LOCAL NEWS.

AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

THEATER.—Fourth night of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Williams. Barney as "Dr. O'Tool," and "Barney" in the "Irish Tutor," and "Barney the Baron;" and Mrs. Williams as "Lotty" in the interlude of "In and Out of Place." The Williams are drawing tremendous houses.

CANTERBURY HALL.—Second night of Tony Pastor, with Misses Duvall, Wells, Miles, La Folle, Maggie, little Ella, Talbot, Parker, Ward, Butler, and a host of other stars in an immense programme of songs, dances, and side-splitting comicalities, concluding with the capital pantomime, "The Rose of Sharon." Only three nights more of Tony Pastor, the Leoni Pantomime Company and other old favorites.

PHILHARMONIC HALL.—The Campbell Minstrels in an original and attractive bill of songs, dances, ballads, and Ethiopian performances, together with the "What is It" and the Albino family, the latter on exhibition all day.

ODD FELLOWS' HALL.—First appearance of Sanford's celebrated opera troupe, assisted by Mrs. Anna Bordwell, in a grand programme of burlesque opera, comedy, tragedy, pantomime and extravaganza, concluding with the burlesque opera of La Somnambula.

WILLARD'S HALL.—Great concert, and appearance of the talented pianist, L. M. Gottschalk, assisted by those brilliant stars, Signora Isabella Hinkley, Signors Brignoli and Susini, under the direction of Max Maretzek. A most attractive entertainment.

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION.—Smithsonian lecture by Rev. W. A. Martin on the subject of "China and the Chinese." Admittance free; doors closing at 8 o'clock.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION ROOMS, Pennsylvania avenue, opposite the Metropolitan Hotel.—Phantasmagoria of the war, an entertainment of unusual interest to the sight-seeing public.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—Hall open all day. Free concerts at 4 o'clock, popular music, excellent refreshments, and other attractions.

MUSICAL HALL.—Free concerts, embracing selections from the most popular operas, superior refreshments, &c., &c. Hall open all day.

A MISTAKE.—A morning paper is wrong in stating that Albert C. Ward was convicted of highway robbery and attempting to kill Charles B. Matthews.

The testimony of the prosecuting witness, which was the foundation of the indictments, was to the effect that the witness was knocked down by the prisoner with a paling taken from a fence for the purpose; that while the witness was prostrate the prisoner fired several shots at him from a pistol, one of which inflicted a wound on his forehead, and three passed through his clothing; that while the witness was insensible his money was taken.

On these charges two indictments were found—one for assault and battery with intent to kill, and one for robbery. The first only was tried, and on that only was the prisoner convicted. A *nolle prosequi* was entered by the District Attorney in the other case.

Judge Crawford, in sentencing Ward, briefly reviewed the evidence, and said it was one of the most aggravated cases ever brought before the court. The prisoner, as we have already stated, was sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary. Efforts are now being made to obtain his pardon from the Executive on account of his respectable family connections in his native State—Indiana.

SUPREME COURT, March 4.—No. 140. George Law, plaintiff in error, vs. Alexander Cross. The argument of this cause was concluded by Mr. Gillet for the plaintiff in error.

Nos. 141 and 142. George I. Foster, complainant and appellant, vs. Wm. W. Goddard, and Wm. W. Goddard, appellant, vs. George I. Foster. The argument of these causes was commenced by Mr. Sohier for the complainant, and continued by Mr. Goodrich for the respondent.

March 5.—Nos. 141 and 142. George I. Foster, complainant and appellant, vs. Wm. W. Goddard, and Wm. W. Goddard, appellant, vs. George I. Foster. The argument of these causes was continued by Mr. Goodrich for the respondent, and concluded by Mr. Barlett for the complainant.

No. 143. The Jefferson Branch of the State Bank of Ohio, at Steubenville, plaintiff in error, vs. Alexander Skelly. The cause was argued by Mr. Vinton for the plaintiff in error, and submitted on a printed argument by Mr. Murphy for the defendant in error.

THE HOTEL AND RESTAURANT KEEPERS.—Yesterday afternoon the hotel and restaurant keepers held another meeting, at Franklin Hall, relative to the order of the Provost Marshal closing their establishments at half past 9 p. m. The committee charged with the interests of the society before the military authorities reported that, having waited upon Gen. Porter for his promised answer to their request, they were informed by that officer that he had not changed his mind with regard to the necessity of the new rule, and should continue to enforce it.

Various plans were suggested by which to prevail upon the authorities to grant them the privilege of keeping their establishments open until midnight, as formerly; and a committee, composed of two from each ward, appointed to procure a list of all parties selling liquor in Washington, for the purpose of bringing before the notice of the authorities the magnitude of the loss sustained by them under the late prohibition.

POLICE.—This morning the Second Ward patrol reported John T. Holohan, assaulting his wife; security for peace, by Justice Hazard.

The Third Ward patrol reported Philip Wilson, colored, riding on the pavement; fined $2.94, by Justice Thompson. Mary Lynch, selling liquor to soldiers; security for court. Mary A. Hogan, do; do. Mary A. Hogan, selling liquor without a license; fined $20.58, by Justice Barnaclo.

The Fourth Ward patrolmen report John Jackson, obstructing the sidewalk; costs 58 cts. Mary Bruker, vagrant; workhouse 60 days. Thomas Mulquinn and Bridget Mulquinn, fighting; fined $2 58 each. J. M. Gorum, running wagon without license; dismissed. The same, for driving on the pavements; do., by Justice Barnaclo. James Custin, cart without license; fined $3 08. John Miller, do; dismissed. Andrew Cramer, do; do. Timothy Rogers, hacking without license; ordered to pay 58 cents costs, by Justice Walter.

THE FIRE IN GEORGETOWN.—It is supposed that the fire which destroyed the residence (in Georgetown) of Count Mercier, the French Minister, yesterday morning, originated from a defective flue in the furnace, and during the night made such headway that its progress could not be stopped. The wife of Count Mercier (an American lady) lost her jewels and narrowly escaped with her life. The Count's loss of personal effects, including a valuable library, amounts to about $15,000. Two fine pictures of the present Emperor and Empress of France were consumed. A raid was made into the wine cellars by the soldiers, firemen, and citizens, who thought it was better to drink the juice of the grape than have it destroyed, and the very choicest brands washed the smoke from throats not often made the channels for such expensive fluids.

AN AGREEABLE VISIT.—The members and friends of the Ninth street Methodist Protestant Church made a very agreeable visit to their pastor, Rev. P. Light Wilson, at the parsonage of the church, last Thursday evening. The pastor's term of service having expired, his congregation paid their respects to him during the day. At night the social circle consisted of about seventy persons, and these partook of a sumptuous supper provided by the ladies of the church for the occasion. Before the company separated, the pastor and his family had received unmistakable evidence of the esteem of the congregation, and their high appreciation of his pastoral service.

FOURTH WARD STATION CASES—*Before Justice Walter*.—Albert Campbell, larceny of a watch; jail for a hearing. August Craemer, murder of a soldier named Hammel; for further hearing. W. Campbell, larceny; dismissed—not the right man. Chas. Duvall, drunk; $1. Edward Barnes, do.; dismissed. A. Buckman, beating a colored man; turned over to the military. C. J. Eason, disorderly; $2. John Cook, drunk; turned over to the military. B. F. Baker, drunk; dismissed. Chas. Bure, do.; turned over to the military. Thomas Sullivan, do.; $2.

CRIMINAL COURT.—Yesterday, Nathaniel Lord was convicted of stealing a coat valued at $15 from Reuben Soloday, a soldier, and was sentenced to one year and three months in the penitentiary.

Montgomery Jones was convicted of stealing a watch valued at $39 from Charles Herzog, and was sentenced to one year and eight months in the penitentiary.

COMMENDABLE.—The unfortunate fate of Mr. George H. Randall, who lost his life by falling under a train on the Washington branch railroad at night, called forth evidences of sympathy not only among his many friends, but from the railroad company, which procured everything requisite for the funeral and interment, a handsome coffin, suitable grave clothes, &c.

A COMPLAINT.—*Editor Star:* The pump on G street, near Third, is out of order, and has been for the last two weeks. Please call the attention to it of those whose duty it is to repair, and oblige A SUBSCRIBER.

ANOTHER ROBBERY.—The residence of Mr. Geo. A. Smith, on the Navy Yard, was entered yesterday while the family were out, and a gold watch, some jewelry, and $175 in money was stolen.

ARMED.—About 600 recruits for the 19th New York regiment stationed at Fort Corcoran, yesterday passed our office on their way to the arsenal to be armed with the improved musket.

ACCIDENT.—A lad named Charles McGinnis, while passing along Fourth street yesterday on a pair of stilts, fell and broke an arm and leg.

ARREST FOR MURDER.—*Confession of the Prisoner*.—Yesterday evening Patrolman Leach arrested a man named August Craemer, who stands charged with the murder of a soldier of the 8th Regiment N. Y. S. volunteers, attached to Blenker's division, named Hammel. Craemer was taken to the Fourth Ward station, and Justice Walter being sent for, the prisoner confessed that he stabbed the deceased and knocked him on the head, but did not know of his death. He was sent to jail for a hearing.

Dr. Froelich, surgeon of the regiment, subsequently testified that on a Saturday afternoon in March last, he was notified that one of the men was lying dead in the woods, near. The witness went with his assistant and an officer to the place, and found the body lying on the right side; blood was flowing from the mouth and nose. Upon examining the body, found on the right side of the neck two slight cuts, each about half an inch long; and on the left side, about four inches long, a deep cut. The knife used could not have been sharp. On the right hand, between the thumb and first finger.

Witness thought the body had laid about two days and was frozen. The wound on the left side of the corpse was the cause of death. From the indications of the blood, the murderer must have been holding the victim. The prisoner had been under treatment of the witness about three months ago. He was then out of his mind; otherwise witness knows him to be a very good soldier and a very kind-hearted young man. The cause of his insanity was his receiving letters from his home about the death of his brother and sister, and suggesting his return to support his parents.

Craemer was born in Stuttgart and raised in Ludwigsberg, Germany, (Wurtemberg,) and has been three years in this country. He is twenty-five years of age. He is still in prison, awaiting the arrival of other witnesses from the camp in Virginia.

LOOKOUT FOR THEM.—Yesterday a ten-dollar note of the "Bullion Bank" was placed in the hands of Detective A. R. Allen, to be redeemed at the establishment, corner of Four-and-a-half street and the Avenue. The note was presented, but unfortunately there was not bullion enough on hand just then, so says the detective, on the teller's authority, to redeem it. The note was new, and apparently from the plate, but the teller subsequently pronounced it a counterfeit. The officer is awaiting the return of the president, to see a little more about the note. It is dangerous to take them at all, if they are counterfeited so exactly.

This morning persons have been shoving off large amounts of counterfeits of the Columbia Bank of Pennsylvania. Those we have seen are of the denomination of two dollars, photographed from the genuine, and probably issued since the Bank Note Detector. Vignette, eagle upon a shield, locomotive and cars upon a bridge in the distance; head of Washington on the left; female holding child, cornucopia at her feet; the word "two" on red ground below the name of bank, the red printed on after the photograph; Barlin Evans, President, Sam'l Shoef, Cashier. The fraud was discovered yesterday.

THOSE IN THE SECRET, viz: prominent army and naval officers, Senators, Congressmen and ourselves, witnessed a sight last night the most beautiful ever displayed to our admiring gaze.

Major Myer, founder and head of the Signal Department, whose services are so pre-eminently useful, even necessary, to the Army and Navy, last night submitted to a final test a night signal. The brilliant colors and changing hues formed a *tout ensemble* worthy of a Fourth of July celebration.

Of course, we are not in the secret as to the interpretation of the signals; none but Major Myer's officers are; but we are justified in saying that with these new signals, called asterisks, signaling can be done as unerringly by night as by the day flag system now in use, and which is so simple and effective in character—itself the invention of the major.

No army in the world is so thoroughly equipped as our own, and its signal department is superior to that of any other foreign service; and this is entirely owing to the earnest, one-idea, laborious Major Myer, who has seized on every adjunct to render his department aid. To day we may say it is perfect. *

CENTRAL GUARDHOUSE CASES—*Before Justice Walter*.—Geo. Stowell, drunk; dismissed. John Grinnell, do; do. Samuel Hines, do; turned over to the military. Frank Branson, drunk and disorderly; $2 58. James Williamson, caught in a gentleman's premises under suspicious circumstances; dismissed.

BRANCH FARMERS' BANK OF VIRGINIA, AT ALEXANDRIA.—The following gentlemen have been appointed directors of this branch, by Gov. Pierpont, in place of Messrs. J. H. Brent, J. M. Johnson, and Turner Dixon: C. S. Hallowell, Robert Bell, Sr., James Vansant.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION IN ALEXANDRIA.—The municipal election in Alexandria, held on the 4th inst, resulted in the re-election of the old officers without opposition, and by an increased Union vote.

NOTARIES PUBLIC AT ALEXANDRIA.—T. A. Stoutenburgh and J. P. Agnew have been appointed notaries public in Alexandria, by Gov. Pierpont.

FOR SALE, at the Marsh Market, on Saturday morning, 8th inst, eight fresh milk cows, with calves, from Franklin county, Pennsylvania. 21*

WIVES, MOTHERS, AND SISTERS, whose husbands, sons, and brothers are serying in the army, cannot put in their knapsack a more necessary or valuable gift than a few boxes of Holloway's Pills and Ointment. They insure health, even under the exposures of a soldier's life. Only 25 cents a box or pot. 219

COAL OIL, COAL OIL.—Best Kerosene Oil, (warranted,) by the barrel 38 cents, by the gallon 50 cents. Lamps, Cans and Shades, as cheap as can be bought in Washington, at Stewart & Son's, corner of Twelfth and H streets. mar 3—6t*

ALL PERSONS can find the best stock of Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Trunks, Hats and Caps, at Smith's, No. 470 Seventh street, near F. fe 27-3m

WHY IS IT that families and keepers of boarding houses send from all sections of the city to Dayton's Bakery, 456 Eleventh street, between G and H, for pies?

Answer.—Because they are made by experienced male and female operatives, who have been engaged in the manufacture of pies only for thirty years past, and every one admits that they excel all other pies made at any other bakery in this city. fe 26—6t

TAKE NO MORE UNPLEASANT AND UNSAFE MEDICINES.—For unpleasant and dangerous diseases, use Helmbold's Extract Buchu, which has received the endorsement of the most prominent physicians in the United States is now offered to afflicted humanity as a certain cure for the following diseases and abuse of the urinary or sexual organs: General debility, mental and physical depression, imbecility, determination of blood to the head, confused ideas, hysteria, general irritability, restlessness and sleeplessness at night, loss of appetite, absence of muscular efficiency, dyspepsia, emaciation, low spirits, disorganization or paralysis of the organs of generation, palpitation of the heart, and, in fact, all the concomitants of a nervous and debilitated state of the system. To insure the genuine cut this out. Ask for Helmbold's. Take no other. Cures guaranteed. See advertisement in another column. feb 4-tf

CORNS, Bunions, Calosities, Bad Nails, Enlarged Joints, and all diseases of the feet cured without pain, by Dr. White, Surgeon Chiropodist, 426 Pennsylvania avenue, between Four-and-a-half and Sixth streets. Room 7—2d floor. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. Calls made at private residences when desired. feb 17

THE INDIAN HERB DOCTOR,
From Canada, will describe diseases and tell his patients the nature of their complaints or illness, without receiving any information from them.
No charge for Consultation or Advice.

OUR MOTTO.

We use such Balms as have no strife
With Nature or the Laws of Life:
With Blood our hands we never stain
Nor poison men to ease their pain.

Our Father—whom all goodness fills,
Provides the means to cure all ills;
The simple Herbs beneath our feet,
Well used, relieve our pain complete.

A simple Herb, a simple Flower,
Cull'd from the dewy Lea—
These, these shall speak with touching power
Of change and health to the.

Room No. 11, Washington Building, Penn. avenue, corner of 7th street.

Canadian references of the Indian Herb Doctor:
Sir E. Heads, Governor of Canada.
Hon. Hy. Stearns, Mayor of Montreal, C. E.
Hon. Geo. Hall, Mayor of Quebec, C. E.
Hon. John Hutchinson, Mayor of Toronto, C. W.
Hon. J. B. Robinson.
Hon. Jas. Cummings, Mayor of Hamilton, C. W.
Hon. W. Matthews, of Brantford, C. W.
Hon. W. Barker, Mayor of London, C. W.
W. Savage, late Col. of Artillery.
H. P. Dwight, Supt. of Montreal Telegraph.
J. Taylor, Justice of the Peace, Toronto, C. W.
R. H. Crook, Alderman, Toronto, C. W.
J. Urquhart, Surgeon, Toronto, C. W.
fe 17-tf

INDIA RUBBER GOODS.

India rubber Sheets for protecting children's beds, that no family should be without; 75 cents each.

Rubber Blankets, for soldiers, $1.25 each.

Rubber Ponchos and Blankets combined, $2.50 each.

India Rubber Coats, white or black, $2.50 each.

India Rubber Leggins $1 per pair.

And all kinds of Rubber Goods, including Rubber Boots and Shoes, Rubber Stoppers for bottles, Door Mats, Under Sheetings for beds in sickness, &c., &c., at manufacturer's prices, at H. A. Hall's India Rubber Warehouse, 308 Pa. av., between Ninth and Tenth streets. feb 1-tf

TYLER'S COMPOUND SYRUP GUM ARABIC.—We take great pleasure in recommending the above favorite remedy for Coughs, Colds, and all affections of the Throat and Lungs. An attache of this office had a severe cough for several weeks, and after trying every likely thing, without any relief, was perfectly cured by a single bottle. We are not surprised that it is so largely patronized by our soldiers in camp.—*Balt. Clipper.*

FAMILIES who have never used Boston crackers are invited to try those manufactured fresh every day by J. L. Dayton. Sold by all respectable grocers. ja 28-tf

MARRIED.

On the 4th instant, by the Rev. Mr. Butler, at the residence of the bride's father, 13th street, Miss MARY C. FISHER, daughter of Mr. Charles Fisher and sister of our worthy Alderman, Mr. Thomas Fisher, to Mr. JAMES DUNFORD, of this city.

On the 4th instant, by the Rev. Mr. Finckel, CHARLES P. KENEDY TUCKER to MARY A. COLBERT, all of this city. *

On the 4th instant, by the Rev. Mr. Sipe, BENJAMIN LEACH to MARTHA ANN BAYLISS.

DIED.

On Thursday morning, March 6, Mrs. ANN HEMSLEY HYDE, in the 73d year of her age, relict of the late Thomas Hyde, of Georgetown, D. C.

Her funeral will take place at the residence of her brother in-law, John Waters, 190 High st., to-morrow (Friday) afternoon at 4 o'clock, which her friends and acquaintances are invited to attend. *

On the 5th instant, at 4 o'clock p. m., of inflammation of the liver, Mr. CHARLES M. PERRY, aged 27 years, for many years a clerk in the Treasury Department.

Friends and acquaintances of the family are requested to attend his funeral, to-morrow, 7th, at 10 o'clock, at residence on 14th street, between M and N. [Frederick and Baltimore papers copy.) *

On the 5th instant NELLIE, youngest daughter of William and Lucinda Powell, aged 3 years and 10 months. "Of such is the kingdom of Heaven." *

On the 4th instant, FANNY, infant daughter of Thomas and Phebe Boocock, aged 3 weeks and 3 days. [Baltimore Sun copy.] *

LIST OF UNCLAIMED FREIGHT

Found at the Railroad Depot, and now in Government Warehouse, near the Depot.

MARCH 3, 1862.

Cap Yates, 22d Regt N Y Vols, 2 boxes and 1 bbl
Sickles' Battery, 30 boxes
Surgeon C S Trippler, Medical Director U S A, 3 washing machines
Capt P Murphy, Van Allen's Cavalry, 1 box
Comd'g Officer 75th Regt N Y Vols, 1 box
Lieut G D Robinson, 75th Regt N Y Vols, 1 box
Lieut W D Davis, 43d Regt N Y Vols, 1 box
Q M G W Ford, 1st Regt U S Chasseurs, 4 boxes
Gen M R Patrick, 1 box
Col Wilson, 2d Ohio Vols, 1 box
S H Williams, Co K 1st Penna Cav, 1 box
L W Pierce, Q M 6th Maine Regt, 1 box
Genl Hospital, 1 box
Capt L Beale, 2d Infty U S, 1 box
Dr T Dimon, 79th New York, 1 box
3d Regt Maine Vols, 1 box
Rev L Wilson, 39th Penna Vols, 1 box
Col E D Keyes, 11th U S Infty, 1 bag and 2 bundles
Quarter Master 5th Maine Regt, 1 box
Capt Benson, 2 boxes shell
Maj B F Barker, 43d N Y Vols, 1 bag and 1 box
Capt R C Dwight, 75th N Y Vols, 1 bbl
A Van Amburg, 27th N Y Vols, 1 box
S B Parker, 1st Long Island, 1 box
99th Penna Vols, 1 box
Miss C Lawrence, for Hospital, 1 box
W H Covert, 12th N Y S T, 1 box
S Bennet, California Regt, 1 box
O F Watts, 3d N Y Vols, 1 box
P Robbins, 25th Regt, 1 box
Capt W H Reynolds, 1st Rhode Island Battery, 1 box
Capt G W Lumbard, 4th Michigan, 1 box
Q M Snyder, 33d Regt, 1 box
Col J W Bell, Ordnance Dept, 2 boxes
W H Fletcher, 2d Vermont, 1 box
Lieut A DeWriet, 15th New York, 1 box
H Henrosey, 2d Vermont, 1 box
M Smith, 6th New Jersey, 1 box
W Merrill, 3d New Jersey, 1 box
J H Guilick, Ellsworth Zouaves, 1 box
W H Fish, 17th Regt, 1 box
A Ernest, 29th New York, 1 box
W Wiermer, 11th Regt, 1 box
S Tilley, 2d Vermont, 1 box
R S White, 2d Vermont, 1 box
W S Rutler, 11th Penna, 1 box
John Smith, 34th New York, 1 box
J Adams, 22d New York, 1 box
5th Vermont Volunteers, 1 box
C H Vosburg, 18th New York, 1 box
14th New York, 1 box
G S Woodruff, 5th Conn Vols, 1 half barrel
M Hoyle, 15th Mass Vols, 1 box
J H Leonard, 1 box
Capt W Herseford, 13th New York Vols, 1 box
Gen McCall, Penna Reserves, 12 boxes
A Love, 44th New York Vols, 1 box
W H Smith, 30th Regiment, 1 box
U S Sanitary Com, 2 boxes and 3 bbls

Persons calling for this freight will please say that it is advertised. D. H. RUCKER,
1 4-1w,85 Quartermaster and Colonel.

HAIR NETTS—HAIR NETTS.

JUST Received another lot of those handsome double Chinelle Netts. Also, a fine assortment of twisted Silk and Corded Netts, in all colors, at the Trimming Store of MRS. LOWE, 297 Pa. ave., south side. mh 5

F. PALMER, WHO FORMERLY ACTED as agent of my Express Company, is no longer acting in that capacity, and is not authorized to collect any money or packages due me.
March 4th, 1862. JAMES S. GIBBONS.
mh 5-2t

NOTICE.

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the hauling business, was dissolved on the 4th inst. All persons indebted to the late firm, will make payment to JOHN MAY, who is authorized to settle the business.
JOHN MAY,
March 5th, 862. H. B. WISSNER.
mh 5-3t*

DR. J. H. PEABODY,
DENTIST,
Attends to all branches of his profession at the most reasonable rates for which good operations can be performed.
Office No. 276 Pennsylvania avenue, between 11th and 12th streets, two doors east of the Kirkwood House, in same building with Dr. Donaldson. mh 5 1m*,114

M. LOOMIS, M. D., the inventor and patentee of the MINERAL PLATE TEETH, attends personally at his office in this city.
Many persons can wear these teeth who cannot wear others, and no person can wear others who cannot wear these.
Persons calling at my office can be accommodated with any style and price of Teeth they may desire; but to those who are particular and wish the purest, cleanest, strongest, and most perfect denture that art can produce, the MINERAL PLATE will be more fully warranted.
Rooms in this city—No. 338 Pa. avenue, between 9th and 10th sts. Also, 907 Arch street, Philadelphia. mar 4-1y,80

DRY FEET!

THE RUSSIA WATER PROOF
makes and keeps
Boots and Shoes impervious to water, and will make them last as long again. Sold by E. DUPRE, 390 Penn. avenue, and all Boot and Shoe Dealers, and Druggists and others. Try it!
fe 27 1w*

SEALED PROPOSALS ARE INVITED till the 15th day of March, 1862, at 12 m., for purchasing from the Government the Hides and Tallow Hoofs, and Horns, Tongues, Chucks, and Shins, of all the Beef Cattle used by the Army of the Potomac, except those killed within the ancient limits of the District of Columbia.

No bid will be entertained unless the bidder is present to respond to his bid.

The Hides, Tallow, &c., obtained at the risk of the contractor—he will be held accountable for Hides, &c., of all animals killed, whether he gets them or not.

The bids to be directed to "Major A. BECKWITH, C. S., U. S. A., Washington, D. C.
fe 26-td

L. TOWERS. J. M. TOWERS. J. B. TOWERS.

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Corner Louisiana avenue and Sixth st.

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The attention of members of Congress is especially requested for our facilities for printing Speeches, as we have the *largest* steam power in the city. de 7-1aw6m

FOR SALE—A fine stock of Clothing, Furnishing Goods, Trunks, Hats and Caps, at wholesale prices, at No. 460 Seventh street, opposite Post Office. fe 27 3m

MONEY NAVY AGENTS BILLS.
Advanced on bills against the Washington Navy Agent, by
HARVEY, COLLINS & BRACE,
fe 28-1w* 476 Seventh st., between E and F.

BARNUM IS HERE!—On free exhibition, the finest stock of Clothing in the city, at the People's Clothing Store, No. 460 Seventh street, opposite Post Office. N. B.—All of the above goods for sale at very low prices. fe 27-3m

COAL OIL—COAL OIL!

I AM Now furnishing the trade with the best KEROSINE OIL at Baltimore prices; also, HAY, CORN, OATS, &c., at lowest market price.
S. W. O'LAUGHLEN,
fe 26-1m* Corner New Jersey av. and E st.

WE HAVE OPENED A LARGE STOCK of very fine UNDERSHIRTS and DRAWERS, which will be sold at reasonable prices. SAM'L W. THOMPSON,
370 Penn. avenue,
fe 15-tf under Brown's.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Wednesday, March 5th, a GARNET CROSS, set in gold. A liberal reward will be given if it is returned to No 247 I street. It was lost either on Pa. avenue, between 10th and 17th streets, or on 14th, G, or 17th streets, above the avenue. 1t*

NOTICE.—Came to the subscriber, on the 1st day of March instant, a dark bay HORSE, with some broken harness on. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.
W. A. T. MADDOX,
mh 6 3t* Farm near Georgetown, D. C.

$20 AND A SILVER WATCH REWARD.
The subscriber, if the GOLD WATCH, (English hunter, lever, gold face,) No. 8,800, which was stolen from his residence, is returned, will give $20 reward and no questions asked about the silver watch taken at the same time.
GEORGE W. GRAY,
mh 6 No 31 Bridge st., Georgetown, D. C.

$25 REWARD—RAN AWAY.—My NEGRO BOY, named Thos. Hawkins, aged about 20; about 5 feet 8 inches high; stout built; light mulatto; stammers in speech. The above reward will be given if said mulatto is caught in Maryland, and $50 if caught outside of Maryland, and so secured that I may get him.
W. H. WARD,
1t* P. G. Co., Md.

$5 REWARD—Strayed from the owner, on the 4th inst., a yellow colored HORSE, lame in the left hind leg. The above reward will be given on its return to No. 222 C st., between 13th and 13½ st.
mh 5-3t* MICKY HAMMER.

DOG LOST.—Strayed from No 344 18th st., a white and yellow Bull Terrier PUP, ears cropped; about 7 months old. Five dollars reward will be given for his delivery, or for any information that will lead to his recovery. mh 5 2t*

LOST—On the 28th, by the Chain Bridge, a brown HORSE, with wagon hames on. The horse was brown, and had a white star in his forehead, one white hind foot, and short tail. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving it at 469 Eighth st., between D and E.
mh 5 3t* J. HINSLEY.

FOUND—A pair of iron grey HORSES, with a private Carriage Attached. The owner can have the same by coming forward, proving property and paying charges, &c. Enquire at WILSON'S Lamp Black Works, corner 22d street and Canal mh 5 3t*

CAUGHT RUNNING AT LARGE IN THE streets of Washington, a bay MARE with saddle and bridle. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away. For the particulars, inquire 431 14th street, corner of I. mh 5 3t*

LOST—On the evening of March 1st, a dark bay HORSE, about 6 years old; 15 hands high; end of his tail cut square; and marked O. S. He was tied in front of the Ebbitt House, and supposed to have been taken by mistake, as another horse was left in his place. The person who took him will confer a favor by leaving word at the Ebbitt House. R. H. CHAPIN, 2d Lt 2d Artillery, U. S. A. mh 5-3t*,109

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT JAMES ANderson, of the county of Washington, brought before me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said county, on the 31 day of March, 1862, and made oath, in due form of law, that on the 1st inst., as a stray, trespassing upon his enclosures, a light brindle BUFFALO COW, with a white spot in her forehead, and a white list across her shoulders; hind legs white, and a white spot between the hips and a slit in the right ear; long bushy tail; white at the end, and gives milk; she is very poor.
Given under my hand and seal this 3d day of March, A. D. 1862. J. W. BARNACLO, J. P.
NOTICE.—The owner of the above described Cow is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away. JAS ANDERSON,
Living 5 miles on the Rock Creek Road.
mh 4-3t*,79

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, COUNTY OF WASHINGTON, *To-wit:*—I hereby certify that James S. Beavers, of this county, brought before me, one of the Justices of the Peace, in and for said county, this 8th February 1862, a dark brown MARE, about 15½ hands high; having its left hind foot white up to the ancle; its right hind foot with a little white under the fetlock; a star on its forehead; and its back sore. Said mare when found had on it a military saddle and bridle.
Given under my hand and seal.
W. THOMPSON, J. P.
The owner will come forward, prove property, pay charges, and take the above named mare away, or she will be sold to pay expenses. Call at office of Metropolitan Police, 516 11th st. fe 11 2aw3w

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FOR RENT—One newly FURNISHED ROOM, with Board, in a private family, on 2d floor, at No 462 8th st., between G and H sts. 1t*

HOUSE FOR RENT—A whole House, No. 391 Pennsylvania avenue, between 4½ and 6th streets, on lease from April next—a first-rate chance for keeping hotel, restaurant, etc. Apply at the premises.
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fe 24 7t WM. H. THOMPSON.

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