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TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

The name of no person will be entered upon our books unless the payment of the subscription be made in advance.

Distant subscribers may forward us money by letter, the postage on which will be paid by us, and all risk assumed by ourselves in its safe transmission.

The COUNTRY PAPER is published tri-weekly during the sessions of Congress, and semi-weekly during the recess.

Subscriptions for a period less than a year will be received on terms proportioned to the above annual rates.

☞POSTMASTERS are authorized to act as our agents; and, by sending us FIVE DAILY subscribers, with $50 enclosed, or FIVE SEMI-WEEKLY subscribers, with $25 enclosed; or FIVE WEEKLY subscribers, with $10 enclosed, will be entitled to one copy of the same edition as they furnish us subscribers for, *gratis*.

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 26th 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 his 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 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 printing must be executed with new and perfect type, and on the best paper used for the different descriptions required. The paper for the printing will be furnished by the contractor: the department, or the office ordering it, to designate the kind of paper and type, whether script or otherwise, and the number to go on a sheet, when the matter or article will admit of more than one.

Each class will be considered separately, and, all other things being equal, it will be assigned to the lowest bidder for such class, or to the lowest bidder on the aggregate, as the department may deem most advisable. Where more than one class is assigned to a bidder, they may all be embraced in one contract; and each bidder, who may have one or more classes assigned to him, shall take all such classes, or forfeit his right to any portion of the contract.

All the articles to be furnished and work to be executed must be of the best quality, and delivered without delay when ordered, and to the satisfaction of the head of the office for which they are required.

The department reserves to itself the right of ordering a greater or less quantity of each and every article contracted for, as the public service may require.

Supplying an inferior article at any time will be deemed sufficient forfeiture to annul the contract.

Bonds, with approved security, to be given by the person or persons contracting; and, in case of a failure to supply the articles or to perform the work, the contractor and his sureties shall be liable for the forfeiture specified in such bond as liquidated damages.

STATIONERY.

Writing paper, made of linen, laid or wove, white or blue.

CLASS No. 1.

80 reams folio post, satin or plain finish, faint-lined and trimmed, to weigh not less than 17 pounds per ream
120 do foolscap, hand-made, faint-lined and trimmed, to weigh not less than 12 pounds per ream
55 do foolscap, machine, faint-lined and trimmed, to weigh not less than 12 pounds per ream
15 do foolscap, plain, hand-made, faint-lined and trimmed, to weigh not less than 12 pounds per ream
10 do foolscap, plain, machine, faint-lined and trimmed, to weigh not less than 12 pounds per ream
8 do foolscap, blue-laid, hand-made, faint-lined garden pattern, commonly known as despatch or consular paper, to weigh not less than 16 pounds per ream
250 do quarto post, hand-made, plain, faint-lined three sides, per ream
140 do quarto post, machine, plain, faint-lined three sides, per ream
70 do quarto post, hand-made, plain, faint-lined four sides, per ream
12 do quarto post, machine, faint-lined four sides, per ream
40 do quarto post, French, faint-lined three sides, per ream
12 do note paper, gilt, per ream
8 do do plain do

CLASS, No. 2.

3 do royal paper, for books
3 do medium paper, for books
50 do copying do do
125 do envelope paper, yellow or buff, royal, per ream
115 do envelope paper, flat cap, white or blue, per ream
3 do large brown envelope, per ream
30 do blotting paper, royal, do

CLASS No. 3.

450 dozen cards Perry's best metallic pens, per dozen cards
250 do cards of all other manufacture in use, per dozen cards
40 gross metallic pens, per gross
15,000 quills, No. 60, per thousand
4,000 do No. 70, do do
4 do ever pointed silver pencils, with gold pens, per dozen
5 do gold pens, per dozen
2 do silver cases for the same, per dozen
15 gross of leads for ever pointed pencils, assorted sizes, per gross
75 dozen best black-lead pencils
10 do red-lead pencils, per dozen

CLASS No. 4.

20 do folders, ivory, 9-inch, per dozen
458 do red linen tape, assorted, do
50 do silk tassels, assorted colors and widths, in banks, per dozen
2 do pounce boxes, of ivory, per dozen
10 do do cocoa, do
12 do sand-boxes do do
10 do do do do
15 do water stands or boxes, cocoa, per dozen
15 do erasers, Rodgers & Son's, ivory handles, per dozen
30 do penknives, Rodgers & Son's, or equal, 4 blades, buckhorn or pearl handles, per dozen
20 do Waterville Manufacturing Company, do do, per dozen
6 do water-stamps, ivory handles, per dozen
5 do do lignumvitæ handles, do
6 do office shears, 11 inches, per dozen
6 do office scissors, do do

CLASS No. 5.

12 do inkstands, cut glass, recently invented fountain, movable tops, per dozen
2 do inkstands, cast iron
4 do French pump China inkstands
15 gallons best ink, black, the department to have choice of the market
600 bottles ink, black, the department to have choice of the market, per quart
6 quarts ink, red, per quart
50 do ink, blue, per quart bottle, the department to have choice of the market, per quart bottle
300 do ink, red, the department to have choice of the market, in ½-pint bottles, per bottle
75 do carmine ink, small size, French, or equal
500 do ink, best copying, per bottle

CLASS No. 6.

10,000 wafers, large red, for department seal, per thousand
100 pounds wafers, common size, red, per pound
100 do sealing wax, best extra superfine, scarlet, per pound
90 do sealing wax, superfine, per pound
15 do do black do
25 do India rubber, prepared do
3 do do ungrapered do
200 quarts black sand, per quart

CLASS No. 7.

150 ounces pounce, per ounce
1 dozen India ink, best, per dozen
2 do camel's-hair pencils, per dozen, assorted
100 pounds twine, linen, per pound
100 do twine, cotton, per pound
50,000 pocket envelopes, of white or yellow paper, of the following sizes, viz: 5¾ by 3½ inches, per hundred
8 dozen rulers, mahogany, round or flat, per dozen
8 do elastic pen-holders, Aiden's, per dozen

PRINTING.

The printing of all kinds, which may be required to be executed for the use of the Treasury Department, or any of the offices thereof, whether the same be circulars, instructions, warrants, forms, returns, blanks, solid matter or not, leaded, rule-work, or rule-and-figure work, faint ruling or lining, and red ruling or lining, or by whatever name, title, or description the same shall be known or usually designated by the office requiring it, and including, also, folding, stitching, pasting, &c., on the following descriptions of paper, to wit:

			No. of sheets.
On quarto post—1 page on a sheet, p. 100 sh.,			75,000
	2	do do	20,500
	3	do do	5,000
	4	do do	3,000
On foolscap.....1		do do	8,500
	2	do do	60,000
	3	do do	2,000
	4	do do	1,000
On folio post.....1		do do	8,500
	2	do do	7,000
	3	do do	2,000
	4	do do	2,000

On every other description of paper, not designated above, but to be so by the office ordering it, whether circulars, instructions, warrants, forms, returns, &c., as specified in the first paragraph, for—

1 page on a sheet, per 100 sheets,			2,700
2	do	do	20,000
3	do	do	2,100
4	do	do	1,200

State the price per page for every additional page on any of the above over four pages, estimating at 10,000 pages.

Blank forms or any other description of printing required broadside on any of the above paper, each broadside to be counted as one page.

Treasurer's weekly statement of treasury drafts and specie, on imperial writing paper, per 100 sheets..... 200

It is expressly to be understood that no extra charge of any description will be allowed. The prices bid for printing must cover and include all contingencies and extras.

The department reserves the right to have any description of printing which may properly be called "book or pamphlet work" executed by special contract.

The bidders for printing will accompany their bids with samples of quality of the different kinds of paper they propose to furnish.

May 27—law4w

THIS is to give notice that the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington county, in the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the personal estate of Ann P. Bouldin, late of Baltimore, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 20th day of May next; they may otherwise, by law, be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 21st day of May, 1851.

HENRY MAY,
May 23—law3w Administrator

THE Public are warned not to trust any one on my account, except my daughters, without a written order in each case from one of them or from me. TH. S. JESUP.
May 17—law3w

NEW BOOKS AT TAYLOR & MAURY'S.—Harpers' Magazine for June.
The Scot of West-Wayland—A Tale; by Mary Howitt.
Women's Trials; or, Tales and Sketches from the Life Around Us; by T. S. Arthur.
Married Life; by Arthur.
The Two Wives; or, Lost and Won; by Arthur.
Vehmed & Grote's History of Greece.
Williams's New Travellers' and Tourists' Guide Through the United States and Canada, with a fine map of the United States and Cuba.
Farmers' and Planters' Encyclopedia; by Johnson—new edition.
Mallabon's American Gardener—new edition. May 30

NOTICE.

Baltimore and Washington Railroad.

ON and after Wednesday next, 9th instant, the station on Pennsylvania avenue will be vacated, and the new one on New Jersey avenue occupied.

The passenger trains will leave the latter, commencing at 5, p. m., as usual, at 6 and 9, a. m. and 5, p. m., daily, except on Sunday, when but two trains run, viz: at 6, a. m., and 5, p. m.

In making this change, the undersigned desires to call attention to the rules of the company in regard to the reception and delivery of merchandise.

1st. Shippers are reminded that in all cases a bill with full directions should accompany the goods.

This is for the protection of both parties, and unless complied with the goods cannot be received.

2d. Consignees are notified that all merchandise must be removed on the same day upon which it is received, as the company cannot hold itself responsible for anything left in its house during the night.

The hours for reception and delivery of merchandise are from 8, a. m., till 4, p. m.

The undersigned takes occasion to remark that these are not new regulations, but he has been compelled to call attention to them from their frequent violation, which has caused much and serious inconvenience.

T. H. PARSONS, Agent.
Ap 6—2wd

THE MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH COMPANY,
(MORSE LINE.)

WASHINGTON OFFICE, PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE,
Fifth house east of National Hotel, No 6.

THE first line ever established by any company in the United States, and consequently the oldest—the pioneer line, extending between Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, and New York, and delivering and receiving messages at the intermediate stations, Havre de Grace, Wilmington, Trenton, Princeton, New Brunswick, Newark, and Jersey City—the only line in the country at the present time having up four wires—has lately undergone extensive repairs, and is now prepared to transmit and deliver any number of messages which may be required of it for the accommodation of the public, with an accuracy, promptness, and fidelity hitherto unequalled. This line connects with other companies of Morse lines, east, west, north, and south, extending already over fifteen thousand miles, to either of which messages and payment will be delivered as desired. The managers of this line have lately more thoroughly systematized its business, in both its transmission and mode of delivery of messages. Its charges are equal to all with special favors to none. With the facilities for business now possessed by this company, every one is invited to try this line, and see if they do not find it most reliable for telegraphing. The offices of the Magnetic Telegraph Company are: Washington city, Pennsylvania avenue, fifth house east of National Hotel; Baltimore, No 2 Exchange, South Gay street; Philadelphia, No. 101 Chestnut street, Quincy Granite building; New York, No. 5 Hanover street, corner of Beaver.

WM. M. SWAIN, President.
March 14—3md*

Young Ladies' Institute,

(Late Mrs. D. H. Burr's,) corner of 9th and E streets.

THE subscriber will assume the charge of this institution on Monday, the 21st of April, and will give his constant and personal supervision to every department. The usual branches of a thorough English, French, and mathematical education will be taught.

The religious instruction of the Institute will be based upon the formularies of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

The experience and success of the principal as a teacher encourage him to look for the patronage of the public, and for a corresponding measure of success.

TERMS:

For boarding pupils, $75 per quarter.
For day " $5 to $16 "
Payable always in advance.

Music, drawing, latin, Italian, Spanish, and German, extra.

Reference is permitted to Rev. C. M. Butler, D. D., Rev. J. W. French, Mr. Fitzhugh Coyle, Washington city; Rev. James May, D. D., Alexandria; Rt Rev. Alonzo Potter, D. D., and the clergy generally of Philadelphia; and Rt. Rev. Alfred Lee, D. D., of Delaware.

WILLIAM J. CLARK.
Mar 21—t25thAp

NEW AND DESIRABLE GOODS.—Just received—
20 pieces handsome China silk
10 do do China silk grenadines
25 do do silk tissues, new style
50 do do plain and figured berege
10 Donna Isabella, entirely new
10 do Donna Maria, do
20 do India silk
5 do printed marques, for dresses, new and pretty
50 do berege de laine
12 do French figured foulard silk
30 do French de laines, very superior
25 do black silk, every quality and price
15 black lace mantles
30 do scarfs
30 do shawls
50 pieces black lace, all widths
50 superior plain and figured white and colored crape shawls.

Together with a large and very handsome assortment of mourning dress goods, of all sorts, embroidered lace and muslin capes, chemisets, collars, sleeves, handkerchiefs, silk mits, kid and silk gloves, silk, thread, and cotton hosiery. Also, a large stock of French and English cloths, cassimeres, drillings, vestings, cravats, &c., to which we solicit the attention of buyers.

Ap 19—2wif P. H. HOOE & Co.

NOTIFICATION.—The subscribers beg leave to inform their customers and the public that they have just opened a large and well-selected stock of the following articles, to which they invite attention, viz:

Linen sheetings, 6-4, 8-4, 10-4, and 12-4, Irish
Do 6-4, 8-4, 10-4, and 12-4, German
Pillow-case linens, all widths, Irish and Scotch
White and brown cotton, do 6-4, 8-4, 10-4, and 12-4
White and colored Marseilles quilts, some very large
Allendale quilts, very cheap
Richardson's super family linens
Gray and Son's soft-finish do
Scotch Hollands for family use
Damask table-cloths, all sizes and qualities
Table damasks, by the yard, all widths, some very superior.

Also, a superior lot of silk warp and gauze flannels
Gentlemen's and ladies' gauze merino under-garments.

Together with a general assortment of house-furnishing goods.
Mar 26—4wif P. H. HOOE & CO.

For Norfolk.

The Steamer OSCEOLA, having undergone thorough repairs, will resume her trips to the above place. Leaving Washington every Wednesday and Saturday at 9 o'clock, a. m. Returning, leave Norfolk every Monday and Thursday at 4 o'clock, p. m. Touching, going and returning, at Cone river and the usual landings on the Potomac for signals or to land.

Passage and fare, $5.
April 1—tf JAMES MITCHELL, Captain.

TO OWNERS of Lands in Texas.—A gentleman in Virginia, who is a good surveyor and lawyer, desires to remove to Texas the present season, and would like to become the agent for some owner of lands in that country, with a view to bring them into market.

He has a family and small capital, and is desirous of engaging in agriculture. He can give the most satisfactory testimonials of capacity, integrity, and responsibility, and his general acquaintance is such as to enable him to control a considerable emigration to Texas.

Any owner of Texas lands who would be inclined to avail himself of such an arrangement can be placed in correspondence with the advertiser, and get suitable responses, by addressing, post paid,

WM. GOULDIN,
General agent and collector, Richmond, Virginia.
Mar 13—tf

SPLENDID Silk Shawls, Mantillas, &c.—We invite the attention of the ladies to the annexed descriptions, just received, viz:

12 rich silk mantillas, assorted shades, new styles
18 rich chene silk shawls
24 muslin mantillas
We have received also—
12 black lace scarfs
24 do do shawls.

The attention of the ladies is especially invited to our recent additions to our stock throughout, as we have received very many entirely new and desirable goods for the season, all of which will be offered at such prices as that all can be suited in prices and styles.

CLAGETT, NEWTON, MAY, & CO.
Ap 19—d1w

Charles De Selding.

No 1 Todd's Building, Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, commissioner of deeds for New York, California, Minnesota, and all the other States of the Union.

CHARLES DE SELDING, having been appointed by the respective governors of the States of New York, California, and the other States of the United States, and of the Territory of Minnesota, a commissioner to take the acknowledgment of deeds, &c., offers his services to the citizens of Washington and elsewhere.

Feb 14—3aw

REV. BASIL NOBLE'S Seminary for Young Ladies will be opened at his residence on the corner of 13th and H streets, on Tuesday, the 23d instant. Terms made known on application to the principal.

Ap 13—d1et May

TEWART'S FREEMASONS' MANUAL.—The Freemasons' Manual, a companion for the initiated through all the degrees of Masonry, from "entered apprentice to the higher degrees of knighthood;" by Rev. K. J. Stewart, K. T. 1 volume duodecimo of 316 pages, illustrated with upwards of 100 engravings, bound in muslin; price $1. This work has been highly recommended to the craft by William T. Reed, grand master of the Grand Lodge of Delaware; by David C. Skerrett, grand high priest of Pennsylvania, and by many other eminent Masons.

Dixon & Kerr's Ornamental and Domestic Poultry, a treatise on the history and management of ornamental and domestic poultry; by Rev. Edmund Saul Dixon, with large additions by J. J. Kerr, M. D. 1 volume duodecimo of 480 pages, embellished with 65 portraits drawn from nature, muslin binding; price $1—second edition.

Ap 29 FRANCK TAYLOR.

THE Stair-Builder's Guide—A plain and practical system of hand-railing, embracing all necessary details, and the most important principles of practical geometry; one octavo volume, with twenty two steel engravings. Price $7 cents.

Ap 26 FRANCK TAYLOR.

THE Complete Works of Josephus, translated by Whiston; one octavo volume of 880 closely-printed pages, with index, and several engravings. Price, in full leather binding, $1.

Ap 26 FRANCK TAYLOR.

THE Iconographic Encyclopedia, No. 19.
The Mother-in-Law; or, the Isle of Rays: by Mrs. Southworth.
Byrne's Dictionary of Engineering, No. 26.
Appleton's Mechanic's Magazine, No. 5.
Just published, and for sale by

TAYLOR & MAURY,
May 3 Booksellers, near 9th street

FRENCH COOKERY.—The Modern Cook—a practical guide to the culinary art and all its branches, adapted as well for the largest establishments as for the use of private families; by C. E. Francatelli, pupil of the celebrated Careme—complete in one large octavo volume, with numerous engravings. Price, $1 25.

May 3 FRANCK TAYLOR.

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 Wisconsin, at the periods hereinafter designated, to wit:

At the land office at WILLOW RIVER, commencing on Monday, the fourth day of August next, for the disposal of the public lands situated within the undermentioned townships, to wit:

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

Township twenty-seven, of range one.
Townships twenty-four and twenty-eight, of range two.
Townships twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, and twenty-eight, of range three.
Township twenty-nine, of range four.
Townships twenty-nine and thirty, of range five.
Townships twenty-eight, twenty-nine, and thirty, of range six.
Townships twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, and thirty, of range seven.
Townships twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, and thirty, of range eight.
Townships twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, twenty-nine, and thirty, of range nine.
Townships twenty-six, twenty-seven, and twenty eight, of range ten.
Townships twenty-six and twenty-seven, of range eleven.
Townships twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, and twenty-nine, of range twelve.

At the same place, commencing on Monday, the eighteenth day of August next, for the disposal of the public lands situated within the undermentioned townships and parts of townships, to wit:

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

Townships twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, and twenty-nine, of range thirteen.
Fractional township twenty-three, and townships twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, and twenty-eight, of range fourteen.
Fractional township twenty-three, and townships twenty-four, twenty five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, and twenty-eight, of range fifteen.
Fractional townships twenty-three and twenty-four, and townships twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, and twenty-eight, of range sixteen.
Fractional township twenty-four, and townships twenty-five, twenty-six, twenty-seven, thirty, thirty-one, and thirty-two, of range seventeen.
Fractional townships twenty-four and twenty-five, townships twenty-six, twenty seven, thirty-one, and thirty three, and fractional township thirty-four, all east of the main channel of the river St. Croix, and townships thirty-five and thirty-six, of range eighteen.
Fractional township twenty-five and twenty-six, township twenty seven, fractional township twenty-eight, township twenty-nine, and fractional townships thirty-three, thirty-four, thirty-five, and thirty-six, east of the main channel of the St. Croix river, of range nineteen.
Fractional townships twenty-six, twenty-seven, twenty-eight, and thirty-six, all east of the main channel of the St. Croix river, of range twenty.

At the land office at MINERAL POINT, commencing on Monday, the fourth day of August next, for the disposal of the public lands within the following-named fractional township and tracts, viz:

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

Fractional township twenty-two, on the Mississippi river, of range fourteen.

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

Sections four to eighteen inclusive, on the main land in township twelve, on the Wisconsin river, of range eight.

At the land office at GREEN BAY, commencing on Monday, the eighteenth day of August next, for the disposal of the public lands within the undermentioned township and tract, to wit:

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

Fractional township twelve, on the right bank of the Wisconsin river, of range eight.

The southeast quarter of section thirty-six, (lying within the Fox river grant,) in township twenty-one, of range sixteen.

Lands appropriated by law for the use of schools, military, and other purposes, together with "those swamp and other 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 abovementioned 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 twenty-eighth day of April, 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. And every person having the right under the act entitled "An act to create an additional land district in the Territory of Wisconsin, and for other purposes," approved 3d March, 1847, as *lessees, occupants, or permittees*, to enter, to the extent of their leases or permits, any of the lands within the townships and fractional townships above enumerated in the *Willow River district*, 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 in the Chippewa district in Wisconsin," approved 20th September, 1850, "to enter the land covered by their leases, occupancy, and permits respectively," at the minimum price 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 Willow River, 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,
May 2—law13w Commissioner of the General Land Office.

STABILITY—SECURITY—PERPETUITY.
$1,380,000 !!

STATEMENT of the affairs of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, No. 35 Wall street, for the year ending January 31, 1851:

Net assets on hand, January 31, 1850 ..... $991,161 69

RECEIPTS.

For premiums	$454,142 97	
For interest	60,937 17	
For profit on sale of United States and State of New York stock	15,826 24	
		530,906 38
		1,522,068 00

DISBURSEMENTS.

For losses, paid	$160,640 00	
For surrendered policies	16,541 93	
For salaries, rent, physicians' fees, stationery, printing, postage, &c	21,619 18	
For commissions, advertising, exchanges, &c	24,979 49	
		223,679 54
Assets 31st January, 1851		1,298,388 46
Losses incurred, not yet paid, awaiting proofs of death		18,300 00
Net assets, all losses and expenses being paid		1,280,088 46

INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:

In Bank of New York and cash on hand..	$16,410 91	
In Mercantile Bank, temporary deposite on interest	8,688 75	
In bonds and mortgages on real estate, principally in the cities of New York and Brooklyn, worth double the amount loaned	1,128,831 22	
In stocks, United States and corporation of New York, cost value	117,919 00	
Balance due from agents	26,538 49	
		1,298,388 46

JOSEPH B. COLLINS, President.
CHARLES GILL, Actuary.

ISAAC ABBATT, Secretary.

Charles De Selding, No. 1 Todd's Building, Pennsylvania avenue, agent.

W. P. Johnston, M. D., opposite City Post Office, 7th street, physician.

Pamphlets explanatory of the principles and operations of the company can be obtained on application at the agent's office.

Feb 16—3awtf

SUPERIOR CANTON MATTINGS.—The subscribers respectfully inform all housekeepers in want of a superior article of Canton mattings, that they have an additional supply of the following descriptions, of which they can furnish any quantity:

Manking white, of superior quality, in 6-4, 5-4, and 4-4
Do checked, red, and white, 6-4, 5-4, and 4-4
Gowqua white, super, 6-4, 5-4, and 4-4
Do in variegated colors, or cottage, very heavy, 6-4, 5-4, and 4-4
Do in checked, red, and white, very heavy, 6-4, 5-4, and 4-4

Also, a few more pieces of that extra heavy and fine white and checked mattings, the like, all will admit who see them, were never seen in this city before.

These goods were sent out by a young man now in Canton on private account, and were made to order.

We have also just received a full surply of super and low-priced oil cloths, which will be cut to fit any room, hall, or passage, to order. All are respectfully informed that we sell as low as the lowest.

May 27—3tdif CLAGETT & DODSON.

DOMESTIC and Ornamental Cottages and Landscape Gardening: Series of Designs Adapted to the United States; by Ranlett. 2 vols., 1849.

Designs for Country and Village Residences in the United States; by Ritch; with Details, Specifications, Plans, and Directions, and Estimates of Cost of Each Design. 2 vols., 1850.

Gothic Architecture Applied to Modern Residences; by Arnot. 1 vol., 1850.

Two Hundred Designs for Cottages and Villas; by Messrs. Walter & Smith. 1 vol.

Downing's Architecture and Designs for Cottages, Farm Houses, and Villas. 1 vol. 1851.

Downing's Landscape Gardenings and Rural Architecture, adapted to North America. 1 vol., 1850.

Downing's Architecture and Designs for Cheap Cottages and Farm Houses. 1 vol., 1851.

Together with many other works on the same and all other branches of architecture and building.

June 5 FRANCK TAYLOR.

PHILIP BARTON KEY will attend to any business he may be intrusted with before either of the courts of this District, and will also attend to the prosecution of claims before Congress and the Departments. Office on C street.

WASHINGTON, July 15, 1850. July 17—3awtf.

General Land Office,
April 4, 1851.

NUMEROUS applications having been made to this office for information in relation to the manner in which land warrants, under the act of 28th September, 1850, should be located, the following answers thereto have been prepared, to wit:

There are three modes by which these locations may be made:

1st. By the warrantee in person;
2d. By the warrantee through the agency of this office;
3d. By an agent or attorney.

If the first or second mode is adopted, the application must be made in writing, specifying the tract, land district, or section of country in which the location is desired, and be accompanied by an affidavit according to the following form, *No. 1*.

Where the third mode is adopted, a power of attorney must be produced, executed by the warrantee in the presence of a witness, according to the following form, *No. 2*, which power of attorney must be acknowledged or proved, as the case may be, before some officer authorized to take the acknowledgment of deeds, according to form *No 3* or *4*.

In all cases the patents will be transmitted to the land office where the location is made, unless special directions to the contrary be given.

J. BUTTERFIELD, Commissioner.

FORM No. 1.

STATE OF }
COUNTY OF }

Before me [*a justice of the peace or other officer authorized to take affidavits*] personally appeared [*here insert the name of warrantee,*] who being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the identical [*he or insert name of warrantee,*] to whom warrant No. —— for —— acres under the act of September, 1850, was issued on the —— day of ————, 185 , and who now applies to locate the same.

[*Affiant's Signature.*]

Sworn to and subscribed before me this —— day of ——, 185 .

[*Officer's Signature.*]

FORM No. 2.

Know all men by these presents, that I, [*here insert the name of warrantee,*] of the county of ——, and State of ————, do hereby constitute and appoint ————, of ————, my true and lawful attorney, for me and in my name, to locate land warrant No. —— for —— acres of land, which issued under the act of September, 1850.

[*Power of substitution may be inserted, if desired.*]

Signed in presence of }
}
[*Warrantee's Signature.*]

FORM No 3.

STATE OF }
COUNTY OF }

On this —— day of ————, in the year ——, personally appeared [*here insert name of warrantee,*] and acknowledged the within power of attorney to be his act and deed; and I certify that I well know the said [*here insert the name of warrantee,*] and that he is the same person who is described in the within power, and who executed the same.

[*Officer's Signature.*]

FORM No. 4.

STATE OF }
COUNTY OF }

I hereby certify, that on this —— day of ————, in the year ————, personally came before me, [*here insert the name of the witness,*] and [*here insert the name of the warrantee,*] and the said [*here insert the name of witness,*] being well known to me, was duly sworn by me, and on his oath declared and said that he well knew the said [*here insert the name of warrantee,*] and that he was the same person described in, and who executed the within power of attorney, and his testimony was to use satisfactory evidence of that fact, and the said [*here insert the name of warrantee*] thereupon acknowledged the said power to be his act and deed.

[*Officer's Signature.*]

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Notice to the Creditors of Texas.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, March 22, 1851.

THE State of Texas having, by acts of its legislature, passed during the session of 1848 and 1849, called upon the creditors of the late republic to file at the treasury of the State, previous to the 1st of September next, the evidences of their respective claims, and Congress having, by an act approved 9th September, 1850, authorizing the issue of ten millions of five per cent. stock to the said state of Texas, directed that five millions of said stock should not be issued to Texas "until the creditor of the State holding bonds and other certificates of stock of Texas, for which duties on imports were especially pledged, shall first file at the treasury of the United States releases of all claims against the United states for or on account of said bonds or certificates, in such forms as shall be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury, and approved by the President of the United States:" Now, in order that this department may authentically know the amount of the claims for which the duties on imports were thus pledged, the holders or owners of all such claims are required to file the amount and description of them at this department previous to the 1st of October, 1851, and to execute a release to the United States of their respective claims, agreeably to the annexed form, which has been approved by the President of the United States, in pursuance of the above act of the 9th of September, 1850.

WM. L. HODGE,
Acting Secretary of the Treasury.

FORM OF RELEASE.

Whereas, by an act of Congress, approved September 9, 1850, ten millions of dollars in five per cent. stock are to be paid to the State of Texas for considerations in said act mentioned, with a proviso that no more than "five millions of said stock shall be issued until the creditors of the state holding bonds and other certificates of stocks of Texas, for which duties on imports were specially pledged, shall first file at the treasury of the United States releases of all claims against the United States for or on account of said bonds or certificates;" and whereas the undersigned is a creditor of the State of Texas, holding and the owner of the following described bonds or certificates of stock of Texas, (as the case may be,) and for which the duties mentioned in the said act were specially pledged:

[Here describe the bonds or certificates.]

Now, for the purpose of complying with the provisions of said act, and for a good and valuable consideration, I hereby release to the United States all my claim in law or equity against them, for or on account of the (bonds or certificates) above described.

Witness my hand and seal at ————, this ——day of ——, 1851.

Sealed and delivered in presence of
[Two witnesses.]
Mar 29—d31&w18epl

CAMERON STREET HOUSE,
Alexandria, Virginia.

THIS is a spacious mansion, just finished in the best modern style. It fronts south about thirty-two feet, running back, including the back buildings, one hundred and fifty feet. Everything necessary has been provided for the accommodation and comfort of a large family. To a gentleman holding public office in Washington city it offers the following inducements, to wit: perfect healthiness of situation, a short and pleasant drive from city to city, much cheaper rent, much cheaper living, and the very best society. If sold, a liberal credit will be given; but if rented, the rent will be moderate. Immediate possession can be had. For further particulars apply to

CHRISTOPHER NEALE,
Dec 19—lawtf Alexandria.

PERTH AMBOY SEMINARY.—This institution, affording a thorough course of training for college or business, together with instruction in modern languages and music, will commence its twenty eighth session on Wednesday, May 7.

The building is large and commodious, and its internal arrangements are designed to promote the comfort of the pupils and encourage habits of neatness and system.

Pleasant retirement, ease of access, proverbial healthfulness, the luxuries of the sea breeze and sea bathing, a valuable philosophical and chemical apparatus, a reading-room with library and periodicals, a bathing-room and gymnasium, provided with reference to health and physical training, are some of the minor advantages of this institution.

The Principal, possessing the advantages of early devotion to his profession and large experience, pledges his most untiring efforts to make his institution all that an enlightened Christian parent could desire for his son.

Terms: $75 per session of 22 weeks for board and tuition, with use of books for English studies.

From the Faculty of the College of New Jersey.

Having had an opportunity of knowing the talents, literary and scientific attainments, as well as the prudence and exemplary moral character of Mr. S. G. Woodbridge, while he was a student in this college, and also having found that students prepared by him for college were well taught, with pleasure we recommend him as a teacher in whose competency and fidelity in giving instruction, and in forming the moral habits of youth committed to his care, parents and guardians may have full confidence.

JAMES CARNAHAN, President.
JOHN MACLEAN, Vice President and Prof. of Greek.
STEPHEN ALEXANDER, Prof. of Math. and Astronomy.
COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY, April 1, 1851.

REFERENCES.

Joseph Henry, LL.D., Smithsonian Institute, D. C.
Rev James W. Alexander, D. D., Princeton, New Jersey.
Rev. Nicholas Murray, D. D.
Rev. David Magie, D. D., Elizabethtown, New Jersey.

For circulars containing further particulars, with additional testimonials and references, apply to the Principal,

S. G. WOODBRIDGE,
Ap 30—d1w Perth Amboy, New Jersey.

BALTIMORE Female College.—This institution, incorporated by the legislature of Maryland, and enjoying a liberal patronage, affords every facility for the acquisition of a thorough and accomplished education. The buildings are pleasantly located, with study and recitation rooms, and every modern convenience for the accommodation of a large number of boarding and day scholars.

FACULTY OF INSTRUCTION.

N. C. Brooks, A. M., professor of ancient languages.
Rev. B. H. Nadal, A. M., biblical literature.
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