# CITY INTELLIGENCE.

[FOR ADDITIONAL LOCAL ITEMS SEE OUTSIDE PAGES.]

CITY COUNCILS.—The regular meetings of City Council were held yesterday afternoon. The business was as follows:

*Select Branch*—President Spering was in the chair.

A communication was received from Richard Peltz, Receiver of Taxes, representing that collectors of delinquent taxes enter security in $5000. The arrangements made are such that no collector can hold that amount of money at one time. This was given by the Receiver in reply to a resolution of inquiry on the part of the Chamber. The Receiver also says that it is impossible for him to give, in years prior to his own administration, a list of defaulting collectors. Such persons could not be known to the department until the amount of their receipts is brought to light through the reports made to City Councils.

A note was received, jointly signed by the various steam fire engines of the city, asking for an increase of the sum now annually appropriated to them. It was referred to the Committee on Fire and Trusts.

A pressing petition was received from citizens in the southwestern section of the city, now suffering from the effects of a damaging inundation, for the construction of sundry culverts. This was referred.

An election for Directors of Girard College was entered into.

Charles E. Lex, Robert T. Gill and Augustus Heaton, were chosen.

Mr. Hodgdon, from the Committee on Finance, reported an ordinance providing that Turbine wheels be substituted at Fairmount for the old wheels known as Nos 2 and 3. For this purpose an appropriation of $125,000 was recommended.

Mr. Hodgdon read a communication from the Chief Engineer relative to the imperative, necessity, and, indeed, the economy of this expenditure.

Mr. Marcus moved a postponement of the subject for one week, but after further explanation he withdrew his motion, and the ordinance passed.

Mr. Cattell, from the Committee on Girard Estates, submitted an ordinance providing for the conversion into stores of premises Nos. 1115 and 1117 Chesnut street, appropriating $25,000 for the purpose.

Mr. Marcus contended that this sum was too large for the mere alteration of two dwellings into stores.

Mr. Cattell explained that for the rental of the two stores an auctioneer had offered $12,000, which was an ample interest upon the property, repairs included.

Mr. Hopkins further opposed the passage of the ordinance, not deeming the proposed plan of alteration a wise one.

Mr. Barlow likewise opposed the plan, because the ordinance did not provide that the work should be given to the lowest and best bidder.

The bill, after a good deal of desultory and decidedly tedious debate, was amended.

Dr. Kamerly moved a proviso that the tenant of the altered buildings shall enter into an agreement to pay all the expenses of the alteration over and above the sum of $25,000.

This was agreed to, and the Chamber passed the ordinance.

Mr. Ritchie reported a bill for the erection of school-houses as follows:

On the west side of Nineteenth street, below Chesnut. Cost $38,785. James O'Rourke, contractor.

Another on the northwest corner of Callowhill and Dillwyn streets, for $11,390. Contractors Thomas H. Boos and Samuel Ogden.

Another on the northwest corner of Christian and Grover streets, for $24,730. Alex. Cassidy contractor.

The ordinance passed.

An ordinance was reported by Mr. Wagner, from the Committee on Law, providing for the appointment of inspectors of steam boilers.

This was ordered to be printed, and its consideration deferred until the next meeting.

A report relative to the eligibility of Mr. Van Cleve to the position of Assistant City Solicitor was now read, and was referred to the Committee on Law.

A resolution by Mr. Cattell, permitting a religious body to erect a wooden building in the suburbs, was referred to the Committee on Police.

A report was made from the Special Committee appointed to inquire into the expediency of the Philadelphia Gas Works. It embodied an opinion from the City Solicitor, setting forth that the transfer could be effected after gaining the assent of a majority of the holders of the loan. The report was accompanied with a negative recommendation, and the subject was laid over.

Mr. Bumm, in place, submitted an ordinance. It requires that the committing magistrates of the city shall keep dockets of all cases in which fines and penalties are exacted; that a strict record shall be kept by them of all moneys so received, of the names of the parties mulcted, and that they shall make full returns every three months, on oath or affirmation, to the City Controller—the penalty for non-compliance being a deprivation of the right to collect fines and penalities, and to be ineligible to office thereafter.

Several members expressed approbation of the ordinance, and it passed finally.

The bills from Common Council were then taken up. No other business of public importance was transacted. Adjourned.

*Common Branch.*—Common Council met at three o'clock, Mr. Marcer in the chair.

Mr. Clerk Eckstein read a communication from the City Commissioners, praying for an appropriation of two hundred and fifty dollars.

A petition was read, requesting the grading of Ash street, Twenty-fifth ward.

Mr. Ray presented a petition from the steam fire engine companies of the city, requesting an increase of gratuity. They now receive two thousand dollars per annum. A statement of the running expenses of each steamer was appended, showing that these outlays are much heavier now than they were when the ordinance was passed; therefore the companies request three thousand dollars.

Mr. Billington, from the Police Committee, reported an ordinance requiring all persons using the city telegraph to pay an annual rent of fifty dollars. Passed.

The same committee reported a resolution asking to be discharged from the consideration of the veto message of the Mayor on a division of the reward for the arrest of the murderer of Mrs. Miller. Agreed to.

Also, a resolution to change the name of Mifflin street, in the Seventeenth ward, to that of Randolph street. Agreed to.

Also, a resolution giving Messrs. J. D. Lewis & Bro. permission to erect wooden buildings at their manufactory in the Eighteenth ward. Agreed to.

The Committee on Fire and Trust reported an ordinance appropriating three thousand five hundred dollars to extend the city telegraph to certain hose houses.

Mr. Harper moved an amendment that the ordinance shall not go into effect until January 1, 1868. The amendment was agreed to and the ordinance passed.

Mr. Bardsley submitted an ordinance authorizing the construction of a sewer on Rittenhouse street, from Germantown avenue to Honey run, Twenty-second ward. Passed.

Also, an ordinance to change the name of Emmett street to Fletcher street. Passed.

Also, an ordinance directing the footways on Kensington avenue to be thirteen feet in width. Passed.

An ordinance reported by Mr. Stockton, Chairman of the Port Warden's Committee, to cancel the lease of Chesnut street wharf, on the Delaware, with B. H. Huddle, and to renew it for three years, was agreed to.

Mr. Ray, of the Highway Committee, reported the following:

Ordinance making an appropriation for rebuilding and extending Reed street culvert.

Resolution for the grading of Thirteenth street, from Norris to Diamond.

Resolution to tramway Fillmore street.

The above were passed.

The special committee for the proper observance of the Fourth of July reported that, in view of the fact that eight thousand dollars would be required to properly observe the day, the committee was compelled to report that it is inexpedient to make an appropriation, as the treasury of the city will not warrant it.

Accompanying the report was a resolution asking for the discharge of the committee from the further consideration of the subject, which was agreed to.

Mr. Bardsley, of the special committee to inquire into the alleged abuse on the Board of Health, reported that they have had three meetings, and have examined the officers of the Board of Health, night workers, and measurers of the Board, &c., and find that $15,000 has been appropriated for removal of nuisances in the annual appropriation to the Board of Health for the year 1867. General Sickels, Health Officer, and Washington L. Bladen, Chief Clerk, testified that only $1100 of that appropriation has been spent so far for this year, and they think that only between $9000 and $10,000 will be required of that appropriation for the purpose of the ordinance referred to them; and if anything should arise for a greater appropriation, then Councils can make said appropriation when the proper time arrives. This will save the city an expenditure of money for the present, and give the Board of Health the means and officers to pursue the sanitary measures in anticipation of the advent of the cholera. Your committee ask to be continued until they finish their investigation, which will require a week or ten days' further time. They therefore report the following:

Resolved, That the City Controller is hereby authorized to transfer from item seven, in the appropriation to the Board of Health for the year 1867, to the following items, viz:

To item 1. For the salaries of ten sanitary inspectors for three months, $1650; for the salary of one assistant clerk, $800, in all $2450.

To item 2. For the salaries of ten permit clerks for three months, $420.

To item 5. For disinfectants, $800; for the care and treatment of cholera patients in the event of cholera, $1330, in all $2130.

The resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Potter read in place an ordinance empowering the Park Commission for the purpose of extending Fairmount park to take possession of all that plot of ground lying between the Spring Garden Water Works and Columbia bridge and the Reading Railroad and the Schuylkill. Agreed to.

Mr. Smith read in place an ordinance making an appropriation of three hundred dollars to the Coroner for the recovery of the remaining bodies lying under the debris caused by the late explosion in Sansom street. Agreed to.

Mr. Harper offered a resolution that the assistant clerks of Councils be instructed hereafter to furnish the newspapers of the city with a copy of the proceedings of Councils.

Mr. Harper said that the debates were published when they were of no interest to the public.

Mr. Hetzell moved to postpone for the present. Agreed to.

Mr. Hetzell offered the following:

Whereas by the act of February 2, 1855, consolidating the city of Philadelphia, it is provided that "no member of Councils during the term for which he is elected shall hold any office or employment, herein created or provided for, of a municipal character;" and by the act of March 18, 1863, it is further provided that "no member of Council of said city shall be eligible to any office, employment, or agency directly or indirectly chosen by Councils, or either branch of them, during the term for which he shall have been elected to Councils;"

And whereas it is manifestly the intention of said acts to prevent the members of Councils from using their positions as such to the obtaining, upon resignation therefrom, of any such office, employment or agency mentioned in said acts, inasmuch as section 48 of the Consolidation act already expressly forbids a salaried officer, under Councils, from being a member thereof;

And whereas, F. A. Van Cleve, Esq., has recently been appointed Assistant Solicitor for the city, an office created by these Councils, under authority of the act of Consolidation (section 15), during the term for which he had been elected a member of Select Council, said appointment having been procured and made upon the recommendation of a number of his colleagues, while another appointment to the said position had been rejected by the same influences and for the same purpose prior to the resignation of the said F. A. Van Cleve; therefore,

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the city of Philadelphia, That in the opinion of these Councils F. A. Van Cleve, Esq., is not eligible to the position of Assistant City Solicitor, to which he has been recently appointed.

The resolution was discussed until the hour of adjournment.

WHAT IS THOUGHT OF OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—The editor of the Wilkesbarre *Record of the Times* has been visiting our public schools, and the following article from his paper shows what he thinks of them:—

"We should like to see our friends of the School Board of the borough, with their superintendent, Mr. Collins, take a few of the halting and doubting, who have intelligence to comprehend it, to the commencement of the Girls' High School in Philadelphia on the 28th instant, and let them see the results of a careful and conscientious training under the system.

"At the suggestion of General Hoyt and Colonel R. B. Ricketts, we accompanied them to the High School on a recent visit to Philadelphia.

"Lewis Elken, Esq., a member of the Board of Controllers of Public Schools, and one of the Committee on this school, kindly introduced our party, and showed us through the school. We visited the several class-rooms, filled with bright and intelligent young ladies, all seeming eagerly intent on the lessons they were reciting. Each room, devoted to its particular branch of study, had its teacher, and the classes moved from one to the other, coming in time under the examination of all the teachers. These, we believe, are all graduates of the school, and they furnish the best testimony of the completeness of the education afforded. General Hoyt, one of our School Directors, deeply interested in the success of our new school, was in search of information as to the working of the system, and we venture to say he was as much astonished as delighted with the evidence of what may be accomplished by it. This is a Normal School, all the young ladies, many of them daughters of wealthy parents, fitting themselves to become teachers; and what better training for the position can be found than the course of study from the Primary Schools, passing with credit up to and graduating with honor from this High School?

"After the classes were passed the whole were assembled in the large hall, where we listened to recitations from one or two young ladies, beautifully rendered, and to singing by nearly all the pupils, under the lead of the Professor, who presided at the piano.

"Our short visit has given us a new view of the common school system, and increased confidence in it."

CORONER'S INVESTIGATION.—The following additional testimony was elicited at the Coroner's investigation into the murder of Edward C. Burton, held yesterday afternoon:—

James Young sworn—On Tuesday morning went to Mr. Brown's tavern, opposite Curby's shop; it was half past 8 o'clock; witness then came out and went to a cigar store near by, where he remained a quarter of an hour; four coopers came to him and asked for employment; he thought he saw the prisoner, Quinn, passing down Lombard street. It was a quarter to 10 o'clock.

Dr. Shapleigh sworn—The nose of deceased was broken by a blow from a blunt instrument; the upper lip bruised and cut; lower part of lip was also cut; the eyes were blackened and swollen; there were two wounds on the left side of the head—one two and a half inches above the outer end of the eyebrow, two inches long; the other, a similar wound, was directly above the ear parallel with the first three wounds, extending through the scalp, but the bone was not marked as if a sharp instrument had been used; there was effused blood under the whole scalp, showing that heavy blows had been received upon the top of the head; the bones of the head were separated from each other and fractured; the bones of the nose and the bones between the nose and the hair were all fractured; upon the right side of the hair a large clot of blood was resting; death was caused by compression of the brain; all these wounds and blows might have been given by the slave shown.

Lieutenant Goldey was then sworn. His testimony had reference to a conversation with the prisoner, in which the accused stated that he had had a conversation with the deceased. After leaving him he went along the wharf, and returned home about 3 o'clock.

The case was here closed until Saturday, at 12 o'clock.

THE UNITED HEBREW ASSOCIATION.—This Association during the year ending May last collected $5255·40, being $2243·85 more than the previous year. Relief was granted to about sixty families, numbering ninety-five adults and two hundred and fifty minors. $2782 worth of groceries and bread was distributed among them. Medical attendance and medicines were also afforded whenever needed. The following gentlemen now constitute the Board of Officers:—J. Binswanger, President; Abraham S. Wolf, Vice-President; Mason Hirsh, Treasurer; Michael Hassler, Secretary; L. Hecht, Recording Secretary; Isaac May, Dr. J. Isaacs, Elias Wolf, H. De Boer, Isaac Cohen, Solomon Gans, Sr., Joseph Einstein, Solomon Teller, H. Rosenbach, and Mayer Frank, Managers. Six new members were added to the Society during the year.

FRANKLIN INSTITUTE MEETING.—A stated meeting of the Franklin Institute was held last evening, when the ordinance relating to the election of a Board of Boiler Inspectors was taken up by sections, and adopted with a few unimportant amendments.

THE TOOTH OF A MAMMOTH.—A large fossil lump of the lower maxillary of a mammoth has been discovered in Nottingham, England. A laborer was at work in St. Michael street, excavating sandstone rock, when he came upon a stone-like substance. It was handed over to the Nottingham Philosophical Society, by which it has been examined. The centre of the stump is greatly worn by constant mastication, but the enamel line of the series of grinders are very bright and very clear. The tooth was found in the sand-drift, 8 feet 6 inches below the surface; it weighs about 4½ pounds.


## AMUSEMENTS.

BENEFITS FOR THE SUFFERERS.—Next week, at the New Arch and Chesnut Street Theatres, benefits will be given in aid of the families of those brave firemen who were killed and wounded at the recent conflagration at the American Theatre. We shall announce the particulars as soon as the arrangements are completed.

NEW ARCH STREET THEATRE.—Mr. G. L. Fox takes a benefit to-night. Two capital pantomimes and a comedietta will be played. On Monday next *Jack and Gill* will be produced.

To-morrow afternoon the Foxes give a grand matinee, presenting two of their favorite pantomimes. Three hundred deaf mutes from our Philadelphia asylum will be present, by invitation of Mr. Fox and Mrs. John Drew.

WALNUT STREET THEATRE.—Benefit of Mr. Joseph Jefferson. This very popular actor will appear in two pieces to-night, the extravaganza called *Mazeppa*, and Buckstone's delightful farce of *Lend Me Five Shillings*. Mr. Jefferson will be supported in both pieces by Miss Susan Denin, and all the favorites of the company.

CARNCROSS & DIXEY present a great bill this evening. Their season closes in a short time, and those who have not recently visited the "Family Resort" should do so at once.


## CAMDEN AFFAIRS.

CLOTHES STOLEN.—The yards of Mr. Robert Y. Bonnin George E. Wilson, and Mrs. Snow, residing adjacent to each other, on Chesnut street, betw Third, were entered during Wednesday evening and about $100 worth of clothing, that had been hung up to dry, was taken off. This is becoming very prevalent in Camden, and the citizens, if they do not desire to have their linen carried off, should take warning, and not leave anything hanging on the clothes line after nightfall. No arrests were made.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.—Last evening, an attempt was made to enter the dwelling of Philander J. Murray, situated at the corner of Fifth and Spruce streets. The side window was first attacked, but that would not yield. The rascals then went to the back door, and made so much noise in endeavoring to force it open that it awakened Mrs. Murray, who hoisted one of the windows. This proceeding frightened the would-be burglars, and they incontinently fled.

## MARINE TELEGRAPH.

*For additional Marine News see First Page.*

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| SUN RISES | 4·29 | MOON RISES | 10·22 |
| SUN SETS | 7·34 | HIGH WATER | 4·20 |

PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF TRADE.

WILLIAM C. KENT, THOMAS E. ASHMEAD, CHARLES WHEELER, } MONTHLY COMMITTEE.

MOVEMENTS OF OCEAN STEAMERS.

FOR AMERICA.

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| Columbia | Glasgow | New York | May 31 |
| Propontis | Liverpool | Philada | June 1 |
| Saxonia | Hamburg | New York | June 2 |
| Metropolis | Southampton | New York | June 5 |
| Nestorian | Liverpool | Quebec | June 6 |
| Chicago | Liverpool | New York | June 7 |
| Melita | Liverpool | Philada | June 8 |
| City of N. York | Liverpool | New York | June 8 |
| China | Liverpool | Boston | June 8 |
| Wm. Penn | London | New York | June 8 |
| Union | Southampton | New York | June 11 |
| Palmyra | Liverpool | New York | June 11 |
| C. of Boston | Liverpool | New York | June 12 |
| Hammonia | Southampton | New York | June 12 |

FOR EUROPE.

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| C. of Antwerp | New York | Liverpool | June 22 |
| Louisiana | New York | Liverpool | June 22 |
| Cella | New York | London | June 22 |
| Columbia | New York | Glasgow | June 22 |
| Mississippi | New York | Havre | June 22 |
| America | New York | Bremen | June 22 |
| Cimbria | New York | Hamburg | June 22 |
| Louisiana | New York | Liverpool | June 22 |
| C. of Cork | New York | Liverpool | June 26 |
| C. of Boston | New York | Liverpool | June 29 |
| C. of N. York | New York | Liverpool | July 3 |

COASTWISE, DOMESTIC, ETC.

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| Arizona | New York | California | June 21 |
| Pioneer | Philada | Wilmington | June 22 |
| Havana | New York | Rio Janeiro | June 22 |
| Mariposa | New York | New Orleans | June 22 |
| Merrimac | New York | Rio Janeiro | June 22 |
| Gen. Grant | New York | New Orleans | June 22 |
| Eagle | New York | Havana | June 27 |
| J. W. Everman | Philada | Charleston | June 29 |
| Wyoming | Philada | Savannah | June 29 |
| Tioga | N. Orleans | Philadelphia | June 29 |
| H. Hudson | Philada | Havana | July 2 |
| Star of the Union | Philada | New Orleans | July 2 |
| Stars and Stripes | Philada | Havana | July 16 |

Mails are forwarded by every steamer in the regular lines. The steamers for or from Liverpool call at Queenstown, except the Canadian line, which call at Londonderry. The steamers for or from the Continent call at Southampton.

CLEARED YESTERDAY.

Steamship Alliance, Kelly, Charleston, Lathbury, Wickersham & Co.

Steamship Saxon, Matthews, Boston, H. Winsor & Co.

Brig J. Coffil, Coffil, Cork, for orders, C. C. Van Horn.

Brig S. P. Smith, Venzie, Boston, L. Audenried & Co.

Brig Edith, Putnam, Bangor, Warren, Gregg & Morris.

Schr Express, Wallace, Dorchester, Captain.

Schr R. M. Ward, Loper, Maurice River, S. & W. Welsh.

Schr D. H. Merriman, Tracy, Indian River, Captain.

Schr S. Purves, Trefethen, Dover, Rommel & Hunter.

Schr Mary Anna, Adams, Norwich, do.

Schr Sarah Helen, Rowe, New London, do.

Schr W. Kallahan, Clark, Washington, J. T. Justus.

Schr Telegraph, Rhuark, Rappahannock, do.

Schr R. H. Daley, Saunders, Newport, Castner, Stickney & Wellington.

Schr D. E. Wolfe, Dole, Boston, Hammett & Neal.

Schr J. Wilson, Connelly, Charlestown, do.

Schr Nellie C. Paine, Doane, Boston, Preston Coal Co.

Schr W. W. Marcy, Champion, Boston, do.

Schr A. S. Cannon, Cobb, Boston, Day, Huddell & Co.

Schr E. Matthews, McElwee, Commercial Pt, do.

Schr A. M. Lee, Taylor, Providence, Sinnickson & Co.

Schr W. B. Thomas, Winsmore, Salem, Audenried, Norton & Co.

Schr Viola, Treworgy, Boston, W. H. Johns & Bro.

Schr R. Carleton, Reed, Washington, Caldwell, Gordon & Co.

Schr S. H. Sharp, Webb, Salem, Blakiston, Graeff & Co.

Schr Chas. Hill, Cheeseman, East Cambridge, Borda, Kellar & Nutting.

Schr W. G. Audenried, Hewitt, Boston, L. Audenried & Co.

Schr J. Lancaster, Williams, East Cambridge, do.

Schr T. Lake, Adams, Cambridge, do.

Schr Seal, Podgett, Salem, Bancroft, Lewis & Co.

Str Mayflower, Robinson, New York, W. P. Clyde & Co.

Str Diamond State, Talbot, Baltimore, J. F. Ehlor.

Str F. Franklin, Pierson, Baltimore, A. Groves, Jr.

Tug Thos. Jefferson, Allen, for Baltimore, with a tow of barges, W. P. Clyde & Co.

ARRIVED YESTERDAY.

Steamship Norman, Crowell, 43 hours from Boston, with mdse. and passengers to H. Winsor & Co. Passed in the bay barquentine Ariadne, from New York, and brig J. B. Kirby, from Turks Island.

Brig S. and W. Welsh, Watson, 15 days from Cienfuegos, with sugar to S. & W. Welsh.

Br. schr Grand Master, Seybolt, 9 days from Ponce, P. R., with sugar and molasses to J. Mason & Co.

Schr M. W. Hupper, Hupper, 12 days from St. John, N. B., with lumber to D. Trump, Son & Co.

Schr J. B. Marshall, Marshall, 12 days from St. John, N. B., with lumber to T. P. Galvin & Co.

Schr W. B. Morgan, Blades, 3 days from Concord, with ties to I. B. Phillips.

Schr Telegraph, Rhuark, from Rappahannock river, in ballast to J. T. Justus.

Schr Adriadne, Thomas, 1 day from Smyrna, with grain to J. L. Bewley & Co.

Schr S. P. Chase, Davis, 1 day from Smyrna, with grain to J. L. Bewley & Co.

Schr A. S. Percy, Poulson, from Washington.

Steamer W. Whilldin, Riggans, 13 hours from Baltimore, with mdse. to J. D. Rudolf.

Steamer S. C. Walker, Sherin, 24 hours from New York, with mdse. to W. M. Baird & Co.

Steamer Mars, Grumley, 24 hours from New York, with mdse. to W. M. Baird & Co.

Steamer E. C. Biddle, McCue, 24 hours from New York, with mdse. to W. P. Clyde & Co.

Tug Thos. Jefferson, Allen, from Baltimore, with a tow of barges to W. P. Clyde & Co.

MEMORANDA.

Ship Charlotte, Galjen, for Philadelphia, cleared at New York yesterday.

Steamship Propontis, Higginson, from Liverpool, at Boston yesterday.

Steamship Star of the Union, Cooksey, for Philadelphia, sailed from New Orleans 15th inst.

Steamship Hendrick Hudson, Howes, from Havana for Philadelphia, at Fortress Monroe 19th inst., short of coal.

Steamship Stars and Stripes, Holmes, hence for Havana, was spoken 19th inst., off the Capes of Virginia.

Barque Argo, Hilmer, hence, at Trinidad 6th inst., and remained 12th.

Barque Victoria, Knudson, hence for London, sailed from Queenstown 5th inst.

Barque Linda, Hewitt, for Philadelphia, sailed from Trinidad 8th inst.

Barque John Worster, Knowles, for Philadelphia, cleared at Boston 19th inst.

Barque Brabo, Vanderhayden, from Great Yarmouth for Philadelphia, was off Aldeborough 7th inst.

Barque Eagle, Potter, for Philadelphia, cleared at New York yesterday.

Brig Star of the Union, Daken, for Philadelphia, at Havana 15th inst.

Brig Loch Lomond, Black, hence, at Portland 19th instant.

Schrs J. Burley, Williams, and Sarah, Cobb, for Philadelphia, cleared at New York yesterday.

Schr David Faust, Lord, for Philadelphia, cleared at Wilmington, N. C., 17th inst.

Schr Cherub, Layman, hence, at Washington 17th instant.

Schr T. W. Wilder, Heather, for Philadelphia, sailed from Trinidad 8th inst.

Schr Pelro, Rogers, for Philadelphia, cleared at Calais 13th inst.

Schr James House, Gage, for Philadelphia, sailed from Richmond 12th inst.

Schr F. R. Baird, Ireland, for Philadelphia, at New Orleans 16th inst.

Schr Gertrude, for Philadelphia, sailed from St. John, N. B., 18th inst.

Schrs Surg and G. R. Murney, hence, at Norwich 18th inst.

Schrs Bonny Boat, Kelly, and W. P. Phelps, Cranmer, hence, at Boston 19th inst.

Schr H. Curtis, Haskell, from Providence for Philadelphia, at Newport 17th inst.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

A bell buoy, painted black, with a staff and globe, has been placed in the position formerly occupied by the spiral buoy, viz.:—1½ cable SW. of the Rundlestone, Land's End.

A bell buoy will be placed in the course of the present summer in the position now occupied by the Manacles buoy.

By order, P. H. BERTHON, Secretary.
Trinity House, London, June 4, 1867.

Notice is hereby given that a Spar Buoy has been placed to mark Thom's Rock, outer entrance to Kennebec river, Me., instead of a third class nun buoy, as heretofore.

Also, that the Spar Buoy on Fort Point Rip, Penobscot river, Me., has been removed, and a third class nun buoy set in its place for the summer season.

Portland, June 15, 1867.


## PROPOSALS.

PHILADELPHIA DEPOT

ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, No. 1139 GIRARD STREET, June 20, 1867.

Proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., TUESDAY, June 25, 1867, for the immediate delivery at the United States Storehouse, Hanover Street Wharf, the following described Quartermaster's Stores, properly packed, and ready for shipment, viz.:—

100 Tail Boards for Army Wagons, "Army Standard."
50 Wagon Tongues, ironed complete, "Army Standard."
300 Halter Straps with Roller Buckles, "Army Standard."
20 Pairs Double Lines.
100 gross Harness Rings, "Assorted."
644 Rings, "D."
5 lbs. Saddler's Silk, "Yellow."

All of the above-named articles to be of the best quality, and to be subject to inspection.

Samples of the Lines, Rings, and Silk must be delivered at this office, twenty-four (24) hours previous to the opening of the bids.

Each bid must be guaranteed by two responsible persons, whose signatures and residences must be appended to the guarantee, and certified to as being good and sufficient security, by the United States District Judge, Attorney, Collector, or other public officer.

The right is reserved to reject all bids deemed unreasonable, and no bids from a defaulting contractor will be received.

All proposals to be made out on the regular forms, in duplicate (which will be furnished on application at this office), and conform to the terms of this advertisement, a copy of which must accompany each proposal.

Envelopes to be indorsed "Proposals for Quartermaster's Stores."

Bidders are requested to be present at the opening of the proposals.

By order of
Brevet Maj.-Gen. G. H. CROSMAN,
Asst. Quartermaster-Gen. U. S. A.
HENRY W. JANES,
Captain and Asst. Quartermaster,
Brevet Major U. S. A.
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PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY, ETC.—

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, CUSTOM HOUSE, PHILADELPHIA, June 6, 1867.

Sealed and Indorsed Proposals for Books, Blanks, and Stationery for the Custom House, Philadelphia, will be received at this Office until the 28th day of JUNE, inclusive, for supplying the Custom House for one year from the 1st of July, 1867.

Blank Books for Entries, Records, Abstracts, etc.

Printed Books of Bonds, etc.

Printed Blanks for Enrolments, Licenses, Reports, Permits, Accounts, etc.

Stationery, viz.:—Pens, Ink, Paper, Pencils, etc.

The whole probably not to exceed $3000.

Liberty is reserved to accept such proposals for the whole or any portion of the articles therein named.

It is also to be understood that all such articles as may be required, and which are not expressly mentioned in the Schedules, shall be furnished by the contractors, at the usual market prices, or may, at the option of the Collector, be purchased in open market.

Schedules of articles and estimated quantities, with specimens, and other required particulars, furnished on application to this office.

Bonds, with satisfactory security, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

6 7 f4t JOSEPH W. CAKE, Collector.

CUSTOM HOUSE, PHILADELPHIA.—COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, June 6, 1867.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until the 28th day of JUNE, for the supply of RATIONS for the petty officers and seamen of the United States revenue cutters of this station, for the term of one year, from the 1st day of July next.

The Rations to be of good and wholesome quality; to be approved by the captain; and the different articles comprising the Rations to be delivered on board the vessels in good and sufficient casks and vessels, to be provided by the contractors, and the contents thereof distinctly marked on each.

It is to be understood that the contractor will be bound to furnish, upon reasonable notice, as often as may be required by the captain of the vessel, with the approbation of the Collector (not exceeding upon an average one day in each week), such fresh meat and fresh vegetables as may be equivalent to the corresponding parts of the ration allowed in the naval service.

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JOSEPH W. CAKE, Collector.
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