in charge of an officer, who accompanies them from Washington to the Fortress. They were captured at various times along the line of the army of the Potomac. One of the party was said to have once been a member of the Maryland Guard, of this city, but as "outsiders" were not allowed to communicate with them, the names of none of them could be ascertained.

THE ACCIDENT ON THE PHILADELPHIA RAILROAD.—On Friday night last, a collision took place on the Philadelphia and Wilmington railroad, near Gray's Ferry, by which several persons were slightly injured, and the locomotive badly broken. The baggage and express cars of one of the trains were knocked to pieces, and the baggage masters were severely bruised. The mail agent of the train going to Philadelphia, was taken from the car through a hole, in the top, but sustained no injury.

DENSE FOG.—A very dense fog prevailed from about three o'clock Saturday morning until ten. The steamer Louisiana, which was due at seven o'clock, did not reach her wharf until half-past nine. A slight fog prevailed most of the day, and towards evening grew very dense. The Louisiana was compelled to lay at her wharf until five o'clock yesterday morning, when the fog lifted, and the boat left for the Fortress. She will not be due until ten o'clock this morning.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Yesterday morning about ten o'clock, a man named Samuel Brown, died very suddenly. He was messenger to Major Belger and had just entered the Major's office in the Post-office building, when he suddenly fell to the floor and died almost instantly. In the absence of Coroner Sparklin, Justice Hiss held an inquest over the body and a verdict of "death from heart disease" was rendered.

RECKLESS SHOOTING.—On Friday evening, just as the steamer Adelaide was about to leave her wharf, two soldiers entered a small boat and started across the basin, and when about thirty yards from the wharf one of them drew his revolver and deliberately fired two shots at the boat. There was a number of passengers on deck at the time, and one of the balls struck the rail within a few inches of where a gentleman was sitting. The soldiers were allowed to proceed.

SERIOUS CASE OF BURNING.—Mrs. Harrington, living on Chesapeake street, was seriously burned on Saturday night last by the explosion of an ethereal oil lamp. Her clothes were set on fire and the left side of her body from the neck to the ancle was burned to a crisp. She was taken to the Lombard street Infirmary, when Dr. Milholland dressed her injuries. But little hope is entertained of her recovery.

CHARGED WITH PARTICIPATING IN THE RIOT OF THE 19TH OF APRIL.—On Friday night a man named Michael Smith was arrested on the charge of participating in the riot of the 19th of April, on the occasion of the passage through the city of the Sixth Massachusetts regiment. Justice Spicer committed him to jail for court.

PERSONAL.—Colonel Mulligan, of the Chicago Irish regiment, which surrendered to Gen. Price, at Lexington, Mo., arrived in this city on Saturday accompanied by his wife, and took rooms at Barnum's hotel.

RESISTING A POLICEMAN.—George Williams was taken into custody on Saturday, upon the charge of resisting Policeman Bradford. He was committed to jail by Justice McGowan in default of bail to answer the charge at court.

FALSE PRETENCES.—Charles Bruebeck was yesterday before Justice Showacre, upon the charge of obtaining $14 from Catharine Snyder, under false pretences. He was held for a further hearing.

AGROUND.—The steamers George Weems and Louisiana, both run aground yesterday morning, at a point near Fort McHenry. They were got off without difficulty, however, and proceeded on their trips.

ASSAULT.—John Guyson, colored, was yesterday arrested upon the charge of beating Sarah J. Queen, colored. Justice Showacre committed him for Court.

Amusements.

HOLLIDAY ST. THEATRE.—The deeply interesting drama of *Earnest Maltravers* will be performed this evening, in which the beautiful and talented actress Miss Lucille Western, will commence the eighth week of her highly successful engagement, appearing as Alice Darvil in the drama, and Beauty in the extravaganza of *Beauty and the Beast*. The popular actor, Mr. E. L. Tilton, who has already become an established favorite, will appear as Richard Darvil. Miss Western may indeed be proud of the brilliant success she has met from the Baltimoreans.

BALTIMORE MUSEUM.—Our readers will be pleased to know that Konkel's famous Troupe have provided a new and attractive bill for this evening.—Some of the features of which are the comic Ethiopian pantomimic spectacle of the "*Shoemaker*," and the laughable acts of the "*Forty Thieves*," and "*Three Jolly Sports*." Those who desire an evening's real entertainment cannot do better than attend the Konkel's.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

CITY CRIMINAL COURT—JUDGE BOND.

Archibald Stirling, Jr., State's Attorney, prosecuting:

The following business was disposed of on Saturday.

Bernard Swartz and George Woodruff, charged with resisting policeman Bayles and Lavine. Dismissed.

John Bange, charged with the same offence. Dismissed.

Edward Brown, charged with assaulting his wife. Compromised on payment of costs.

John Harvey, charged with beating his wife. Fined $1 and costs and sent to jail for six months.

Hugh Derger, charged with assaulting John Hammond. Fined $5 and costs.

G. F. Schillenberger, indicted for assaulting with intent to kill, was released upon giving bail in the sum of $1,000.

The Court adjourned to meet this morning at ten o'clock.

CITY CIRCUIT COURT—JUDGE KRENS.

Emeline Hall *vs.* Edward Hall. Bill for divorce *a vinculo matrimonii*.

SUPERIOR COURT—JUDGE MARTIN.

State of Maryland *vs.* the President and Managers and Company of the Washington and Baltimore Turnpike Company. *Sci. fa.* to vacate charter. On argument.

Drakeley & Fenton *vs.* Smith & Nicodemus, garnishees of William B. Jones & Co. Attachment on warrant. Motion to quash attachment sustained, and attachment quashed. Motion to amend denied.

COURT OF APPEALS OF MARYLAND.

DECEMBER TERM, 1861.

ANNAPOLIS, Dec. 6.—No. 152. William Yingling *vs.* Christian Kolhass, administrator. Appeal from the Circuit Court for Frederick county. This case was further argued and concluded by J. M. Palmer for the appellee, and Oliver Miller for the appellant.

No. 153. David Morrison *vs.* Susan Kelly.—Appeal from the Circuit Court for Frederick county. This case was argued by Oliver Miller for the appellant.

Correspondence of the Maryland News Sheet.

BALTIMORE COUNTY COURT—JUDGE PRICE.

THE NEW RULE A FAILURE—INCREASE OF COUNTY TAXES—SPORTSMEN FROM THE CITY, &c.

TOWSONTOWN, Dec. 7.

The only business transacted in the Circuit Court for Baltimore county to-day was a confessed judgment of $125.85 for the plaintiff in the civil case of Jane A. Crooks *vs.* Wm. R. Moran.

During the past few terms the Court laid a special rule in regard to the trial of civil cases, viz: to take them up when the Court was not otherwise engaged in the trial of criminal cases, commencing with the regular call of the docket, and by consent any case could be taken up and disposed of. This rule, it is found, will not answer the purposes for which it was intended, to expedite the trial of cases on this docket, and Judge Price has signified his intention of changing and laying another rule, by which to suit the convenience of all and avoid the delays and early adjournments as now exist.

The county taxes for the ensuing year will, from estimates already made, be increased from four to six cents on the hundred dollars above those of last year.

During the past few days of mild weather quite a number of Baltimoreans visited the county, and especially in Long Green, for the purpose of hunting partridges, squirrels and other game. In this region the former are said to be plentiful, and sportsmen meet with quite a success.

The Sunday school of this place intends holding a festival during Christmas week, the proceeds to be appropriated for the purpose of increasing their library.

SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES.

WASHINGTON, Dec 6.—Present as yesterday.

On motion of Hon. R. H. Gillet, Oliver H. Palmer and William F. Aldrich, Esqs., of New York, were admitted attorneys and counsellors of this Court.

On motion of Hon. Edwin M. Stanton, James Monroe and Horace Andrews, Esqs., of New York, and William R. Scott, Esq., of Pennsylvania, were admitted attorneys and counsellors of this Court.

On motion of C. Beckwith, Esq., W. T. Burgess, Esq., of Illinois, was admitted an attorney and counsellor of this Court.

On motion of Henry Baldwin, Esq., Menzo Diefendorf, Esq., of New York, was admitted an attorney and counsellor of this Court.

No. 23. Thomas Pearce, plaintiff in error, *vs.* Randall G. Higgins. In error to the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Arkansas.

This cause having been called for argument, and neither party being prepared to argue the same, it was dismissed, with cost, under the 16th rule of the Court.

No. 12. The United States, appellants, *vs.* Samuel J. Hensley. This cause was argued by Mr. Edwin M. Stanton for the appellants.

No. 26. The United States, appellants, *vs.* Chas. Covilland *et al.* This cause was argued by Mr. Edwin M. Stanton for the appellants.

No. 28. Walter Lolling, appellant, *vs.* Augustus M. Herrington *et al.*, and the Illinois Central Railroad Company. The argument of this cause was commenced by Mr. Burgess, for the appellant, and continued by Mr. Beckwith, for the appellees.

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT

Submitting Controversies to Arbitration for the month of December, 1861.

CHAS. BULLING, WM. H. GRAHAM,
G. T. HOPKINS, A. CLOSE,
J. CORTLAN, Jr.

Monetary and Commercial Review.

BALTIMORE, December 7, 1861.

There was but little business done at the Stock Board to-day, but the market generally was steady and tolerably firm. For Railroad stock there was some inquiry, and a sale was made of 13 shares Northern Central at $47 the market for it closing at $47 bid, $47¼ asked regular way. Baltimore and Ohio closed without sales at yesterday's figures, viz: $18 bid, $20 asked. Baltimore City were decidedly firmer. A sale was made of $100 1875's at 83¾, and they closed at 83¼ bid for 1875's; 85¾ bid, 87 asked for 1890's; these figures being an advance of 1¼ per cent. on the closing quotations of yesterday. Maryland 6's were steady at yesterday's figures, a sale of $1,000 1870's being made at 91, which figure was bid for more at the close. Nothing was done in Railroad bonds, but they were generally firm. Northern Central 1885's were ½ per cent. better than on yesterday, 61 being bid for them, and Baltimore and Ohio bonds closed at 82¾ bid for 1867's, and 87 bid, 88¾ asked for the Extra dividend bonds. Western Maryland Railroad bonds, of which there are some offering, closed to-day at 78 bid, 82½ asked for endorsed, and 40 bid, 50 asked for unendorsed. Canton Company improved to day ¾, 0¾ being bid for it. For Baltimore Gas Company $100 was bid at the Board, but Baltimore Coal Company closed at $15 bid, $50 asked.

SALES AT THE BALTIMORE STOCK BOARD.

SATURDAY, December 7, 1861.

$1,000 Maryland 6's '70.....91
100 Baltimore 6's '75.....83½
15 shares Northern Central Railroad.....17

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	58	60
Missouri 6's	40	40½
Tennessee bonds	45	60
North Carolina bonds	60	60
Canton Company	30	30
Erie Railroad	21½	21½
New York Central Railroad	77½	78½
Reading Railroad	51	51
Treasury notes 2 years 6 per cents.	97½	60
	steady.	steady.

The New York *Herald* of Saturday says:

Exchange is stiff but dull. The leading bankers ask 109 for sterling and 5.15 for francs; but we hear of no business above 108¾ and 5.17½@18¾, and very few buyers are willing to give even these rates. The uncertainty which overhangs our relations with England may contribute to impart steadiness to the exchange market at the present time. Our importations certainly justify no advance. For the week the entries of dry goods are only $195,622, against $1,202,631 same week last year, and $1,604,473 same week in 1859.

The stock market continues very quiet. Operators seem all to have made up their minds to wait till news is received from England before making purchases. In some quarters a disposition is evinced to operate on the probable effects of the report of the Secretary of the Treasury; but nothing of any consequence will probably be done until that document is laid before the public on Monday next. At the first board this morning most of the speculative stocks were steady. Government 6's, however, declined ¼, Pacific Mail ½, Hudson ¼, Illinois Central ¾, Galena ¼, Toledo ½, and Rock Island ¾. Neither the dividend of 3 per cent. just declared by the Rock Island Company nor the assessment of $5 just levied by the Illinois Central produced any effect on their respective stocks. In the afternoon the market was very dull, and closed inactive.

The St. Louis *Republican* says:

The supply of exchange to-day was more limited than it has been for the past few days, though the rates were the same, being ¼ per cent. buying, and ½ per cent. selling. Demand Treasury notes were at a discount of 1 per cent. for gold, and 4 per cent. premium for bank funds. Gold was 6 per cent. premium. Discredited money is on the decline, and may be quoted to-day at 75 to 80 cents on the dollar for bankable funds.

The New Orleans *Crescent* of the 25th ult. says:

The decrease in the exchange of $274,600 on the week is attributed to a desire to place funds in England to invest in merchandise, sterling having been freely taken at 12@12¼. We are not aware of any prospective improvement in commerce to warrant these figures, which are much higher than in the bankruptcy of 1837 and 1840.

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

SATURDAY, December 7.

COFFEE.—Coffee is in good demand, and the market for it is very buoyant and strong. We note sales to-day of 200 bags Rio at 17¾ cts. cash, 140 bags do. at 17¾ cts. cash, and 100 bags do. at 18 cts. time. There is no Rio Coffee now to be had under 17 cts., and most of the lots on the market are held at 17½@18 cts. We quote Laguayra nominal at 20@21 cts., and Java at 23@24 cts. per lb. The stock of Rio here is about 19,000 bags.

FLOUR.—There was but little inquiry for Flour this morning and the only sale we heard of was one of 400 bbls. Ohio Extra at $6 per bbl., at which figure both Ohio and Howard Street Extra was steady. There are we believe some sales of City Mills Super making at $5 per bbl., but we hear of no movement to-day in Howard Street or Ohio do. We quote the former at $5.50, and the latter at $5.37½@5.50 per bbl. City Mills Extra may be quoted at $6@6.25 per bbl., but there is comparatively little demand for it, and we have heard of no sales recently.

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 AND CORN MEAL.—Rye Flour is firm at $4.37½@4.50, and we quote Corn Meal steady at $3.20@3.25 per bbl. for both Baltimore and Brandywine.

GRAIN.—Grain was in quite light supply this morning but for all descriptions the market was steady and firm. Wheat, of which there were only about 4,000 bushels at market to-day, sold at from 125 to 135 cts. for fair to prime red, 115@120 cts. for ordinary to medium white, 133@140 cts. for good to prime do. Of Corn there were about 5,000 bushels offered and it sold at 62@63 cts. for new and old yellow, 60@65 cts. for new white, and 70 @71 cts. for old do. It was quite firm at these figures. There were some 2,500 bushels Oats received and they ranged as on yesterday from 40 to 45 cts. but nothing was done in Rye. We quote it however at 66@68 cts. for Maryland, and 75 cts. per bushel for Pennsylvania.

MOLASSES.—There is some inquiry for Molasses, but we hear of no sales. We still quote as follows, viz: Cuba at 25@33 cts. for clayed, and 32@35 cts. for Muscovado; Porto Rico at 35@45 cts.; and New Orleans at 50@56 cts. per gallon.

PROVISIONS.—There is very little doing in Provisions, and for all articles under this head, the market is heavy as well as dull. Bacon is dull and very unsettled. Shoulders are selling at 4¾@4¾ cts., Sides 5¼@5¾ cts., and Hams at from 6 to 10 cts. per lb. There is no Bulk Meat selling and we can give no quotations for it. The new crop will soon be in market. Lard may be quoted at 8¾@9 cts. for City and Western, but there is nothing doing in it. Baltimore packed Beef is selling at $12@12.50 for No. 3, and $16 per bbl. for Mess, and we quote Western Mess at $12 for old, and $15.50 per bbl. for new. Mess Pork ranges in price at from $12 to $12.50 per bbl., and is quality, and we quote Prime do. at $10@ 11, and Rump do. at $8@9 per bbl.

RICE.—There is a little Rice here, and it is held firmly at 7¾ cts. net. There is however very little demand for it.

SALT.—Liverpool Salt is in fair demand, and steady at the following rates, viz: 100@110 cts. for Ground Alum, and 155@160 cts. per sack for Marshall's, Worthington's and Jeffrey & Darcy's fine. Turks Island do. is still selling from store at 25 cts. per bushel.

SEEDS.—There is a fair inquiry for Cloverseed, and we note a sale to-day of a lot of 50 bushels at $4.75 per bushel. We quote Timothy Seed at $2.12½@2.25, and Flaxseed at $1.60@1.70 per bushel.

SUGARS.—There is a fair demand for Sugars, but we hear of no sales worth noting to day. The market is very firm in tone, but rates are unchanged and we still quote as follows, viz: Cuba at 8¾@8¾ cts. for refining, and 8.50 @8.60@9.50; and current qualities of Manilla and Pernambuco at 8¾@8.25.

REFINED SUGARS.—For Refined Sugars the rates are still as follows, viz: 11¼@11¾ cts. for loaf; 10¾@11¼ cts. for soft crushed white; and 9¾@10¾ cts. per lb. for C yellow.

WHISKEY.—Whiskey is dull again to-day. We have heard of no sales, but we quote it at 22 cts. for City, and 22@20½ cts. for Ohio.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7, 1861.—There has been a more active demand for western canal flour, and as the close the market is better, shipping brands in particular. The moderate receipts and heaviness in freights give sellers the advantage—sales of 21,000 bbls. at 5.45@5.55 for superfine State and Western; 5.65@5.75 for extra State, the inside rate below the market; 5.80@5.90 for fancy do; 5.75@5.90 for the low grades of Western extra, the latter rate for good round hoop; 5.90@5.95 for shipping brands of round hoop extra Ohio; and 6.00@6.75 for trade brands do—sales of 1 800 bbls. at 5.75@6.25 for mixed to good superfine Baltimore, &c.; and 6.30¼@7.25 for extras. Rye flour is quiet but steady—sales of 250 bbls. at 3.15@4.50. Corn meal is firm—sales of 250 bbls. at 3.00 for Jersey; and 3.30 for Brandywine. The Wheat market is moderately active, and choice descriptions are better; the demand is chiefly for export; millers are not buying to any extent; the assortment of choice winter white is limited—the sales comprise 145,000 bushels at $1.20@1.20¾ for Chicago spring, the inside rate for soft; $1.25@1.26 for Racine spring; 1.27@1.29 for Milwaukie club; 1.30 for Canada club; 1.30@1.31¾ for amber Iowa and Wisconsin; $1.37@1.39 for amber Michigan; $1.40 for choice amber State; $1.32@1.35 for red State; $1.34@1.37 for red Western; $1.40@1.44 for white Ohio and Indiana; $1.62 for very choice white Michigan; and $1.33 for mixed Western. The Corn market is better —the receipts are light; the demand is good in a complete cargoes; the heaviness in freights gives sellers the advantage—the sales are 120,000 bushels at 62 cts. for inferior; 64 cts. for Eastern mixed; 65@65 cts. for shipping do.; and 67 cts. for yellow Western. Oats are quiet but steady at 44@45 cts. for Western and Canada; and 45@45½ cts. for State.

BOSTON, Dec. 6.—The market for Flour remains without change. Moderate sales of common brands Western at $5.25; fancy brands at $5.50@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. Corn is quiet but held firm, with a moderate demand—the sales have been at 73 cts. for small lots of good Baltimore yellow; 70 cts. for Western yellow; and 68 cts. per bushel for Western mixed. Oats are dull at 42@45 cts. per bushel for Western and Canada, as to quality. In Rye the sales have been small at 82 cts. per bushel. Shorts have been selling at $16.00@17.00 per ton; and fine Feed and Middlings at $20.00@24.00 per ton, as to quality.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 6.—Flour firm—sales 2,000 bbls. at $5.87½. Wheat: Red at $1.35, white $1.42@1 45. Corn advanced—sales 2,000 bushels at 61 cts. Cotton: Rio 17 cts., Laguayra 20 cts. Whiskey dull at 20½@21 cts.

OSWEGO, Dec. 6.—Flour steady. Wheat in limited demand, and the market is without material change—sales of 3,000 bushels Chicago spring at 99 cts.; 2,500 bushels do., 98 cts., afloat; 500 bushels choice Canada club $1 05. Corn and Oats quiet.

BUFFALO, Dec. 6.—Flour and Grain are dull, and nothing doing. Whiskey steady—sales 50 bbls. at 16¾ cts. Imports: 600 bbls. Flour, 21,000 bushels Wheat.

CINCINNATI HOG MARKET, Dec. 5.—Hogs bore up ward with considerable force in the morning, and, to some extent, packers sustained this tendency, so that choice Hogs sold as high up as $3 45, and $3.25 to $3.35 were made the close working figures of the market. The support of this condition of things was in a measure withdrawn later in the day, and sellers were disposed to stand off when they found that buyers were more decidedly averse to meeting these figures. Favorable weather has put most of the packers at work, and ones under way with heavy expenses, the temptation to keep at work is strong, even in the face of as much doubt as now attends the future prospects of the trade.

LOUISVILLE HOG MARKET, Dec. 4.—In Hogs we notice a little more activity, and prices fully sustained at $3.25 delivered, or $2 25 in the country. Feeders still hold back, or have their hogs packed on their own account, while only two or three of our packers are disposed to buy. The number of hogs killed up to this evening is over 6,000 in the city proper.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

RIO DE JANEIRO, 24th October, 1861.—Our last was dated the 7th instant.

Flour.—The receipts have been 22,702 bbls., of which 9,359 bbls. from the United States, 5,763 bbls. from Europe, and equal to 8,600 bbls. from Chili. Sales reported were 31,231 bbls., divided as follows:

3,350 bbls. S. S. S. F. and Trieste first quality at 10$ to 22$; 1,951 bbls. Fontana seconds at 16$; 1,046 bbls. do. thirds at 13$; 857 bbls. Richmond seconds and thirds at 15$ to 16$750; 1,550 bbls. Georgetown Extra at 13$500 to 15$000; 18,750 bbls. Baltimore, Philadelphia and Interior Extra and Family—Extra at 12$000 to 12$; 4,697 bbls. do. do. Super at 10$500 to 12$500; 320 bbls. Spanish at 11$.

Leaving a stock in first hands of 40,462 bbls., of which 6,827 bbls. Trieste; 2,295 bbls. Fontana; 3,503 bbls. Richmond seconds and Virginian; 11,032 bbls. Baltimore and Inter or Extra; 750 bbls. do. Super; 10,000 bbls. Chilian; 2,265 bbls. Portuguese; 3,630 bbls. Spanish; 350 bbls. French, and 200 bbls. Genoese.

Speculators and bakers have been free buyers within the past few days, and in some instances an advance of 100 rs. per bbl. has been obtained. Holders became more demand without hesitation, being aware of large quantities on the sea and Virginian; 11,032 bbls. Baltimore and it hazardous to hold for any length of time. We quote

Fontana, S. S. S. F. and Trieste first quality 2$—22$; Richmond firsts, none; do. seconds and thirds 16@16$ 750; Good Extra and Family Extra, new, 14$ to 15$; do., old, 13$ to 13$750. Good Super 12$ to 12$500.

Coffee.—Receipts have been very light during present month, owing in part to the bad state of the roads, but mainly to the indisposition of Fayendeiros to send their crops to market, having so little, that they wish to be certain of extreme rates before they part with it. Prices have further advanced some 3$500@400 rs. per arroba, and Superiors are now quoted by the brokers at 7$ per arroba, a price not known for many years. We yet hold to the opinion that we shall have a very high range of prices throughout present crop year, and if accounts of the ravages of the insect be correct, we must have very high prices for several years. Sales since our last amount to 66,000 bags, of which 23,000 bags for the United States; 31,400 bags for the Channel and North of Europe; 10,200 bags for the Mediterranean, and 2,000 bags for the Cape of Good Hope. We quote

Lots for Baltimore, 6$100@6$500 per arr. Lots for the Channel, 5$500@6$300. Lots for the North of Europe, 6$400@6$500. Lots for the Mediterranean, 6$100@6$600 per arr.

Stock at market estimated to be 150,000 bags.

Freights—United States—Four foreign vessels have been chartered for a Northern port at 60s. for 20 per ton, and 5 per cent.; and an American schooner has accepted 65 cts. per bag and 5 per cent. for part cargo to New York. European—Channel or Gibraltar, for orders, we quote 52s. 6d. to 57s. 6d. per ton, and 5 per cent.

Exchange on England opened at 25¾d., but has advanced since to 25¾d.@25¾d.

We are, very respectfully,

Your obedient servants,

MAXWELL, WRIGHT & Co.

Represented by our partner:

W. H. D. C. Wright, Esq., Baltimore.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET, Nov. 22.—The Brokers' Circular reports: The sales of cotton for the week foot up 44,000 bales, including 20,500 to speculators and exporters. The market is dull, with a decline on the week of ¼d. per pound. The sales to-day (Friday) were 6,000 bales, of which 2,000 were to speculators and exporters, the market closing quiet and steady. The following are the authorized quotations:

	Fair.	Middling.
Orleans	12¾d.	11¾d.
Mobile	12¾d.	11¾d.
Uplands	12¾d.	11¾d.
Fair Dhollerah	12¾d.	11¾d.

The total stock of Cotton in port is estimated at 487,000 bales, of which 373,000 bales are of American description. The decline is chiefly on lower and middling qualities.

Breadstuffs.—The market is generally quiet and steady at unchanged quotations.

Provisions.—The market rules dull.

LONDON MONEY MARKET, Nov. 22.—Consols closed at 93¾@94 for money. The weekly returns of the Bank of England show an increase of £351,000 in bullion.

AMERICAN SECURITIES.—The last sales are: Erie Railroad 27¾; Illinois Central shares 40@39¾ discount.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMERS.

FROM THE UNITED STATES

Names	Leave	Date	For
City of Manchester	New York	Dec 7	Liverpool
North American	Portland	Dec 7	Liverpool
Bohemian	Quebec	Dec 7	Liverpool
Etna	New York	Dec 7	Liverpool
Kangaroo	New York	Dec 7	Liverpool
City of Baltimore	New York	Dec 10	Nassau
United Kingdom	New York	Dec 14	Liverpool
Canada	Boston	Dec 14	Glasgow
Europa	Boston	Dec 18	Liverpool
Hansa	New York	Dec 18	Liverpool
Congress	New York	Dec 18	Bremen
Chester	New York	Dec 18	Havre & Ant
Teutonia	New York	Dec 20	Hamburg

FROM EUROPE.

Names	Leaves	Date	For
Congress	Antwerp	Nov 14	New York
North American	Liverpool	Nov 14	Portland
Africa	Liverpool	Nov 23	New York
St. Andrew	Glasgow	Nov 23	New York
Hansa	Southampton	Nov 27	New York
Kangaroo	Liverpool	Nov 27	New York
Anglo Saxon	Liverpool	Nov 27	Portland
Europa	Liverpool	Nov 30	Boston
City of New York	Liverpool	Dec 4	New York
Teutonia	Southampton	Dec 4	New York
Arago	Southampton	Dec 11	New York
Hammonia	Southampton	Dec 11	New York
John Bell	Glasgow	Dec 21	New York

Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF BALTIMORE, Dec. 7.

Arrived.

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

Steamer Louisiana, Pearson, Old Point Comfort, Va—M Falls.

Ship Flora McDonald, Fuller, from Liverpool, Oct 31—to R Leslie & Son. Towed up by steamtugs Maj Brewerton and Lioness.

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

Cleared.

Steamer Louisiana, Pearson, Old Point Comfort, Va—M N Falls.

Steamer John S Shriver, Dennis, Philadelphia, Jas A Shriver.

Brig Standard, (Br) Card, Cornwallis, NS—C M Jackson & Co.

Schr Exemplar, (Br) Davison, Horton, NS—Kelsey & Gray.

Schr Fred Dyer, Shute, Fortress Monroe via Port Deposite—Kelsey & Gray.

Schr Mayflower, Kilburn, Boston—T Whitridge & Co.

Schr Jamestown, Latourette, New York—Rose & Lyon

Schr John Rose, Hulse, do

Schr Sarah Louisa, Woodruff, Philadelphia—J S Williams & Bro

Schr Eliza Matthews, Bradley, Philadelphia—Heslen & Rogers.

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

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

Schr Joanna, Hanp, Dennisville, NJ, do

Schr Rebecca, Johnson, Accomac Co

Schr Plan, Boggs, do

Schr D R Wilson, Lewis, do

Schr Safety, Sterling, Somerset Co

Schr Two Brothers, Smith, do

Schr Catalpa, Blake, do

Schr Fashion, Bird, do

Schr Hattie Sterling, Sterling, do

Schr Exchange, Ayres, Newtown

Schr Majestic, Harper, Ireva

Schr American, Cox, do

Schr Starlight, Wall, do

Schr Sarah Ellen, Cornesy, St Mary's

Schr W H Travers, Ellis, do

Schr St Mary, Howard, do

Sloop Trial, Johnson, Newport, Del—John S Williams & Bro

Schr Commodore Dryden, Benson, Puncheon Landing, Md—master

Schr Dhesapeake, Travers, Hooper's Is

Arrivals from Baltimore.

Steamer Wm Woodward, Cundiff, New York, 6th inst

Steamer J R Thompson, Colmary, New York, 6th inst.

Steamer E A Stevens, Rainer, New York, 6th inst.

Barge J A Shriver, Adams, New York, 6th inst.

Brig Abby Ellen, Gilmore, Philadelphia, 5th inst.

Schr Carrie, North, Washington, 5th inst.

Schr Wm L Dayton, Hand, Philadelphia, 5th inst.

Schr Rescue, Bacon, Philadelphia, 5th inst.

Clearances for Baltimore

Schr Ann Pickrell, Elzey, Philadelphia, 6th inst.

Schr Sarah Jane, Ale, Philadelphia, 6th inst.

Schr J H Sawyers, Cobb, Boston, 5th inst.

Schr Phebe Nelson, Cann, Philadelphia, 5th inst.

Bark Gustav, Collin, Liverpool, 18th ult.

Memoranda.

Brig Elizabeth, (Br) McClea, from Pernambuco, with a cargo of sugar, at Lewes, Del., has been ordered to Baltimore.

Ship Carl, (Bremen) VonHarten, hence for Liverpool, went to sea, 5th inst.

An unknown ship came in the capes 5th inst—per pilot boat Fashion.

Bark Copernicus, Mankin, for Balto, sailed from Liverpool, 10th ult.

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

Brig Chowan, Leeman, hence, was discg at Montevideo Oct 3d.

Schr Damon, Pitcher, fm Balto for Portsmouth, arrived at Holmes' Hole, 2d inst.

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

Eastern Ports.

NEW YORK, December 5—Noon.—Arr steamship Los Marinio, Havana; Bark Sanderson, London; brig Grace Worthington, Belize, Hon; schrs Lizzie Russell, San Andreas; Melrose, St Martins; Ald, Havana—Old ships American Union, Liverpool; J Smith and Living Age, London.

PHILADELPHIA, December 6.—Arr'd bark Roanoke, Rio de Janeiro; brigs Nathan, Malaga; W H Parks, Matanzas.

BOSTON, December 5.—Arr'd barks Racehorse, Smyrna; John J Winthrop, Havana; schr R B Sumner, Turks Island.

Legal Notices.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Baltimore city, letters of administration on the estate of ELI YATES late of said city, deceased. All persons having claims against the said estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 1st day of May, 1862; they may otherwise by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 20th day of October, 1861.

MARY A. E. REESE,
Administratrix.

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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Baltimore city, letters testamentary on the estate of THOMAS DENNY, late of said city, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 20th day of April, 1862; otherwise they may, by law, be excluded from all benefit of estate. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 23d day of October, 1861.

WM. H. MICHAEL,
Executor.

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