National Republican

To Our Subscribers.

On and after the first day of December the price of the DAILY NATIONAL REPUBLICAN, delivered at the residences of subscribers, will be twenty cents per week, or forty-five cents per month.

In consequence of the great drought which has prevailed for months past in the Middle and Northern States, the paper mills worked by water power in those States have furnished but little paper, and some have stopped altogether, making it impossible for those worked by steam power to supply the demand. Much paper has consequently been imported at heavy cost.

In consequence of this fact the price of paper has risen, since we reduced the price of the REPUBLICAN in July last, over *fifty* per cent. We are therefore compelled to increase the price to meet this unprecedented rise in the price of paper, and hope that it will be only temporary, and it we shall be able to resume the old prices in a short time.

NOVEMBER 28, 1865.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

CAUGHT STEALING AND SHOT.—Saturday evening, a colored man named Samuel Dorsey, was caught by the Seventh Ward station-house by Joh Springman, who is having four frame houses erected at the corner of Seventh and H streets, and whose lumber has been stolen nightly.

Keeping watch on Saturday night with a companion, he caught Dorsey in the act. He ran and Springman fired a shot. The ball entered the back of Dorsey's head, tearing up the scalp, and making a wound some two inches in length and one-half inch in depth. Dorsey was overhauled; and later they gobbled one Edward Brooks in the same way. Brooks was seriously wounded. Held for trial.

STEAMER BURNED.—The steamer Liberty, belonging to Thomas P. Clyde, of Philadelphia, and bound from Alexandria to Philadelphia, took fire when about two miles above Lower Cedar Point, on the Potomac, on Friday morning last, at half past twelve o'clock, and burned to the water's edge. The steamer John Gibson, which arrived at Alexandria on Friday evening, brought up her crew. The Liberty was run ashore, but nothing could be saved. The cause of the fire is not known by the crew.

A GOOD ORDER.—Superintendent Richards has issued an order instructing the officers to see that the law requiring beer-rooms to be closed at midnight is strictly enforced; also the law prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors on the Sabbath. Mr. Richards says side doors are open at most of the restaurants, and it is the duty of patrolmen when they suspect liquor is being sold to enter the place and arrest the parties.

DON'T FORGET THE PRINTERS' BALL TO-NIGHT, at Odd Fellows' Hall.

PROPHETS have no honor in their own country; but this cannot be said of perfumes, inasmuch as Phalon's "Night-Blooming Cereus," the home-manufactured product of the sweetest flowers of the Western hemisphere, has long since taken precedence of all exotic extracts on this side of the Atlantic. Sold everywhere.

JUST RECEIVED FROM JOHN F. ELLIS, No. 306 Pennsylvania avenue, near corner Tenth, LITTLE BAREFOOT WALTZ, one of Maggie Mitchell's dances, with fine illustrated title page. ja8

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ORPHANS' COURT.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, WASHINGTON COUNTY—To WIT:

In the case of Ambrose Roth, executor of Wolfgang Hoffman, deceased, the executor aforesaid has, with the approbation of the Orphans' Court of Washington county aforesaid, appointed TUESDAY, the 30th day of January, 1866, 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 30th day of January, 1866.

Test: R. C. ROBBINS,
ja5-w3w* Register of Wills.

ORPHANS' COURT.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, WASHINGTON COUNTY—To WIT:

In the case of Maria Miles, administratrix of Wm. Miles, deceased, the administratrix aforesaid has, with the approbation of the Orphans' Court of Washington County aforesaid, appointed TUESDAY, the thirtieth day of January, 1866, 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 30th day of January, 1866.

Test: R. C. ROBBINS,
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ORPHANS' COURT.

JANUARY 6, 1866.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, WASHINGTON COUNTY—To WIT:

In the case of Daniel Groux, administrator of Victor Cironx, deceased, the administrator aforesaid has, with the approbation of the Orphans' Court of Washington county aforesaid, appointed TUESDAY, the 30th instant, 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 day.

Test: R. C. ROBBINS,
ja47-w3w* Register of Wills.

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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, THAT THE subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington county, in the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the personal estate of Comfort Tunion, late of Washington, 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 30th day of December next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 30th day of December, 1865.
ANNIE TUNION,
ja1-w3w* E, between 2d and 3d streets.

ORPHANS' COURT.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, WASHINGTON COUNTY—To WIT:

In the case of Amos Young, administrator of Eliza Henry, deceased, the administrator aforesaid has, with the approbation of the Orphans' Court of Washington County aforesaid, appointed SATURDAY, the 27th day of January, 1866, 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 27th day of January, 1866.

Test: R. C. ROBBINS,
ja4-law3w* Register of Wills.

WRAPPING PAPER FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR SALE.—A FRAME HOUSE, Corner of F street north and New Jersey avenue. The lot is Fifteen feet front and Eighty feet deep. Apply to MRS. HICKEY, on the premises, or to MR. BUTTEMORE, next door to corner of F and New Jersey avenue. ja5-law3w*

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WANTED.—TO HIRE FOR THREE YEARS, in the District of Columbia, with privilege of buying before the expiration of the lease, A FARM, from four hundred to one thousand acres. Address H. DE MARBIL, Editor of the MESSAGER FRANCO-AMERICAN, 51 Liberty street, New York city. ja5-eod3t

WANTED.—TRAVELERS AND CITIZENS of Washington to know that R. H. NICOL has opened a NEWS DEPOT at 532 New Jersey avenue, near Baltimore Depot.

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Subscriptions received for the Baltimore Daily Commercial. de23-1m

A LADY RESIDING IN A HEALTHY part of Brooklyn, having a daughter eight years old, would like to receive into her family another little girl of nearly the same age, to educate. Especial care and culture guaranteed. Particulars and references given by addressing MRS. C., 54 Front street, New York. de19-tf

BOARDING.

BOARDING.—TWO GENTLEMEN CAN be accommodated with a ROOM and BOARD at 497 Maryland avenue. oct27-tf

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PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FRESH BEEF.

OFFICE OF COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Jan. 2, 1866.

Sealed Proposals, in duplicate, will be received by the undersigned until 12 o'clock m. of WEDNESDAY, January 10, 1866, at Fredericksburg, Va., for furnishing FRESH BEEF to the Troops on duty in the District of Northeastern Virginia, from the 10th day of January, 1866, to the 30th day of June, 1866.

The Beef to be of good marketable quality, in equal proportions of fore and hind quarters, necks, shanks, and kidneys, (tallow excluded;) killed and dressed in the usual manner, and delivered at the several District and Sub-district storehouses at Fredericksburg, Tappahannock, and Warrenton, Va., in such quantities and at such times as may be required by the Commissary.

The Government reserves the right to reject Proposals deemed unreasonable. Bidders not present will be notified by letter of the result of their Proposals.

Proposals should be endorsed on the envelope, "Proposals for Furnishing Fresh Beef," and addressed to the undersigned at Fredericksburg, Va., who will furnish any further information desired.

By order of Brevet Major Thos. C. Sullivan, C. S., U. S. A., in charge of the Commissary of Subsistence Depot of Virginia and North Carolina.

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THE ROMANCE OF A POOR YOUNG MAN

BY THE BARD OF OAK HALL.

A widow lived in Washington,
Rich and handsome—full of fun;
She had two beaux who loved her well,
But which was favored none could tell.

One was a very wealthy man,
The other a clerk for Uncle Sam.
On a certain day both of them came,
Each one to advance his claim.

First began the man of gold—
Cash he counted, greenbacks told;
Gold the burden of his tale;
Could such golden projects fail?

The poor young clerk no word did utter;
His heart was in an awful flutter.
She was peeping o'er her fan,
Smiling on the poor young man.

Said she: "You are the man for me,
Your clothes are cut with taste I see.
Go, wealthy lover, go, depart!
Good taste has won the widow's heart."

Now young men come list to me,
And I'll explain the mystery;
I'll tell the secret to you all—
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THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, THAT THE subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Washington county, in the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the personal estate of George Thompson, 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 16th day of December next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 16th day of December, 1865. ANN THOMPSON,
de19-w3w Administratrix.

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AUCTION SALES.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, DEPOT OF WASHINGTON, WASHINGTON, D. C., January 8, 1866.

Will be sold, at public auction, on the premises, under the direction of Brevet Lieutenant Colonel James M. Moore, A. Q. M., on FRIDAY, January 12, 1866, at 12 o'clock m., the following-described Government Buildings, situated at the Engineer Camp, on K and L streets, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets east, in this city, viz:

Two (2) Barracks, each 24½ by 86 feet.
One (1) Commissary Building, 20½ by 41 feet.
One (1) Office, 8½ by 10½ feet.
Three (3) Offices, each 12½ by 21½ feet.
One (1) Guard-house, 12½ by 43 feet.

The buildings will be sold singly, and must be removed within fifteen days from date of sale.

Terms—Cash, in Government funds.

D. H. RUCKER,
Brev. Maj. Gen. and Chief Quartermaster,
ja5-td Depot of Washington.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS AT ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, DEPOT OF WASHINGTON, WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 8, 1866.

Will be sold at public auction, on the premises, under the direction of Brevet Lieutenant Colonel J. G. C. Lee, A. Q. M., on SATURDAY, January 13, 1866, commencing at 10 o'clock a. m., the following-described Government Buildings, viz:

AT THE WOOD-YARD, CORNER OF ORONOCO AND PATRICK STREETS,

One (1) Office, 14 by 16 feet.
Two (2) Mess-houses, each 19 by 42 feet.

WEST SIDE OF UNION STREET, BETWEEN ORONOCO AND PRINCESS STREETS,

One (1) Guard-house, 6 by 12 feet.
One (1) Guard-house, 12 by 12 feet.

Q. M. HOSPITAL, N. W. CORNER CAMERON AND WATER STREETS,

One (1) Out-house, 4 by 16 feet.

EAST SIDE OF UNION STREET, FACING CAMERON STREET.

One (1) Commissary Shed, 98 by 118 feet.

ADJOINING NO. 13, N. UNION STREET,

One (1) Commissary Storehouse, 48 by 97 feet.

REAR OF MR. SHOOT'S OFFICE, FOOT OF CAMERON STREET,

One (1) Commissary Shed, 42 by 94 feet.

AT PIER NO. 5,

One (1) Shed, 33 by 120 feet.

AT S. W. CORNER UNION AND ORONOCO STREETS,

One (1) Stable, 16½ by 52 feet.

AT THE GOVERNMENT CORRAL,

One (1) Barrack, 20½ by 100 feet.
One (1) Cook-house, 12 by 27 feet.

The buildings will be sold singly, in the order named, and must be removed within fifteen days from date of sale.

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D. H. RUCKER,
Bvt. Maj. Gen. and Chief Quartermaster,
ja5 6t Depot of Washington.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, DEPOT OF WASHINGTON, WASHINGTON, D. C., January 4, 1866.

Will be sold, at public auction, on the premises, under the direction of Brevet Lieut. Colonel James M. Moore, A. Q. M., on TUESDAY, January 9, 1866, commencing at 12 o'clock m., the following described Government Buildings, viz: ON TWENTY-FOURTH, BETWEEN E AND F STREETS.

One (1) Stable, 28 by 57 feet.
Two (2) Stables, each 28 by 55 feet.
One (1) Stable, 28 by 50 feet.

ON TWENTY-THIRD, BETWEEN G AND F STREETS.

One (1) Office, 13 by 21 feet.

The buildings will be sold singly, and must be removed within fifteen days from date of sale.

Terms: Cash, in Government funds.

D. H. RUCKER,
Brevet Maj. Gen. and Chief Quartermaster,
jan4-3td Depot of Washington.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

SALE OF RESERVED HORSES.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13, 1865.

The Quartermaster General of the Army directs that all Government Horses now at Giesboro', D. C., be sold to the highest bidders.

Sales will, therefore, take place at GIESBORO', D. C., beginning on

THURSDAY NEXT, DECEMBER 14, 1865,

and continuing on each TUESDAY and THURSDAY thereafter, until all are disposed of.

A Boat will leave the Sixth street wharf every hour on days of sale.

These Horses have been carefully selected, and are superior to any heretofore offered for sale.

Animals will be sold singly.

Sales to commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

Terms: Cash in United States currency.

JAMES A. EKIN,
Brevet Brigadier General in charge
ja4-dU31 First Division, Q. M. G. O.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT BEEF CATTLE.

OFFICE COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Jan. 2, 1866.

There will be sold in Fredericksburg, Va., at public auction, on THURSDAY, the 11th day of January, 1866, twelve head (more or less) of prime Beef Cattle.

The Cattle will be sold at so much per head. Among these Cattle are several pairs of Working Oxen. They can be seen at any time previous to the sale, at the yard in the rear of the Commissary Department, at "Citizen's Hall." They are in good condition, and are a superior lot of Beef Cattle, fit for any market.

There will be sold at the same time, about eight thousand pounds of Ground Hard-Bread, put up in barrels of 150 to 175 pounds each, in good condition.

Terms of Sale: Cash in Government funds, upon delivery.

By order of Brevet Maj. Thos. C. Sullivan, C. S., U. S. A., in charge of Department of Virginia and North Carolina.

FRED. SHAW, Capt. and C. S. V.,
ja4-5t Chief C. S., District of N. E. Va.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS.

HEADQRS. DEPARTMENT OF WASHINGTON, OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 4, 1866.

Will be sold on the premises, at public auction, to the highest bidder, under the direction of Brevet Major James Gleason, A. Q. M., on WEDNESDAY, 10th inst., the following public buildings, viz:

At 10 o'clock a. m., at FORT GAINES, near Tennallytown, D. C., one Frame Building, 22 by 16 feet.

At 1 o'clock p. m., at FORT C. F. SMITH, Virginia, one Frame Barrack, 100 by 20 feet; one Mess House, 50 by 20 feet, and one Building, 22 by 15 feet.

At 2 o'clock p. m., at FORT TILLINGHAST, Virginia, one Frame Barrack, 100 by 20 feet, one Mess House, 40 by 20 feet, and one Building, 23 by 15 feet.

Purchasers will be allowed ten days to remove the buildings.

Terms: Cash, in Government funds.

M. I. LUDINGTON,
Colonel and Chief Quartermaster,
ja4-6t Department of Washington.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT STOVES AND HEATERS.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, DEPOT OF WASHINGTON, WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 3, 1866.

Will be sold at Public Auction, under the direction of Brevet Lieutenant Colonel James M. Moore, A. Q. M., at Warehouse No. 1, on F street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, Washington, D. C., on FRIDAY, January 13, 1866, at 10 o'clock, a. m., a large lot of Stoves and Heaters, viz:

600 Stoves, old and worn,
300 Coal Stoves, new, large sizes.
10 Wood Stoves, new, assorted sizes.
5 Cylinder Heaters, new.

The six hundred Stoves will be sold in lots of from one to twenty-five; the three hundred Coal Stoves in lots of from one to twelve, and the Wood Stoves and heaters will be sold singly.

Terms: Cash, in Government funds.

D. H. RUCKER,
Brevet Major General and Chief Quartermaster,
ja3-10t Depot of Washington.

UNITED STATES MILITARY RAILROADS,

OFFICE OF ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER, WASHINGTON, D. C., December 20, 1865.

The sale of United States Military Railroad material at Alexandria, Va., will be resumed on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of January next.

In addition to the articles previously advertised, there will be offered—

60,000 feet Seasoned Oak Plank and Timber.
1 New Lathe, 36 feet long, 33 in swing.
1 New Vertical Car-wheel Borer.
1 Second-hand Planer.
1 Engine-house, 358 by 66.
30 Buildings, varying in size from 10 by 10 to 12 by 60.
1 Wharf, foot of Franklin street, containing 30,469 square feet.

Only a small proportion of the new material has been disposed of.

Sale to commence at 10 a. m.

Terms: Cash, in Government funds.

Vouchers for transportation will be received from railroad companies as cash.

H. L. ROBINSON,
de26. wfsatja10 Bvt. Brig. Gen., A. Q. M.

AUCTION SALES.

PUBLIC SALE OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY.

OFFICE DEPOT COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, WASHINGTON, D. C., December 29, 1865.

Will be sold at public auction, on THURSDAY, January 18, 1866, the Buildings pertaining to the GOVERNMENT BAKERY,

AT POINT LOOKOUT, MARYLAND,

Consisting of the main Buildings, used as a Bakehouse, 30 by 120 feet.

Two Wings, each 25 by 38 feet, and one Wing, 20 by 46 feet; also, Buildings occupied as quarters for the employees, one 12 by 30 feet, and one 15 by 30 feet. In the Bakery are five Ovens, containing about 20,000 bricks.

This property is all nearly new, and affords a rare opportunity for purchasing Lumber and Bricks for building purposes.

Fifteen days will be allowed for the removal of the above property.

Terms: Cash in Government funds at the time of sale. G. BELL,
de30-5t Major and C. S., U. S. A.

LARGE SALE OF UNITED STATES ORDNANCE PROPERTY.

ALLEGHENY ARSENAL, December 26, 1865.

Will be sold at public auction, by T. A. McClelland, Auctioneer, at Allegheny Arsenal, Pittsburg, Pa., commencing at 10 o'clock, a. m., MONDAY, January 15, 1866, the following articles, viz:

4 Iron Cannon.
52 Upper Casemate Carriages, cast iron.
75 sets Artillery Harness.
45,282 foreign Muskets and Rifles, new and repaired.
13,902 United States Muskets and Rifles, new and repaired.
62,837 foreign Muskets and Rifles.
13,684 United States Muskets and Rifles.
3,538 breech-loading and other Carbines.
453 Colt's and Sharp's Rifles.
151 Sporting Rifles.
36 Shot Guns.
3,022 Musket and Rifle Barrels.
19,998 Bayonets, Triangular and dword.
2,185 Revolvers.
1,875 Sabres and Swords.
4,000 sets Cavalry Accoutrements.
55,000 sets Infantry Accoutrements.
3,500 Saddles, Cavalry and Artillery.
20,000 parts of Horse Equipments, Bridles, Horse brushes, Curry-combs, &c.
3,000 Saddle Blankets.
3,200 parts of Artillery Harness.
4,000 pounds Powder, Cannon, Musket, Rifle, and Sporting.
32 incomplete sets of Wrought Iron parts for casemate carriages.
600 tons Scrap Cast Iron.
50 tons Scrap Wrought Iron.
50 tons Lead and Antimony, in pigs, type metal.
100 Wrought Iron Axles.
25,000 pounds Lead Dross.
17,000 Packing Boxes.

A large lot of appendages for muskets, Carbines, &c.

A large lot of Artillery Implements and Equipments.

A large lot of spare parts for Muskets, &c.

A large lot of Tools and Machines.

Purchasers will be required to remove the property within ten days after the sale.

Terms Cash. R. H. R. WHITELEY,
Lieut. Col. of Ordnance, and
de30-13t Brev. Brig. Gen. U. S. Army.

LARGE SALE OF GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS AND OTHER PROPERTY AT POINT LOOKOUT, MARYLAND.

HEADQR'S. DEPARTMENT OF WASHINGTON, OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec, 29, 1865.

Will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder at POINT LOOKOUT, MD., commencing THURSDAY, January 18, 1866, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following Frame Buildings and other public property at that place, viz:

UNITED STATES GENERAL HOSPITAL.

One Headquarters Building, 175 by 25 feet.
Fifteen Hospital Wards, each 175 by 25 feet.
One Mess-house, 250 by 28 feet.
One Guards' Quarters, 167 by 24 feet.
One Contraband Quarters, 60 by 14 feet.
One Kitchen, 60 by 28 feet.
One Chapel, 77 by 25 feet.
One Laundry, 99 by 22 feet, with stationary Engine. Locomotive Boiler, and all the necessary apparatus for steam laundry and drying.
One Cow Stable, 91 by 14 feet.
One Horse Stable, 52 by 21 feet.
One Wagon-house, small.
One Baggage-house, 55 by 25 feet.
One Warehouse, 55 by 25 feet.
One Ice-house, 40 by 30 feet, and 19 feet high.
Water-tank Building, 17 by 17 feet, 30 feet high, with circular water-tank 16 feet diameter:
Two Coal-houses.
One Saw-house.
One Forage-house.
One Dead-house, and
One Wash-house, of various dimensions.

Also, Covered Plank Footwalks connecting the above buildings; aggregate length 1,860 feet, and 8 feet wide.

The above-mentioned Headquarters Building is two stories high, lathed and plastered, and the fifteen Hospital Wards, the Mess-house, and a few other structures are also lathed and plastered.

PRISON CAMP.

Ten Hospital Wards, each 140 by 25 feet.
Seven Cook-houses, each 143 by 22 feet.
One Cook-house, 120 by 20 feet.
One Cook-house, 140 by 25 feet, with two wings, each 30 by 20 feet.
One Headquarters Building, 72 by 34 feet, with two wings, each 40 by 20 feet.
One C. S. Storehouse, 90 by 22 feet.
One Dispensary, 49 by 38 feet.
One Chapel, 100 by 24 feet.
One Express Office, 30 by 16 feet.
One Guard House, (block,) 50 by 15 feet.
One Quarters, one Office, and one Store-room, of various dimensions.

Also, 9,185 lineal feet of Fencing, 12 feet high; 320 lineal feet of Board Fence, 6 feet high; 700 lineal feet of covered Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9,188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 4 feet wide, with rail.

QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.

One Quarters, 100 by 28 feet.
One Quarters, 100 by 14 feet.
One Quarters, 72 by 22 feet.
One Quarters, 69 by 28 feet.
Three Stables, averaging 139 by 27 feet each.
One Storehouse, 84 by 27 feet.
One Smith Shop, 83 by 24 feet.
One Wheelwright Shop, 67 by 14 feet.
And four Offices, three quarters, two Storehouses, one Oil-house, one Saddlers' Shop, and one Mess-house, of various dimensions.

MISCELLANEOUS BUILDINGS AND OTHER PROPERTY.

One Post Hospital, 70 by 25 feet.
One Commissary Storehouse, 200 by 35 feet.
One Commissary Salesroom and Office, 84 by 27 feet.
One Office, 27 by 16 feet.
One Guard House, (log,) 50 by 50 feet.
One Guard House, (log,) 30 by 20 feet.
Two frame Guard Houses, small size.
One Barrack at Fort Lincoln, 60 by 20 feet.
One Ordnance Storehouse, 54 by 12 feet.
One Slaughter House, 40 by 24 feet, with Shed 24 by 13 feet, and Out-building 9 by 9 feet.
One Stable, 36 by 22 feet; and,
Ten Kitchens, Quarters, &c., of various dimensions.

One wharf of Timber and Lumber, 476 feet long, and varying in width from 22 to 102 feet

248 lineal feet of Stockade, 11 feet high on Potomac side, with blockhouse 20 by 30 feet, four platforms, each 16 by 12 feet, and 100 lineal feet of plank footwalk, 6 feet wide.

157 lineal feet of Stockade on Bay side, with block-house 25 by 20 feet, and three platforms of various dimensions, and a footwalk.

One Hose Carriage.
Twenty-eight Fire Ladders.
Twenty-four Axes.
One hundred and sixteen Fire Buckets, and
Six Lengths of Hose, each 51 feet long.
Three Cooking Ranges.
One Perpetual Oven.

A quantity of Old Lumber and a number of Pumps.

Point Lookout, situated at the junction of the Potomac river with Chesapeake Bay, was, before the war, a favorite watering place, and is well adapted for the purpose now, having excellent facilities for salt water bathing, and abundance of fish and game.

The buildings above enumerated under the head of "United States General Hospital" are located directly on the Point, the principal structures being arranged in a circle, radiating from a common centre, and connected by covered footwalks, and could with moderate expense be fitted up properly for the accommodation of visitors, as a steam laundry, ice house, coal house, water tanks, and many other structures for the purpose are ready for immediate use. An excellent opportunity is also afforded to land-owners in the vicinity, and elsewhere, to secure valuable fencing and building material.

A steamer will leave the Government wharves, south side of the basin, near Fardy's ship-yard, Baltimore, Md., at 10 o'clock, on the morning of Wednesday, January 17, 1866, for the transportation of bidders to Point Lookout, and will be retained until the close of the sale to return the passengers to Baltimore. Meals will be furnished on the boat at the usual (steamboat) rates.

The buildings will be sold singly, and other property in lots to suit purchasers.

The military guard will remain in charge of the buildings, &c., for fifteen days after the sale, if desired, and purchasers will be allowed twenty days in which to remove their property.

Terms: Cash, in Government funds.

M. I. LUDINGTON,
Colonel and Chief Quartermaster,
de29-17t Department of Washington.

WRAPPING PAPER FOR SALE AT THIS OFFICE.

AUCTION SALES.

BY W. L. WALL & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

We will sell on the premises, on MONDAY, Jan. 15, 1866, at 4 o'clock, p. m., Lot No. 19, Square 162, Davidson's Subdivision, fronting 28 feet on L street; running back 147 feet to a 20 feet alley, with a 6 feet alley on the side. Improved by a two-story FRAME HOUSE, containing 4 rooms.