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OFFICE of Atchison and Pike's Peak Railroad Company, No. 61 Cedar-st., New-York, August 21, 1866.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company for the election of thirteen Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company in the City of Atchison, Kansas, on the 15th day of September, 1866, between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock p. m. Proxies must be filed with the Secretary before that time. Transfer books will close September 8, 1866.
JAMES WADSWORTH, Secretary.

AN ELECTION for NINE TRUSTEES of the AMERICAN SPIRAL SPRING BUTT HINGE MANUFACTURING COMPANY of Mamaroneck will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 183 Fulton-st., New-York, on MONDAY, September 10, 1866. Polls open from 12 to 1 o'clock p. m. The Transfer Books will be closed from August 30 until September 12.
New-York, Aug. 29, 1866. STEPHEN C. GRIFFEN, Secretary.

NOTICE.—The STOCKHOLDERS of the BENNEHOFF RUN PETROLEUM COMPANY are requested to meet at the office of the Company, No. 27 Broadway, on MONDAY, the 3d day of September, 1866, at 12½ o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating Trustees for the coming election, to serve for the ensuing year.—Dated, Aug. 29, 1866. Signed, H. R. Hill, J. Crombie, J. H. Brown, S. V. Babcock, G. L. Haight, Committee.

NOTICE.—In pursuance of a requisition from the Superintendent of the Insurance Department of the State of New-York, the Stockholders of the RELIEF FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of the City of New-York are required to pay the sum of $96,011 27-100 in money, being 48 365-1000 per cent on the capital stock of $200,000, at the office of said Company, No. 8 Wall-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 15th day of September, 1866.
J. H. FINNEY, President.
W. E. CRANE, Secretary.
Dated New-York, Aug. 22, 1866.

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5-20 Registered, '62	109	109½	June, C. 1. Notes, 1864	115	115½
5-20 Coupon, '62	112½	113	July, C. 1. Notes, 1864	114½	114¾
5-20 Coupon, '64	109	109½	Aug., C. 1. Notes, 1864	114	114½
5-20 Coupon, '65	109½	109¾	Sept., C. 1. Notes, 1864	113	113½
10-40 Registered	96	96	Dec., C. 1. Notes, 1864	112	112½
10-40 Coupon	102½	103	May, C. 1. Notes, 1865	110	110½
N. Y. County Loan	105	105½	Aug., C. 1. Notes, 1865	108½	108¾
Gold	147½	147¾	Sept., C. 1. Notes, 1865	108	108½
August 7, '67	107½	107¾	Oct., C. 1. Notes, 1865	107½	107¾

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STATE OF NEW-YORK, BANK DEPARTMENT, ALBANY, June 21, 1866.
NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 236, Laws of 1859, and 476 Laws of 1865, that the circulating notes issued to the BANK of the COMMONWEALTH, a banking association located in the City of New-York, will be redeemed at par, by the Superintendent of the Banking Department, on presentation at The New-York State National Bank in the City of Albany for six years from the date hereof, and not thereafter.
The outstanding circulating notes of the said bank must be presented, as aforesaid, within six years from date hereof; and all notes which shall not be presented for redemption and payment within the time specified will cease to be a charge upon the fund in the hands of the Superintendent for that purpose.
G. W. SCHUYLER, Superintendent.

STATE OF NEW-YORK, BANK DEPARTMENT, ALBANY, April 26, 1866.
NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to Chapter 236, Laws of 1859, and 476 Laws of 1865, that the circulating notes issued to the FIRST NATIONAL BANK of the City of New-York, a banking association located in the City of New-York, will be REDEEMED at par by the Superintendent of the Banking Department, on presentation at the New-York State National Bank in the City of Albany, for six years from the date hereof, and not thereafter.
The outstanding circulating notes of the said bank must be presented, as aforesaid, within six years from the date hereof; and all notes which shall not be presented for redemption and payment within the time specified will cease to be a charge upon the fund in the hands of the Superintendent for that purpose.
G. W. SCHUYLER, Superintendent.

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Dividend Notices.

OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD CO., CHICAGO, Ill., August 13, 1866.
DIVIDEND NOTICE.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Stockholders of the CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD COMPANY, that a DIVIDEND of FIVE PER CENT, free of Government Tax, has been declared out of the earnings for the last six months, upon the Preferred and Common Stock of the Company, payable at the office of Messrs. M. K. JESUP & COMPANY, No. 54 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on the first day of September next, to the holders of said stock who may be registered as such at the close of business hours on the 20th day of August, 1866, at which time the Transfer Books will be closed, and reopened on the 3d day of September next for transfers.
By order of the Executive Committee.
W. M. LARRABEE, Secretary.

UNITED STATES PETROLEUM COMPANY, No. 38 Pine-st., NEW-YORK, Aug. 29, 1866.
NOTICE.—The UNITED STATES PETROLEUM COMPANY have this day declared a DIVIDEND of THREE PER CENT for the month of August, payable on and after Saturday, Sept. 1. Transfer books will close on Saturday, Aug. 25, and be reopened again on Monday, Sept. 3. By order.
P. G. FENNING, Secretary.

OFFICE OF PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, NEW-YORK, August 25, 1866.
THIRTY-THIRD DIVIDEND.—Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors have this day declared a DIVIDEND of FIVE (5) PER CENT, out of the net earnings of the Quarter ending July 31st, payable at the office of the Company, on Saturday, September 1. The Transfer Books will be closed Monday, 27th inst., and reopened Tuesday, September 4. By order of the Board of Directors.
THEO. T. JOHNSON, Secretary.

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Savings Banks.

NEW-YORK SAVINGS' BANK, Eighth-ave., cor. Fourteenth-st.—SIX PER CENT interest, free of tax. Deposits made on or before September 1, will draw interest from September 1.
R. H. ELL, Secretary. THOMAS CHRISTY, President.

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Miscellaneous.

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THE PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION COMMITTEE.—The following gentlemen composed the General Committee, and subscribed to the Reception Dinner at Delmonico's, in honor of the visit of the President of the United States to this city, on the 29th inst.:

Alexander T. Stewart,	D. B. Allen,
Moses Taylor,	Thomas C. Acton,
William B. Astor,	S. B. Ruggles,
James Brown,	J. A. Stuart,
Henry E. Davies,	R. W. Howe,
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Hamilton Fish,	F. S. Kirtland,
O. D. F. Grant,	Leonard W. Jerome,
Richard Lathers,	Arthur Leary,
Wilson G. Hunt,	Charles Lanier,
H. H. Van Dyck,	George F. Butler,
E. M. Blatchford,	S. G. Courtney,
J. Pierpont,	Joseph S. Bestwick,
Moses H. Grinnell,	F. M. Wetmore,
Marshall Gooding,	D. F. Ingraham,
R. L. Stafford,	John Bryan,
James T. Brady,	D. Devlin,
C. O. Tuber,	S. J. Tilden,
John Van Nest,	J. F. Underhill,
J. D. McKenzie,	Abm. Wakeman,
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Geo. A. Osgood,	B. F. Manierre,
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E. H. Tinsey,	Wm. Blake,
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W. F. Shaw,	M. Wardell,
Thos. Morris,	Lawrence R. Jerome,
S. F. Fox,	Henry Hilton,
W. H. Vanderbilt,	C. K. Garrison,
W. R. Garrison,	C. Vanderbilt,
Franklin Allen,	C. P. Leverich,
R. L. Cutting,	J. L. F. Leslie,
J. J. Cisco,	Wm. Libbey,
Edward Cooper,	John D. Jones,
Geo. W. McLean,	E. J. Jackson,
Wm. Turnbull,	A. G. Norwood,
Frank Work,	Benj. Nathan,
Adolphe Wolf,	W. M. Pomeroy,
R. T. Woodward,	A. L. Robertson,
S. D. Babcock,	E. F. Morgan,
John Bruce,	J. W. Green,
C. L. Tiffany,	Wm. A. Budd,
E. H. Townsend,	J. H. Wade,
Edwards Pierrepont,	W. H. Hays,
J. R. Doolittle,	Stewart Brown,
Isaac Bell,	R. F. Clark,
Henry Chew,	Jas. McLean,
L. F. Norton,	W. T. Coleman,
Chas. Morgan,	H. A. Nelson,
M. O. Roberts,	James Roth,
W. C. Prime,	W. Radford,
A. H. Ruttinger,	A. Robinson,
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THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Aug. 28, 1866.
THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY, as the result of recent negotiations, having secured large additions to the extent of its lines, feels warranted at this time in offering to the public, in accordance with a well matured plan, the benefits arising from *increased facilities* and *uninterrupted telegraphic communication* between all parts of the country, in an *equitable* and *discriminating* reduction of rates to liberal patrons of the telegraph; and it is hoped and expected that the advantages to be gained by the adoption of a uniform Telegraph System, and the removal of barriers to *unbroken* communication—caused by and consequent upon separate and conflicting interests—while it works a permanent benefit by producing *increased reliability*, will enable the Company to offer from time to time additional inducements to the commercial public.
On actual payments for this Line made after Sept. 1, 1866, during any single month, by any individual, firm or corporation, for *telegraphing* (on his or their legitimate business), the following rebates will be paid by this Company:
On payments during the month of $50 and less than $200, 5 per cent.
On payments during the month of $200 and less than $500, 10 per cent.
On payments during the month of $500 and less than 1,000, 15 per cent.
On payments during the month of 1,000 and less than 1,500, 20 per cent.
On payments during the month of 1,500 and less than 2,000, 25 per cent.
On payments during the month of 2,000 and upward.....30 per cent.
Printed applications for rebates will be furnished by Office Managers, which being signed by the applicant, and indorsed as to correctness by the Manager, may be forwarded to the Secretary of the Company, who will authorize payment for the amount found to be due in accordance with the foregoing schedule.
J. H. WADE, President.

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THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm of SLADE & COLBY, expires this day, by limitation.—New-York, Aug. 31, 1866.
JARVIS SLADE.
GARDNER R. COLBY.

The undersigned have this day formed a Copartnership under the style of HARDING & COLBY, for the transaction of the Dry Goods Commission business at No. 78 Leonard-st., New-York, and No. 38 Franklin-st., Boston.
CHARLES L. HARDING.
New-York, Sept. 1, 1866. GARDNER R. COLBY.

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OFFICE OF PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, NEW-YORK, Aug. 27, 1866.
CAUTION.—The Public are cautioned against certain unauthorized parties who are ordering stores and supplies for account of this Company; no orders being recognized by the Company except those given in writing by its Agent, Purveyor, or other duly authorized officer.
By order RICHD. B. IRWIN, Sec. pro tem.

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REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON VOLUNTEERING.

IN BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, Aug. 15, 1866.

The following report was received, and ordered to be printed.
J. B. YOUNG, Clerk.

To the honorable the Board of Supervisors:

The Special Committee on Volunteering would respectfully present their

REPORT

of operations of filling the quota under the last call of the President for three hundred thousand (300,000) men, embracing a statement of their operations in raising the quota under that call, which, with reports heretofore submitted, forms a complete resume of the business of this committee from the commencement of their operations in August, 1863, to the date of this report.

On the 28th of September, 1864, as stated in the report of your committee, of date Oct. 1, all quotas demanded of the County of New-York up to that time had been filled. This was verified by the official certificate of Brig.-Gen. William Hays, A. A. Provost-Marshal-General for the Southern District of New-York, who subsequently furnished your committee with a complete statement of the quotas under the calls of February, March, and July, 1864, with credits allowed showing a surplus over all demands on the 20th of September of ninety-eight (98) men. The following is the statement:

EXTRACT from the Consolidated Return of Quotas and Credits, under Calls of 1864, of the Eastern Division of New-York, for the month ending September 30, 1864.

DISTRICTS.	COUNTY.	Quota under Call of Feb. 1, 1864.	Quota under Call of March 14, 1864.	Quota under Call of July 18, 1864.	Total of Quotas and Deficiencies.	New Recruits.	Veterans.	Credits by Voluntary Enlistments.	Credits by Draft.	Credits of Navy and Marines to September 30.	Substitutes in advance of Draft.	Total credits.	Surplus.
Fourth District	New-York	1,116	1,116	2,232	4,464	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	6,696	2,232
Fifth District	New-York	1,116	1,116	2,232	4,464	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	6,696	2,232
Sixth District	New-York	1,116	1,116	2,232	4,464	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	6,696	2,232
Seventh District	New-York	1,116	1,116	2,232	4,464	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	6,696	2,232
Ninth District	New-York	1,116	1,116	2,232	4,464	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	1,116	6,696	2,232
Total		5,580	5,580	11,160	22,320	5,580	5,580	5,580	5,580	5,580	5,580	33,480	11,160

I certify the above to be a true copy from the consolidated report on file in this office.
WILLIAM HAYS.
(Signed)
Brig.-Gen. and A. A. P.

In their summary report of September 28, 1864, announcing that the quota under call of July 18, 1864, was filled, your committee stated, that unless otherwise directed by your honorable body, it was their intention to continue the work of recruiting, in anticipation of a further call.

In accordance with this announcement, the work of raising recruits was continued on the basis of the bounties which were being paid when the quota of July 18 was filled, viz.: One hundred and eleven dollars ($170) for one (1) year, two hundred dollars ($200) for two (2) years, and three hundred dollars ($300) for three (3) year men, with premiums or hand-money of one hundred dollars ($100) for one (1) year, and twenty dollars ($20) for two (2) and three (3) year men.

The number of men induced to enlist by these bounties was very small, averaging only about two (2) men per day. The paucity of numbers, it was believed, was greatly contributed to by the enlisting of men in this County for other localities, which was permitted by your committee at the solicitation of General Hays, and of the Governor (through Adjutant-General J. B. Stonehouse), when our own quota, under the call of July 18, was filled. The purpose of this permission, when first granted, was to facilitate adjoining townships in this State in filling their quotas under that call by enlistments, this County having filled its quota mainly by credits. But it was understood that this permission was now being much abused, and used for the purpose of enlisting men here for other States; therefore, on the fifteenth of October, your committee revoked their permission for recruiting in this County for other localities, in the following letter to General Hays:

COUNTY COMMITTEE ON VOLUNTEERING, New-York, October 15, 1864.

Brig.-Gen. Wm. Hays, Acting Assistant Provost-Marshal General.

SIR: Understanding that the quotas of townships surrounding this county are about filled, and thus the object for which they were permitted to recruit and muster in this county being accomplished, I would respectfully recommend, on behalf of the Committee on Volunteering, that you now issue an order to the various Provost Marshals in the county requiring them to muster in recruits for their several districts only. We have been and are now paying the county bounty for men raised in anticipation of any future call, and recruiting for this county is again likely to become brisk. For this reason it is important that we should have at our own office the services of an experienced mustering officer, and we would be greatly aided, and believe the public interests would be best subserved, if Lieut. Parker could be continued with us in that capacity, which is the only one he now is performing clerical force. We also propose to reopen the volunteer rooms on the Battery, and would be pleased if you would designate a mustering officer for duty there, with a surgeon and the necessary clerical force. Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
(Signed) O. BLUNT, Chairman Co. Com. on Vol.

In accordance with the suggestions contained in this letter, Gen. Hays issued an order confining the Provost-Marshals to mustering in men for their own districts. He also detailed Lieutenant (now Captain) R. C. Parker, Twelfth United States Infantry, on duty at our office in the Park, and detailed Lieutenant Pyne for duty at the Battery office.

The number of recruits offering still continued small. Although the bounty of one hundred and seventy dollars ($170) for one (1) year was nearly double in proportion to the bounty offered for two (2) and three (3) years men, it was found that of men who did offer a large proportion preferred the longer terms of enlistment. In view of this fact, and as it was also understood that credits would be allowed on any future call for extra years of service, your Committee concluded that it would be to the best interests of the County to discontinue the payment of one hundred and seventy dollars ($170) for one (1) year men, and to resume the old bounty of one hundred dollars ($100), thus placing the two (2) and three (3) year men on an equal footing with the one (1) year men. It was also thought proper to change the amount of premium paid from one hundred dollars ($100) for one (1) year, and twenty dollars ($20) for two (2) and three (3) years men, to twenty dollars ($20) for (1) year, thirty dollars ($30) for two (2) years, and fifty ($50) for three (3) years recruits. This change in the bounty was made on the 24th of October.

No material change was made in the bounties paid prior to the issuing of the call of the President, dated December 19, 1864, for three hundred thousand (300,000) men. That call was officially communicated to your honorable body in report of this committee, dated December 31, 1864, in which report your committee stated the number of men demanded of the County of New-York (in addition to those already furnished) to fill the quota under that call. The additional number demanded, it appeared by the circular of the Provost-Marshal-General (embraced in said report) was four thousand four hundred and thirty-three (4,433) men.

It was also stated in that report that the fund previously created for raising volunteers was then almost exhausted. It was therefore appropriation of two million dollars ($2,000,000) was recommended, and an ordinance for the purpose submitted, which was adopted. This ordinance, in consequence of technical errors, was repealed by your honorable body, January 10, 1865, and a new ordinance adopted appropriating the same amount. (See Appendix "A.") annexed hereto.

This ordinance was without legislative sanction, and was in consequence it was found very difficult to obtain money. In the last authorized by law. A vigorous and determined effort was made to raise the four thousand four hundred and thirty-three (4,433) men demanded of us, the meager subscriptions to the loan greatly retarded operations. Because of want of funds to pay bounties, more than one-half of the men willing to take it, the enlistments at this time were fewer than ever. But it was confidently believed that, as soon as the Legislature should legalize our action, money would at once be obtained from the County, and we should speedily be enabled to raise the four hundred and thirty-three (4,433) men demanded. While laboring to achieve this end, and on the 24th of January, your committee were advised that the Provost-Marshal-General had revised the quota of the County of New-York, and that, instead of the four thousand four hundred and thirty-three (4,433) men heretofore called for to fill our quota, we were now to be compelled to raise twenty thousand (20,000) men. This startling fact was at once communicated to your honorable body in a brief report, dated January 24, 1865.

At the meeting of your honorable body at which that report was presented, your committee was directed by resolution (see Appendix "A.") to proceed to Washington to endeavor to obtain some explanation in regard to the change in the quota.

This duty your Committee at once proceeded to discharge, and on the 28th of January they laid before your honorable body (see report of this Committee of that date) the new order of the Provost-Marshal-General, demanding of New-York twenty-one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three (21,019) men, instead of four thousand four hundred and thirty-three (4,433). Accompanying this was an explanation of the causes of this change in the quota, as near as could then be ascertained, and it was also stated that any abatement in the claim for twenty-one thousand and nineteen (21,019) men was likely to be refused.

This increase in the demand of the Government upon this county of course created great consternation among the people of this city. Objections were demonstrated by your committee, in report made to your honorable body at that time, and your committee's views were fully sustained alike by the press and the public. But as there seemed to be no appeal from the demand, however unfair, there remained but the alternative for your honorable body and this committee to devise ways and means to meet it. It was then apparent that the million dollars ($1,000,000) appropriated by the ordinance of January 10, to raise four thousand four hundred and thirty-three (4,433) men, would fall far short of the sum which would be required now to raise twenty-one thousand and nineteen (21,019) men; and, as whatever sum might be appropriated would require legislative sanction, it was important that the necessary further appropriation should be made at once. Therefore, on the 1st of February, your honorable body adopted an ordinance appropriating the further sum of three million dollars ($3,000,000) for the payment of bounties. (See Appendix "A.") This made a total of five million dollars ($5,000,000) now appropriated to raise the quota of twenty-one thousand and nineteen (21,019) men demanded under the President's call, dated December 19, 1864, for three hundred thousand (300,000) men.

The next step was to secure legislative sanction for the two ordinances of January 10 and February 1.

Efforts were at once made to obtain such legalization, and on the 10th of February the Legislature passed an act (being chapter 28 of the Laws of 1865), which legalized the loans authorized by the ordinances of the Supervisors of January 10 and February 1, and in all the subsequent action taken by the Legislature of 1865 this legislation was confirmed. (See Appendix "B" for all acts of the Legislature of 1865, relating to bounties, &c.)

The number of recruits offering up to this time, at the bounties of one hundred dollars ($100), two hundred dollars ($200), and three hundred dollars ($300) for one (1), two (2), and three (3) years men, respectively, had been so small as to be absolutely discouraging. Other localities, whose agents swarmed around our doors, were their offering as high as one thousand dollars (1,000) for one (1) year men, being ten times the amount offered and paid by the County of New-York. Public opinion now seemed to be unanimously in favor of an increase of bounty in New-York. Chapter 29 of the Laws of 1865, already referred to, provided for a State bounty in place of local bounties, the amount fixed being three hundred dollars ($300), four hundred dollars ($400), and six hundred dollars ($600), for one (1), two (2) and three (3) years men, respectively. On the same day this law passed, your Committee resolved to increase the bounty paid by them to correspond with the amounts fixed by the State law. The new bounties for two (2) and three (3) years men were just double what had hitherto been paid, while for one (1) year men the amount was trebled. The increase was from one hundred dollars ($100), two hundred dollars ($200), and three hundred dollars ($300), for one (1), two (2), and three (3) years men, respectively, to three hundred dollars ($300), four hundred dollars ($400), and six hundred dollars ($600), for the corresponding terms of service. The hand-money was also increased from twenty dollars ($20), thirty dollars ($30), and fifty dollars ($50), for one (1), two (2), and three (3) years men, respectively, to fifty dollars ($50), seventy-five dollars ($75), and one hundred dollars ($100). The following was the resolution adopted by your Committee:

Resolved, That the County of New-York pay for a one (1) year recruit three hundred dollars ($300) bounty, and fifty dollars ($50) hand-money.

For a two (2) year recruit, four hundred dollars ($400) bounty, and seventy-five dollars ($75) hand-money.

For a three (3) year recruit, six hundred dollars ($600) bounty, and one hundred dollars ($100) hand money.

The bounty to be paid to the recruit in his own hand, as provided in the State law relating to bounties (viz.: Assembly Bill No. 115 of 1865), and the hand-money to the person who may present the recruit.

The increase in bounty and hand-money immediately gave a great impetus to recruiting. The number of men obtained at once from one (1) and (2) per day to fifty (50) and seventy-five (75), and steadily increased. So great was the increase that additional mustering officers, &c., became absolutely necessary. They were at once requested in the following letter:

COUNTY COMMITTEE ON VOLUNTEERING, New-York, February 15, 1865.

BRIG.-GEN. E. W. HIGBY, *Acting Assistant Provost-Marshal General, Southern Division of New-York.*

SIR: The Committee on Volunteering of New-York County has increased its bounty to recruits to three hundred dollars ($300) for one year, with fifty dollars ($50) premium; four hundred dollars ($400) for two years, with seventy-five dollars ($75) premium, and six hundred dollars ($600) for three years, and one hundred dollars ($100) premium.

The increased bounty has greatly stimulated recruiting in this County. On Monday we enlisted about fifty (50) men at the volunteer rooms, and yesterday nearly one hundred (100), beside almost seventy-five (75) men rejected each day, and we bid fair in the future to exceed these numbers. I am instructed by the County Committee on Volunteering to request that, in order to facilitate the work of recruiting at the volunteer rooms, you will detail another mustering officer to do duty there, with the necessary clerks, &c.

If you should not be authorized to employ the clerical aid, the County will provide for that at its own expense. If possible, it would be well also to detail at our office an additional surgeon, as we are unable to examine all who apply with the force at our command.

Trusting that it may seem judicious to you to promptly comply with these suggestions, I am, Sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
(Signed) O. BLUNT,
Chairman New-York Co. Com. on Vol.

This request of your Committee was promptly complied with, and thus every facility given for mustering in the large number of men offering.

Of the men enlisting at this time, a majority still preferred the longer terms of service, and as each three (3) years man enlisted required an expenditure of seven hundred dollars ($700), it will be perceived what a heavy drain an average enlistment of one hundred (100) men per day made upon the volunteer fund.

The increased number raised seemed to indicate that, notwithstanding the large quota demanded of us, we might yet be enabled to fill it without resort to a draft. But in the mean time, while every effort was put forth to raise men, no means were