GOVERNMENT ADV'TS.

PROPOSALS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
Bureau of Yards and Docks,
September 4, 1861.

SEALED PROPOSALS for each class separately, endorsed "Proposals for Class No. (name the class) for the navy yard at (name the yard,") will be received at this office until noon on the 2d day of October next, for furnishing and delivering at the several navy yards named the materials and articles embraced in printed schedules, which will be furnished on application, and sent by mail, if so requested, to persons desiring to offer to contract for any or all of the classes named therein, by the commandants of the several navy yards, for the classes for the yards under their command, or by the navy agent nearest thereto, or by the bureau for any or all the yards.

To prevent confusion and mistakes in sealing the offers, no bid will be received which contains classes for more than one yard in one envelope, and each individual of a firm must sign the bid and contract.

Bidders are hereby cautioned and particularly notified that their offers must be in the form hereinafter prescribed, and be mailed in time to reach their destination before the time expires for receiving them; *no bid will be considered which shall be received after the period stated, and no allowance will be made for failures of the mail.*

To guard against offers being opened before the time appointed, bidders are requested to endorse on the envelope above the address, and draw a line under the endorsement, thus:

"*Proposals for Class No. (name the class) for the Navy Yard at (name the yard.*")

To the Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, Washington, D. C.

Form of offer.

(Here the date of offer.)

I, (here insert the name or names composing the firm,) of (name the town,) in the State of (name the State,) hereby offer to furnish under your advertisement dated (date of advertisement,) and subject to all the requirements of the same, and of the printed schedule to which it refers, all the articles embraced in Class No. (name the class) for the navy yard at (name the yard,) according to said schedule viz: (here paste on the printed class from the schedule,) and opposite each article set the price and carry out the amount in the columns for dollars and cents, and foot up the aggregate amount of the bid for the class) amounting to (here write the amount in words.)

I propose as my agent (here name the agent, if one is required by the schedule,) for the supply under the classes miscellaneous, by a non-resident of the place of delivery; and should my offer be accepted, I request the contract may be prepared and sent to the navy agent at (name the agency,) for signature and certificate.

(Here the bidder and each member of the firm to sign.)

Form of guarantee.

The undersigned (name of guarantor,) of (name the town,) and State of (name the State,) and (name or second guarantor, &c.,) hereby undertake that the above named (name the bidder or bidders,) will, if his [or their] offer as above be accepted, enter into contract with the United States within fifteen days after the date of notice through the post office of the acceptance of his [or their] offer before mentioned.

Witness:

(Signature of guarantors.)

I certify that the above named (here name the guarantors) are known to me to be good and responsible guarantors in this case.

(Signature.)

To be signed by the district judge, district attorney, collector, navy agent, or some person known to the bureau to be responsible.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

Class No. 6. White pine, spruce, juniper, and cypress; class No. 9. Gravel and sand; class No. 11. Iron, iron nails, and spikes; class No. 12. Steel; class No. 14. Files; class No. 15. Ship chandlery; class No. 17. Hardware; class No. 18. Stationery; class No. 23. Belting, packing, and hose; class No. 24. Augers.

BOSTON.

Class No. 1. Bricks; class No. 2. Stone; class No. 3. Yellow pine timber; class No. 5. Oak and hard wood timber and lumber; class No. 6. White pine, spruce, juniper, and cypress; class No. 7. Lime, hair, and plaster; class No. 8. Cement; class No. 9. Gravel and sand; class No. 11. Iron, iron spikes, and nails; class No. 13. Steel; class No. 15. Pig iron; class No. 15. Paints, oils, and glass; class No. 17. Hardware.

NEW YORK.

Class No. 1 Bricks; class No. 3. Yellow pine timber; class No. 4. Yellow pine lumber; class No. 5. Oak and hard wood; class No. 6. White pine, spruce, cypress, and juniper; class No. 7. Lime, hair, and plaster; class No. 8. Cement; class No. 9. Gravel, and sand; class No. 10. Slate; class No. 11. Iron, iron spikes, and nails; class No. 13. Pig-iron; class No. 15. Paints, oils, and glass; class No. 16. Ship chandlery; class No. 17. Hardware; class No. 23. Belting, packing, and hose; class No. 25. Iron work, &c.

PHILADELPHIA.

Class No. 3. Yellow pine timber; class No. 5. Oak and hard wood; class No. 6. White pine, spruce, juniper, and cypress; class No. 11. Iron, iron spikes, and nails; class No. 14. Files; class No. 17. Hardware; class No. 23. Belting, packing, and hose; class No. 26. Augers.

WASHINGTON.

Class No. 1. Bricks; class No. 5. Oak and hard wood; class No. 6. White pine, spruce, juniper, and cypress; class No. 11. Iron, iron spikes, and nails; class No. 12. Steel; class No. 14. Files; class No. 15. Paints, oils, and glass; class No. 16. Ship chandlery; class No. 17. Hardware; class No. 21. Sperm and lubricating oils; class No. 27. Anthracite coal; class No. 29. Bituminous Cumberland coal.

The schedule will state the time within which articles will be required to be delivered; and where the printed schedule is not used, the periods stated in it for deliveries must be copied in the bids. All the articles which may be contracted for must be delivered at such place or places, including drayage and cartage to the place where used within the navy yards, respectively, for which the offer is made, as may be directed by the commanding officer thereof, and all other things being equal, preference will be given to American manufacture. No article will be received after the expiration of the period specified in the schedules for the completion of deliveries, unless specially authorized by the Department. In computing the classes, the price stated in the column of prices will be the standard, and the aggregate of the class will be carried out according to the prices stated.

It is to be provided in the contract, and to be distinctly understood by the bidders, that the amount and number of articles enumerated in classes headed "Miscellaneous," are specified as the probable quantity which may be required, as well as to fix a standard determining the lowest bid, but the contractor is to furnish *more or less of the said enumerated articles, and in such quantities, and at such times as the bureau or commandant may require*; such increase, however, not to exceed one-half of the quantities stated (and requisitions sent through the post office shall be deemed sufficient notice) during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1862; and whether the quantities required be more or less than those specified, the prices shall remain the same.

All the articles under the contract must be of the best quality, delivered in good order, free of all and every charge or expense to the Government, and subject to the inspection, count, weight, or measurement of the said navy yard, and be in all respects satisfactory to the commandant thereof. Bidders are referred to the yard for plans specifications or samples, and any further description of the articles. When bidders shall be in doubt as to the precise articles named in the schedule, they will apply to the commanding officer of the navy yard and see the samples for description of the article or articles in doubt, which information the said officer will give in writing. Contractors for classes headed "Miscellaneous," who do not reside near the place where the articles are to be delivered, will be required to name in their proposals an agent at the city or principal place near the yard of delivery, who may be called upon to deliver articles contracted for when they shall be required.

Approved sureties in the full amount of the contract will be required, and twenty per centum as additional security deducted from each payment until the contract shall have been completed or cancelled, unless otherwise authorized by the Department. On classes of articles headed "Miscellaneous," to be delivered as required during the fiscal year, the twenty per centum retained may, at the discretion of the commandant, be paid quarterly on the 1st of January, April, July, and October, when the deliveries have been satisfactory, and the balance (eighty per cent.) will be paid by the respective navy agents within thirty days after the presentation of bills in triplicate, duly vouched and approved.

No part of the per centum reserved is to be paid until all the rejected articles offered under the contract shall have been removed from the yard, unless specially authorized by the Department.

It will be stipulated in the contract, that if default shall be made by the parties of the first part in delivering all or any of the articles mentioned in any class bid for, of the quality and at the times and places above provided, then and in that case the said parties will forfeit and pay to the United States a sum of money not to exceed twice the amount of such class which may be recovered, from time to time, according to the act of Congress in that case provided, approved March 3, 1843.

The sureties must sign the contract and their responsibility be certified to by a navy agent, collector, district attorney, or some other person satisfactorily known to the bureau.

It is to be provided in the contract that the bureau shall have the power of annulling the contract, without loss or damage to the Government, in case congress shall not have made sufficient appropriations for the articles named, or for the completion of works estimated for, and on which this advertisement is based, and shall also have the power to increase or diminish the quantities named in the classes not headed "Miscellaneous" in the schedule, twenty-five per centum.

Persons whose offers shall be accepted will be notified by letter through the post office, which notice shall be considered sufficient; and if they do not enter into contract for the supplies specified within fifteen days from the date of notice from the bureau of the acceptance of their bid, a contract will be made with some other person or persons, and the guarantors of such defaulting bidders will be held responsible for all delinquencies.

All offers not made in *strict conformity* with this advertisement, will, at the option of the bureau, be rejected.

Those only whose offers may be accepted will be notified, and contracts will be ready for execution as soon thereafter as may be practicable.

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PROPOSALS FOR REVENUE VESSELS

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
Washington, September 3, 1861.

The Department will receive proposals, accompanied by models, plans, and specifications, until 12 o'clock Monday, 30th September, 1861, for the complete construction and equipment of Two Steam Screw Revenue Vessels of 750 tons each, and of Three Steam Screw Revenue Vessels of 600 tons each United States measurement.

Proposals will only be considered from successful steam ship-builders actually engaged in that business, and the name of the marine steam engine establishment at which the steam machinery is to be made must be stated, and will have due weight.

The load draft of water of the vessels of 750 tons must not exceed ten (10) feet, and they will be armed with one rifled pivot gun of 8,000 lbs. weight, two 32 pounder guns of 42 cwt., and one heavy navy 24 pounder howitzer on the topgallant forecastle. The complement for each vessel to be 120 persons, carrying provisions for sixty days, and 2,800 gallons of water in tanks; to be furnished with a condenser for distilling potable water.

The vessels to be schooner-rigged, with flying gaff topsails, square sail, and yard to set flying.

The load draft of water of the vessels of 600 tons must not exceed 9½ feet, and they will be armed, each, with one rifled pivot gun of 6,500 lbs. weight, two 32-pounders of 42 cwt., and one light navy 24 pounder howitzer on the top gallant forecastle.

The complement for each vessel will be 95 persons, carrying provisions for sixty days, and 2,000 gallons of water in tanks, and to be furnished with a condenser for distilling potable water.

The vessels to be schooner rigged, with flying gaff topsails, square sail, and yard to set flying.

The proposal must be for the hull, spars, rigging, sails, and canvass work, mast coats, awnings, hammocks and bags, boats, anchors and cables, tanks, casks, binnacles, bells, furniture for cabins and mess rooms, cooking apparatus and utensils complete, steam machinery, spare work, coal bunkers filled with Back Mountain coal, with all the equipments and outfits of every kind, and in all respects ready to receive her officers, men, provisions, and armament, and at once proceed to sea.

The armaments, provisions, nautical instruments, and charts only will be provided by the Government.

It is desirable to have the highest obtainable speed, which must be stated in the offer, together with the length of time it can be maintained, and the quantity of coal that can be carried in the bunkers for that speed, which should not be less than for ten days of twenty four hours each.

The specifications must describe fully the material to be used; the manner and size of fastening; the detail of the size, finish, and arrangement of the machinery, and of the various equipments and outfits included in the proposal.

The plans must be working drawings from which the vessel and machinery can be built, showing the allotment of space for accommodations, steam room, magazines, shell rooms, disposition of coal, and convenient stowage must be provided.

It is to be understood that in the contract a guarantee will be inserted of the fulfilment of the condition of the draft of water, speed, fuel, satisfactory working of the machinery, and other points required, with a forfeiture in case of failure.

The bidders must state the least time, from the signing the contract or acceptance of the proposal within which they will agree to complete the vessels ready for sea, and deliver them at any ports they may name. The total amount for which they will engage to do all that is required in the foregoing advertisement, not to be embraced in their specifications and plans, must be stated, and the bids must be accompanied by the guarantee required by law, that if awarded, they will execute the contract.

Payments will be made at four different intervals as the work progresses, retaining one fifth (1-5) of the whole amount for ninety (90) days after the delivery of the vessel, to repair any defects that may be discovered within that time on trial at sea.

The Department reserves the right to accept the proposals made in conformity with the conditions prescribed, which it may consider most to the interests of the Government, and to combine the greatest number of advantages, and to reject any or all of them at its option.

A competent person will be appointed by the Department to superintend the construction and equipment of each of the vessels.

The specifications, plans, and models of parties not obtaining contracts may be withdrawn by them

S. P. CHASE,
Secretary of the Treasury.

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SEALED PROPOSALS, till the 10th September, 1861, at 12 M., are invited for furnishing FLOUR of a certain quality.

About 6,000 barrels will be required, in separate lots of 1,000 barrels each. The Flour to be made of new wheat, and the delivery of the whole lot to be made by the 25th of September, 1861.

The Flour required to be of the following brands, and to pass the inspection of a Board of Army Officers, or such other inspection as the Subsistence Department may direct:

Arlington	Extra.
Congress	do.
S. Fry	do.
Fairview	do.
Cedar Vale	do.
Glenwood	do.
Fowler & Zeigler	do.
Chesapeake Mills	do.
Eagle Mills	do.
Chagett	do.
J. Newcomer	do.
M. Smith	do.
Roxbury	do.
Joe Charles	do.
J. Davidson	do.
D. L. Morrison & Co.	do.
Foundry	do.
Heck	do.
Lyon's Union Flour.	
Big Spring, Joe Charles.	
Lude's Extra Baker's.	
Avondale Extra.	

A few barrels of the same grade of Southern Flour will be taken, provided that it proves equal in grade to the brands above named. The bidders to state the brand and the number of barrels of each kind they propose to furnish.

The barrels containing the Flour to be strong, well hoped and head lined.

The proposals to be directed to Capt. A. BECKWITH, C. S., U. S. A., Washington, D. C., and endorsed "Proposals for Flour." sep 17

SEALED PROPOSALS are invited till the 30th day of September, 1861, for supplying the Army of the Potomac with POTATOES. About [illegible] bushels will be required, in lots of about 5,000 bushels per week. The Potatoes to be of the first quality, and equal in quality to the following kinds:

Mercers, (blue.)
Pink eye.
Mercers, (white.)

The Potatoes to be delivered in Washington, and subject to such inspection on delivery as the Subsistence Department may require, and payment to be made in Treasury notes, if Government should desire it.

The potatoes to be delivered in good, strong barrels, and each bushel to be estimated at 60 lbs.

The bids to be directed to Captain A. BECKWITH, C. S. U. S. A., Washington, D. C.

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SEALED PROPOSALS, till the 25th of September, 1861, at 12 o'clock, M., are invited, for furnishing the Subsistence Department with 150 tons of Hay.

The Hay to be delivered in Washington at such places as the Government may direct.

The quality to be equal to the best, and to consist of timothy and clover mixed.

The Government reserves to itself the right to reject any or any of the bids, and for any cause it may think proper. Payment for said Hay to be made in Treasury notes, if Government desires to do so.

The Hay to be furnished in bales of from 150 to 300 lbs., and the weight of wood and wire used in baling to be deducted.

The bids to be directed to Captain A. BECKWITH, C. S., U. S. A., and endorsed "Proposals for Hay." sep 10

DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 9, 1861.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., 20th instant, to furnish the troops in this city, and its vicinity north of the Potomac river, within (5) five miles of the city of Washington, with wood for (7) six months, commencing 1st day of October, 1861, and ending on the 31st day of March, 1862. The wood to be of the best quality of oak or hickory and to be delivered at the camps or quarters of the troops, in such quantities, and at such times as the Depot Quartermaster may direct.

Good security will be required for the fulfilment of the contract.

Bids to be for so much per cord of wood, containing (128) one hundred and twenty-eight cubic feet, and to be endorsed "Bids for Wood," and the names of the security to be stated in the bid.

The undersigned reserves to himself the right to reject any bid that may be deemed too high.

Payments to be made at the end of each month by warrants to be drawn on the contractor, certificated with the receipt of the regimental or brigade quartermasters of regiments, brigades, or corps, endorsed on the back of said orders for the amount of wood delivered.

D. H. RUCKER,
sept 11-td Quartermaster U. S. Army.

The Baltimore *American* will please publish, and send bill to this office for payment. D. H. R.

GOVERNMENT ADV'TS.

GUNBOATS FOR THE WESTERN RIVERS.

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, June 17, 1861.

Proposals are invited for constructing Gunboats upon the Western rivers.

Specifications will be immediately prepared, and may be examined at the Quartermaster's Office at Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, and at this office.

Proposals from boat builders and engine builders alone will be considered.

Plans submitted by bidders will be taken into consideration.

M. C. MEIGS,
June 19 Quartermaster General United States.

SEALED PROPOSALS are invited till the 25th of September, at 12 M., for supplying CORN to the Subsistence Department of the Army.

The Corn to be in the ear, and to be delivered in Washington City, at the Cattle Yard on Monument Square.

Bidders are requested to state the price per 100 lbs. of ears.

About 150,000 pounds of ears will be required, to be delivered one half by the 10th of October, 1861, and the whole delivery to be made during the month of October.

The bids to be directed to Captain A. BECKWITH, C. S., U. S. A., and endorsed "Proposals for Corn." sep 16

UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, Sept. 16, 1861.

On the petition of John F. Winslow, of Troy, N. Y., praying for the extension of a patent granted to him on the 18th of December, 1847, for an improvement in Rolling and Compressing Puddle Balls, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 18th day of December, 1861.

It is ordered, that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on Monday, the 23d day of December 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, specially 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.

The testimony in the case will be closed on the 18th of November, 1861; depositions and other papers relied upon as testimony must be filed in the office on or before the morning of that day; the arguments, if any, within ten days thereafter.

Ordered, also, that this notice be published in the *National Republican*, Washington, D. C., and the *Albany Evening Journal*, Albany, N. Y., once a week for three successive weeks; the first of said publications to be at least sixty days previous to the day of hearing.

D. P. HOLLOWAY,
Commissioner of Patents.

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

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ORGANIC WEAKNESS,
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AND ALL DISEASES OF THE

Sexual Organs.	Sexual Organs,	Sexual Organs,
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arising from excesses, early indiscretions, exposures, and imprudences, and removing all improper discharges, whether existing in

Male or Female.	Male or Female,
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Male or Female,	Male or Female.

It is a FACT long since established, that persons suffering with any disease of these organs are affected in bodily health and mental powers, and experience many alarming symptoms, among which will be found: Indisposition to Exertion, Loss of Memory, Difficulty of Breathing, General Weakness, Horror of Disease, Weak Nerves, Trembling, Horror of Death, Night Sweats, Cold Feet, Wakefulness, Dimness of Vision, Languor, Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System, often Enormous Appetite, with Dyspeptic Symptoms, Hot Hands, Flushing of the Body, Dryness of the Skin, Pallid Countenance, and Eruptions on the Face, Pains in the Back, Heaviness of the Eyelids, frequently black spots flying before the Eyes, with temporary Suffusion and Loss of Sight, want of Attention, great Mobility, Restlessness. These symptoms, if allowed to go on, which this medicine invariably removes, soon follow—*Loss of Power, Fatuity and Epileptic Fits.*

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Washington, D. C.

Thanking my friends for past favor, I earnestly hope for a continuance of the same. sep 11-1m.

THE WESTERN ACADEMY,
No. 277 I, cor. of Seventeenth st.,
(recently under the care of Dr. Loomis,) will be reopened Monday, the 2d of September.

Application may be made at Dr. Towles', No. 400 Fourth street, Judiciary Square.

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Importers of Crosse & Blackwell's English Pickles, Cataups and Sauces, Durham Mustard, Lea & Perrins Worcestershire Sauce, Cox's Unrivalled Sparkling Gelatin, the Celebrated Virgin Oil of Aix, Salad Oil, and Day & Martin's London Blacking.

WHOLESALE DEALER IN
FOREIGN FRUITS, NUTS,
AND MISCELLANEOUS GOODS,
COMPRISING:

FRUITS.

Oranges and Lemons; Bunch Raisins, whole, halves, quarters, and eighths; Layer Raisins, whole, halves, and quarters; London Layer Raisins; Seedless Raisins; Valencia Raisins; Sultana Raisins; Smyrna Raisins; Prunes, in fancy boxes; Currants; Citron; Turkey Figs; Malaga Figs; Fig Cake; Arabian Dates; French Prunes, in boxes and kegs; French Plums, in kegs; German Prunes, in kegs; Sicily Prunes, in boxes; Turkey Prunes, in barrels and boxes; New York Prums; Prunelloes; Dried Peaches; Dried Apples; Assorted Preserved Fruits; French Brandy Fruits; French Fruits, in Juice; Brandy Cherries; Strawberries, in Syrup; Tamarinds; White Grapes; Orange and Lemon Peel; English Pie Fruits; Prunes, in Jars; Dried Pears.

NUTS.

Paper Shell, Bordeaux, Taragona, Ivica, and Hard Shell Almonds; Cream Nuts; African Pea Nuts; Sicily Jordon Shelled, Sicily Shelled, Canary Island, and Bitter Shelled Almonds; Cocoa Nuts; Carolina Pea Nuts; Filberts; Grenoble and Sicily Walnuts; Pecan Nuts; Black Walnuts; Chestnuts; Virginia Pea Nuts.

AGENCY FOR

Bond's Boston Biscuits; Lewis' Preserved Meats, &c.; Atmore's Minced Meat; Tateeyan's Fig Paste, &c.; Norton's Pine Apple Cheese; Baltimore Can Oysters; Andrews' Celebrated Champagne Cider; Richardson's Peaches and Tomatoes; Fahnestock's Farina; Wells & Provost's American Pickles.

HERMETRICALLY SEALED CANISTER GOODS.

Oysters, Tomatoes, Lobsters, Salmon, Green Turtle, Poultry, Peaches, Pears, Plums, Green Corn, A La Mode Beef, Clams, Peas, Mushrooms, Beef Soup, Turtle Soup, Milk, Sausages, Beef, Mutton, Veal, Vegetable Soup, Mutton and Vegetables, Mutton Chops.

MISCELLANEOUS GOODS.

Maccaroni; Vermicelli; Sardines; French and Spanish Olives; Nonpareil, Anchoviae, and Capot Capers; Split Peas, Round Peas; Marrow Beans; Hominy; Grits; Tapioca; Sago; Assorted Jellies; Green Ginger; Mustard; Claret, Currant and Blackberry Wine; Stove Lustre; Pure Juice Port; Calabria and Sicily Licorice; Pearl Starch; Guava Jelly; Bologna Sausages; French, Durham, and Colman's Mustard; Corn Starch; Farina; Shaker Corn; Azumca; Currie Powder; Succory; Preserved Ginger; Dry Preserved Ginger; Anchovies; Anchovy Paste; White Castile Soap; Salad Oil; Fine Apple and Sap Sago Cheese; Lemon, Orgeat, Pine Apple, Raspberry, Strawberry, and Sarsaparilla Syrup; Canary and Hemp Seed; Brandy Peaches; French Blacking; Scotch Oat Meal; Baker's Chocolate, Broma, and Cocoa; French Penny and Vanilla Chocolate; Currant Jelly; Bay Rum; Mushroom, Walnut, and Tomato Catsup; Pepper Sauce; White Pepper; Maple Sugar; Pickled Lobsters; Minced Meat; Pearl and Hulled Barley; Rose and Peach Water; Extract of Lemon, Rose, Almond, and Vanilla; Assorted Herbs; Lentils; Orange Flower Water; Stuffed Olives, Schmitz Chocolate; American Oat Meal.

CONFECTIONERY.

White, Red, and Yellow Rock Candy; Lozenges; Pipe Candy; Pop Corn; Italian Licorice; Gum Drops and Strips; Chocolate Drops; Turkish Fig Paste; Turkish Grape Drops; Turkish Pressed Figs; Penny Stick Chocolate; Jujube Paste.

FIRE WORKS AND FIRE CRACKERS.

Every description of Fire Works and Fire Crackers always on hand, including a great variety of Fancy Pieces, Bombs, &c., for private exhibition.

N. B.—The above goods are always on hand, and for sale at the lowest market rates. sep 18—1w

PURE COUNTRY MILK.—The subscriber delivers Pure Country Milk, morning and evening, as usual, to his customers. Strangers commencing housekeeping in this city, who desire Milk, can have their orders promptly attended to by applying at this office.

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PRIME, RIPE, AND MEALY,
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TO GROCERS.—You want to please your customers, and induce them to call again, and recommend your stock to their friends. Then call at Steel & Co's, and buy what Potatoes you need, either for your own consumption or for sale. They are warranted to please.

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J. W. STEEL & CO.,
356 Pennsylvania avenue, corner of Second street—
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GOVERNMENT ADV'TS.

NAVY BEEF AND PORK FOR 1862.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
Bureau of Provisions and Clothing,
August 24, 1861.

SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposals for Beef" and "Proposals for Pork," as the case may be, will be received at this office until 9 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, the 25th day of September next, for furnishing and delivering, free of all cost and risk to the United States, at the following navy yards:

	Barrels beef.	Barrels pork.
At Charlestown, Mass	3,500	4,500
At Brooklyn, N. Y	4,500	6,000
At Philadelphia, Penn	1,000	1,500
	9,000	12,000

One half of said beef and pork must be delivered at each of the above-named yards, respectively, by the 1st day of April, 1862, and the remaining half by the 1st day of June, 1862, unless earlier deliveries should be required by the chief of this bureau. Payment to be made within thirty days after delivery.

Bidders must specify their prices separately and distinctly in separate offers for the beef and for the pork, and for each of the places of delivery, covering all expenses and all charges.

The beef must be from well fattened cattle, slaughtered between the 1st day of October, 1861, and the 1st day of January, 1862, and weighing not less than six hundred pounds net weight, each. The legs and leg ends of the hind quarters, and the shins and shoulder clods, the shoulders of mutton, and ends of sticking pieces, and at least twelve pounds from the neck end of each fore-quarter, or the parts marked Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, on the drawing or delineation of the fore and hind quarters of an ox, which will be attached to and from a part of the contract, must be wholly excluded from each barrel; all the other pieces are to be packed, and, *instead of being cut with a cleaver, must be cut through with a saw and knife, to give the meat a square, neat, and smooth appearance, in pieces of not less than eight pounds, nor more than twelve pounds each.*

The pork must be packed from corn-fed, well fattened hogs, slaughtered between the first day of December, 1861, and the first day of January, 1862, and weighing not less than two hundred pounds each, excluding the heads, jowls, necks, shoulders, hams, legs, feet, butts, rumps, lard, and all refuse pieces, and must be cut with a *saw and knife* in pieces weighing not less than six pounds, nor more than twelve pounds each.

Both the beef and pork must be salted with at least one statute bushel of Turk's Island, Isle of May, Key West solar, Onondaga solar, or St. Ube's salt; and the beef must have five ounces of fine pulverized saltpetre to each barrel, exclusive of pickle, to be made from fresh water as strong as salt will make it, and must be perfectly bright and clear.

Each barrel must contain full 200 pounds net weight of beef or pork, and no excess of weight in either article will be paid for.

The barrels must be entirely new, and be made of the best reasoned heart of white oak staves and headings; the staves to be not less than five-eighths of an inch thick, and the headings not less than three-fourths of an inch thick; they must be three-fourths hooped over including the iron hoops, with the best white-oak or hickory hoops, and each barrel must have on it four iron hoops, viz: one of one and a half inch in width on each bilge, and one of one and an eighth inch in width on each chime, and each to be of one-sixteenth of an inch thick. Each barrel must be of the internal capacity of thirty two gallons, and the iron hoops must be well painted with red lead.

Each barrel must be branded by burning on its head "Navy Beef," or "Navy Pork," as the case may be, with the contractor's name and the year when packed, and weight; and shall also be branded on the bung stave with the letter B. or P., as the case may be.

The beef and pork will, unless otherwise directed by the chief of this bureau, be inspected by the inspecting officers at the respective navy yards aforesaid, and by some "sworn inspector of salted provisions," who will be selected by the respective commanding officers; but their charges for such inspections must be paid by the respective contractors, who must likewise have the barrels put in good shipping order, to the satisfaction of the commandants of the respective navy yards aforesaid, after inspection, and at their own expense.

Two or more approved sureties in a sum equal to one half the estimated amount of the contract will be required, and twenty per centum in addition will be withheld from the amount of each payment to be made, as collateral security for the due and faithful performance of the respective contracts, which will on no account be paid until the contracts are complied with in all respects; and is to be forfeited to the United States in the event of failure to complete the deliveries within the prescribed period. In case of failure on the part of the contractor to deliver all or any of the beef or pork above mentioned, of the quality and at the time and places above provided, the contractor will forfeit and pay to the United States, as liquidated damages, a sum of money equal to twice the amount of the contract price to be paid in case of the actual delivery thereof; which liquidated damages may be recovered from time to time as they accrue. Payment will be made by the United States at the periods above specified, (excepting the twenty per centum to be with