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SAM'L BROWN, President. J. M. BATES, Secretary
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Incorporated A. D. 1810. Charter Perpetual.
Authorised Capital.....$1,000,000
Capital Paid in.....500,000
Surplus.....300,000

ASSETS JANUARY 1, 1859.
Cash on hand and in Bank.....$43,455.22
Cash in hand of Agents and in transit.....54,827.66
Real Estate unencumbered, (cash value,).....15,000.00
Bills Receivable, amply secured.....13,174.55
2,404 Shares Bank Stock in Hartford.....230,413.00
2,200 " " " New York.....197,750.00
710 " " " Boston.....74,620.00
100 Shares Bank of the State of Missouri.....10,000.00
State and City Bonds, 6 per cents.....74,825.00
Railroad Stocks.....16,250.00
United States' Treasury Notes.....14,035.00
$803,769.88

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Baltimore, February 12th, 1859. fe18-tfr

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CASH CAPITAL PAID UP.....$500,000
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The undersigned, having been duly appointed Agent of this Company, is prepared to take applications for Insurance as above, and is instructed to give notice to all persons in this city who desire to place their business with Company, that their applications for Insurance must be made at their agency in Baltimore. HENRY A. DIDIER,
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In store and for sal. by
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We are receiving regular supplies of the above named articles, and invite the attention of the trade to our stock which we offer for sale on liberal terms.
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With daily additions from Domestic and Foreign markets
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Iron Frame, Sole Leather Trimmed Round TRUNKS, Carpet Bags, Valises, Ladies Hat Cases.
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Committee of Arbitration for the month of September.
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Monetary and Commercial Review.

BALTIMORE, September 24, 1859.

The transactions in Stocks to-day were light, but we have no material change to note in the condition of the market. Northern Central Railway was steady at yesterday's figures. There were 150 shares of this stock sold, 50 at $20 cash, and 100 at $20¼ buyer 60 days, and the market for it closed at $20 bid, $20¼ asked regular way.—In Baltimore and Ohio Railroad there was very little done, the only sales made being one of 25 shares at $59½ buyer 3 days, and one of 25 shares at $59¾ buyer 60 days. It left off at $59¾ bid, $59¾ asked regular way. There was nothing done to-day in Railroad bonds, but Baltimore and Ohio 1880's closed at 83 bid, 84 asked; do. 1885's at 83¼ bid, 84 asked, and Northern Central 1885's at 67 bid, 67½ asked. For Baltimore City 6's there was some inquiry, and sales were made of $2,300 1875's at 99¾. For 1886's 99 was bid, and 99¼ asked, and 1890's closed at 98¾ bid, 99 asked, ex-dividend. Bank stocks continue firm. We note sales to-day of 8 shares each of Union and Marine the former at $77, and the latter at $30½. Mining stocks are still in demand, and we note sales to-day of 500 shares Guilford at $1.56¼ cash. Guilford closed at $1.50 bid, $1.56¼ asked, Springfield at $1.69 bid, $1.87½ asked, and Gardner Hill at $2 bid, $2.37½ asked regular way.

SALES AT THE BALTIMORE STOCK BOARD.
SATURDAY, September 24, 1859.

$3300 Balt. 6's	75..99¾	50 shs. N.C.R.R.	..20
8 shs. Union Bank	..77	100 " "	b60..20⅛
8 shs. Marine Bank	..30½	25 shs. B. & O. RR.	b5..50¾
500 shs. Gardner Hill		25 " "	b60..59¾
Mining Co.	..1.50		

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	..94¼	00
Missouri 6's	..81¾	84¼
Illinois Central bonds	..88½	00
Canton Company	..17	00
Erie Railroad	..4	4½
New York Central Railroad	..81½	81¾
Reading Railroad	..44¾	44½
Panama Railroad	..00	00
Cleveland and Toledo Railroad	..23½	00
Michigan Southern Railroad	..6	00
Cumberland Coal	..00	00
Harlem Railroad	..00	9¼
Galena and Chicago	..00	74½
Michigan Southern, guaranteed	..23½	00
LaCrosse and Milwaukie Railroad	..00	00
Rock Island Railroad	..68½	00
	..sales.	dull.

The New York *Post* of Saturday evening says:

The stock market is barely sustained to-day, being affected somewhat by the active movements of specie which have occasioned considerable shifting of loans. The pressure to sell, however, is not marked in any particular stock. The weakness of the market is confined mostly to the western railroad stocks, which have undergone a further decline. Galena is among the heaviest, selling at 74¾@74⅞, a fall of ¾ per cent. from yesterday's price. New York Central remains remarkably firm, at 81¾@81⅞. The sales to-day were not large, and few time contracts put out. Rock Island fell ¾. Illinois Central ¼. Michigan Central ¾. Michigan Southern Guarantied and Toledo were steady and unchanged. The principal mail was very firm and was in demand at 80@80¾. The list of railroad bonds showed little change. Prices are firm, especially the issues of the Erie. The Thirds rose ¼. There is a good inquiry for State stocks, especially Virginia and Tennessee Sixes, both of which are again higher. Missouris are steady at 84¾@84¾.

The money market seems to be influenced by the heavy export of specie, excepting that the increased activity noticed yesterday enables the lender to dictate for the moment better terms for call loans, which are quite at par.

In the discount market the rates have undergone no change, though we notice that long paper is less sought after, which, however, is a favorable circumstance, and will no doubt make itself in the business of the banks the coming fortnight. The bank statement making up to-day will probably give a further increase in the line of loans, but the week is likely to open on a falling average in this department.

The exchange market closes quiet but firm 110¼ on London and 5.14⅞ on Paris.

The Kangaroo, for Liverpool to-day, takes out $1,570,000 in specie. The Ocean Queen takes freight up to 2½ P. M., so that the precise amount to go by her is not yet known; it will not vary materially from $1,000,000, making the total of the day $2,500,000.

We hear that the receipts of the Galena Road the third week of September are about $10,000 less than the second week.

The foreign imports for the week are smaller than for the corresponding week of last year, but the falling off is altogether in general merchandise:

FOREIGN IMPORTS AT NEW YORK.

For the week.	1857.	1858.	1859.
Dry Goods	$1,338,201	$1,751,079	$1,864,649
Gen'l Merchandise	2,258,546	2,869,013	2,639,777
Total for the week	$3,596,747	$4,611,692	$3,504,426
Previously rep.	177,606,751	105,554,816	138,943,681
Since Jan. 1st	$181,203,498	$110,146,508	$139,848,107

The Philadelphia *Ledger* states the coal tonnage for the week of the several coal companies of Pennsylvania at 142,955 tons, making the tonnage for the season 4,466,009, against 3,604,708 tons last year.

The Philadelphia *North American* says:

We learn that Wm. D. Lewis, Esq., has been appointed Receiver of the Catawissa Railroad. He is now trustee of both the first and second mortgages, and was selected as the most suitable person to take charge of the various interests of the company, having been for many years connected with the road, over which he presided for a long time. The other gentlemen are Messrs. Charles Henry Fisher and Samuel V. Merrick. The selection of Mr. Lewis is a most excellent one, and we have no doubt will give general satisfaction.

The gross earnings of the Central Ohio Railroad for the month of August, 1859, were.....$58,234.70
Same month of 1858.....57,373.97
Increase for August, 1859.....$860.73

The first two weeks in September, on the Rock Island Road, show about $14,000 increase on last year.

Chicago *Times* of Friday says:

The grain market was active yesterday, firm in wheat, and advanced in corn. The receipts of grain exceeded 100,000 bushels, and the shipments of wheat and corn also exceeded 100,000 bushels. The sales of wheat amounted to 70,000 bushels at 88@89c. for No. 1 red winter wheat, 76@78c. for No. 2 red winter, 75@76c. for No. 1 spring wheat, and 73@74c. for No. 2 spring wheat. Corn was more active and firm; 20,000 bushels sold at 72 cents. Oats are firm at 27 cents. Flour was steady.

The New Orleans *Delta*, of the 18th, says:

The money market moves along steadily under a good supply of the capital limited to operations of A1 paper. Short-dated signatures are yet considerably under the requirements, and other grades are by no means abundant. The demand continues unabated, and eligible offers are readily placed at our previous quotations. Exchange was, if anything, more languid to-day. Transactions in both foreign and domestic bills are still restricted, and there is no noticeable increase in offerings of any description. We quote:

Clear Sterling Bills	9¾@9¾ ⅌ ct. prem.
Bill of Lading Drafts	8¾@8¾ ⅌ ct. prem.
France	5.24⅞@5.15 ⅌ fr.
Sixty-day bills on the North	1 @1¼ ⅌ ct. dis.
Sight	Par@¼ ⅌ ct. prem.

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

SATURDAY, September 24.

COFFEE.—Coffee continues in fair demand, and the market for it is quite firm. We note sales to-day of 150 bags medium Rio at 11 cts., and of 600 bags good fair do., at 11¾ cts. We publish below the usual weekly report of Messrs. White & Elder, Coffee Brokers, and we refer our readers to it for quotations:

WEEKLY COFFEE REPORT.

Stock of Rio Coffee, September 17, 1859	34,000 bags.
Received since	none.
Taken for Consumption	4,500 bags.
Stock of Rio this day	29,500 "
" other descriptions	2,000 "
Total	31,500 "

REMARKS.—There is less activity in the market, speculative operations being somewhat restricted by the firmness of holders. The demand for consumption continues steady, with moderate transactions at very full rates. The sales include 900 bags Rio at 12 to 12¼ c.; 1,200 do. at 11¾c.; 2,000 at 11¾c., and 900 at 11 to 11¼c.; 250 bags Porto Rico at 12¾c.; 300 Laguayra at 12 to 12¼c. Market closes very firm at our quotations. Prime Rio at 12 to 12½c.; good 11¾c.; fair 11¼c.; medium 11 to 11¼c.; Laguayra 12 to 12¾c.; Java 15½ to 16½c.

WHITE & ELDER,
Coffee Brokers.

FLOUR.—There has been no movement whatever in Flour to-day as far as we have ascertained, but the market, although dull is steady at the previous quotations. Both Howard Street and Ohio Super are held pretty firmly at $5 per barrel, but there are more sellers than buyers at this figure, and we quote Ohio at $4.75@5 per barrel for common to good standard, and $5.50@6 per bbl. for fancy brands. We quote Extra Flour to-day at $5.25@5.50 for Ohio, $5.50 for Howard Street, $5.62½@5.75 for regular shipping, and $5.75 for fancy brands City Mills.

FAMILY FLOUR.—Family Flour is active and very firm. Welch's is bringing $7.75, and we quote the Patapsco, Reservoir, Silver Spring, Ashland and Shenandoah brands at $7.25 per bbl. Howard Street Family may be quoted at $6.@6.50 per bbl.

RYE FLOUR AND CORN MEAL.—We quote Rye Flour to-day at $4.25@4.50 and Corn Meal steady at $4 per bbl. for both Baltimore and Brandywine.

GRAIN.—The receipts of Grain this morning were light, the offerings of all descriptions amounting to only about 13,000 bushels. Wheat was quoted higher, the market for it was steady at the previous rates. There were about 5,000 bushels received, and most of it was sold at 110@115 cts. for good to prime reds, 118@125 cts. for medium to fair white, and 130@140 cts. for good to prime do.—Choice white suitable for family flour would doubtless have brought 143@145 cts., but there were none at market. Of Corn there were only about 1,200 bushels received. A lot of 175 bushels white, which was the only one at market, sold at 84 cts. weight, but of yellow there were about 1,000 bushels at 82@84 cts. Rye and Oats continue very firm. Sales were reported this morning of some 2,500 bushels Maryland Rye at 80@82 cts., and of some 3,000 bushels Maryland Rye at 35@37 cts.

MOLASSES.—Molasses is very quiet, but the rates for it are unchanged, and we quote Cuba as before at 18 cents for tart clayed, 24@25 cts. for sweet do., and 26@29 cts. for Muscovado; English Island at 25@30 cts; Porto Rico at 30@35 cts.; and New Orleans at 38@40 cts. per gallon.

PROVISIONS.—Bacon is in active demand, and the market for it is firm with a decidedly upward tendency. Prices for it to-day are fully ¾ of a cent per lb. better than on yesterday. We have reported sales of some 75 hhds. Shoulders at 8⅞@8⅞ cts., 20 hhds. Sides in one lot at 10¼ cts., and of 125 hhds. do in lots, all at 10¾ cts. At the close Shoulders were held at 8¾, and Sides at 10¾ cts. for round lots. Hams are selling at from 10¾ to 14 cts. for plain and sugar cured. We hear of no sales of Bulk Meat, but we quote it firm at 7¾ and 9¾ cts. for Shoulders and Sides, and 8¾@9 cts. for Hams. Mess Pork is held to-day pretty firmly at $15.75 per bbl., but we have heard of no sales. We quote Prime and Rump Pork nominally at $12 per bbl. We have reported sales of 40 bbls. at this figure. Beef is steady at $13@15 for Baltimore packed No. 1, and $16@18 per bbl. for Mess, and we quote Lard firm at 11¼ cts. for Western in bbls. and tierces, and 12¾ cts. in kegs.

RICE.—Rice is quiet, but we quote it steady at 3¾@3¾ cts. for common to fair, and 4@4¼ cts. for good to prime.

SUGARS.—Sugars are in fair request, and the market for them is steady at the quotations which are as follows, viz: $5.50@5 for refining grades Cuba and English Island; $6.25@7.25 for grocery styles do; $6.25@7.25 for common to fair of Porto Rico and New Orleans; and $7.50@8.25 for good to choice do. We have reported to-day sales of 50 hhds. Cuba Sugar at $6.25@6.75, and of 15 hhds. New Orleans do. at $7.25.

SALT.—Liverpool Salt is steady at 85@90 cts. for Ground Alum, 135 cts. for Marshall's, and Jeffrey & Dary's fine, and 150 cts., per sack for Ashton's do. We quote Turks Island Salt nominal at 17@18 cts. per bushel. A lot of some 7,000 sacks Liverpool Salt was received here yesterday per ship Kalamazoo, and there are one or two cargoes of Turks Island do. here afloat.

SEEDS.—Grass Seeds are in better demand, and the market for them is somewhat firmer. Cloverseed ranges at from $5.50 to 5.87½, and we quote Timothy do. at $2.37½@2.75 per bushel. A lot of 60 bushels prime new Cloverseed was sold this morning at $5.85, and we note sales of 100 to 150 bushels Timothy do. within the range of quotations. Flaxseed is bringing $1.45@1.50 per bushel.

WHISKEY.—We continue to quote Whiskey at 27½ cts. for City, and 28 cts. for Ohio, but the market is dull at these figures. A lot of 55 bbls. Country Whiskey in second hand packages was sold yesterday at 26 cts.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

NEW YORK MARKETS, Sept. 24.—Coffee.—Rio is in moderate request and prices are maintained with increased firmness—sales of 800 bags prime at 11⅞@12⅛ cts.; 250 do. do. at 11¾@11¾ cts.; 50 do. St. Domingo at 11⅞ cts., and 50 do. Maracaibo at 11½.

Cotton is steady and a little more animate, though the market is by no means active—sales of 500 bales. We quote:

NEW YORK CLASSIFICATION	Uplands.	Florida.	Mobile.	Texas.
Ordinary	10½	9¾	9¾	9¾
Middling	11¾	11¾	11⅞	12
Middling Fair	12½	12½	13	13
Fair	12¾	12¾	13¼	14

Fish—Pickled herring have been active at full prices—sales of 1,000 bbls. St. Johns at $3.12½@3.25. Other kinds are quiet, but firm.

Hides are in fair request—sales of 2,500 Rio Grande at 25½ cts., 2,000 Orinoco at 24 cts., 600 Buenos Ayres kips at 25 cts., 3,000 Costa Rica (a re-sale) at 23½ cts., and 500 wet salted New Orleans at 10 cts., all six months. The stock on hand is computed, by H. D. Hull & Co.'s circular, at 217,600 dry ox and cow, (a-d 100 bales East India cow and buffalo,) against 122,850 last year, and 207,000 the same time the previous one.

Leather—The demand is quite limited, and stocks are slowly increasing, but prices are nominally the same, though the turn of the market is in buyers' favor.

Molasses—The demand is a little more active, and prices are well maintained—sales of 100 bbls. New Orleans at 40 @42 cts., 50 hhds. Muscovado at 25 cts., and 50 do. Cuba clayed at 21@23 cts.

Naval Stores.—Spirits Turpentine is quiet but firm —sales of 100 bbls. in shipping order at 47½ cts. and 200 do. merchantable at 47 cts. cash. Crude remains quiet. Common rosin is less active but is steady in price at $1.52½@1.55 per 310 lbs. afloat and delivered. Of strained, sales of 250 bbls. have been made at $1.53 per 310 lbs. an inside price. Other descriptions are also quiet —sales of 100 bbls. low No. 1 at $2.25, 100 do. opaque and white at $3.25@3.75, and 300 do. pale white at $4@4.50 per 280 lbs. Tar is less animated, but with a reduced stock the market is firm at $2.62½ for Washington.

Oils.—Linseed is in moderate request—sales of 10,000 gallons at 58@59 cts. in casks and in bbls. Crude whale has continued in good demand at the East, and further sales of 2,000 bbls. have been made in New London and New Bedford at 48 cts. cash. Refined has also been in active request—sales of 3,000 bbls. bleached winter in New Bedford on terms private. A good trade demand prevails at 60@62 cts. Crude sperm and most other kinds are quiet but firm in price.

Austen's Kerosene Illuminating Oil has been reduced to $1 per gallon, and McCready, Mott & Brundage have also reduced the price of their coal oil to the same figure.

Rice has been in improved demand at full prices—sales of 600 tierces prime, of which 385 were for export, at 4 cts.

Ashes.—The market is steady—sales of pots at $5.50, and pearls at $5.25.

Flour, &c.—The demand for Western Canal Flour is quite active, and the low grades are better. The better grades are steady and in fair demand for the East and home trade.

The sales are 16,500 bbls. at $4.55@4.80 for superfine State; $4.40@4.60 for extra do.; $4.70@5.00 for new grades Western extra; $5@5.25 for shipping brands of round hoop extra Ohio; $5.30@6.40 for trade brands; $5.00@8.50 for St. Louis brands, and $5.25@7.25 for extra Genesee.

Canadian flour is firm and in fair request for the trade —sales of 150 bbls. at $5@6.

Southern flour is in fair demand and is steady, the arrivals are not large—sales of 2,100 bbls. at $6@5.55 for superfine Baltimore &c., and $5.40@6.75 for the better grades.

Rye flour is in fair demand at $3.70@4.40.

Corn meal is scarce and steady—sales of Jersey at $8.80 and Brandywine is held at $4.22.

Grain.—The market is quiet for wheat and closes tamely, the weather proving unfavorable. the sales are 17,000 bush. at $1.12 for ordinary red Southern; $1.30 for prime white; $1.25@1.30 for white Michigan; 95c. for prime Chicago spring; $1.21 for fair white Canadian, and $1.38@1.40 for white Kentucky.

Rye is dull and is nominal at 81@82 cts. Barley is wanted and is nominal at 80@85 cts. for new. Oats are scarce and are better, sales of State at 41@43½ cts., and Canadian at 42@44 cts.

Corn is scarce but closes quietly—the sales are 3,000 bushels Western mixed, supposed at 94c.

Honey—is in better request for home use—sales of 22 trcs. and 42 bbls. on private terms.

Provisions.—The pork market is again better, and is quite active for Mess; the arrivals are very light; sales of 1,900 bbls. $15.75@16 for Mess; $10.75@10.90 for Prime, closing at $10.80; $14.50@14.75 for thin Mess, and $17.50 for clear.

Beef is dull and heavy, prices are nominal at the close; sales of 350 bbls. at $4.50@4.71 for Prime; $5@6 for Mess, and $6.75@9 for repacked Mess. Cut meats are held higher—sales at 9¾@9¾ cts. for Shoulders at 7¾c.—how held at 8c., and Hams at 9c.

Lard is steady, but quiet—sales of 200 tcs. at 10¾@11¼c. Butter and Cheese are firmer, and in good demand. Sugars—Raw have been in better request and are slightly enhanced rates—sales of 2,300 hhds. Cuba at 5⅞@6⅜c.; 250 do. Porto Rico at 6¾@7¾c.; 1,481 bxs. Havana at 5¾ @6¼c., and 6,100 bags Pernambuco, part at 5¾c.

Whiskey.—The market is quiet—small sales at 26¾@27c.

PHILADELPHIA MARKETS, Sept. 24.—The Flour market continues extremely quiet but prices remain unchanged. There is no shipping demand and the sales are confined to the wants of the home trade from $5 to $5.25 per bbl. for fresh ground superfine and extra lots, and $5.50@6.50 for extra family and fancy. The receipts are accommodating their customers at ¼ premium—though the outside rates are higher.

NORFOLK MARKETS, Sept. 24.—Corn.—Receipts for the week are quite small, uncertain and irregular, with a very fair demand. An advance at the close was obtained —prime white selling at 80@81.

Wheat.—Receipts have fallen off, while, at the same time, there is less inquiry. Prime red and white sell readily; inferior not so desirable. We quote as range of prices $1.05@1.10 for prime red, and white $1.20@1.30. Unsound and inferior are lower, according to condition and quality.

Flour.—Receipts continue full and stocks have accumulated, and the demand is very limited. The general state of all markets is dull in the extreme. Some sales for shipment have been effected at $5.25 for Superfine, and $6 for Extra. These rates are nominally below the views of holders; but above them no sales can be effected, except in the smallest way for consumption.

Naval Stores.—Receipts of Tar have increased, with some sales of cargo lots at about $1.90. Common Rosin may be quoted lower than last week.

Staves.—Receipts small, with a good demand for R. O. Hhd. Sales at $34@35 for prime; Culls, $17; W. O. Hhd. $43; Culls, $17.

The Charleston *Courier* of Friday says:

RICE.—We have no new feature to notice, at least so far as prices are concerned. The demand continues limited, but the receipts have not sustained former quotations. The amount received this week is considerably in excess of late weeks, which have changed hands at extremes ranging from $5.25 to $5.75, as in quality. Among the receipts were upwards of 600 tierces of the new crop, 200 of which were sold at $3.62½ and $5.75 per hundred. The harvesting is progressing finely, and if the season continues favorable a full crop will be gathered. The receipts of the new crop, as noticed above, are the first of the kind, and the first arrivals of the crop of 1858 were received about the same period last year. The market, however, has opened at much better prices than were current at that time. The receipts during the last week of September, in 1858, reached 210 tierces, which were sold at $3.37½, and those for the following week had run up to 800@1,000 tierces, and were taken by purchasers at prices ranging from $3.06¼ to $3.87½ per 100 lbs.

WILMINGTON MARKETS, Sept. 24.—Turpentine.—Advanced 10 cts. yesterday, with sales of 450 bbls. at $3.10 for virgin and yellow dip, and $2.90 for hard.

Spirits Turpentine.—Sales yesterday of 700 bbls. at 43 cts., and of 160 do. in extra bbls. at 44 cts. per gal.

Rosin.—Receipts yesterday of 550 bbls., pale at $4.00 per bbl., and of 1,000 bbls. No. 1 at $2.50@3.50 per bbl. No transactions to day in either grade.

EXPORTS FROM BALTIMORE.

CORK—*Bark Alan Ker.*
481 logs white oak timber, 7,682 tree nails, 4,000 staves.

JAMAICA—*Schr. James Madison.*
895 bbls. flour, 10 do. rye flour, 215 do. corn meal, 70 do. pork, 60 hams, 7 bbls. lard oil, 60 kegs butter, 10 pkgs. lard, 200 boxes candles, 3 cases tobacco, 8 do. fruits, 30 bbls. crackers, 60 kegs do., 6 cases oysters, 6 bdls. spades, 5 bbls. spirits turpentine.

HALIFAX, N. S.—*Schr. John B. Huey.*
782 bbls. flour; 18 bolts duck, 20 bbls. rosin.

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THE TRANS-MUNDANE TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

The Washington Correspondent of the *New York Journal of Commerce* sends the following information to that paper.

You had occasion lately, in an article upon the gigantic project formed simultaneously in Russia, in Canada, and in California, for girding the earth with lines, of magnetic telegraph, to observe that they probably originated from no concerted action. The reverse is, however, the case, and the prime mover of these enterprizes in Russia and in Canada, is Mr. Collins, the United States Commercial Agent at the Amoor River, whose interesting Reports upon the commerce of that region have attracted so much attention.

Mr. Collins drew the attention of the Russian Government to the importance of a line of telegraph across its dominions to the mouth of the Amoor, and his suggestions were adopted and will be acted upon. He went to Canada and there succeeded in the formation of a Company which has been incorporated under the name of the "Trans-mundane Telegraphic Company," which will afford important aid in establishing the proposed line through British America.

The plan is to construct the telegraph from the mouth of the Amoor across Behring's Straits to and through Russia and British America. From Victoria a branch will be conducted to San Francisco, and another to Canada.

Mr. Collins is now in Washington, but will soon leave for St. Petersburg, where he expects to complete arrangements, through private companies and government subsidies, for completing the line of telegraph from Novgorod to the mouth of the Amoor, and thence taking it across the Straits to Russian America. The distance from Novgorod to San Francisco, by the route chosen, will be five thousand miles.

The line from San Francisco to Missouri is commenced, and Mr. Collins thinks that, by the time when it will be in operation, he will have extended his line to San Francisco.

RICHMOND AND DANVILLE RAILROAD.—A report, furnished by Thos. W. Brockenbrough, Treasurer of this Road, shows that the earnings for the 11