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Monetary and Commercial Review.

BALTIMORE, November 26, 1858.

The Stock operations during the past week have been heavy, the transactions amounting in value to nearly $320,000. The business done has been principally in Northern Central Railway, nearly 10,000 shares of which have changed hands during the week. There is, we understand, a contest going on between two parties who are desirous to obtain the control of this road, and this has been the occasion of the heavy operations in the stock. Prices for it have fluctuated considerably. It opened at $24¼, dropped off to $23½, and again advanced to $24, at which figure it closed to-day regular way. The time sales have been made at about the same rates as for cash. This stock closed to-day at $23⅞ bid, $24 asked regular way. Baltimore and Ohio Railroad has through the week been dull. The sales add up 750 shares at $57@57½, and it closed to-day at $57¼ bid, $57½ asked regular way. The transactions in Railroad bonds have been light. The sales include $1,500 Baltimore and Ohio 1885's at 84¾; $4,500 Northern Central 1885's at 73¾@73½, closing at the latter figure; and $1,000 Northwestern Virginia first mortgage bonds at 93. For Baltimore City 6's there has been a fair inquiry. We note sales of $27,000 at 96¾@97 for 1875's; 97½ for 1870's; 99 for 1886's; and 99@99¼ for 1890's. Sales also of $3,000 Maryland 1870 Coupon 6's at 106. For Bank stocks there has been a fair inquiry, and the market for them remains firm. We note sales this week of 14 shares Union at $76¾@76⅞; 7 shares Commercial and Farmers' full paid at $40; 14 shares Farmers' and Merchants' at $40¼; 61 shares Mechanics' at $18⅞@19; and 20 shares Howard at $9⅝. There was a sale a day or two since of 38 shares Frederick Turnpike Road at $2½, and to-day we note sales of 150 shares Santa Clara Mining Company at $18@18¼.

Money is still very easy, although the demand for it has somewhat increased within the last week or two. The supply of capital is however abundant, and prime paper can be readily placed at 6 per cent. for endorsed, and 6@7 per cent. for first class single names. The banks are discounting freely, and most of them could do more paper if it was offered. Call loans on prime stock collaterals can be made at 5@6 per cent.

The total value of the foreign exports from the port of Baltimore for the week ending on Thursday was $371,857, against a total of $296,814 for the corresponding week in 1857. Included in the exports were 7,865 bbls. flour, 253 bbls. corn meal, 900 bushels corn, 315 bbls. pork, 577 pkgs. lard, 663 kegs butter, 3,850 lbds. tobacco, 250 tons Cumberland coal, and 2,290 bags quercitron bark.

There is but little doing in the Foreign Exchange market at New York, and rates remain nominally at the same figures ruling yesterday. The range for Sterling is 109@109¼ for bankers' bills. Francs 5.20@5.17½.

The movements of the banks in the four principal cities of the Union in which weekly reports are made, as shown by their last statements, are as follows:

	Loans.	*Deposits.*	*Specie.*	*Circular's.*
New York, November 20....	$125,898 631	88,045,431	26,790,815	7,860,576
Boston, November 22....	56,783,992	22,233,896	9,425,034	6,773,754
Philadelphia, do.....	26,236,924	10,760,023	6,800,152	2,738,490
Baltimore, November 15	18,193,911	20,528,777	13,025,597	7,010,884
Total.....	$227,113 368	147,568,127	56,041,578	24,383,714
Last week.....	227,693,495	147,668,616	55,271,907	24,493,213

The statement of the Boston banks for the past two weeks compare as follows:

	Nov. 15.	Nov. 22.		
Capital stock.....	$33,197,550	33,207,550	Inc..	10,000
Loans and discounts..	56,314,420	56,783,992	Inc..	469,482
Specie.....	9,284,314	9,425,034	Inc..	140,720
Due from banks.....	7,241,000	7,251,271	Inc..	10,271
Due to banks.....	7,680,600	7,663,707	Dec..	16,893
Deposits.....	22,744,572	22,233,896	Dec..	510,676
Circulation.....	6,750,069	6,773,754	Inc..	23,685

The New York *Independent* of Thursday thus refers to the dry goods market:

The market exhibits more than the usual dullness of the season. Winter goods are still in some demand, but what sales are making are mostly spring goods to clothiers. The importers are very anxious to close out the remaining stocks, and offer them at reduced rates. The demand is, however, over, and only occasional sales are made. Some of the large jobbers, however, are doing a steady business to near by jobbers, who buy at constantly short recurring periods. Prices are irregular. Staple and seasonable goods of the best qualities and styles are pretty fairly maintained, but other grades are low. The domestic manufacturers are busy preparing supplies for the spring, and are buying the raw material pretty freely. The export trade is less active, and much less is being sent to South America than usual, owing to the troubles in Mexico. There is no scarcity of cotton goods on the market, but staples are well held, there being no necessity to make sacrifices, while there is always more or less of a demand for manufactures continually increasing on the average. Prints and delaines are dull, and some parcels are offering at a decline. Spring woollen goods are in limited request—the commencement of a demand which will now soon increase. Shawls have been in good demand all through the season, and the consignees have nearly sold all their stock.

SALES AT THE BALTIMORE STOCK BOARD.

FRIDAY, November 26, 1858.

$300 Balt 6's, old, 90@90¼ 50 shs N.C.RR. b15..23¾
2000 N.C.RR bds, '85..73¾ 100 " " s60..23¾
50 shs. Mech'ics Bk..19 100 " " ..23¾
100 " Santa C.M C..18¾ 100 " " b5..23¾
100 " N.C.RR..23¾ 100 " " s60..23¾
$50 " " b60..23¾ 200 " " b60..24
300 " " ..23¾ 200 " " b10..24
300 " " s10..23¾ 100 B. & O.RR..57¼
400 " " b10..23¾

Prices and sales of Stocks in New York.
BY TELEGRAPH.

Through WM. FISHER & SON, Stock and Bill Brokers. No. 22 SOUTH STREET.

	1st Board.	2d Board.
Virginia 6's.....	00	96¾
Missouri 6's.....	00	00
Illinois bonds.....	00	00
Illinois Centrals.....	00	00
Erie Railroad.....	16⅞	16⅞
New York Central Railroad.....	83¼	82⅞
Reading Railroad.....	51⅞	51⅞
Panama Railroad.....	00	00
Celeveland & Toledo R. R.....	31⅞	00
Rock Island.....	00	00
Michigan Southern R.R. stability.....	21⅞	00
Cumberland Coal.....	00	00
Harlem.....	00	00
Galena & Chicago.....	00	72⅞
Illinois & Mississippi.....	00	3⅞
Milwaukie & Miss.....	00	00
Market dull.		Dull.

REVIEW OF THE BALTIMORE MARKETS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 26.

EXCHANGE.—We note a slight improvement within the last two or three days in the rates for sterling bills. We quote bills on London at 109¼@109¾ for commercial do. at 108¾@109; Paris 60 days sight 5f. 15; do. short sight 5f. 10; Antwerp 5f. 17¾; Amsterdam 41¼@41⅝; Frankfort 41⅜; Hamburg 36¾; Cologne 72¼@72¾, and Frankfort 41¾.

ALCOHOL.—There has been a fair inquiry for Alcohol this week, and a further advance has been established in it. We note sales of some 200 bbls. Western Reserve, at 46@47 cts. per gallon. It closes firm at the latter figure.

ASHES.—Ashes are lower. We quote Pots at $5.75@5.75; and Pearls at $6 per 100 lbs. The market for them is very quiet. Soda Ash may be quoted at 2¼@2¾ cts., and Sal Soda at 2¾@2¾ cts. per lb.

BRANDIES AND WHISKIES.—We quote Scotch Ale in pints at $1.75, and London Porter in pints at $1.65 per dozen. In quantities from importers.

BEESWAX.—Beeswax is held firmly at 33 cts. per lb. for prime yellow. There is an inquiry for it, but we head of no sales this week.

BREAD.—Bread is dull but steady at the previous rates, viz: 4 cts. for Navy, 4½ cts. for Pilot, and 5½ cts. per pound for Crackers, from the bakers, in bulk.

BARK.—Quercitron Bark is dull and quite irregular in price. A small lot of prime sold early in the week at $21, but subsequently some sales were made at $20 and $19 per ton, and it may be quoted at from $19@21 per ton. No. 2 Bark is very dull, and we quote it nominal at $15@16 per ton.

FLOUR.—The Flour market, which was quite animated last week, has this week been very quiet, the sales of all descriptions adding up only about 4,000 bbls. The general tone of the market is, however, unchanged, and for all varieties of Flour last week's prices have been pretty well maintained. Some lots of City Mills Super have been sold at a decline, but they were of inferior quality. The exports since last Friday are as follows, viz:

	Bbls.		Bbls.
To Rio de Janeiro.....	1,830	To Trinidad.....	1,050
" St. Johns, N. F.....	2,066	" St. Lucia.....	913
" Halifax, N. S.....	953	" Barbadoes.....	433
" Pacific.....	.....		
Total.....			7,865

HOWARD STREET AND OHIO FLOUR.—In both these varieties the transactions this week have been limited. The sales reported include 650 bbls. Howard Street Super at $5.12½, 800 bbls. Ohio do. also at $5.12½, and 300 bbls. Ohio cut Extra at $5.25 per bbl. Both Howard Street and Ohio Super closed to-day steady at $5.12½, and we quote Extra at $5.37½ for Ohio, and $5.50@5.62½ for Howard Street.

CITY MILLS FLOUR.—City Mills Flour has also been quiet this week. The sales include 200 bbls. cut Extra at $5.37½, 400 bbls. choice Super at $5.12½, 700 bbls. good standard do. at $5, 650 bbls. ordinary do. at $4.87½, and 150 bbls. common do. sold to-day at $4.75 per bbl. Good standard Super may be quoted as closing at $5, and we quote good shipping brands of Extra at $6 per bbl.

FAMILY FLOUR.—Baltimore ground Family Flour is still selling to the trade by the dray load at $7.50, and do. Extra at $6.50 per bbl.

RYE FLOUR.—Rye Flour is scarce and a shade higher.—We quote it to-day at $4@4.25 per bbl.

CORN MEAL.—We note sales this week of some 600 bbls. Baltimore Corn Meal at $4 per bbl., which is a decline.—We quote Pennsylvania at $3.50, and Brandywine at $4.25 per bbl.

The following are the inspections of Flour and Meal for the week ending November 25, to-wit:

	Bbls.	Half Bbls.
Howard Street.....	2,169	....
City Mills.....	8,063	606
Ohio.....	6,651	....
Family.....	1,588	....
Total—Wheat Flour.....	18,467	606

Together with 80 bbls. Rye Flour, and 403 bbls. Corn Meal.

GRAIN.—Grain has been coming forward this week quite freely, the offerings at the Corn Exchange announcing in the aggregate to nearly 170,000 bushels. Very little change has taken place since our last in the rates for Wheat, Rye or Oats, but Corn, the receipts of which have increased materially, has fallen off considerably in price. Most of the Corn received this week has been of the new crop, but it was generally in fair shipping order. There have been no foreign shipments of Grain made this week.

WHEAT.—Wheat has been in good supply this week, the receipts amounting to some 77,000 bushels. The demand for it has, through the week, been fair, but not specially active, and but little variation has taken place in the prices. Red Wheats have ranged at from 118 to 125 cts. for good to prime, the outside price to day being 123 cts., and white have ruled at 116@115 cts. for common, 122@130 cts. for medium to fair, 135@140 cts. for good to prime, and 145@150 cts. for choice lots. Fair to good white Wheats sold to day at 130, 135 and 138 cts., and prime and choice lots do. at 140@145 cts.

RYE.—There have been about 1800 bushels Rye at market this week, all of which has been sold at 65@65 cts. for Maryland, 75 cts. for Western Virginia, and 80@85 cts. for Pennsylvania.

CORN.—Corn has been arriving this week quite freely, and the receipts add up about 73,000 bushels, nearly all of which was of the new crop. On Saturday new sold at 60 cts. for white, 63@68 cts. for yellow, and old at 68@70 cts. for white, and 70@72 cts. for yellow, but on Monday new white sold at 58@62 cts., old do. at 69@70 cts; new yellow 64@67 cts., and old do. at 75 cts. On Tuesday the sales were of new white at 56@60 cts., and of old do. 65@70 cts., for old do., 64@68 cts. for new yellow, and 75@78 cts. for old do. On Wednesday the receipts were quite large, and a wide range was observable in the prices. New white sold at from 55 to 58 cts., and old at from 58 to 67 cts., the latter price being paid for a lot of 2,200 bushels strictly prime. A few lots of old Corn were sold at 66@68 cts. for white, and 74@76 cts. for yellow. To-day Corn was very dull, and we note sales of 500 cts. of new white and new yellow at 65@68 cts., and old yellow at 75 cts. Good old white would have brought 70 cts., but there was none at market.

OATS.—The receipts of Oats this week have been comparatively light, the offerings being only about 16,000 bushels. The demand has been fair and most of the parcels received have changed hands at 37@38 cts. for Virginia and Maryland, and 43@47 cts for Pennsylvania Oats.

PEASE AND BEANS.—Black-eyed Pease are selling at $3.37½ per two bushel bag, and Beans at $1.20@1.30 per bushel.

OFFERINGS OF GRAIN AT THE CORN EXCHANGE.

	Wheat. bu.	Corn. bu.	Rye. bu.	Oats. bu.
This week.....	77,000	73,000	1,800	16,000
To this time.....	2,198,572	3,222,928	95,055	1,027,343
Same time '57..	2,612,688	3,476,005	136,930	1,012,284

GUANO.—There is no Peruvian here. We still quote Mexican at 32 cts. at $22@23 per ton according to quality, and Sombrero at $22 per 2,000 lbs. Baltimore manufactured Guano sells at $47. Rhodes' Super Phosphate of Lime and De Berg's do. at $45 per $2,000 lbs.

COAL.—The Coal companies here are selling at 10, 12, and 14 cts. each, for two, three and four bushel bags.

HOPS.—There are some small sales of new crop Hops making at 14 cts. per lb. The market for them is however dull.

HEMP.—There is very little doing in Hemp. We quote American at $120 for rough, $190 for dressed; Russia at $200 per ton; Manilla at 7 cts., and Russia yarns at 9½ cts. per lb.

HAY AND STAW.—Hay is selling at $12@14 for good to prime baled, $11@12 for loose and Straw at $13 for Rye, and $8@9 per ton for Wheat.

INDIGO.—Indigo is dull but steady at 30@50 cts. for common to fair Manilla; 85@100 cts. for good to prime do.; 75@90 cts. for Madras; 95@105 cts. for Caracas; 110@150 cts. for Guatemala per lb. for cargo lots, and 120@175 cts. for Bengal.

IRON.—There is some inquiry for Iron, and sales to a moderate extent are making. We quote Pig as follows, viz: at $26 for Baltimore Charcoal Forge; $28 for Charcoal No. 1 Wheel; $26 27 for Charcoal No. 1 Foundry; $24@25 for No. 2 do.; $23@24 for No. 1 Anthracite; $21@22 for No. 2 do.; $21 for No. 3 do.; and $26 for Scotch. Blooms are selling at $50 for puddled, and $95@97 per ton for best Charcoal. Bar Iron is selling at $50 per ton for common English and American rolled, $110 for American hammered; and Sheet do. at 3¾@4 cts. for English, 4@4¼ cts. for American, and 6½@7 cts. for Russia. We quote Charcoal Boiler Plates at 5 cts. per lb. Nails are active at $3.12½@3.25 per 100 lbs.; for Cut 4d. and upwards.

HIDES.—The market continues bare of foreign Hides, and we are consequently without any transactions to note. We quote nominally as follows: Buenos Ayres at 23 cts.; Rio Grande at 25@25½ cts., and Porto Cabello at 21@21½ cts. Our country slaughtered are selling at 9½@9¾ cts., dry do. at 15@17 cts., and city slaughtered at 9½@10½ cts.

LUMBER.—The receipts have been sufficiently large this week to fill up the yards of commission dealers.—Yards we have lighter stocks than usual at this season, and the impression is that prices will be fully maintained, if not advanced before Spring, as the demand will be about the present week. We quote white pine boards and planks at $13@14.50 for culling, $25 for select, and $35 for clear; Hemlock rails and scantlings $10@11; do. joists $9.50@10; white pine siding $12@14; flooring and ceiling $18@20. We quote Jacksonville 4-4 flooring at $20, and 5-4 at $17@18; Charleston river 5-4 do. $14@16; do. bright 4-4 and 5-4 do. at $18@22, and bill stuff at $20@22 per 1,000 feet. Shingles are selling at $5@7 according to quality.

LEATHER.—There is a good inquiry for Leather, but the recent heavy transactions have very materially reduced the stocks, and restricted operations this week. Holders are firm at our quotations, viz: City slaughtered at 29@31 cts.; Country do. 27@30 cts.; rough skirting 27 @30 cts.; Spanish sole 27@30 cts.; city harness leather, black, 31@32 cts.; country do. 27@29 cts.; upper in rough hide $3.50@5; calf-skins $42@20 per dozen, and finished do. $20@30.

MOLASSES.—There has been some inquiry this week for Molasses, and we note sales of 15 hhds. Cuba Muscovado at 26 cts; and of 70 hhds. do. at 28 cts. A cargo of new crop New Orleans Molasses, the first of the season, was received here a day or two since, and a small lot of it has been sold to-day at 42½ cts. We quote Cuba Molasses to-day at 24 cts. for clayed; 26@28 cts. for Muscovado; English Island do. at 26@28 cts; and Porto Rico do. at 35 cts.

MADDER.—There is none here. The last sale we heard of was made at 12½ cts. per lb. for prime Dombro.

MILL LUMBER.—Mill Feed has advanced slightly, and we now quote it at 19@20 cts. for Brown Stuff, and 32 @33 cts. per bushel for Middlings.

NAVAL STORES.—There has been no movement of consequence this week in Naval Stores. We quote Spirits Turpentine at 51@52 cts; Varnish at 25 cts.; Pitch at $2; Tar at $2@2.25; common Rosin at $1.50@1.55; No 2 do. at $2; and No. 1 do. at from $2.75 to $5 per bbl. as in quality.

OILS.—Sperm Oil has advanced slightly but Whale do. is a shade lower. We quote Sperm at 130@135 cts. for pale; 135@140 cts. for strained. Crude Whale at 55@62 cts. bleached Patent do. at 65@70 cts. Solar at 72@75 cts.; Sea Elephant at 75@80 cts., Lard at 85 cts., and American Linseed Oil at 94@65 cts. per gallon. Bordeaux and Marseilles olive oils are selling at $2@2.50 per gallon, and $4 25 per basket for pints. We quote Etherial Oil to day at 55@55 cts., and Camphene at 58 cts. per gallon.

PROVISIONS.—The Provision market here continues quiet, but at the West it is very animated, and some large large transactions have taken place there during the past week, both for immediate and forward delivery. The stock of old Provisions here is pretty nearly exhausted, and but few lots of new have as yet been received. The market although inactive is quite firm for all varieties.

BULK MEAT.—There has been very little doing this week in Bulk Meat. The only sales reported are one of 10,000 lbs. old Shoulders at 6¾ cts., and one of 100 tierces pickled Hams at 9¾ cts. delivered in New York. New Bulk Meat is offering to arrive at 6¾ cts. for Shoulders, and 8½@9 cts. for Hams, delivered here, but these prices were refused to-day for 600,000 lbs. deliverable in New York.

BACON.—Bacon is in quite light supply, and the sales are consequently limited. The sales to this week, which have been altogether in jobbing lots, add up about 150 hhds. at 7¾@7⅞ cts. for Shoulders, and 9¼@9¾ cts. for Sides. We note the receipt of some 500 to 700 pieces Hams at from 10½ to 13 cts. Bacon closes steady at the above quotations.

BEEF.—Beef is still very quiet. We quote it at $11.50 @12 for old and new Mess, and $13 @14 for Prime Mess. Some few sales are making for ships' stores at these figures.

PORK.—We have reported this week sales of 200 bbls. Chicago packed Prime Pork at $13.50, and 150 bbls. new Baltimore packed Mess do. at $17.25@17.50 per bbl. A lot of 100 bbls. new Mess Pork was sold on Wednesday at $16.50 per bbl. We also noticed the receipt of 300 bbls. Mess Pork closes to-day steady at $17@17.25, and Prime do. at $13.50@14 per bbl.

LARD.—There is a fair inquiry for Lard, and we note sales of 100 bbls. new Leaf at 10½ cts., and 100 bbls. Prime Lard in tierces old do. at 11 cts., and of some 75 to 100 bbls. new city do. at 10¼@10½ cts. Lard closes steady at the above figures.

BUTTER.—Butter is in fair demand but not specially active. We quote Rio Grande at 11@11½ cts., and 11¼@17 cts. for common to fair, 19@21 cts. for good to prime; Roll at 16@21 cts. for ordinary to good, 24 cts. for prime, and we note sales of 300 kegs City packed for shipping at 12¾ cts.

CHEESE.—Cheese is rather dull. We quote Western cut tings at 8¾@8½ cts., Eastern do. at 9¾ cts., and English Dairy at 10¼@11 cts. Western and English Dairy at 11@12 cts. for Eastern. The stock of Cheese here is large.

PLASTER.—Plaster is selling in small lots from the wharf at $3, but cargoes would not probably bring over $2 75 per ton.

POTATOES.—Potatoes are in good supply, but they are selling quite freely at 75@80 cts. per bushel for Mercer.

RICE.—There has been a fair inquiry this week for Rice, and we note sales of about 150 tierces within the range of quotations, which are 3¾@3¾ cts. for common to fair, and 4@4¼ cts. for good to prime lots. We note the import this week of 580 tierces from Savannah.

SUGARS.—There were some very heavy transactions in Sugar on last Friday, the particulars of which did not transpire until too late for notice in our last review, but since that time the market has been very quiet. The sales on last Friday included 433 hhds. Cuba at $6 62½@6.75, 150 hhds. English Island at $6.75, 100 hhds. Porto Rico at $6.62½@6.75, 111 hhds. Christiansted at $6.37½, 343 cases brown Brazil at $6.75, 2400 bags do. at $7, all for refining and 58 hhds. Cuba for grocery purposes at $7.25. The sales subsequently include only 20 hhds. Cuba Sugar at $7.50@8, and 20 hhds. Porto Rico do. at $7.25@8.37½. There are but few Sugar offering, and the market for them is quite firm at the quotations, viz: $6.50@6.75 for refining grades Cuba and English Island; $7.25@8 for grocers' styles Cuba; and $7.50@8.50 for fair to prime Porto Rico. A lot of new crop New Orleans Sugar, the first of the season, was received here a few days since. It is understood that it will be offered at auction. The imports this week embrace 477 hhds. from Porto Rico, 184 hhds. from Demerara, and 130 hhds. from New Orleans—total 791 hhds.

SEEDS.—The transactions in Seeds this week have been light, and the market for them rather heavy. There is no export, and but a limited consumptive demand. The stock of old Cloverseed here is pretty nearly exhausted, and but few lots of new have as yet been received. The market although inactive is quite firm for all varieties.

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