LOCAL NEWS.

DEATHS OF SOLDIERS.—The following have died since our last issue:

Chas. Fagba, company B, 1st N. J.
Jacob McGowan, company A, 108th Pa.
Sergeant Cyrus H. Royce, company I, 8th Mich.
Edwin A. Sawyer, company E, 21 U. S. S. S.
Daniel T. Ruffenberger, company —, 150th Pa.
Jas. Walton, company D, 91st Pa.
J. S. Holt, company F, 9th N. H.
L. M. Shurtleff, company H, 16th N. Y.
Milton Farlen, company H, 9th Mich.
Corporal Allen Hagan, company G, 108th Pa.
Sergt. Geo. Richman, company D, 11th U. S. Inf.
L. C. Moody, company A, 5th N. H.
Corp. Joshua Richardson, company E, 24 Mich.
Chas. S. Williams, company E, 11th Vt.
Corp. Wm. E. Byall, company E, 11st Pa.
Robt. F. Sackett, company E, 5th Mich. cavalry.
Alfred Hilson, company H, 157th N. Y.

MILITARY COMMISSION APPOINTED IN THE CASE OF DR. WILMER.—A military commission, of which Major General Hitchcock is to be the president, has been appointed by the Secretary of War, to examine into the case of Dr. Wilmer, the well known Philadelphia divine, who was recently captured by the Potomac flotilla while attempting to cross the Potomac on his way to Dixie.

It is said this commission will partake somewhat of the character of a court-martial.

"BASHFUL" TREASURY NOTES.—John McCoey, who was arrested a few days since for stealing a pocket book from Mr. Coleman, grocer, on the corner of New York avenue and Ninth street, it appears, belongs to an association of thieves, from Western New York, who are engaged in "raising" one-dollar Treasury notes to tens, and twos to fifties.

PROF. FOWLER'S LECTURE LAST NIGHT, on "Intellect and Memory," was full of interest and instruction to every stage of life, and abounded in practical maxims, which, if closely followed, would lead to that empire so little sought after, yet so essential to man's supremacy on earth—the empire of self-control and proper self-esteem.

ROBBING A SOLDIER.—Henry H. Nash was arrested yesterday, charged with robbing John Hughes, a discharged soldier, of $18 and his railroad pass homeward, at Purdy's "Hole in the Wall," corner of 8 street north and Second street west—a notorious rendezvous of thieves, pickpockets, etc.

LECTURE BY GRACE GREENWOOD.—This distinguished authoress lectures to-night at Dr. Sunderland's church, on "Washington, London, and Rome; Personal Recollections of Society, and Eminent Personages." This is a rare treat for our citizens, and we doubt not she will be greeted by a large audience.

HORSE STEALING.—Daniel Swaggart was arrested yesterday for the larceny of two horses.

(Communicated.)

A NEW CHURCH.—The Ryland Chapel, M. E. Church, lately occupied as a U. S. General hospital, has been pronounced by practical mechanics to be in a failing condition. An expenditure of $1,500 to $1,800 would be required to make the necessary repairs; but this would not relieve it from an uncomfortable and unhealthy basement. Under these circumstances, the Quarterly Conference have decided to erect a new house on the site of the old.

A congregational meeting has been called, and a number of ladies and gentlemen have been appointed to obtain subscriptions and make collections. These collectors are now calling on the benevolent for aid in furtherance of this enterprise, and it is hoped the community will give their application a favorable consideration. Thus far we are encouraged beyond our expectations; members of other denominations as well as our own, and the public generally are responding nobly to the call.

Ryland Chapel, I understand, was the first church erected in this part of the city, and its site is one of the best that could be selected. Our congregation is now worshipping at the Sixth Street Presbyterian Church, whose Pastor and people have placed us under a debt of gratitude which we shall not be able soon to pay. May Heaven reward them for their kindness.

J. W. HOOVER, Pastor.

Washington, February 18.

GO TO WHITEHURST, 524 Pennsylvania avenue, to obtain superior Likenesses at reduced prices. Fine Card Vignette, formerly sold at $5 per dozen, now selling at $4; half dozens, same rate. Colored Imperials reduced from $30 to $20; selling whole size colored at only $8. I will excel in "Colored Carte de Visites," having secured the services of a superior artist for that branch of business. Likenesses of many of those fallen in battle can be obtained here; also card photographs of prominent men, both civil and military. nov 21—tf

DESIRABLE INDIA RUBBER GOODS.—Mr. H. A. Hall has just received a lot of Officers' Long and Light dull finished Coats; also, dull finished Ponchos, extra large sizes; also, a lot of blue English Talma's, very long, at $10 each; which he is selling at manufacturers' prices, at his India Rubber Warehouse, 310 Pennsylvania avenue, between Ninth and Tenth streets. oct 27—tf

Amusements.

GROVER'S THEATRE.—The success which has attended Mr. and Mrs. Barney Williams is somewhat extraordinary. Night after night the house is crowded to its greatest capacity; the audiences never tire of the genuine wit, humor, and diversified drolleries and comicalities of the accomplished couple, and though the engagement were protracted indefinitely, yet, we believe, the houses would still be crowded.

The production of the "Magic Joke," last evening, was a success not paralleled by any other of the engagement. The play is one of those burlesques which depends more upon a plot, its beautiful scenery, music, &c., than most others, therefore it has superior chances of success. In the character of *Prince Dolgoras*, which was ably expressed by the Mrs. Barney Williams, she displays greater genius, versatility, and general vocal and terpsichorean ability than any other play in which she has heretofore appeared. Her costumes were of a most elegant and gorgeous description, her songs entrancing, and her dances bewitching. Together characters of the play are well written. Mr. Setchell was particularly funny as *Kelshum*.

The other plays of last evening were "Irish Assurance and Yankee Modesty," with Mr. Barney Williams as Pat, with the song of "Widow Machree," and his famous "Cat and Pig" story, and Mrs. Williams as Nancy Stokes. The concluding play of the evening was the roaring farce of "Teddy the Tiler," in which Mr. Barney Williams caused many vociferous shouts of laughter by his comic impersonation of Teddy, in which character he sang admirably the popular song of "Trust to Luck." The "Magic Joke," "Irish Assurance and Yankee Modesty," and "Teddy the Tiler" will be performed again this evening. We can commend these plays as those of a decidedly popular character, forming a programme the like of which may probably not be presented again this season. The two Irish plays will not be repeated after to-night. It therefore behooves those who would enjoy the fun to be in attendance this evening. The manager announces that the beautiful spectacular drama of the "Fairy Circle" is to be produced again for one time only. Do not fail to see the "Magic Joke," for we cannot tell how soon it may be taken off.

CANTERBURY.—Another capital bill of performance is prepared at this great place of resort for this evening, when, in spite of the weather, a crowd will, as a matter of course, be in attendance. One thing has been reduced to a certainty, and that is, *nobody can visit the Canterbury, remain during the performance, and leave without feeling that he has received the worth of the quarter or half dollar which he invested for admission, in enjoyment and fun.* The charming vocalist, Miss Clara Harrington, will make her ninth appearance to-night. Misses Mortimer and Pennoyer will appear in new songs and dances; also in the crowning act of all, the "Arab Lay." The two beautiful and bewitching sisters, M'lles Augusta and Marie, will contribute greatly to the enjoyment of the audience by their brilliant execution of several splendid dances. The "Court of Beauty," which well merits such an appellation, being composed of several of the most beautiful ladies in the country, will execute one or more of their magnificent ballets.

VARIETIES.—This evening is announced as the third night of the grand trial dance and contest of skill, between the champion world-famed clog dancers, Dick Sands and Tim Hayes, who, for the last two nights, have crowded this favorite resort to repletion. So evenly are these gentlemen matched, that it is very difficult to tell, who is the superior, time for. The match is an amusing one—commencing with a double dance, followed by a series of single ones, and winding up with the two contestants dancing side by side as before. Great enthusiasm is manifested by the audience, all during the champion match—repeated to-night in conjunction with M'lle Zoe and Ada Tessman, in the Gipsy's Lay. Fred May, the Irish vocalist, in merry songs. The champion lady jig dancer, M'lle Lizetta appearing in a mammoth bill by the triple company. The box office is open from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m., for gentlemen to secure seats during the match.

A WORD OF ADVICE.—Those who have been suffering for weeks and months without obtaining relief, should consult Dr. Fishbiate, whose office is at No. 488 E street, corner of Eighth street, and be radically cured. Twenty-five years' experience has established Dr. Fishbiate's reputation as a physician. Recent cases cured in a few days. Charges moderate.

DR. FISHBIATE,
Nos. 488 E street, corner of Eighth,
Opposite the General Post Office.

ATTENTION, AFFLICTED!—Dr. Velley is yet engaged in an extensive practice in this city, and we would call the attention of the poor, puny, emaciated victims of their own sins to the best sources of remedy. First give up your present course of life at once and forever; and secondly, call on the most skilful physicians, (and none are better than Dr. Velley,) and be cured of the disease which is now undermining your constitutions and sending you to a premature grave.

INDIA RUBBER GOODS.—It is not necessary for Mr. H. A. HALL to enumerate the different styles and kinds of Rubber and Gutta Percha manufacturers goods he keeps (he has them all) on hand; and a glance into the beautiful store or list of prices given by his attendants, will convince any one that his establishment is really the only *India Rubber Warehouse*, and is located at 310 Pennsylvania avenue, next door to Messrs. Harper & Mitchell's Dry Goods warehouse, between Ninth and Tenth streets. dec 5—tf

DIED.

WARWICK.—On the 17th inst., of Typhoid-Pneumonia, HERBY WARWICK, in the 23d year of his age.

The friends and relatives of the deceased are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from the residence of his mother, No. 254 6th street between G and H streets, to-morrow (Thursday) morning at 10 o'clock.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

☞ A Rare Treat.—Washington, London, and Rome; Personal Recollections of Society and Eminent Personages; a Lecture by GRACE GREENWOOD at Dr. Sunderland's Church, Four-and-a-half street, this evening at 7½ o'clock. Admittance 25 cts. at the door.

The proceeds of this lecture will be donated by the lecturer for the benefit of the sick and wounded soldiers of her native State, New York.

This is the only opportunity which will be afforded the good people of Washington to hear this gifted and accomplished lady this season.

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☞ Smithsonian Lectures.—Prof. Henry Wurtz, of New York, will Lecture on Friday, February 20th, and Monday 23d, on "Gunpowder," with illustrations and experiments.

The public are invited. The Lectures commence at 8 o'clock p. m. Admittance free.

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☞ Grand Fair.—The Grand Fair in aid of Sick and Wounded Soldiers, to be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, (Seventh street,) under auspices of the German Relief Association, will open next MONDAY EVENING, the 23d inst., at 7 o'clock.

Season Tickets, admitting a gentleman and two ladies, Fifty cents. feb 17—d3t

☞ Smithsonian Lectures.—Dr. Jno. Torrey, of New York, will Lecture, on MONDAY and WEDNESDAY evenings, February 16th and 18th, on "Artificial Light."

The Lectures commence at 8 o'clock p. m. Admittance free. feb 16—3t

☞ Grace Church (Rev. Alfred Holmead Rector) will be opened for service this evening, (Ash Wednesday) at 7½ o'clock. feb 17—2t*

☞ Important to Females—Dr. Cheeseman's Pills.—The combination of ingredients in these Pills are the result of a long and extensive practice. They are mild in their operation, and certain in correcting all irregularities, Painful Menstruations, removing all obstructions, whether from cold or otherwise, headache, pain in the side, palpitation of the heart, whites, all nervous affections, hysterics, fatigue, pain in the back and limbs, &c., disturbed sleep, which arises from interruptions of nature.

DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS

was the commencement of a new era in the treatment of those irregularities and obstructions which have consigned so many to a PREMATURE GRAVE. No female can enjoy good health unless she is regular, and whenever an obstruction takes place the general health begins to decline.

DR. CHEESEMAN'S PILLS

are the most effectual remedy ever known for all complaints peculiar to Females. To all classes they are invaluable, *inducing, with certainty, periodical regularity.* They are known to thousands, who have used them at different periods, throughout the country, having the sanction of some of the most *eminent Physicians in America.*

Explicit directions, stating when they should not be used, with each box—the *Price One Dollar per Box,* containing from 50 to 60 Pills.

Pills *sent by mail, promptly,* by remitting to the Proprietor. Sold by Druggists generally.

R. S. HUTCHINGS, Proprietor,
20 Cedar street, New York.
Sold by S. CALVERT FORD,
Cor. Pa. ave. and 11th st.,
Washington.

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☞ A Cough, Cold, or an Irritated Throat, if allowed to progress, results in serious Pulmonary and Bronchial affections, oftentimes incurable.

BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES

reach *directly* the affected parts and give almost instant relief. In BRONCHITIS, ASTHMA, and CATARRH they are beneficial. The good effects resulting from the use of the Troches, and their extended use, has caused them to be counterfeited. Be sure to guard against worthless imitations. OBTAIN only the *genuine Brown's Bronchial Trochei,* which have *proved* their efficacy by a test of many years. PUBLIC SPEAKERS and SINGERS should use the Troches. Military Officers and Soldiers who overtax the voice, and are exposed to sudden changes, should have them. Sold everywhere a 25 cents per box. jan 17—dkw3m

Another Important Cure!

COUGH, SORE THROAT, DIPTHERIA,
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CURED BY

PEARSON'S MEDICATED TAR DROPS!

TRY THEM,

AND BE WISE IN TIME!

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 5, 1862.

GEO. PEARSON, Esq.—*Dear Sir:* I purchased a package of your MEDICATED TAR DROPS, my son having a severe Cough and SORE THROAT, (in fact, pronounced by many the first stages of DIPTHERIA,) when, to my astonishment, they cured him, as many neighbors will also testify, since which I would not be without them. Respectfully, yours,

L. SHELAR SMITH,
No. 461 E street.

Prepared and sold by GEO. PEARSON, 5 N. Liberty street, Baltimore. Sold also at 491 Eighth street, near Pennsylvania avenue, Washington, and at the Drug Stores. Price, 15 cents per package. jan 22—1m

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DRAKE'S PLANTATION BITTERS.

They purify, strengthen, and invigorate.
They create a healthy appetite.
They are an antidote to change of water and diet.
They overcome effects of dissipation and late hours.
They strengthen the system and enliven the mind.
They prevent miasmatic and intermittent fevers.
They purify the breath and acidity of the stomach.
They cure Dyspepsia and Constipation.
They cure Diarrhœa, Cholera, and Cholera Morbus.
They cure Liver Complaint and Nervous Headache.

They are the best Bitters in the world. They make the weak man strong, and are exhausted nature's great restorer. They are made of pure St. Croix Rum, the celebrated Calisaya Bark, roots and herbs, and are taken with the pleasure of a beverage, without regard to age or time of day. Particularly recommended to delicate persons requiring a gentle stimulant. Sold by all Grocers, Druggists, Hotels, and Saloons. P. H. DRAKE & CO., 202 Broadway, New York. se 25—6m

☞ The Great Pennsylvania Route.—The quickest and safest route to the Northwest and Southwest. Two through trains daily, and one on Sunday. Soldiers' tickets at Government rates to all the principal points in the North and West. For tickets and further information apply at the office of the "Great Pennsylvania Route," northeast corner Pennsylvania avenue and Sixth street, under National Hotel. Office open from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m., on Sundays 8 to 4 p. m.

E. O. NORTON,
Agent.

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☞ Batchelor's Hair Dye—The Best in the World.—William A. Batchelor's celebrated Hair Dye produces a color not to be distinguished from nature; warranted not to injure Hair in the least; renedies the ill-effects of bad dyes, and invigorates the Hair for life. GREY, RED, or RUSTY HAIR instantly turns a splendid Black or Brown, leaving the hair soft and beautiful. Sold by all Druggists, &c.

☞ The genuine is signed WM. A. BATCHELOR, on the four sides of each box.

Factory, No. 81 Barclay street, (Late 303 Broadway and 16 Bond,) New York. my 23—1y

PROPOSALS FOR WELLS, PUMPS, &c.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
Washington, February 17, 1863.

PROPOSALS in writing will be received at this office up to 12 o'clock M., on the 16th day of March next, for making Pumps, Hydrants, Logs for conveying water, and for sinking Wells, including all necessary materials and workmanship in digging, laying, fixing, and completing in the best manner, and for keeping the same in perfect repair for constant use, in the First district, composed of the First and Second wards; in the Second district, composed of the Third, Fourth, and Seventh wards; and in the Third district, composed of the Fifth and Sixth wards, (each district to be bid for separately, and to be given to different contractors,) for the term of one year, commencing on the 1st day of April, 1863, agreeably to the following specifications:

FOR WELLS.

Digging and walling wells, including materials and removing the dirt, per foot, lineal. The walls to be four inches thick, of good hard brick.

Cleaning out wells each.

Sinking old wells deeper, per foot.

Taking out old walls and putting in same, per foot.

Cases of eight feet length, per foot.

Cases more than eight feet length, per foot.

Covering new wells, including materials. The covering to be of the best Eastern Shore joist, not less than three inches thick, laid double.

Paving new wells, including brick and pump stone.

Opening old wells, and covering same with old materials, each.

Opening old wells and covering same with new timber.

FOR PUMPS.

Taking out and putting in old pumps, per log, each.

Making new joints in old logs.

New logs put in old pumps, per foot.

New boxes and spouts to old pumps, each.

New pumps, per foot.

Boxes and spouts for new pumps, each.

Copper chambers for pumps.

The top log of the pumps to be of the best seasoned white oak, and the remainder to be of the best seasoned yellow pine.

FOR HYDRANTS.

Keeping the hydrants in repair, viz: stopping all leaks, &c., all new valves and spouts, repairing the old ones, and repairing the old irons belonging to them, when it can be done without taking the hydrants out, each.

Taking out hydrants and putting in same, each.

New hydrants, per foot.

Spouts for hydrants, each.

Spout stones do do.

Painting pumps and hydrants, each.

IRON WORK.

Handles, axles, spears, plates, bands and repairs, per pound.

Spout and lower box irons for pumps, each.

New joints to old spears.

New spout and valve irons for hydrants.

The work and the materials to be all of the best quality of their respective kinds.

No offer will be received that is not made by a practical pump maker.

The person or persons whose offer may be accepted will be required to enter into bond for one thousand dollars, with two good sureties, conditioned for the faithful performance of his or their contract; and should any contractor or contractors fail or refuse to comply with any of the conditions or terms of his or their contract, or to execute any work within the time named in the order of the Commissioner directing it to be done, the Mayor is authorized to employ any other person or persons to execute the same, or to furnish the materials, upon such terms as he may deem expedient, in which event the contractor or contractors so failing shall be responsible to this Corporation for any loss or damage it may sustain thereby, and the Mayor may, at his discretion, annul the contract of such contractor or contractors.

RICHARD WALLACH,
Mayor.

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WASHINGTON IRON WORKS,

Maine avenue, bet. Four-and-a-half and Sixth sts.,

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Manufacturers of

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Repairs of all kinds of machinery and Steam Boilers will receive our personal attention, and dispatch and punctuality be assured.

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BOOK FOR LEFT.

AT
RUSSELL'S,
320 Seventh, under Avenue House.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber hath obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington county, in the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the personal estate of Michael Baldwin, late of Washington county aforesaid, deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 17th day of February next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 17th day of February, A. D. 1863.

HENORIE M. BALDWIN,
her
mark.
Administratrix.

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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, THAT THE subscriber hath obtained from the Orphan's Court, of Washington County, in the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the personal estate of Charles Haburn, late of Washington County, D. C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 17th day of February next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 17th day of February, A. D., 1863. WILLIAM E. ANDRE,
feb 18—w3w* Administrator.

FEMALE COLLEGE,
BORDENTOWN, N. J.

This Institution is pleasantly located on the Delaware river, thirty miles north of Philadelphia. It has been in successful operation for more than ten years, and is one of the most flourishing institutions of learning in the country.

Special attention is paid to the Common and Higher branches of English, and superior advantages furnished in Vocal and Instrumental Music, Drawing, and Painting. French and Latin are taught by experienced teachers.

Persons coming from the South can leave Walnut street wharf, Philadelphia, at 6 and 8 a. m., and 2, 4, 4½ and 6 p. m.

REFERENCES IN WASHINGTON:
Hon. J. C. Ten Eyck, Senate.
Hon. J. M. T. Wrattan, House of Representatives.
John F. Polk, State Department.
James L. Cox, Treasury Department.
W. H. Van Nortwick, Department of Internal Revenue.
T. J. Groot, M. D.
For catalogues, address
Rev. JOHN H. BRAKELEY, A. M.,
President.

feb 18—3m*

CITY HALL, February 16, 1863.

THE ASSESSORS, having completed the assessment for 1863, will meet in their room, (City Hall, as a Board of Appeal, from the 18th instant to the 7th of March proximo, inclusive, to hear complaints and to make such corrections as they may deem necessary. feb 17—2aw3w

CAMP STOVES!

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We are now manufacturing CAMP, COOK and HEATING STOVES, which we will sell by the dozen or hundred as cheap as they can be bought in Baltimore. E. M. & H. I. GREGORY,
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GREAT EXCITEMENT!—Tremendous rush at F. Smith's—No. 480 Seventh street—for some of our nice CLOTHING, which we are selling off at very low prices, (considering the great advance in goods.) We have on hand the best stock of Clothing ever offered in this market, and we are selling them off at astonishing low prices, at SMITH'S, No. 480 Seventh street, two doors above J. Bruce, & Co. ja 26

PROPOSALS FOR BLUE STONE FLAGGING.

FEBRUARY 9, 1863.

PROPOSALS for Blue-Stone Flagging will be received at the office of the Bureau of Construction, Treasury Department, until 12 o'clock M., February 25, 1863, for Blue-Stone Flagging, according to the following schedule:

180 Stones, 7 feet 6 inches, x 3 feet x 4 inches.
100 to 200 Stones, 1 foot 9 inches, x 2 feet x 2 inches.

All Stones to be squared, dressed to an even thickness, and without any windage whatever. The whole to be delivered by the 15th of March next, at the Treasury Building.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all the bids, if considered for the interest of the Government to do so.

Bids to be enclosed in a sealed envelope, endorsed "Proposals for Blue-Stone Flagging."

ISAIAH ROGERS,
Engineer in Charge Treasury Department.

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AMUSEMENTS.

GROVER'S THEATRE,

Pennsylvania Avenue, near Willards' Hotel.

Leonard Grover - - - - - - Manager

THIS (WEDNESDAY) EVENING, FEB. 18,

Twenty-second Night of

The Great Irish and Yankee Comedians,

MR. and MRS. BARNEY WILLIAMS,

Who will appear for the last time but one in

THE MAGIC JOKE;

Or, Prince Dolgoras.

Prince Dolgoras - - - - - Mrs. Barney Williams.
Kelshum - - - - - - - Mr. D. Setchell.

Last time, positively, of the Irish-Yankee piece, Hastily

IRISH ASSURANCE AND YANKEE MODESTY.

Pat - - - - - - - Mr. Barney Williams

(With the popular song of "Widow Machree," and the original cat and pig story.)

Nancy - - - - - - Mrs. Barney Williams.

Last time certainly of the popular Irish farce

TEDDY THE TILER.

Teddy - - - - - - - Mr. Barney Williams,

(With the popular song of "Trust to Luck.")

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Private boxes, $8; Dress Circle, 50 cts.; Orchestra Chairs, 75 cts.; Family Circle, 25 cts.; Colored Gallery, 25 cts.; Colored Parterre, 50 cts.

Seats may be secured from 10 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m.

Secured seats 20 cents extra.

Doors open at 6½ o'clock; performance at 7½.

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WANTS.

WANTED.—A GIRL, colored or white, to do the general housework of a small family; no small children. To such will be paid fair wages and a good home will be given. Enquire at 467 13th street near F street. feb 18—4t

WANTED.—A gentleman and wife, without children, want a small house, or two or three rooms of a house, unfurnished, north part of city, for permanent occupancy. Take possession on 1st of March or April. References exchanged. Will pay $5 for suitable information. Address, immediately, R. C. M., care box 481, P. O.

feb 17—3t*

WANTED.—A situation as NURSE, by a respectable American girl. Call for three days at corner house, Temperance alley, D street, between Ninth and Tenth streets. feb 17—3t*

WANTED.—A SMALL HOUSE or TENEMENT, containing three or four rooms, suitable for a small family. Address note to B. F. C., at this office. feb 11—6t

WANTED—To Rent or Buy a HOUSE in this city; would prefer it in a central situation. Any one having such, or can give information, will please apply by letter at this office, under the address "JOHNSON." jan 20—1m

A WET NURSE, with first child, young and healthy, of the highest respectability, with good references, wishes a SITUATION to nurse child. Inquire at this office for MRS. SMITH. jan 20—tf

A HOUSE WANTED—for a private family, of the highest respectability, with good references as to responsibility, &c.—in any part of this city, if within reach of the city railroad. If not suited, a part of a house may do. Will pay a fair rent; and will pay for trouble to a person knowing of such. Please address Post Office, box 590, M. L. jan 20

A GIRL WANTED—for general housework, in a small, private family, 437 Ninth street, between F and G, opposite the Patent Office—a good Washer and Ironer. Must come well recommended. jan 20.

WANTED.—At the New York Employment Agency Office, No. 511 Ninth street, near Pennsylvania avenue, TWENTY-FIVE (25) White and Colored GIRLS, with good references, as Cooks, Chambermaids, Laundresses, Waitresses, Nurses, and Seamstresses. Also, young Colored Men, to wait on tables in Private Families or Hotels. Also wanted, houses immediately, with or without furniture. Employers in want of good help, will find it to their advantage to call.

may 26—tf N. H. MILLER.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

CONCERT SALOON FOR SALE.—Having advertised a "Concert Saloon" for sale in the DAILY REPUBLICAN, I noticed in the *Chronicle* the management of another saloon notify the public that it is not their place for sale, which notification I endorse, for it is a FREE *concert saloon* I have for sale. I could not offer for sale the saloon of the management who misconstrued my advertisement, without they gave me a definite decision in the matter; then I would endeavor to sell for them as readily as I do the FREE *concert saloon* I now offer for sale. Regretting that my business has unintentionally been compounded with others, yet confiding myself that only the pursuit of my own business seems to be the "head and front of my offending."

I remain, respectfully,

N. H. MILLER,
Real Estate Agent and Proprietor Washington Intelligence Office, 511 Ninth street, near Pennsylvania Avenue.

☞ A first-class FREE Concert Saloon for sale. For particulars, inquire at my office.

feb 16—1w

FOR RENT.—A STORE, on Pennsylvania avenue, south side, will be rented to a party that suits, at a reasonable rent. Enquire at the Agency Office, 511 Ninth street, near Pennsylvania avenue.

feb 3 N. H. MILLER.

DESIRABLE PARTIES WISHING STRICTLY first-class board, in a centrally-situated house, may apply, addressing Lock Box 54. None but persons willing to pay a reasonable price need answer. jan 19—tf

A BRICK STABLE FOR RENT—between Ninth and Tenth streets, near Pennsylvania avenue. Room for four horses and wagon. Enquire at this office. jan 20—tf

FURNISHED ROOMS AND PARLOR TO RENT, in a first-class new HOUSE, with new Furniture—No. 261 F street, near Ninth. The house is a very desirable one, being near the Post and Patent Offices. References given and required.

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The undersigned respectfully, by this, gives notice that this Hotel will be continued, under my management, for the benefit of the travelling community and citizens. The house is being entirely renovated, equal to a first-class house, for the benefit of guests and permanent boarders, with moderate charges. Thankful for past patronage, I respectfully solicit that it shall be continued.

MRS. LETITIA M'NICKLE.

P. S.—All amounts outstanding must be presented for examination and adjustment without delay.

feb 16—eod1m L. M'N.

PROPOSALS FOR CIRCULAR MARKING AND RATING STAMPS.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT,
Washington, January 15, 1863.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this Department until and including the 20th day of March, 1863, for furnishing, for the use of the Post Offices of the United States, for four years from the first day of April next, MARKING AND RATING STAMPS of the following description, viz:

CLASS 1.

Circular marking stamps of steel, or any other durable material, of a circumference not to exceed 3½ inches or less, as the Postmaster General may direct, with the name of the office and State, with type for the years, months, and days, in blocks of like material, with sufficient thumb-screw for the same, with handles of cocoa, mahogany, or other heavy wood, of a model most convenient for use. In proposals for this class of stamps, the bidder will state the additional charge, per letter or figure, for inserting within the circle, when required, such words and figures as paid, free, paid 10, ship, &c.

CLASS 2.

Circular marking stamps of iron, or any other durable material, for the use of post offices and route agents on railroad and steamboat lines; with the name of the office and State, or the name of the railroad or river line; with type for months and dates, in blocks of durable material, with suitable thumb-screw, and handles of black walnut, cherry, or other suitable wood, of a model best adapted for use, the circumference of the stamp to be the same as described in Class No. 1.

CLASS 3.

Circular marking stamps, of fit and durable material, of the same size of Class No. 1; with the name of the office and State; with types for months and dates, of printer's type metal, in blocks of single letters and figures, with thumb-screw and handles; the same as described in Class No. 2.

CLASS 4.

Marking stamps for foreign mails, similar to those now in use in the post offices at New York, Philadelphia, Boston, &c., or of any other style adapted to the above purpose.

Also, the following rating stamps, to correspond with the circular stamps in Classes 1, 2, and 3, in materials, handles, and workmanship, and such other rating stamps, not named herein, as may be required, of a like description, at prices not exceeding those for the style or material thereof shall be altered by direction of the Department, the price shall be increased or reduced in the same proportion, viz: Paid, free, missent, forwarded, post office business fee advertised, steamboat, ship, held for postage, mis sent and forwarded, canceled, due, due 3, paid 10, paid 15, paid 24, paid 30, refused, misdirected, not found, unclaimed.

Proposals for improved or patented stamps will also be considered.

The right to change or alter the style of the stamps described in either class, upon equitable terms, is reserved to the Postmaster General.

Proposals will be received for furnishing the whole of the above-named circular stamps, or of each class separate.

Stamps will be ordered for the different classes of offices, agreeably to the rules now in force, and according to such rules and regulations of the Department as may hereafter be adopted in relation thereto.

The number of circular stamps required per annum is estimated at three hundred for the first class, three hundred for the second class, twelve hundred for the third class, and one hundred for the fourth class.

The number of rating stamps for the same period is estimated at twenty-five hundred.

Models of the stamps must accompany the proposals.

Each bidder must furnish, with his proposals, evidence of his ability to comply with his bid.

Sufficient securities will be required to a contract, and the stamps must be delivered at the Post Office Department, at the expense of the contractor.

Proposals must be endorsed on the outside of the envelopes, with "Proposals for Post Office Marking Stamps," and addressed to the First Assistant Postmaster General, Washington, D. C.

M. BLAIR,
jan 13—w4w Postmaster General.

PROPOSALS FOR GLASS.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Feb. 13, 1863.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the Office of the Bureau of Construction, Treasury Department, until 12 o'clock M., March 24, 1863, for GLASS, according to the following schedule of sizes and qualities. Samples of the kind of Glass estimated for to be furnished by each bidder:

French Plate Glass.

194	plates	42 3-16 x 20 1-8	
130	do	42 5-8 x 20 1-8	
114	do	45 1-4 x 20 1-8	
120	do	48 3-16 x 20 1-8	
13	do	48 3-16 x 20 1-8	
114	do	43 3-16 x 20 1-8	
139	do	27 7-8 x 19 3-8	
33	do	27 7-8 x 19 3-8	
114	do	36 11-16 x 20 1-8	

Double Thick French Crystal.

32 plates 31 3-16 x 16

Rough Hammered Glass for Skylights.

56 plates 61 x 25 3-4 inch thick

All the Glass to be delivered at the Treasury Building, perfect and unbroken, and according to samples in thickness and quality. The whole to be delivered from the 15th of March to the 1st of April, as may be required.

All bidders must add suitable guarantees of their ability to perform the contract, and the successful bidder will be required to give proper bond for the fulfillment of the contract.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all the bids, if considered for the interest of the Government to do so.

Envelopes containing bids to be endorsed "Proposals for Glass, Treasury Extension."

ISAIAH ROGERS,
Engineer in charge Treasury Department.

feb 14—w4M2 Washington, D. C.

PROPOSALS FOR PLUMBERS' WORK will be received at the office of the Bureau of Construction, Treasury Department, until 12 o'clock M., February 20th, 1863, for the articles described in the following schedule:

128 marbled basins, (with overflow,) 13 inches diameter.
128 waste-cocks, with rod, lever and flange plate.
128 strainers, with couplings.
64 No. 2 basin cocks, with two openings.
64 stop-cocks, with couplings on one end.
64 trap-screws, two inches.

Bids must state price for each article delivered at the Treasury Department, in good order. Each bidder must furnish a sample of every article estimated for. The whole to be delivered from the 10th of March to the 1st of April, as may be required.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all the bids, if considered for the interest of the Government to do so.

Envelopes containing bids to be endorsed "Proposals for Plumbing Work."

ISAIAH ROGERS,
Engineer in charge Treasury Depart't.

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ORPHANS' COURT.

District of Columbia, Washington county, to wit:

In the case of Charles Walter, administrator of John F. Gilroy, deceased, the administrator aforesaid has, with the approbation of the Orphans' Court of Washington county aforesaid, appointed Tuesday, the 31 day of March next, for the final settlement and distribution of the personal estate of said deceased, and of the assets in hand, as far as the same have been collected and turned into money; when and where all the creditors and heirs of said deceased are notified to attend, (at the Orphans' Court of Washington county aforesaid,) with their claims properly vouched, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit in said deceased's estate: provided a copy of this order be published once a week for three weeks in the *National Republican* previous to the said 31 day of March, 1863.

Test:

Z. C. ROBBINS,
feb 3—1aw3w* Register of Wills.

ORPHANS' COURT.

District of Columbia, Washington County, to wit:

In the case of Lawrence M. Morton, administrator of William Morton, deceased, the administrator aforesaid has, with the approbation of the Orphans' Court of Washington county aforesaid, appointed Tuesday, the 31 day of February next, for the final settlement and distribution of the personal estate of said deceased, and of the assets in hand, as far as the same have been collected and turned into money; when and where all the creditors and heirs of said deceased are notified to attend, (at the Orphans' Court of Washington county aforesaid,) with their claims properly vouched, or they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit in said deceased's estate. Given under my hand this 11th day of February, A. D. 1863.

JAMES C. McDONALD,
feb 14—1aw3w* Administrator.

ORPHANS' COURT.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,
WASHINGTON COUNTY, *to wit:*

In the case of Lawrence M. Morton, administrator of Cyprian A. Morton, deceased, the administrator aforesaid has, with the approbation of the Orphans' Court of Washington county aforesaid, appointed Tuesday, the 31 day of February next, for the final settlement and distribution of the personal estate of said deceased, and of the assets in hand, as far as the same have been collected and turned into money; when and where all the creditors and heirs of said deceased are notified to attend, (at the Orphans' Court of Washington county afores