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By the President of the United States.

IN pursuance of law, I, MILLARD FILLMORE, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that a public sale will be held at the land office at STILLWATER, in the Territory of Minnesota, commencing on Monday, the eighteenth day of August next, for the disposal of the public lands within the following-named township and fractional townships, to wit:

North of the base line and west of the fourth principal meridian.

Fractional township thirty-four, on the right bank of the St. Croix river, of range eighteen.

Fractional townships thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, and thirty-six, on the right bank of the St. Croix river, of range nineteen.

Fractional townships twenty-six, twenty-seven, and twenty-eight, on the right bank of the Lake St. Croix; townships thirty-three, thirty-four, and thirty-five, and fractional township thirty-six, on the right bank of the St. Croix river, of range twenty.

Townships thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, and thirty-six, of range twenty-one.

Fractional townships thirty-one and thirty-two, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range twenty-five.

Fractional townships thirty-two and thirty-three, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range twenty-six.

Fractional townships thirty-two and thirty-three, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range twenty-eight.

Fractional townships thirty-three and thirty-four, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range twenty-nine.

Fractional townships thirty-four and thirty-five, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range thirty.

Fractional townships thirty-five, thirty-six, and thirty-seven, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range thirty-one.

Land appropriated by law for the use of schools, military and other purposes, will be excluded from the sales, and no locations for land bounties granted by any law of Congress for military services will be permitted on any of the above-mentioned lands, as provided by the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the civil and diplomatic expenses of government," &c., approved 3d March, 1851.

The offering of the above-mentioned lands will be commenced on the day appointed, and will proceed in the order in which they are advertised, until all convenient despatch, until the whole shall have been offered, and the sales thus closed; but the sale shall not be kept open longer than two weeks, and no private entry of any of the lands will be admitted until after the expiration of the two weeks.

Given under my hand this sixth day of May, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

MILLARD FILLMORE.

By the President:
J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS, AND TO LESSEES, OCCUPANTS, AND PERMITTEES OF MINERAL LANDS.

Every person entitled to the right of pre-emption to any of the lands within the townships and fractional townships above enumerated is required to establish the same to the satisfaction of the register and receiver at Stillwater, and make payment therefor *as soon as practicable after seeing this notice*, and before the day appointed for the commencement of the public sale of the lands embracing the tract claimed; otherwise, such claim will be forfeited.

J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

May 13—1aw13w

By the President of the United States.

IN pursuance of law, I, MILLARD FILLMORE, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that public sales will be held at the undermentioned land offices in the Territory of Minnesota, commencing on Monday, the eighteenth day of August next, for the disposal of the public lands within the following-named townships and fractional townships, to wit:

North of the base line and west of the fourth principal meridian.

Fractional township thirty-four, on the right bank of the St. Croix river, of range eighteen.

Fractional townships thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, and thirty-six, on the right bank of the St. Croix river, of range nineteen.

Fractional townships twenty-six, twenty-seven, and twenty-eight, on the right bank of the Lake St. Croix; townships thirty-three, thirty-four, and thirty-five, and fractional township thirty-six, on the right bank of the St. Croix river, of range twenty.

Townships thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, and thirty-six, of range twenty-one.

Fractional townships thirty-one and thirty-two, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range twenty-five.

Fractional townships thirty-two and thirty-three, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range twenty-six.

Fractional townships thirty-two and thirty-three, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range twenty-eight.

Fractional townships thirty-three and thirty-four, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range twenty-nine.

Fractional townships thirty-four and thirty-five, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range thirty.

Fractional townships thirty-five, thirty-six, and thirty-seven, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, of range thirty-one.

Land appropriated by law for the use of schools, military and other purposes, will be excluded from the sales, and no locations for land bounties granted by any law of Congress for military services will be permitted on any of the above-mentioned lands, as provided by the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the civil and diplomatic expenses of government," &c., approved 3d March, 1851.

The offering of the above-mentioned lands will be commenced on the day appointed, and will proceed in the order in which they are advertised, until all convenient despatch, until the whole shall have been offered, and the sales thus closed; but the sale shall not be kept open longer than two weeks, and no private entry of any of the lands will be admitted until after the expiration of the two weeks.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, this sixth day of May, anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

MILLARD FILLMORE.

By the President:
J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS.

Every person entitled to the right of pre-emption to any of the lands within the townships and parts of townships above enumerated is required to establish the same to the satisfaction of the register and receiver of the proper land office, and make payment therefor *as soon as practicable after seeing this notice*, and before the day appointed for the commencement of the public sale of the lands embracing the tract claimed; otherwise, such claim will be forfeited.

J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

May 13—1aw13w

By the President of the United States.

IN pursuance of law, I, MILLARD FILLMORE, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that public sales will be held at the undermentioned land offices in the State of Michigan at the periods hereinafter designated, to wit:

At the land office at THE SAULT STE. MARIE, commencing on Monday, the sixteenth day of August next, for the disposal of the public lands within the following-named townships and fractional townships to wit:

North of the base line and east of the principal meridian.

Fractional township forty-two, of range ten.

Fractional township forty-two, forty-three, forty-four, and forty-five, of range eleven.

Townships forty-two and forty-three, of range twelve.

Townships forty-four and forty-five, of range fourteen.

Townships forty-two, forty-three, forty-four, and forty-five, of range fifteen.

Townships forty-four, forty-five, forty-six, and forty-seven, of range sixteen.

Townships forty-one, forty two, forty-three, forty-four, forty-five, forty-six, and forty-seven, of range seventeen.

Townships forty-two, and forty-three, of range eighteen.

At the SAULT STE. MARIE, commencing on Monday, the first day of September next, for the disposal of the public lands within the following named townships and fractional townships, a large portion of which are situated in the copper and iron region of Lake Superior, viz:

North of the base line and west of the principal meridian.

Fractional township thirty-eight and township forty, of range twenty-eight.

Township forty, of range twenty-nine.

Fractional township sixty-seven, on "Isle Royale," of range thirty two.

Fractional township sixty-six and sixty-seven, on "Isle Royale," range thirty-three.

Fractional township sixty-six and sixty-seven, on "Isle Royale," range thirty four.

Fractional township sixty-five and sixty-six, on "Isle Royale," range thirty-five.

Fractional townships sixty-three, sixty-four, and sixty-five, on "Isle Royale," of range thirty-six.

Fractional townships sixty-three, sixty-four, and sixty-five, on "Isle Royale," of range thirty-seven.

Township fifty and fractional townships sixty-three and sixty-four, on "Isle Royale," of range thirty-eight.

Township fifty and fractional townships sixty-three, and sixty-four, on "Isle Royale," of range thirty-nine.

Townships forty-nine and fifty, and fractional sections thirty-three of thirty-four, in township fifty-two, of range forty.

Township forty-nine, of range forty-one.

At the land office at PORTA, commencing on Monday, the eighteenth day of August next, for the disposal of the public lands situated within the undermentioned township, viz:

North of the base line and west of the principal meridian.

Township thirty-one and thirty-two, of range three.

Township thirty-one and thirty-two, of range four.

Township thirty-one and thirty-two, of range five.

At the land office at GENESEE, commencing on Monday, the eighth day of September next, for the disposal of the public lands within the undermentioned township, to wit:

North of the base line and west of the principal meridian.

Township thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, and thirty-four, of range two.

North of the base line and east of the principal meridian.

Townships thirty-one, thirty-two, and thirty-three, of range one.

Townships thirty-one and thirty-two, of range two.

Townships thirty-one and thirty-two, of range three.

At the SAME PLACE, commencing on Monday, the twenty-second day of September next, for the disposal of the following-described tracts situated in the former Chippewa reservations, to be sold for the benefit of said tribe of Indians at *not less than two dollars and fifty cents per acre*, as provided by the act approved June 17, 1844, entitled "An act explanatory of the treaty made with the Chippewa Indians at Saginaw, the third day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty eight," viz:

North of the base line and east of the principal meridian.

Parts of sections thirty-one and thirty-two, in township six, of range four.

Fractional sections four and five, in township eighteen, and sections thirty-one and thirty-two, in township nineteen, (all in the reserve on "Riffe river,") of range six.

Sections thirteen and twenty-four, in township nineteen, of range six, and the south half and northwest quarter of section eighteen, and fractional section nineteen, in township nineteen, (all in the reserve on the "Augrais river,") of range seven.

At the land office at DETROIT, commencing on Monday, the eighth day of September next, for the disposal of the land being parts of sections five, six, seven, and eight, in township five north, of range four, east of the principal meridian, in the former Chippewa reserve, to be sold, for the benefit of said tribe of Indians, at not less than two dollars and fifty cents per acre, as provided by the act of 17th of June, 1844, above quoted.

At the land office at KALAMAZOO, commencing on Monday, the eighteenth day of August next, for the disposal of the following-named islands, situated in the Kalamazoo river, to wit:

North of the base line and west of the principal meridian.

Islands Nos. 1 and 2, in section thirty-two, in township one, of range eleven.

Islands Nos. 1 and 2, in sections twenty-three and twenty-four, in township one, of range twelve.

Islands Nos. 1 and 2, in sections three and ten, in township one, and islands numbered 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, in sections twenty-one, twenty-eight, and thirty-three, in township two, of range thirteen.

Islands Nos. 1 and 2, in sections thirteen, fourteen, twenty-three, and twenty-four, in township three, of range sixteen.

South of the base line and west of the principal meridian.

Island in sections twenty-one and twenty-two, in township two, of range ten.

Islands Nos. 1 to 13 inclusive, in sections three, four, ten, fifteen, twenty-two, twenty-seven, and thirty-four, in township one; and islands Nos. 1, 2, 3, in sections three and ten, in township two, of range eleven.

Lands appropriated by law for the use of schools, military and other purposes, together with "those swamp and overflowed lands made unfit thereby for cultivation," if any, which shall be selected by the State authorities before the days appointed for the commencement of the public sales respectively, under the act entitled "An act to enable the State of Arkansas and other States to reclaim the 'swamp lands' within their limits," approved September 28, 1850, *will be excluded from the sales*. And no locations for land bounties heretofore granted by any law of Congress for military services rendered to the United States *will be permitted on any of the above-mentioned lands*, as provided by the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the civil and diplomatic expenses of government," &c., approved 3d March, 1851.

The offering of the above-mentioned lands will be commenced on the days appointed, and will proceed in the order in which they are advertised with all convenient despatch, until the whole shall have been offered, and the sales thus closed; but no sale shall be kept open longer than two weeks, and no private entry of any of the lands will be admitted until after the expiration of the two weeks.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, this sixth day of May, anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

MILLARD FILLMORE.

By the President:
J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS, AND TO LESSEES, OCCUPANTS, AND PERMITTEES OF MINERAL LANDS.

Every person entitled to the right of pre-emption to any of the lands within the townships and parts of townships above enumerated is required to establish the same to the satisfaction of the register and receiver of the proper land office, and make payment therefor *as soon as practicable after seeing this notice*, and before the day appointed for the commencement of the public sale of the lands embracing the tract claimed; otherwise, such claim will be forfeited.

Every person having the right, under the act entitled "An act to establish a land office in the northern part of Michigan, and to provide for the sale of the mineral lands in the State of Michigan," approved 1st March, 1847, as *lessees, occupants, or patentees*, to enter in the extent of their leases or permits any of the lands within the townships above enumerated, to be sold at the office at Sault Ste Marie, and who are entitled, under the act entitled "An act to reduce the minimum price of the mineral lands in the Lake Superior district in Michigan, and the Chippewa district in Wisconsin," approved 28th September, 1850, "to enter the land covered by their leases, occupancy, and permits respectively," at the minimum of $1 25 per acre, or, if covering more than one full section, entitled, "on the surrender of such lease or permit at the proper land office, to purchase, if he shall elect to do so, one full section" at the rate of $2 50 per acre, is required to establish the same to the satisfaction of the register and receiver at Sault Ste Marie, and make payment therefor *as soon as practicable after seeing this notice*, and before the day appointed for the commencement of the public sale of the lands embracing the tract claimed; otherwise, such claim will be forfeited.

J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

May 13—1aw13w

By the President of the United States.

IN pursuance of law, I, MILLARD FILLMORE, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that public sales will be held at the undermentioned land offices in the State of Missouri at the periods hereinafter designated, to wit:

At the land office at JACKSON, commencing on Monday, the first day of September next, for the disposal of the public lands situated within the following-named townships, viz:

North of the base line and west of the fifth principal meridian.

Townships twenty-seven, twenty-eight, and twenty-nine, on and near Current River, of range three.

Townships twenty-seven, twenty-eight, and twenty-nine, on and near Current river, of range four.

Township twenty-eight, on a branch of Current river, of range five.

Townships twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-eight, and twenty-nine, of range eight.

Townships twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-eight, and twenty-nine, of range nine.

Fractional township twenty-one, and townships twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, and twenty-six, of range ten.

At the SAME PLACE, commencing on Monday, the fifteenth day of September next, for the disposal of the public lands within the following-named townships and parts of townships, viz:

North of the base line and east of the fifth principal meridian.

Township twenty-two, of range two.

Fractional township twenty-one and twenty-two, and township twenty-five, of range three.

Township twenty-five, of range four.

Townships twenty-two and twenty-three, of range five.

Fractional township sixteen, and townships twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, and twenty-seven, of range six.

Fractional township sixteen and seventeen, and township twenty-two, of range seven.

Fractional township sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, and twenty-one, township twenty-two and twenty-three, and sections three to ten inclusive, seventeen to twenty-one inclusive, and twenty-nine to thirty-two inclusive, in township twenty-six, of range eight.

Township nineteen, (except fractional sections thirty-one to thirty-six inclusive,) fractional township twenty, and fractional township twenty-one, (except sections one, twelve, thirteen, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, thirty-four, thirty-five, and thirty-six,) of range nine.

The southwest fraction of section six, in township nineteen, and fractional township twenty, of range ten.

Sections one to twelve inclusive, the north half of thirteen, fourteen, to twenty-one inclusive, and twenty-eight to thirty-three inclusive, in township eighteen; sections three to ten inclusive, in township nineteen; and sections thirteen, fourteen, the south half of twenty-two, twenty-three to twenty-seven, and thirty-four to thirty-six inclusive, in township twenty, of range twelve.

The part east of "Little River Overflow," of township twenty-three, of range thirteen.

Section six (except the northeast quarter) and sections seven, eighteen, nineteen, thirty, and thirty-one, east of "Little River Overflow," in township twenty four, of range fourteen.

At the land office at SPRINGFIELD, commencing on Monday, the eighteenth day of August next, for the disposal of the public lands situated within the following-named fractional townships, to wit:

North of the base line and west of the fifth principal meridian.

Township twenty-two, of range twenty two.

Township twenty-two, of range twenty-three.

Fractions of sections twenty-five, thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, and thirty-six, south of the old State line, in township twenty one, of range twenty eight.

Fractional township twenty-one, adjacent to the State line, or ranges twenty-seven, twenty-eight, thirty, thirty-one, thirty-two, thirty-three, and thirty-four.

Lands appropriated by law for the use of schools, military and other purposes, together with "those swamp and overflowed lands made unfit thereby for cultivation," if any, which shall be selected by the State authorities before the days appointed for the commencement of the public sales respectively, under the act entitled "An act to enable the State of Arkansas and other States to reclaim the 'swamp lands' within their limits," approved September 28, 1850, *will be excluded from the sales*. And no locations for land bounties heretofore granted by any law of Congress for military services rendered to the United States *will be permitted on any of the above-mentioned lands*, as provided by the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the civil and diplomatic expenses of government," &c., approved 3d March, 1851.

The offering of the above-mentioned lands will be commenced on the days appointed, and will proceed in the order in which they are advertised with all convenient despatch, until the whole shall have been offered, and the sales thus closed; but no sale shall be kept open longer than two weeks, and no private entry of any of the lands will be admitted until after the expiration of the two weeks.

Given under my hand, at the city of Washington, this sixth day of May, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

MILLARD FILLMORE.

By the President:
J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS.

Every person entitled to the right of pre-emption to any of the lands within the townships and parts of townships above enumerated is required to establish the same to the satisfaction of the register and receiver of the proper land office, and make payment therefor *as soon as practicable after seeing this notice*, and before the day appointed for the commencement of the public sale of the lands embracing the tract claimed; otherwise, such claim will be forfeited.

J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

May 13—1aw13w

PENDENNIS, complete, for $1 50; 2 vols. *For sale by* TAYLOR & MAURY, Bookseller, near 9th street.

May 7

War Department,
WASHINGTON, May 16, 1851.

SEPARATE PROPOSALS will be received at this department until 3 o'clock on Saturday, the 15th of June next, for supplying the stationery and executing the printing described in the two schedules below. The stationery must be of the best quality, and the printing executed in the best manner. Samples of the former must accompany each bid, and specimens of the latter will be shown to bidders at the several bureaus, if desired.

The successful bidder will be required to give bond, with approved sureties, for the faithful fulfilment of his contract, and the department will reserve the right to order the articles at such times and in such quantities as it may deem proper, and to increase or diminish the quantities below stated.

Blank forms will be furnished to bidders on application at the department.

I.—FOR STATIONERY.

Papers made of Linen Stock.

4	reams	folio post, ruled, machine-made, weighing	18 lbs.
20	do	cap, ruled, do	18 lbs.
4	do	quarto-post, plain, hand-made, do	8½ lbs.
100	do	do ruled, machine-made, do	8 lbs.
50	do	do ruled, hand-made, do	8 lbs.
10	do	note paper	
2	do	copying paper	
2	do	blotting paper	
20	do	royal envelope paper, buff or yellow	
5	do	flat-cap envelope paper.	

Miscellaneous Articles.

20	dozen cards	Perry's pens
60	do	other metallic pens
3	thousand quills, No. 90	
80	dozen pencils,	Faber's, Conte's, Munroe's, &c.
4	do	ivory folders, plain
4	do	erasers, ivory handles
2	do	wafer stamps, ivory handles
1	do	cocoas and boxes
8	do	penknives, 4 blades, Rodgers & Son's
2	do	inkstands, 2-inch cut glass
10	do	black ink, Walcott's or David's, in quarts
30	do	do American, in quarts
20	do	red ink, French carmine, in vials
5	do	do Arnold's, in ½ pints
10	do	copying ink, in ½ pints
1	thousand notarial wafers	
20	pounds wafers, common size	
100	do	sealing wax, scarlet
5	do	India rubber, prepared, in pieces
4	pecks black sand	
10	dozen tape, assorted	
200	do	tape, do

II.—FOR PRINTING.

FOR THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

1,250 Army Registers.

1.—*Monthly Returns.*

1,000 regimental
6,000 company
400 department
4,500 post
200 field
400 military bureaus.

2.—*Muster Rolls.*

500 field and staff
5,000 company
400 ordnance
1,000 hospital attendant.

3.—*Muster and Pay Rolls.*

400 non-commissioned staff
4,000 company
1,200 company, (on half sheet.)

4.—*Recruiting Service.*

200 for general superintendent
1,000 monthly returns for recruiting parties
500 monthly returns for regiments
1,000 monthly returns for regimental recruiting parties
5,000 tri-monthly reports
1,000 muster and descriptive rolls
1,000 clothing accounts
6,000 enlistments
1,200 re-enlistments
1,000 recruiting accounts and accounts current
500 requisitions
2,000 advertisements
500 certificates for rejected recruits.

5.—*General Orders, Regulations, Circulars, 4to post.*

2,000	folded once,	1 printed page
1,000	do	2 printed pages
1,000	do	3 printed pages
4,000	do	4 printed pages

Folding and stitching when beyond one sheet.

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150 annual returns of casualties
400 quarterly returns of deceased soldiers
500 certificates for pensions
800 certificates of disability for service
2,000 discharges
200 reports of artillery practice
500 blank letters of appointment
200 blank oaths of allegiance
200 blank letters of promotion
100 commissions for militia
100 returns for militia
2,000 descriptive lists of deserters
200 sutler's appointments
1,000 certificates for discharge of volunteers
1,000 post fund accounts
150 applications for appointments of ordnance sergeants.

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL.

2 reams circulars
10 do letters of advice.

SUBSISTENCE BUREAU.

20 quires folio post, for contracts and bonds
20 do quarto post, for circulars
4 do foolscap, for do
5 do requisitions, foolscap.

PAYMASTER GENERAL'S BUREAU.

2 reams muster rolls
2 do pay rolls
2 do circulars, ruled
1 do requisitions, ruled.

SURGEON GENERAL'S BUREAU.

2 reams returns of medicines, instruments, &c.
2 do do of hospital stores, bedding, &c.
1,500 copies quarterly sick reports
500 do meteorological registers, form No. 3
125 do do do form No. 4
1 ream requisitions for medicines, instruments, &c.
2 reams requisitions for hospital stores, bedding, &c.

ENGINEER BUREAU.

4 reams cadet class reports, quarto
1 ream regulations relative to admission of cadets, quarto.

TOPOGRAPHICAL ENGINEERS.

1 ream account currents, quarto
2 reams abstracts, do
2 do vouchers, do

ORDNANCE BUREAU.

2 reams circulars

May 18—w6t

United States Patent Office.

ON the petition of Chas. H. Titcomb, of Lowell, Massachusetts, administrator, &c., of Edgar M. Titcomb, deceased, formerly of Andover, Massachusetts, praying for the extension of a patent granted to said Edgar M. Titcomb for an improvement in machine for spinning woollen roving, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 26th day of July, 1851—

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on Monday, the 21st day of July next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified to appear, and show cause, if any they have, why said petition ought not to be granted.

Persons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, specifically set forth in writing, at least twenty days before the day of hearing. All testimony filed by either party to be used at the said hearing must be taken and transmitted in accordance with the rules of the office, which will be furnished on application.

Ordered, also, that this notice be published in the Republic, Intelligencer, and Union, Washington, D. C.; Daily Sun, Boston, Massachusetts; Tribune, New York; and Providence Journal, Providence, R. I., once a week for three successive weeks previous to the 20th day of May instant.

THOS. EWBANK,
Commissioner of Patents.

P. S. Editors of the above papers will please copy, and send their bills to the Patent Office, with an extra copy of the paper containing each insertion of this notice.

May 7—1aw3w

WM. B. B. CROSS,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
Washington City, D. C.,

Practises in the courts of the District of Columbia, and will attend to the collection of debts, and to the prosecution of claims of every description, including those for bounty land under the act of Congress lately passed. Office in the City Hall.

Oct 9—tf

TWENTY DOLLARS REWARD.—Ran away from the subscriber on the 24 of March, 1851, my colored woman CATHARINE, alias Kitty Francis. She is supposed to be about five feet one or two inches high. She is of rather delicate appearance, and about 20 years of age. She is supposed to be hiring out in Washington as a free woman, or secreted by some free persons of color. All persons are forewarned against hiring or harboring her. The above reward will be paid on her delivery to me.

J. P. HILTON.

Mar 25—2aw1f

SHARP'S Patent Rifles, with Maynard's Primer.—Wesson & Leavitt's, and Allen's revolvers and self cocking pistols.

Fine English double barrel fowling pieces
English and German single and double-barrel pistols, &c.
A supply of the above goods just received, and for sale by

JNO. W. BADEN & BROTHER,
Pennsylvania avenue, near 6th street.

Mar 1—1aw6w

JOHN M. McCALLA, late Second Auditor of the Treasury, offers his services in the prosecution of claims on the government, before Congress, or the departments, in the settlement of military accounts, and agency business generally.

Letters addressed to him on business should be post-paid. His office is at the corner of 5th and Louisiana avenue.

WASHINGTON CITY, April 28—tf

SCHMITZ'S History of Greece; 1 vol., 12mo.

London Labor and the London Poor, No. 6.

Philosophy of Mathematics; by Auguste Comte; translated by W. M. Gillespie.

A History of the Reformation Church; by Mrs. Tamar Davis.

Science Pastoral Conversations; by John T. Watson, M. D., and Rev. H. H. Wood; 2 vols.

Intermarriage; or, Beauty, Health, and Intellect; by A. Walker.

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Proposals for Stationery and Printing.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
Washington, May 19, 1851.

IN pursuance of the "act legalizing and making appropriations for such necessary objects as have been usually included in the general appropriation bills without authority of law, and to fix and provide for certain incidental expenses of the departments and offices of the government, and for other purposes," approved the 26th of August, 1841, separate sealed proposals will be received at this department until 3 o'clock, p. m., on the 20th of June next, for furnishing such articles of stationery enumerated in each of the subjoined schedules, Nos. 1, 2, and 3, as may be required by it for one year from the 1st day of July next; but it is to be understood by persons proposing that the department is to be at liberty to take either a less or greater quantity of any article than is specified, according to its wants during the year.

Each article to be of the best quality, and to be delivered without delay when ordered.

SCHEDULE NO. 1.

Writing paper, hand-made, of linen, laid.

50 reams foolscap, satin or plain finish, to be, when trimmed, 13¼ by 16 inches, and weigh not less than 16 lbs. per ream, per ream
20 reams note paper, similar finish, plain and gilt, per ream.

SCHEDULE NO. 2.

Envelope paper, smooth.

20 reams super-royal, yellow, per ream.
10 do medium, yellow or buff, per ream
10 do do white do
10 do double cap, white do
5 do blotting paper, royal do
50 do brown wrapping, super-royal, per ream.

SCHEDULE NO. 3.

25 cards metallic pens, per dozen cards, or in boxes, per gross, (Perry's, or such as may be required)
3,000 quill s, 60's, per 1,000
3 gross black-lead pencils, Monroe's or Faber's, per gross
1 dozen red-lead pencils, per dozen
2 do do ivory folders, 9-inch, per dozen
5 do red tape, No. 21 do
5 do do 19 do
5 do do 17 do
5 do do 15 do
3 do silk taste, narrow, do
3 do do wide do
1 do erasers, Rodgers & Son's ivory handle, per dozen
3 do penknives, Rodgers & Son's 4-blades do
2 do ink, in quarts, black, Maynard & Noyes do
1 pound wafers, red, per lb.
100 U. S. seal wafers, per 100
500 for department seal do
50 pounds sealing wax, best extra superfine, scarlet, per lb.
50 do sealing-wax, best superfine do
2 do India rubber, prepared do
5 do twine, gilt net do
20 do seine, do do
10 do do coarse, for packing do

Each proposal must be signed by the individual or firm making it, and must specify a price, *and but one price*, for each and every article contained in the schedule. Should any articles be required not enumerated, they are to be furnished at the lowest market prices, according to quality. Blank forms for proposals will be furnished at the department to persons applying for them; and as without uniformity therein the department would find it difficult to make a decision, none will be taken into consideration unless substantially agreeing therewith.

The proposals to be addressed to the "Department of State," and endorsed "Proposals for Stationery." Notice will be given to the person to whom the contract is awarded, who will be required, within five days thereafter, to give bond, with two sufficient sureties, for its performance.

The head of the department is in all cases to decide whether the terms of the contract have been complied with, and to reject any article which may be, in his opinion, of inferior quality, as well as to annul the contract upon any failure to comply with the terms within a reasonable time.

Proposals will also be received during the same period, and subject to the same conditions, for the execution of such job-printing as may be required by the department for one year from the 1st day of July next, consisting of—

Blanks on writing paper.

Demy size, broadside, per quire
Do half sheet, do
Folio post, broadside, do
Do one page, do
Foolscap, broadside, do
Do one page, do
Quarto post do do

Circulars and Treaties on foolscap writing paper.

One page on a sheet, printed, per quire
Two do do do
Three do do do
Four do do do

Circulars and Treaties on quarto-post writing paper.

One page on a sheet, printed, per quire
Two do do do
Three do do do
Four do do do

The paper for the above to be of the best quality.

Book-work on printing paper.

For composition per thousand ems, for small pica
Do do brevier
For presswork and paper, per token, for royal
Do do medium

Proposals will also be received, during the same period, for printing, on paper of the best quality, and binding, in blue morocco, in the best manner, 500 copies of the Biennial Register, of the 30th September, 1851.

The proposals to state the price per page for the 500 copies, and the price per copy for binding.

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By the President of the United States.

IN pursuance of law, I, MILLARD FILLMORE, President of the United States of America, do hereby declare and make known that public sales will be held at the undermentioned land offices in the State of Iowa at the periods hereinafter designated, to wit:

At the land office at IOWA CITY, commencing on Monday, the first day of September next, for the disposal of the public lands situated in the following-named townships, viz:

North of the base line and west of the fifth principal meridian.

Township seventy-nine, of range twenty-nine.
Townships seventy-nine and eighty, of range thirty.
Townships seventy-nine and eighty, of range thirty-one.
Townships seventy-nine, eighty, and eighty-one, of range thirty-two.
Township eighty-one, of range thirty-three.

At the land office at FAIRFIELD, commencing on Monday, the fifteenth day of September next, for the disposal of the public lands within the undermentioned townships, to wit:

North of the base line and west of the fifth principal meridian.

Township seventy, of range thirty.
Township seventy, of range thirty-two.
Township seventy, of range thirty-three.

At the land office at DUBUQUE, on Monday, the eighteenth day of August next, for the disposal of the following tracts, to wit:

A small island in sections seventeen and eighteen, in township eighty-two north, of range one east, and the southeast quarter of section twenty-seven, in township ninety-six north, of range nine, west of the fifth principal meridian.

Lands appropriated by law for the use of schools, military and other purposes, together with "those swamp and overflowed lands made unfit thereby for cultivation," if any, which shall be selected by the State authorities before the days appointed for the commencement of the public sales respectively, under the act entitled "An act to enable the State of Arkansas and other States to reclaim the 'swamp lands' within their limits," approved September 28, 1850, *will be excluded from the sales*. And no locations for land bounties heretofore granted by any law of Congress for military services rendered to the United States *will be permitted on any of the above-mentioned lands*, as provided by the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the civil and diplomatic expenses of government," &c., approved 3d March, 1851.

The offering of the lands will be commenced on the days appointed, and proceed in the order in which they are advertised with all convenient despatch, until the whole shall have been offered, and the sales thus closed; but no sale shall be kept open longer than two weeks, and no private entry of any of the lands will be admitted until after the expiration of the two weeks.

Given under my hand at the city of Washington this sixth day of May, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

MILLARD FILLMORE.

By the President:
J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

NOTICE TO PRE-EMPTION CLAIMANTS.

Every person entitled to the right of pre-emption to any of the lands within the townships and parts of townships above enumerated is required to establish the same to the satisfaction of the register and receiver of the proper land office, and make payment therefor *as soon as practicable after seeing this notice*, and before the day appointed for the commencement of the public sale of the lands embracing the tract claimed; otherwise, such claim will be forfeited.

J. BUTTERFIELD,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.

May 13

JUST RECEIVED—3 boxes of Alexander's best kid gloves assorted sizes and colors.

Also, 1 carton of fine thread bobbin edge, and a large lot quilled ribbon, all colors.

J. B. & A. TATE,
Penn. avenue, between 10th and 11th sts.

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THE London Art Journal for May, containing illustrated catalogue of the Exhibition of the Industry of all Nations.

The Gold Worshippers; or, The Days We Live In; by the author of Whitefriars.

The Harmony of Prophecy; by the Rev. Dodet Keith.

This day received, for sale by TAYLOR & MAURY,
May 24 Booksellers, near 9th street.

INSTRUCTIONS in Gymnastics, containing a full description of more than eight hundred engravings; by J. E. D'Alfonce, late Professor in the Military School in St. Petersburgh and in Paris. 1 vol., 4to.

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Histoire de la Fortification Permanente, ou manuel des meilleurs systèmes et manières de fortification, traduite de l'Allemand; par Duparcq, capitaine du Genie—2 vols. and atlas of plates.

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Traité des Reconnaissances Militaires, à l'usage des officiers d'infanterie et de cavalerie; par Professeur Unger—1 vol.

Cours Abrégé d'Artillerie, publié avec l'autorisation du ministre de la Guerre—1 vol. and atlas.

Formules, Tables, et Renseignements Pratiques; aide memoire des ingenieurs des architects, &c. &c.; par Claudel—1 vol.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT, May 26, 1851.

SEPARATE proposals for furnishing the stationery and for executing the printing of this department during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1852, will be received until 3 o'clock, p. m., on the 10th day of June next. Those unaccompanied by satisfactory testimonials of ability to fulfil a contract will not be considered.

All the articles of stationery must be of the very best quality—samples of the principal articles of which, such as paper, quills, metallic pens, lead pencils, knives, &c., must accompany the bids, put up in classes as per schedule, and the department reserves the right to retain such samples and pay for the same at the prices stated in the offer, or to return them, at its option. No bid will be considered where the articles accompanying it are not of the very best quality and entirely suited to the wants of the department; and inferior, spurious, or imitation articles will subject the class to which they belong, or the entire bid, to rejection, at the pleasure of the department.

Each proposal must be signed by the individual or firm making it, and must specify a price, *and but one price*, for each and every article contained in the schedule. Blank