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Groceries, Liquors, &c.

G. H. REESE & BROTHERS,
207 and 209 PRATT STREET
CHARLES REESE & CO.,
CORNER EUTAW AND MADISON.
TEA DEALERS AND FAMILY GROCERS.
Have constantly on hand at either of the above establishments a large and constantly renewed assortment of every article in their line, (EXCEPT SPIRITUOUS LIQUORS,) which from their long experience and ample facilities, they are enabled to sell as low as any other house in the United States.
IN THE STAPLE ARTICLES PARTICULARLY, or those of every day consumption, we think we can promote the interests of purchasers, our stock being large and laid in always at the most favorable time.
OUR FOREIGN GOODS
are of our own direct importation, from houses of the highest standing abroad, and have for years received the approbation of our customers.
We pay particular attention to TEA, and guarantee to every purchaser entire satisfaction, both in QUALITY and PRICE. s-e26m*

NEW GROCERY AND PRODUCE STORE.
Prime Raisins 8, 9, 10, 12½ cents; Currants 8 and 10 cents; Citron 25 cents; Figs 12 cents; Soft-shell Almonds 18 and 25 cents; genuine Philadelphia Mince Meat 14; pure Constantinople Grape Drops, the best in Baltimore. Pure sweet Cider cheap, by the barrel or gallon; Prime new Honey 12½ cents a pound; prime brown Sugar 7 and 8 cents, whites 9 and 10 cents; Fresh Roasted and Ground Coffee 14 and 16 cents; a superior article of Tea at 50 and 60 cents. Spices of all kinds, cheaper than any other establishment in Baltimore. McDONNAL & THOM S,
26 East Baltimore street, between Front and High.
P. S.—A very liberal reduction to those who buy to sell again. d14-tf

C. A. SEWELL & CO.,
TEA DEALERS AND FAMILY GROCERS,
Have just received a fresh supply of NEW RAISINS Figs, Citron and Currants.
Also, in store, a general assortment of fresh GROCERIES, consisting of fine Teas, Wines, &c., English Pickles, &c., &c., which we are selling low.
The public will find it to their interest in giving our stock an examination before purchasing elsewhere.
Goods delivered to all parts of the city free.
C. A. SEWELL & CO.,
d2-tf 213 West Pratt street.

ORANGE PEKOE TEA.—Direct consignment from Hong Kong, China.
496 boxes "Orange Pekoe" Tea, per ship "Invincible," just received direct from China, and for sale low by WILLIAM SAYNE.
I am also daily expecting per ship "Aramingo," from same place, a consignment of 500 cases PRESERVED GINGER. 1,000 boxes FIRE CRACKERS, which will be sold low, to arrive. W. B. n11-tf

Z. TARMAN,
WHOLESALE GROCER, CHARLES.
IMPORTER OF GREEN AND BLACK TEAS.
DEALER IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC LIQUORS,
No. 5 CHEAPSIDE,
o12-tf between Lombard and Water streets.

GEO. TEMPLEMAN & CO.,
SUCCESSORS TO CHAS THOMPSON.
No. 63 LEXINGTON STREET, NEAR CHARLES.
Would call the attention of gentlemen to their superior stock of old BRANDIES, WHISKIES, WINES, &c., which their predecessor who was well known as a connoisseur in Liquors, purchased them pure, and laid them on hand a long time. CIGARS of the best quality.
FRESH TEAS and Thompson's celebrated Sugar cured HAMS in any quantity. 68-tf

CHOICE BLACK AND GREEN TEAS,
selected with great care from the latest importations; among them the ORANGE PEKOE, a new article in this market, of fine quality and fine price.
W. I. VAN NESS,
d10-tf 214 W. Lombard street.

ENGLISH BREAKFAST TEA.—Something nice, just received by GREEN & YOE,
jy27-tf 88 Baltimore street

LONDON BROWN STOUT AND SCOTCH ALE just received by GREEN & YOE,
27-tfr 88 Baltimore street

SILVER SPRING FLOUR.—Family, Extra and Super for sale by the manufacturers, JOHNS & ROGERS, No 24 Commerce street. jy21 tfr

Dry Goods.

GRAND OPENING
OF RICH FALL AND WINTER DRESS GOODS
WROTH & FULLERTON,
WILL OPEN THIS MORNING
THE LOWEST GOODS IMPORTED.
SILK ROBE, in two flounces, and by the yard.
DE LAINE AND VALENCIA ROBES
ALSO,
A full assortment of
GREY AND COLORED DOPLEINS
MOURNING GOODS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
SHAWLS, HOUSE-KEEPING GOODS,
AND EMBROIDERIES.
85 tfr 85 BALTIMORE STREET.

CLOAKS AND SHAWLS.
PARIS EMBROIDERED CLOAKS,
Also our own manufacture in
PLAIN AND TRICOT CLOAKS,
FANCY CLOTHS, RICH LYONS VELVETS,
ALL THE MOST FASHIONABLE SHAPES MADE,
FOR OUR BEST CITY RETAIL TRADE,
IN EVERY VARIETY OF TRIMMING
FALL AND WINTER SHAWLS,
Long and Square Cashmere and Wool Shawls,
Striped and Plaid Wool Long and Square SHAWLS.
WINTER SHAWLS of every desirable style.
ALSO,
GENTLEMEN'S TRAVELLING SHAWLS,
in great variety.
HAMILTON EASTER & CO.,
n10-tfr 199, 201 and 203 Baltimore street.

FASHIONABLE SILKS AND ROBES.
RICH LACES AND EMBROIDERIES.
Received by recent steamers
A FULL AND ELEGANT ASSORTMENT
EMBRACING SEVERAL ENTIRE INVOICES
of the
LATEST PARIS STYLES
BAYADERE AND FANCY SILKS AND SILK ROBES,
At much under cost of manufacture.
Full assortments of
Poiat, Valenciennes, Russian and Irish Point Laces, Paris Embroidered Sets, Collars, Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Brussels Net Thread Lace Falls and Collerettes, Flouncings, Edgings, &c.
ALSO,
FROM AUCTION,
1,000 PAIRS OF LACE AND MUSLIN CURTAINS,
From $3 to $30 a window.
2,000 PAIRS BEST AMERICAN BLANKETS,
From $2.50 to $15 a pair.
MUCH UNDER USUAL PRICES
HAMILTON EASTER & CO.,
n10-tfr 199, 201 and 203 Baltimore street.

AUCTION GOODS VERY LOW!!!
PURCHASED AT THE GREAT AUCTION SALES IN NEW YORK.
JUST RECEIVED AT
GEORGE H. HAIG'S NEW STORE,
123 *BALTIMORE STREET,*
BETWEEN CALVERT AND SOUTH STREETS.
THE LARGEST, CHEAPEST AND BEST ASSORTMENT OF HOSIERIES, SHIRTS AND DRAWERS,
Ever offered for sale in this city.
ALSO,
A CHOICE VARIETY OF
FANCY AND PLAIN SILKS,
MERINOS, DELAINES,
AND OTHER DRY GOODS
SHAWLS,
MANTILLAS,
CLOAKS,
CLOAK AND DRESS TRIMMINGS,
ALL OF THE VERY LATEST STYLES.
HOOP SKIRTS,
CORSETS,
AND A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF ARTICLES FOR LADIES' WEAR.
All of the above will be sold either in lots or by retail
o26-tfr UNPRECEDENTEDLY LOW RATES.

100 BALES LINEN BURLAPS.
HEAVY for Clothiers.
MEDIUM for Coffee Bags.
LIGHT, for Manufacturers
Also, HOP SACKING and goods for WOOL BUYERS for sale in lots from one to a hundred bales, at very low prices, by the agents,
ROBERT D. BROWN & CO.,
n18 tf 2 German street.

CELEBRATED SCOTCH WOOL UNDERSHIRTS AND DRAWERS.
We have just opened a large and varied assortment of these celebrated goods.
CONSTABLE, WALKER & CO.,
o22 tfr Opposite the Museum

MERINO UNDER-SHIRTS.
A new article, very HEAVY and plush lined, with DRAWERS to suit, just received.
CONSTABLE, WALKER & CO.,
o22 tfr 155 Baltimore street.

SHAKER FLANNEL SHIRTS.
An assortment (all sizes) just received, with DRAWER to suit.
CONSTABLE, WALKER & CO.,
o22 tfr 155 Baltimore street.

WINTER GLOVES.
Of every style and description, just received by
CONSTABLE, WALKER & CO.
o22 tfr

CANVASS PADDINGS, ALPACAS, AND VELVETS, suitable for coat makers, for sale low to close by agents,
ROBERT D. BROWN & CO.,
o28 tf 2 German street.

GOODS FOR SUMMER SHIRTS.—We have in store a large supply of the celebrated "Masonville" MUSLIN, especially for summer Shirts, very firm and as cool as linen.
CONSTABLE, WALKER & CO.,
o24-tfr 155 Baltimore street.

BUCKWHEAT BAGS!
CORN MEAL BAGS!!
FLOUR BAGS!
Plain, or Handsomely Printed, in quantities to suit.
ALSO,
A full supply of
GRAIN,
SEED,
COFFEE, AND
GUANO BAGS,
All at Low Prices, at the
EXCELSIOR BAG WAREHOUSE,
No. 2 Bowly's wharf, next door to Pratt street.
o21-6mr J. W. LOANS.

TO BUILDERS AND OTHERS.
POE & HOWARD,
WAREHOUSE, No. 69 W. PRATT STREET.
FACTORY, Locust Point, Baltimore.
Manufacture SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, FRAMES, and all kinds of Sash Factory Work. Also, furnish every description of
BUILDING MATERIALS.
d10-tfr

LOANS AND MONEY NEGOTIATIONS of any kind, promptly effected by
MARTIN LEWIS,
No. 44 Second street,
s1-tfr First house from South

DIARIES FOR 1860.
A FIRST RATE ASSORTMENT
Just received and for sale by
SAML. E. TURNER,
n1-tfr No. 3 South Charles street

NEW YORK,
PHILADELPHIA,
AND BOSTON
EXCHANGE,
Constantly on hand in sums to suit by
PURVIS & CO.
n9-tfr

ASHTON & CO.,
BROKERS,
No. 91 SECOND STREET, (Odd Fellows' Building.)
Real Estate bought, sold and exchanged. Mortgages negotiated. Stocks, Bonds, Ground Rents, and all other Securities bought and sold. n10-tf

FISHER & HUNTER,
PRACTICAL PLUMBERS,
No. 138W. FAYETTE STREET.
Roofing, Hot Air Furnaces, Ranges and Stoves.
Tin and Sheet Iron work to order. s27-3m

COAL.—
CUMBERLAND COAL of the best quality, from the American Company's and other mines in the George's Creek Valley, constantly for sale by the cargo or load.
STICKNEY & CO.,
a24-tf Exchange Place.

WANTED TO RENT.—A HOUSE at $10 or $12 per month. Apply at THOS. SHANK'S SEWING MACHINE SALE ROOMS, No. 5 CARROLL HALL, up stairs.
N. B.—SEWING MACHINES bought, sold, exchanged and repaired. n30-1mr

THE MOST DURABLE MANTEL-PIECES for use with Latrobe Stoves, are the SLATE MANTELS made by the West Castleton Slate Company, and sold in Baltimore by their agents.
GEO. O STEVENS & CO.,
o19-3mr 47 W. Pratt street

DR. PAGE EDMUNDS,
SURGEON DENTIST,
No. 49 HANOVER STREET, Baltimore.
s26 tfr

WESTPHALIA HAMS.—A FEW LEFT.
H. K. LONG & CO.,
29 and 22 Pennsylvania avenue.
Cars pass the door. d15-tf

UNCURRENT BANK NOTES
BOUGHT AND SOLD
AT LOWEST RATES BY
PURVIS & CO.
n9-tfr

SKATES AND SLEIGH BELLS.
A large assortment just received from the manufacturers and for sale by
SCHAEFFER & LONEY,
d16-1m No. 3 Hanover street.

FINE TEA TRAYS, WAITERS, PLATED TABLE CASTORS, and all kinds of BRITANNIA WARE for sale at A. REUTER & SONS,
n26 tf No. 56 W. Baltimore st.

Pianos and Music.

GOLD MEDAL PIANOS.
MANUFACTURED BY HENRY GAEHLE.
WAREROOMS:
Nos. 15, 17 and 19 N. EUTAW STREET.
OFFICE
NORTHEAST CORNER OF EUTAW AND FAYETTE STREETS.
The undersigned has always on hand one of the largest assortments of PIANO FORTES in this city, which for beauty of finish, power and sweetness of tone, elasticity of touch, have by judges been pronounced unrivaled.
The highest Premium—a Gold Medal—was awarded them at the late Fair of the Maryland Institute, held in October, 1859.
Every Piano guaranteed for five years, and a privilege of exchange granted at any time within six months from day of sale, if not entirely satisfactory.
Terms and prices liberal, and a call is respectfully solicited before purchasing elsewhere.
Pianos taken in exchange, hired, tuned and repaired.
Several Second-hand Pianos for sale low for cash.
d9-tf HENRY GAEHLE.

THE BEST
PIANOS
ARE MANUFACTURED BY
CHICKERING & SONS,
Who have received 40 Medals, the first premiums over all competitors in the United States.
A number of Baltimore made Pianos. Among them a Grand, for sale cheap.
MELODEONS AND MUSIC.
PIANOS FOR RENT.
n18 tfr I. T. STODDARD,
No. 4 South Calvert street

PIANOS. PIANOS. PIANOS.
GOLD MEDALS
IN THREE SUCCESSIVE YEARS
At the Maryland Institute.
Besides first premiums at Fairs in Philadelphia, Washington and Richmond.
TESTIMONIALS OF EXCELLENCE
FROM
THALBERG,
STRAKOSCH,
and G. SATTER,
A so from some of the most eminent Professors and amateu in the country.
WM. KNABE & CO.,
1, 3, 5 and 7 NORTH EUTAW STREET,
and No. 207 BALTIMORE STREET,
between Charles and Light streets,
would respectfully invite the attention of the public to their well assorted stock of
GRAND AND SQUARE PIANO-FORTES,
which, for beauty of finish, power, and sweetness of tone and elasticity of touch, have been, by judges, pronounced unrivalled. Every Piano guaranteed for five years, and a privilege of exchange granted at any time within six months, if not entirely satisfactory.
Terms liberal. A call is respectfully solicited before purchasing elsewhere.
Piano taken in exchange, hired, tuned and repaired.
a26-tfr WM. KNABE & CO.

THE CHEAPEST WINTER CLOTHING!
THE BEST WINTER CLOTHING!!
Can only be found at
WIESENFELD & CO'S
MARYLAND INSTITUTE CLOTHING HALL,
Corner of Baltimore st. and Market Space,
Splendid Overcoats for a Few Dollars
At Wiesenfeld & Co's.
Elegant Purple Satinets, Lowest Cash Rates,
At Wiesenfeld & Co's.
Beautiful Business Suits at Trifling Cost.
50 At WIESENFELD & CO's. 32
Splendid Overcoats!
Warm Overcoats!
Durable Overcoats!
Well-made Overcoats!
Good Fitting Overcoats!
At WIESENFELD & CO'S.
Business Suits for Young Men!
Business Suits for Middle-Age!
Business Suits for All Ages!
At WIESENFELD & CO'S.
Dress Suits for Weddings!
Dress Suits for Parties!
Dress Suits for Best Wear!
At WIESENFELD & CO'S.
Coats by the Thousand!
Pants by the Thousand!
Vests by the Thousand!
At WIESENFELD & CO'S.
Boys Clothing for the Youngest!
Boys' Clothing for all Sizes!
Boys' Clothing for larger Boys!
At WIESENFELD & CO'S.
Cheaper than the Cheapest!
Finer than the Finest!
Better than the Best!
Are the Garments at
WIESENFELD & CO'S.
Save your Money—As
A Very Few Dollars
Will give you a splendid Outfit for Winter.
If you call at WIESENFELD & CO'S
Corner Baltimore st. and Market Space.
and ODEON HALL,
Corner of Pennsylvania avenue and Eutaw streets,
d31-tJ1r Washington, D. C.

BANKING.
JOHNSTON BROTHERS & CO.,
No. 198 Baltimore Street,
Offer their services for the purchase and sale of STOCKS ON COMMISSION, and for the transaction of the Banking, Collection and Exchange business.
Orders received by letter from persons residing in the country will receive faithful attention.
We make advances on Stocks and Bonds, and discount time paper on favorable terms.
Deposits received at City or uncurrent funds, and checks paid on presentation without charge.
d6-tf BANK, No. 198 BALTIMORE STREET.

ENGLISH, FRENCH, SWISS,
GERMAN AND ITALIAN
JEWELRY AND FANCY GOODS,
Just opening at
CANFIELD, BRO. & CO.'S.
LONDON WATCHES,
COPENHAGEN WATCHES,
LIVERPOOL WATCHES,
AMERICAN WATCHES,
For sale by
DIAMONDS AND JEWELRY,
DIAMONDS UNSET,
RUBIES, EMERALDS;
SAPPHIRES,
PEARLS, &c., UNSET.
For sale wholesale and retail by
CANFIELD, BRO. & CO.
ETRUSCAN JEWELRY, new styles. Pearl Jewelry, Carbuncle, Coral and Mosaic Jewelry, imported direct.
For sale by CANFIELD, BRO. & CO.
WEDDING PRESENTS of the richest and rarest kinds now opening at CANFIELD, BRO. & CO.
NEW STYLES MALACHITE WRITING DESKS Dressing Cases, Glove Boxes, Portfolios, Inkstands, Envelope Cases, Jewel Cases, Paris Fans, Opera Glasses, London Gold Watch Chains.
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS IN GREAT VARIETY.
The above goods, selected by one of the firm in Europe this season, are offered at moderate prices, wholesale and retail by
CANFIELD, BRO. & CO.,
d8-tfr 229 Baltimore street

SELLING OFF AT COST!
PARR'S CHINA HALLS!
A RARE CHANCE.
Intending to engage in the WHOLESALE BUSINESS exclusively, I have determined to close out my large and beautiful stock AT COST—the richest and most varied ever offered in this country, consisting of
GLASSWARE, cut, pressed and engraved, of
BOHEMIAN, FRENCH, AND
AMERICAN MANUFACTURE
CHINA WARE, OF INDIA, FRENCH, ENGLISH,
DRESDEN AND SWISS MAKES.
VASES, STATUETTS, ORNAMENTS AND NOTIONS
PARIAN GOODS.
SILVER-PLATED SETS, CASTORS, &c
TABLE CUTLERY, WAITERS, &c.
DINNER SETS.
TEA SETS,
TOILET SETS.
COMMON GOODS.
And an endless variety of beautiful and rare articles, with every thing pertaining to the business, most of which are entirely new, having been imported for my Fall and Winter Sales previous to my intention to change my business. CALL EARLY as I expect to close up by DECEMBER NEXT, and will POSITIVELY SELL AT AND BELOW COST. To do so TIME WILL BE GIVEN on large sales to satisfactory purchasers in New York, CITY and COUNTRY DEALERS and families are invited to call and see for themselves.
D PRESTON PARR,
211 Baltimore street,
Near Charles
o20-tJ1r

STORE FOR RENT.

ACCOUNT BOOKS.
1860.
BUSINESS MEN OF ALL CLASSES,
IN WANT OF
LEDGERS,
DAY BOOKS,
JOURNALS,
CASH BOOKS, INVOICE BOOKS, BILL BOOKS,
RECEIPT BOOKS, or ANY KIND OF ACCOUNT BOOKS
FOR THE NEW YEAR,
Will find a superior assortment, or can have them made to order, of any pattern, of the best AMERICAN or ENGLISH PAPER, at SAML. E. TURNER'S
Stationery Warehouse,
No. 3 South Charles street.
A first rate assortment of COUNTING-HOUSE STATIONERY always on hand. n26-2mr

HAS COME! HAS COME!! HAS COME!!
THE GOOD TIME HAS COME!!!
SINGER'S No. 2. SEWING MACHINE CAN NOW BE HAD FOR TEN HUNDRED DOLLARS.
No. 1 MACHINE FOR SEVENTY DOLLARS,
for manufacturing purposes the only reliable and unexcelled Sewing Machine in the world.
FAMILY SEWING MACHINES FROM FIFTY TO SEVENTY-FIVE DOLLARS.
They have been tried in families, and found superior to any now in use.
Hemmers, binding guages of all kinds, machine oil and every thing in our line always on hand at New York prices. The great reduction in our prices enables those who have purchased cheap and worthless machines to obtain the best ever made, at the lowest rates. Everybody is requested to call at our office, or send for a copy of I. M. SINGER & Co.'s GAZETTE.
W. E. BRODERICK, Agent,
s15-tfr 159 Baltimore street

JUST OPENED.
Our large and varied assortment of
GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS,
for Fall and Winter, which having been selected with great care, with a view only to the demands of our RETAIL TRADE, we feel gratified in being able to offer a more desirable assortment than we have heretofore.
SHIRTS! SHIRTS!!
Having procured additional facilities in the manufacturing of our POINTED YOKE SHIRTS, we can offer additional attraction in regard to fit and finish.
CONSTABLE, WALKER & CO.,
o6-tfr 155 Baltimore street.

LIBERAL CASH ADVANCES MADE ON any first class Mercantile or Stock Securities left with me for sale.
MARTIN LEWIS,
No. 44 Second street,
s1-tfr First house from South.

FLOUR.
Family, Extra and Rye Flour for sale by
CARR, GIESE & CO.,
21 Spear's wharf.

SALT.
1,400 sacks G. A. Salt just landing—for sale in lots to suit purchasers by
CARR, GIESE & CO.

CLOVERSEED.
150 bushels New Cloverseed for sale by
CARR, GIESE & CO.

2,000 BBLS. ROSENDALE CEMENT and CALCINED PLASTER, just received and for sale by
CARR, GIESE & CO.

HEMLOCK FENCING, RAILS AND WHITE PINE FLOORING—200,000 feet for sale by
CARR, GIESE & CO.,
d7-tfr 21 Spear's wharf.

WHITE BEANS.—120 bushels prime quality White Beans for sale by
CARR, GIESE & CO.
i 10-tf

VIRGINIA AND BALTIMORE MILL FEED
We offer for sale at lowest market prices in quantities to suit:
12,000 bushels Virginia Feed.
10,000 bushels Baltimore Brownstuffs.
10,000 bushels Baltimore Middlings.
MACDONALD & DUGDALE,
n11-tfr cor. McElderry's wharf and Pratt streets.

OLD RYE WHISKEY.
WHOLESALE WAREHOUSE,
38 SOUTH STREET, opposite Exchange Place.
The choicest stock in market, together with Liquors generally.
d5 tf CLABAUGH & GRAFF.

ONE MINUTE
EGG BEATER.
Warranted to beat down a dozen eggs in one minute, better than can be done by the old method in twenty minutes. For sale wholesale and retail by
CORTLAN & CO.
d12-tfr Nos. 216 and 218 Baltimore street.

GOLD THIMBLES,
GOLD PENCILS,
GOLD PEN AND PENCILS.
SAML. KIRK & SON,
172 BALTIMORE STREET,
Are now opening an invoice of new pattern Gold Thimbles, Gold Pencils & Pen Cases. d5-tfr

BOARD OF TRADE.
Committee of Arbitration for the month of December.
G. W. GAIL.
HENRY JANES, | M. A. MITCHELL,
C. C. BALDWIN, | RICHARD TYNES.

Monetary and Commercial Review.

BALTIMORE, December 21, 1859

There was a fair business done in Stocks again to-day, the operations at the Board amounting in value to a little rising $50,000. The transactions were as they have been for several days past chiefly in Railroad shares. For Northern Central Railway, which has for several days past been declining, the market took another turn to-day, and a large advance was established in it. There were 287 shares sold at $17@17⅜ cash, the latter figure being an advance of $1¼ per share on the closing sale of yesterday. It left off at $17⅛ bid, $18 asked regular way.—Of Baltimore and Ohio Railroad there were 660 shares sold. It opened at $69 cash and seller 60 days and $69¼ buyer 60 days, these figures being an advance of ½ per cent. on the final prices of yesterday, but it dropped off subsequently ¼ to ⅜ per cent., the closing sales being made at $68½ cash, and $69 buyer 60 days. It closed regular way at $68 bid, $68¾ asked, but it was offered at the close at $68½ seller 60 days, and $68⅞ buyer 60 days. Northern Central Railway 185 bonds fell off to-day ½ to 1 per cent. We note sales of $8,000 at from 63¼ down to 63. They sold on Monday at 64. There was a sale of $1,000 Northwestern Virginia endorsed third mortgage bonds at 69, but nothing was done in Baltimore and Ohio bonds. For 1885's 81½ was bid, and 82¼ asked. There were no sales of City 6's to-day but they closed at 96⅞ bid for 1875's, and 97¼ bid for 1890's, the latter ex-dividend. Bank stock is are quiet but firm. The only sale made to-day is one of 13 shares Farmers and Merchants' at $39¾.

The Associated Firemen's Insurance Company of Baltimore has declared a half yearly dividend of six and one-quarter per cent., payable 24 January 1860.

In New York to-day New York Central declined ¾; Cleveland and Toledo, Rock Island, and Michigan Southern ¼ each; and Reading and Missouri 6's ¼ each; but Erie, Canton, Michigan Southern guaranteed, Virginia 6's, and Illinois Central bonds all closed at yesterday's rates.

SALES AT THE BALTIMORE STOCK BOARD.
WEDNESDAY, December 21, 1859.

$1000 N. Va. RR bds.	.69	150	shs B. & O. RR.		.69
3d m. cash BALTR.	.69	50	"	s60	.69
1000 N. C. RR. bds.	85..63½	50	"		63½
2000 " "	85	100	"	s60	63¼
1000 " "	85..63¼	100	"		63¼
4000 " "	85..63	50	"		63⅛
13 sh. Far. & Mer. Bk.	.69½	25	"		68½
25 sh. N. C. RR	.63	25	"		68¼
100 " "	.63¼	25	"		68⅛
50 " "	.63⅛	25	"	b60	.69
112 " "	.63½				

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	93¼	00
Missouri 6's	83½	83½
Illinois Central bonds	81½	00
Canton Company	17	00
Erie Railroad	35½	35
New York Central Railroad	77½	77
Reading Railroad	41¾	41½
Panama Railroad	00	00
Cleveland and Toledo Railroad	18¾	00
Michigan Southern Railroad	6¾	00
Cumberland coal	00	00
Harlem Railroad	00	33
Galena and Chicago	00	66½
Michigan Southern, guaranteed	17	00
Rock Island Railroad	62½	00
	steady.	dull.

The New York *Tribune* of yesterday says:

The Foreign Bill market has been fairly active for the steamer, with no change in rates for Sterling, nominal ranges from 108¾ to 109¾. Some good commercial bills were sold as low as 108¾. Southern banks went at 109¾. The business in Francs was large, under free supplies of outside bills, and one banker took a line of a million and a half at lower than 5.20.

The following is a comparative statement of the exports, exclusive of specie, from the port of New York to foreign ports for the week and since January 1:

	1857.	1858.	1859.
For the week	$1,033,346	1,140,713	2,112,863
Previsly reported	68,696,392	57,437,221	63,562,913
Since Jan. 1	$69,729,738	58,577,934	65,675,776

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 21, 1859.

COFFEE.—The transactions in Coffee to-day have been light, the sales so far as we have heard embracing only 100 bags fair Rio at 11⅝@11¾ cts., and 130 bags prime do. at 12⅜ cts. Coffee continues very firm at the following rates, viz: at 11@11¼ cts. for medium Rio; 11⅜@11⅝ cts. for fair do; 12 cts. for good do; 12¼@12½ cts. for prime do; 12@13 cts. for Laguayra; and 15@16 cts. per lb. for Java. The stock here including the two cargoes afloat is about 27,000 bags.

FLOUR.—There has been very little movement to-day in Flour, and the market may be quoted dull and heavy for nearly all descriptions. We heard on Change of a sale of 200 bbls. Howard Street Super at $5.25 per bbl., but there were several other lots offered at this figure, without finding a buyer. There was nothing done in Ohio or City Mills Super, nor so far as we could learn was there any inquiry for either of these varieties. We quote the former description as closing dull at $5.25, and the latter at $5 per bbl. For Extra as well as Super Flour the market is dull, but we still quote it at $5.62½@5.75 for Ohio, $5.75@6 for Howard Street, $6.62½@6.75 for regular shipping, and $6.75@7 per bbl. for fancy brands City Mills.

FAMILY FLOUR.—Family Flour continues in good demand and quite firm. We quote Welch's at $7.50 for Pompeiian and Reservoir at $7.50, and the Silver Spring and Ashland brands at $7.25@7.50 per bbl. Ohio and Howard Street Family may be quoted at $6.50 per bbl.

RYE FLOUR AND CORN MEAL.—We quote Rye Flour today at $4.37½, and Corn Meal at $3.62½ per bbl. for Baltimore, but we hear of no sales of either article.

GRAIN.—Wheat continues dull, but for Corn the market is still active and buoyant. There were about 60,000 bushels Corn at market to-day, and it was mostly sold at 72@75 cts. for good white, and 80@84 cts. for good to prime yellow. Damp Corn sold at 65@70 cts. for white, and 66 @76 cts. for yellow, but prime dry white would have brought 76@77 cts. Of Wheat there were only about 8,000 bushels received. Red sold at 118@122 cts. for fair to good, 125 cts. for strictly prime, and white sold at 120@125 cts. for fair, 130@132 cts. for good, and 135@136 cts. for strictly prime parcels, but both red and white closed dull. A lot of 20 bushels Pennsylvania Rye, the only one at market, sold at 95 cts., and we note sales of about 1,500 bushels Oats at 40@42 cts. for Maryland, and 44@45 cts. for Pennsylvania.

MOLASSES.—We have no transactions to note to-day in Molasses. There is an inquiry for new crop New Orleans but no sales of moment are making. We quote Cuba as before at 22@24 cts. for clayed, and 25@27 cts. for Muscovado. English Island at 27@30 cts. Porto Rico at 30@36 cts.; and New Orleans at 43@45 cts. for old; and 52 cts. for new crop.

PROVISIONS.—Provisions are dull, and the feeling in the market is by no means strong. There is no Mess Meat selling but it is still held at 17 cts. for Shoulders, 8¾ @8½ cts. for Sides, and 9 cts. for Hams. We heard this morning of sales of some 20 bbls. Bacon Sides at 8¾ cts., but subsequently we had reported sales of 20 hhds. do. at 9¼ cts. Bacon Shoulders are still selling at 8½ cts. There is nothing doing in Lard, but we quote it as before at 10¼@10¾ cts. for new City and Western Leaf. We hear of no sales of Pork, but we still quote it at $16 for old, and $16.75 for new Mess, $11.50 for Prime, and $11 per bbl. for Rump. There is some new Mess offering, but there is very little remaining in market. Beef is steady at $11.50@12 for No. 1, and $15@16 per bbl. for Mess.

RICE.—Rice is in good demand and quite firm. We have reported to-day sales of some 75 tierces good to prime at 4@4¼ cts. Fair Rice can however be bought at 3¾ cts., and we quote it as ranging from 3¾ to 4¼ cts. per lb.

SUGARS.—Sugars continue very firm. We have reported to-day sales of 53 hhds. Cuba, for refining, at $7.25, and of 40 hhds. do. to grocers at $7.37½@7.50.—There is nothing doing in new crop New Orleans Sugars, the trade being generally disposed to wait for the auction sale on Friday. We continue to quote Sugars as follows, viz: at $7.12½@7.25 for refining grades; $7.50 @7.75 for grocers' grades Cuba and English Island; $7.75 @8.50 for fair to prime Porto Rico; $8@8.50 for good to prime old crop New Orleans, and $9@9.25 for new crop do.

SALT.—Salt is in good demand and very firm. Liverpool is selling at $1.05@1.10 for Ground Alum, $2.12½ for Marshall's and Jeffry & Darcy's fine, and $2.25 per sack for Ashton's do., and we quote Turks Island as before at 18@20 cts. per bushel from store.

SEEDS.—Clover is a scarce and firm article at $5.50@5.75 for good to prime lots. We note sales to-day of 100 bushels prime at $5.75 per bushel. There is very little inquiry for Timothy Seed, and we quote it nominal at $2@2.50 per bushel. Flaxseed is selling at $1.35@1.40 per bushel.

WHISKEY.—There were sales yesterday not noticed in our report of 400 bbls. Ohio Whiskey at 26½ cts., but to-day we have reported sales of 100 bbls. Ohio at 26 cts., 75 bbls. City do. at 26½ cts., and 100 bbls. Ohio do. at 27 cts., and both City and Ohio close steady at these figures.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

NEW YORK WEEKLY COFFEE CIRCULAR

Stock of Rio and Santos Coffee on 13th Dec., 1859	23,691 bags.
Received since to date	none "
	23,691 bags
Sales for consumption estimated at	7,485 "
Stock of Rio and Santos coffee on 20th Dec., 1859	15,605 bags.
Stock of Maracaibo coffee " " "	25,000 "
Stock of Laguayra coffee " " "	1,850 "
Stock of Ceylon coffee " " "	4,886 "
Stock of Jamaica coffee " " "	none "
Stock of Java coffee, Mats, 36,500 }	
Stock of do. do. Gov. bags, 1,000 }	37,500 "
Stock of St. Domingo coffee " "	none "
Stock of other descriptions coffee " "	300 "
Total bags and mats	60,392 "

QUOTATIONS.

Rio coffee, prime	12¼@12½ cts.	Four months.
Good	—@12 "	"
Fair	11⅞@11¾ "	"
Ordinary	10¾@11 "	"
Maracaibo	11¼@13 "	"
Laguayra	12 @13 "	"
Ceylon	13 @14 "	"
Java, mats and bags	14½@15 "	Four & Six mos.
St. Domingo	—@11¾ "	Cash.

REMARKS.—There has been a fair demand for Rio during the past week, generally at steady prices. The sales embrace 3,500 bags per "Courier," at 11⅛c., ex ship; and 600 per "chevalle," at 12¼c.; the balance of the latter invoice, 2,500 bags has been taken on speculation, on private terms.

STOCK OF RIO IN OTHER CITIES.

Dec. 17—New Orleans	57,000 bags.	
" "—Baltimore	24,000	"
" "—Philadelphia	1,000	"
" 20—New York	15,606	"
	97,606 bags.	

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PHILADELPHIA MARKET, December 20.—Flour and Meal—There is no quotable change in the market, and a small business only to note in Flour, there being very little demand for shipment, and standard and good straight superfine is offered at $5.37½@5.50 per bbl, without finding buyers, except in lots to the trade at from these figures up to $5.87½ for superfine and extras; $6@6.25 for family, and $6.50@7 per bbl. for fancy brands, as in quality; the demand continues moderate, and the market is rather dull to-day at the above figures. Rye Flour is scarce, and selling in a small way only at $4.37½ per bbl. Corn Meal is also scarce, and Pennsylvania meal is wanted at $3.75 per bbl.; 1,000 bbls Brandywine sold at a price kept private.

Grain—There is not much Wheat offering, but buyers are not disposed to operate to any extent, and the only sales are some 1,500 bushels reds at $1.32@1.33, for good and prime lots. White is held at $1.40@1.50, the latter for choice lots, and little or nothing doing. Rye is wanted, and Pennsylvania sells moderately at 93 cts. Corn is in good demand, and about 4,000 bushels new yellow sold at 75@77 cts. for damp, and 80@82 cts. for dry lots, the latter for prime. Old corn is scarce, and held above the views of buyers. Oats continues dull, with small sales of Pennsylvania at 45 cts., in store. Delaware are held at 43@48½ cts., without sales.

Groceries.—The stocks of all kinds are very much reduced, and we are only advised of some small sales of Coffee and Sugar at full rates

Iron.—The market for all kinds has been very quiet, and we have a small business only to note, including anthracite pig metal, in lots, at $23, $22 and $21 per ton, on time, for the three numbers. Nothing doing in Scotch pig. In manufactured iron the sales are limited and prices without change.

Provisions.—The market for the hog product generally continues pretty much at a stand still, and prices rather favor the buyers, who are not disposed to operate; the receipts and stocks, however, are light. Mess Pork being held at $16 75@17, and City Mess Beef at $13@15 per bbl. without sales, except in a small way at the latter figures. Bacon is selling as wanted at 12@12¾ cts. for city smoked Hams, 8¾ cts. for Shoulders, and 10¼ cts. for Sides—the latter to go South. Green Meats are steady, with small sales of Hams, in pickle, at 10¼@10½ cts., and Shoulders in salt at 7¾ cts., cash and short time. Lard continues firm at 11 cts. for bbls. and tierces, and 12 cts. for prime, in kegs. Roll Butter is more active, and selling at 16@18 cts., as in quality; packed is moving off slowly at 10@12 cts. Cheese is unchanged, and worth 11@11¼ cts. per lb. Eggs sell at 20@21