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### PROCLAMATION.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE, NASHVILLE, May 25, 1853.

BY the act of the General Assembly, passed February 2d, 1852, I am required to publish to the people of the State, that the amendments proposed to the Constitution, being Resolution No. 8, passed Nov. 26, 1851, entitled, "Proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, adopted by the present General Assembly, and to be acted on by the people," and Resolution No. 17, adopted Nov. 29, 1851, entitled "A resolution to alter the tenth article of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee," and which are hereto appended, were passed by a majority of the General Assembly at the session of 1849-50, and that at the next regular session, said resolutions were passed by two-thirds of all the members elected to each House, in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution, and that at the general election to be held on the first Thursday in August, 1853, said amendments are to be submitted to the people for their approval. The attention of the voters of the State is hereby called to the proposed amendments to the Constitution, and the Sheriffs of the several counties are referred to the act of the 2d February, 1852, in regard to their duties.

In Testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed. W. B. CAMPBELL.

L.S.

By the Governor:
W. B. A. RANEY,
Secretary of State.

*Proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, adopted by the present General Assembly, and to be acted upon by the people.*

The third section of the 5th article of the Constitution shall be so amended as to read as follows:

SECTION 3. The Judges of the Supreme Court shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State at large, and the Judges of such inferior courts as the Legislature may establish, shall be elected by the qualified voters residing within the bounds of any district or circuit to which such inferior Judge or Judges, either of Law or Equity may be assigned, by ballot, in the same manner that members of the General Assembly are elected. Courts may be established to be holden by justices of the peace. Judges of the Supreme Court shall be thirty-five years of age, and shall be elected for the term of eight years.

The fifth section of the sixth article of the Constitution shall be so amended as to read as follows:

SEC 5. An Attorney General for the State shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State at large, and the Attorney for the State for any circuit or district to which a Judge of such inferior court may be assigned, shall be elected by the qualified voters within the bounds of such district or circuit, in the same manner that members to the General Assembly are elected; all said attorneys, both for the State and circuit or district, shall hold their offices for the term of six years. In all cases where the Attorney for any district fails or refuses to attend and prosecute according to law, the Court shall have power to appoint an Attorney *pro tempore*.

SCHEDULE TO AMENDMENTS.

SEC. 1. And that no inconvenience may arise from the proposed amendments, should the same be adopted by the people, it is declared that all judges of the Courts and Attorneys contemplated in the proposed amendments, shall continue to hold their offices and exercise the duties and functions thereof, according to the true existing laws and Constitution, until the election of their successors by the people, to be held and made under and by virtue of laws passed by the General Assembly, (next elected, after the ratification of the proposed amendments by the people,) which law shall prescribe the times and places of holding said elections, and shall be passed without delay, and in strict pursuance of said amendments. *Provided*, The Legislature shall appoint a day for holding the election of Judges and Attorney General separate and apart from the days already prescribed, or hereafter to be prescribed by the Legislature, for holding the elections for State and county officers.

JORDAN STOKES,
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*
M. R. HILL,
*Speaker of the Senate.*

Passed November 21, 1851.

*A Resolution to alter the fourth section of the tenth article of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee.*

*Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee*, That the fourth section of the tenth article of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, be so altered that a new county may be formed out of a portion of the territory now composing the counties of Haywood, Madison, Gibson and Dyer, the line of which shall not run nearer than ten miles of Dyersburg; and that a new county may be formed out of a portion of the territory now composing the counties of McNairy and Hardeman; and that a new county may be formed out of that portion of Obion county, that lies west of Reelfoot lake on the Mississippi river; and that a new county may be formed out of fractions of the counties of Washington, Sullivan, Hawkins and Greene, by the name of the county of Polk; and that a new county may be formed out of a portion of the territory now composing the counties of Marion and Bledsoe; which new counties may consist of less than three hundred and fifty square miles, and the lines of said new counties may run nearer than twelve miles to the county seats of said old counties; and said old counties may be reduced below six hundred and twenty-five square miles.

*Be it further resolved*, That a new county may be formed out of the south-west portion of Wayne county, and the south-east portion of Hardin county, and that said new county may consist of less than three hundred and fifty square miles, and that the county of Lewis, formed out of the fractions of Maury, Lawrence, Wayne and Hickman, by an act passed on the 21st day of December, 1843, chap. 85, entitled "An act to establish the county of Lewis," shall be declared a constitutional county, and may consist of less than three hundred and fifty square miles. *Provided*, A majority of the qualified voters of said county shall agree thereto by a popular vote. *Provided*, It shall not reduce the counties of Maury, Lawrence, Hickman, and Wayne, below their constitutional limits.

JORDAN STOKES,
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*
M. R. HILL,
*Speaker of the Senate.*

Adopted November 29, 1851.

☞ The Union and American, Nashville, and the Register and Statesman, Knoxville, and the Eagle and Enquirer, and Appeal, Memphis, will publish until the day of election and send accounts to this office.—*True Whig.* [may27td


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P. P. PECK, Agent.

DR. B. W. HALL, DR. R. M. POSTER, } Medical Examiners.

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sep18 JOHN S. DASHIELL, Agent.

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Office N. W. corner Public Square, opposite Planters' Bank. Nashville, Aug. 10, 1852.

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## MISCELLANEOUS.

PROPOSALS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
Bureau of Yards and Docks, 1st June, 1853.

SEALED PROPOSALS *in duplicate* for each class separately, endorsed "Proposals for Class No. ," for the navy yard at Memphis, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on the 16th day of July next, for furnishing and delivering, at such place or places within the navy yard aforesaid as may be directed by the commandant thereof, the materials and articles herein specified, viz:

| CLASS No. 1. | Dollars | Cts. |
|---|---|---|
| 120,000 best hard-burnt red bricks ..... per M | | |
| CLASS No. 2. | | |
| 100 barrels unslacked (St. Genevieve) lime per bbl | | |
| CLASS No. 3.—MISCELLANEOUS. | | |
| 3,031 bushels clean sharp sand ..... per bushel | | |
| CLASS No. 4.—MISCELLANEOUS. | | |
| 1,650 feet 1-inch cypress sheeting ..... per 1,000 feet | | |
| 900 feet 1½ inch yellow-pine flooring per 1,000 feet | | |
| 150 feet 2-inch white-pine plank ..... per 1,000 feet | | |
| 18,720 feet, board measure, cypress, 20 feet long, 12 by 12 ..... per 1,000 feet | | |
| 21,600 feet, board measure, cypress, 30 feet long, 6 by 12 ..... per 1,000 feet | | |
| All the lumber to be of the best quality, clear of sapwood, rot, knots, splits, shakes, and all other defects. | | |
| CLASS No. 5. | | |
| 180 barrels best Louisville cement, in bbls of 200 pounds ..... per barrel | | |
| CLASS No. 6.—MISCELLANEOUS. | | |
| 2,500 pounds pig lead ..... per pound | | |
| 48 pounds sheet copper, 20 by 60 inches No. 12 ..... per pound | | |
| 15 boxes A tin ..... per box | | |
| 75 pounds block tin ..... per pound | | |
| CLASS No. 7. | | |
| 100 bushels charcoal ..... per bushel | | |
| CLASS No. 8.—MISCELLANEOUS. | | |
| 200 pounds English blister-steel, assort'd. per pound | | |
| 200 pounds cast-steel, assorted ..... per pound | | |
| 600 pounds horse-shoe iron, 1 by 1 inch ..... per pound | | |
| 2,506 pounds bar iron, 3 by 1 inch ..... per pound | | |
| CLASS No. 9. | | |
| 364 piles, each 30 feet long, 12 inches diameter at middle ..... per lineal foot | | |
| CLASS No. 10.—MISCELLANEOUS. | | |
| 5 dozen 14-inch bastard files ..... per dozen | | |
| 4 dozen 14-inch 1-round bastard files ..... per dozen | | |
| 3 dozen 14-inch half-round files ..... per dozen | | |
| 4 dozen 10-inch 3-square files ..... per dozen | | |
| ½ dozen horse rasps ..... per dozen | | |
| CLASS No. 11.—MISCELLANEOUS. | | |
| 16,000 pounds best quality hay ..... per ton | | |
| CLASS No. 12.—MISCELLANEOUS. | | |
| 600 bushels corn ..... per bushel | | |
| 400 bushels oats ..... per bushel | | |
| 6 bushels salt ..... per bushel | | |
| 2,000 pounds sheaf oats ..... per pound | | |
| CLASS No. 13.—MISCELLANEOUS. | | |
| 20 pounds horse-shoe nails (No. 9) ..... per pound | | |
| 1 cast-iron screw-block, (200 pounds,) pattern furnished ..... per pound | | |
| 1 churn mandril ..... each | | |
| 1 pair 40-inch bellows ..... each | | |
| 1 universe-hole punch (50 pounds) ..... per pound | | |
| 1 screw-plate, to cut from ¼ to 1 inch screws ..... each | | |
| 2 masons' squares (steel blades) ..... each | | |
| 2 2-foot folding rules ..... each | | |
| 20 pounds borax ..... per pound | | |
| 10 gallons lard oil ..... per gallon | | |
| 1 barrel coal tar ..... per barrel | | |
| 50 pounds glue ..... per pound | | |
| 20 pounds chalk ..... per pound | | |
| 1 ream sand-paper, assorted Nos ..... per ream | | |
| 11 dozen 5-o Russia bristle brushes ..... per dozen | | |
| 1 dozen 3-o Russia bristle brushes ..... per dozen | | |
| 6 dozen sash tools ..... per dozen | | |
| 1 dozen camel's-hair pencils, assorted ..... per dozen | | |
| 2 putty knives ..... each | | |
| 2 spirit levels ..... each | | |
| 6 dozen masons' lime brushes ..... per dozen | | |
| 10 pounds rendered tallow ..... per pound | | |
| 2 pounds saltpetre ..... per pound | | |
| 1 pound flour of sulphur ..... per pound | | |
| 2 barrels tar ..... per pound | | |
| 2 gallons train oil ..... per gallon | | |
| 1 gallon No. 6 ..... per gallon | | |
| 2 dozen bottles mustang liniment ..... per dozen | | |
| 1 dozen bottles arnica and arnica liniment per dozen | | |
| CLASS No. 14.—MISCELLANEOUS. | | |
| 10 reams best quality ruled letter paper ..... per ream | | |
| 10 reams best quality ruled cap paper ..... per ream | | |
| 4 quires envelope paper ..... per quire | | |
| 1 quire imperial drawing pape ..... per quire | | |
| 1 quire extra sized drawing paper ..... per quire | | |
| 2 quires tracing paper, 40 by 26 inches ..... per quire | | |
| 600 quills, No. 80, best quality ..... per 100 | | |
| 4 gross best metallic pens ..... per gross | | |
| 1 dozen pen-holders ..... per dozen | | |
| 1 dozen pint bottles best black ink ..... per dozen | | |
| ½ dozen bottles French carmine red ink ..... per dozen | | |
| 2 dozen papers black sand ..... per dozen | | |
| 3 dozen blank books, two Nos. 9 ..... per dozen | | |
| 2 dozen pieces India-rubber ..... per dozen | | |
| 12 dozen black lead pencils, best quality, assorted ..... per dozen | | |
| 2 dozen bottles taste ..... per dozen | | |
| 4 dozen bolts linen tape (red) ..... per dozen | | |
| 4 pounds red sealing-wax, best quality ..... per pound | | |
| 500 envelopes, assorted sizes ..... per 100 | | |

For printed schedules and form of offer, bidders are referred to the Navy Agent at Memphis, Tenn.

It is to be provided in the contract, and to be distinctly understood by the bidders, that the amount and number of articles enumerated in classes headed "Miscellaneous," are specified as the *probable* quantity which may be required, as well as to fix data for determining the lowest bid; but the contractor is to furnish more or less of the said enumerated articles, and *in such quantities and at such times as the bureau or commandant may require*, during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1854, at the prices specified, until further contracts shall be made for the ensuing fiscal year of 1854-'55; and, whether the quantities required be more or less than those specified, the prices shall remain the same.

All the articles must be of the best quality, delivered in good order, free of all and every extra charge or expense, and subject to the inspection, count, weight, or measurement of the navy agent at Memphis, and be in all respects satisfactory to the commandant thereof.

Contractors for classes headed "Miscellaneous," who do not resine near the place where the articles are to be delivered, will be required to name in their proposals an agent at the city or principal place near the yard of delivery, who may be called upon to deliver articles when they shall be required.

The deliveries of all building materials may be commenced forthwith, and must be commenced within sixty days after the date of the contract, and continued from time to time, as in the opinion of the commandment of the yard the wants of the service may require, and *must be completed within the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1854.*

They will be measured, inspected, counted, or weighed, by the rules adopted by the government, at the navy yard: for instructions regarding which, and for a more particular description of all materials, reference is made to the commandant of the yard: When all other things are equal, preference will be given, in awarding the contracts, to articles of the growth, production, and manufacture of the United States.

Approved sureties, in the full amount of the contract, will be required, and twenty per centum, as additional security, deducted from each payment until the contract shall have been completed or cancelled, unless otherwise authorized by the department.

On classes headed "Miscellaneous" to be delivered as required during the fiscal year, the twenty per centum retained may, at the discretion of the commandment, be paid quarterly on the first of January, April, July, and October, when the deliveries have been satisfactory; the balance (eighty per cent.) will be paid by the navy agent at Memphis, within thirty days after the presentation of bills in triplicate, duly vouched and approved. No part of the per centum reserved is to be paid until all rejected articles offered under the contract shall have been removed from the yard, unless specially authorized by the department.

It will be stipulated in the contract that, if default shall be made by parties of the first part in delivering all or any of the articles mentioned of the quality and at the times and places above provided, then, and in that case, the said parties will forfeit and pay to the United States, as liquidated damages, a sum of money equal to twice the amount of the contract price herein agreed upon as the price to be paid for the articles in case of the actual delivery thereof, which liquidated damages may be recovered from time to time as they accrue.

The sureties must sign the contract, and make affidavit that they, in the *aggregate*, are worth over and above their debts and liabilities the full amount of the contract.

Each offer must be signed by the person or persons making it, and by the guarantors, according to the form annexed, and their residence, naming the town and State, must be distinctly stated.

It is to be provided in the contract that the bureau shall have the power of annulling the contract, without loss or damage to the government, in case Congress shall not make sufficient appropriations for the articles named, or for the completion of the works estimated for, and on which this advertisement is based.

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

All offers not made in *strict conformity* with this advertisement will, at the option of the bureau, be rejected. Those only whose offers may be accepted will be notified, and contracts will be ready for execution without delay by the navy agent at Memphis.

FORM OF OFFER.

*To the Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, Navy Department.*

, in the State of , hereby offer to furnish, under your advertisement dated day of and subject to all the requirements of the same, all the articles embraced in class No. , viz:

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(Signatures.) and

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I subjoin the certificate of Prof. M. GARBERT, of Memphis, Tenn., with whom I often advised during the time of my suffering.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 17, 1852.

I hereby certify that I have been acquainted with Dr. J N. Bledsoe and some years ago he was reduced I believe lower than I have ever seen any one that afterwards recovered, with what I supposed to be Dyspepsia and Liver affection, and after trying the prescriptions of many Physicians in this as well as other countries, without relief, he finally succeeded with a preparation of his own in being restored to good health. M. GARBERT, M. D.

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HUNTSVILLE, January 19, 1852.

DR. BLEDSOE:—I take the liberty and feel it to be my duty to recommend to all persons suffering from disease of the stomach and bowels, your Alterative Compound, as a very superior medicine. My son, aged 15 years, had been under medical treatment about five years for dyspepsia and diarrhea—when having almost despaired of his recovery, I concluded to try your Alterative, two bottles of which, I believe, entirely cured him. MICAJAH CAYCE.

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DR. BLEDSOE—Some time has elapsed since I gave a certificate that my wife had been greatly benefited by your Alterative Compound. I now take pleasure in saying to the public, that my wife had for three or four years been subject to the worst kind of spells of cramp in the stomach from dyspepsia. I had tried of several whom I thought to be the best physicians in the place and a great many different medicines, with momentary relief. Being persuaded to try your alterative compound, I did so—and I am happy to say that it has entirely cured her; and I would conscientiously recommend it to all persons suffering from diseases of the liver and dyspepsia. N. B. ROBERTSON.

HUNTSVILLE, Sept. 29, 1851.

DR. BLEDSOE—Having seen the publication of your Alterative Compound, I think it my duty to say to the public, that I had been for years subject to spells of Cramp Colic, in its worst form; that I had tried almost every thing that is given by physicians, and never found any thing that would certainly relieve me until I tried the above medicine, which has relieved me in every attack in less than an hour.

WM. B. LLOYD.

GILES COUNTY, Tenn., Dec. 23, 1851.

DR. BLEDSOE:—I feel that I should fall short of my duty to you and to those who are afflicted, were I not to further recommend your Alterative Compound. It has entirely relieved me, so that I have not had cause to take anything in two months. I can eat anything I want with impunity, and believe my health is as good as it ever is at my advanced age. Should I ever suffer from dyspepsia again I shall be sure to call on you. I am very respectfully your friend.

ELIZABETH J. HARWOOD.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., August 24, 1851.

This is to certify, that I had suffered for many years with Dyspepsia and Diseases of the Liver. Physician after Physician had prescribed for me without my receiving any benefit, when I commenced the use of Dr. Bledsoe's Alterative Compound, which cured me soundly, and I recommend it because of the same happy effect upon others of my acquaintance. JOSEPH CAROTHERS.

HUNTSVILLE, Ala., March 5, 1852.

DR. BLEDSOE—SIR: Judging from the certificates you have already advertised, it will be almost unnecessary for me to add further evidence in regard to the healing virtues of your Compound; but I must say, that for years I suffered a great deal from Dyspepsia and enlargement of the spleen, and thought that I never would recover. I commenced taking your compound about nine weeks since, and have gained 25 or 30 pounds, and feel about as well as I ever did.

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