National Republican.

WEDNESDAY MORNING ..... JUNE 27, 1866.

THE WITCH AND THE GENERAL.—Dr. Robert Trotter, of Dunvegan, supplies the following narrative of a witch trial at Skye, not hitherto published. Gen. McLeod was chief of the clan. A woman accused of witchcraft was arraigned before him; she was condemned to be burned. Bound with cords, she was laid on her back, and the faggots beneath lighted with a torch. The General was present. "Oh, General," exclaimed the victim, "is this my reward for saving your life at Fontenoy? Do you mind a crow flying in front of your regiment?" "Yes, Flora, I remember it well," said the General. "I was that crow," said the witch, "and kept back the balls which would have taken your life." "Good," said the General; "was the crow really you, Flora? Loose the cords and set her free instantly. The castle shall be her home, and she and hers shall never want so long as I or mine are lairds of Dunvegan."

THE BORER.—We are determined, says the *Maine Farmer*, to prosecute the borers till they shall seek other quarters than our orchards. We are trying a novel experiment. We box up the tree a foot from the ground, and fill it with shavings or sawdust. If they attack the tree, it must be above the box, where they can easily be seen. It is easily done, and we see no reason why it will not be a preventive.

PROPOSALS

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS, June 14, 1866.

Sealed Proposals for each class separately, endorsed "Proposals for Class No. (name the class) for the navy yard at (name the yard)," will be received at this office until the 11th July next, at 1 o'clock p. m., at whose hour the opening of the bids will be commenced, for furnishing and delivering at the several navy yards named the materials and articles embraced in printed schedules which, with the form of offer and guarantee, will be furnished on application, and sent by mail if so requested, to persons desiring to offer to contract for any one of the classes named therein by the commandants of the several navy yards, for the classes for the yards under their command, or by the paymaster nearest thereto, or by the Bureau for any or all of the yards.

To prevent confusion and mistakes in sealing the offers, no bid will be received which can nine classes for more than one yard in one envelope; nor any bid which is not perfect and complete in itself according to the forms of offer and guaranty, and each individual of a firm must sign the bid and contract.

Bidders are hereby cautioned, and particularly notified, that their offers should be made on the printed form prescribed by the Bureau, and be mailed in time to reach their destination before the time expires for receiving them; *no bid will be considered which shall be received after the periods stated, and no allowance will be made for failure of the mail.* All offers must be accompanied by the bidder's license, or a certified copy thereof.

To guard against offers being opened before the time appointed bidders are requested to endorse on the envelope, above the address, and draw a line under the endorsement, thus:

"*Proposals for Class No. (name the class) for the Navy Yard at the yard.*"

"To the Chief the Bureau of Yards and Docks Washington, D. C."

The certificate to the guarantor's responsibility must be certified to by the Assessor of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside.

The schedule will state the times within which articles will be required to be delivered. If any articles are named in the schedules which are not known to be in common and general use, the bidders will ascertain promptly when such articles can be procured or not, and if they cannot be obtained the fact must be reported to the Bureau at once, before bids shall be received. All the articles which may be contracted for must be delivered at such place or places, including drayage and cartage to the place where used within the navy yards respectively, for which the offer is made, as may be directed by the commanding officer thereof; and, all other things being equal, preference will be given to American manufactures. No bids will be received after the expiration of the period specified in the schedules for the completion of the deliveries unless especially authorized by the Department. *In computing the classes the yard stated in the column of prices is to be the standard, and the aggregate of the class will be carried out according to the prices stated.*

All the articles under the contract must be of the best quality, delivered in good order, free of all and every charge or expense to the Government for drayage, and subject to the inspection, count, weight, or measurement of the said navy yard, and be in all respects satisfactory to the commandant there. Bidders are referred to the yard for plans, specifications, or samples, and any further descriptions of the articles or explanations they may desire. When bids are asked for in doubt as to the precise articles named in the sub class, they will apply to the commanding officer of the navy yard, and not to employees, for description of the articles or articles in doubt, which information the said officer will give in writing.

Approved sureties to the 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; and no payment will be authorized by the Department; and eighty per centum of the amount of all deliveries made will be paid by the paymaster at the place of delivery within ten day after warrants for the same shall have been passed by the secretary of the treasury.

No part of the per centum reserved is to be paid until all the rejected articles offered under the contract shall have been removed from the yard and others supplied in their place, unless specially authorized by the Department.

It will be stipulated in the contract that if default shall be made by the parties of the first part in delivering all or any of the articles mentioned in any class bid for of the quality and at the time and place 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 not to exceed twice the amount of such class thereon agreed upon as the price to be paid in case of the actual delivery thereof, which may be required, from time to time, as they accrue, according to the act of Congress in that case provided, approved March 3, 1863.

The sureties must sign the contract, and their responsibility be certified to by the Assessor of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside.

Persons whose offers shall be accepted will be notified by letter through the post office, which notice will be considered and held to be a sufficient notice; and if they do not enter into contract for the supplies specified within ten days after the receipt of the contract at the post office named or the paymaster designated, a contract will be made with some other person or persons, and the guarantors of such defaulting bidders will be held responsible for the difference between the offer of the defaulting bidder or bidders and that which may be accepted.

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 as soon thereafter as may be practicable.

Postage stamps are not required on bids forwarded by mail. Revenue stamps will be required on the contracts; one five-cent stamp on each sheet of paper, and also one five-cent stamp on each *piece* of paper, and also one five-cent stamp to the certificate of the officer certifying to the responsibility of the sureties. These stamps are all to be furnished and canceled by the contractor.

The classes of this Bureau are numbered and lettered as follows:

Class No. 1, Bricks; No 2, Stone; No. 2½ Stone; No. 3, Yellow Pine Timber; No. 4, Yellow Pine Lumber; No. 5, Oak and Hard Wood; No. 6, White Pine, spruce, Juniper, or Cypress; No. 7, Lime, Hair, and Plaster; No. 8, Cement; No 9, Gravel and Sand; No. 9½, Moulding and Fire Sand and FirecLay; No. 10, Slate; No. 11, Iron, iron spikes, and nails; No. 12, Steel; No. 13, Pig Iron; No. 14, Pitch; No. 15, Paints, Oils, and Glass; No. 16, Ship Chandlery; No. 17, Hardware; No. 18, stationery; No. 19, Fire Wood; No. 20, Hay and Straw; No. 21, Provender; No. 22, Charcoal; No. 23, Belting, Packing and Hose; No. 24, Sperm and Lubricating Oils; No. 25, Iron Work, Piping, &c.; No. 26, Augers; No. 27, Anthracite Coal; No. 28, Bituminous Cumberland Coal; No. 29, Semi-bituminous Broad-top Coal, (and Piston at Boston yard); No. 31, Copper and Composition Nails; No. 32, Machinery and Tools. Class A, for raising wings of Dry Docks, (Portsmouth, N. H.) Class B, extending South Pier, (Philadelphia.) Class A, repairing Building No. 11, (Norfolk.) Class B, repairing Building No. 13, (Norfolk.)

NAVAL ASYLUM.

Class No. 1, Clothing; No. 2, Hats, Boots, Shoes, &c.; No. 3, Provisions; No. 4, Groceries; No. 5, Dry Goods; No. 6, Bread, &c.; No. 7, Tobacco; No. 8, Coal; No. 9, Paints, Oils, Glass, &c.; No. 11, Lumber; No. 12, Provender; No. 13, Provender; No. 14, Mineral waters; No. 15, Hardware; No. 16, Stationery; No. 17, Filling lighthouses.

The following are the classes, by their numbers and letters, required at the respective navy yards and Naval Asylum:

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

Nos. 1, 2, 6, 8, 9, 9½, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 29, A.

BOSTON, MASS.

Nos. 1, 2, 6, 8, 9, 9½, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 29, *B*.

NEW YORK.

Nos. 1, 2½, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 9½, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 22, 23, 24, 27, 29, 31, 32.

PHILADELPHIA.

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 24, 27, 29, 32, A.

NAVAL ASYLUM, PHILADELPHIA.

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 9½, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 22, 23, 24, 27, 29, 27, 29, 32.

NORFOLK.

Nos. 3, 5, 6, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 26, 27, 29, 31, 32, A, B.

PENSACOLA, FLA.

Nos. 1, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 31.

jel3 law2w

W. B. COOPER. A. J. RAGAN

COOPER & RAGAN,
(Successors of Jas Skirving,)

STOVE, TIN AND SHEET-IRON-WORKERS,

497 Eleventh Street, above Penn's Ave.,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

☞ Particular attention paid to repairing Furnaces, Range s, Parlor Heaters, &c., and all work warranted.

jel2 w4m*

WRAPPING PAPER FOR SALE AT the office of the National Republican.

CONGRESSIONAL DIRECTORY.

Senators.

Anthony, Henry B., R.I., 383 I street, between 17th and 18th.
Brown, B. Gratz, Missouri, cor. Pa. av. and 3d.
Buckalew, Chas. R., Pa., No. 20 South A st.
Chandler, Zachariah, Mich., National Hotel.
Clark, Daniel, New Hampshire, No. 390 4th st.
Cowan, John, Cal., 448 13th st., bet. E and F.
Cowan, Edgar, Pa., Mrs. Carter's, No. 4 North A st.
Cragin, Aaron H., N. H., National Hotel.
Creswell, John A. J., Md., National Hotel.
Doolittle, J. R., Wisconsin, 6 North A street.
Dixon, James, Conn., 407 New York avenue.
Davis, Garrett, Ky., 471 8th st., bet. D and E.
Foote, Solomon, Vt., Mrs. Carter's, 4 North A street.
Fessenden, Wm. P., Maine, 411 F street.
Foster, C. F. S., Connecticut, Willards'.
Grimes, J. W., Iowa, 209 H street.
Guthrie, James, Kentucky, No. 300 Vermont av.
Harris, Ira, N. Y., corner 13th and H streets.
Howe, Timothy O., Wis., 358 N. Y. av., between 9th and 10th.
Henderson, J. B., Missouri, 448 E street.
Hendricks, T. A., Indiana, Mrs. Tilley's, 5d and Missouri avenue.
Howard, J. M., Mich., 437 11th st., bet. E and F.
Johnson, Reverdy, Md., 271 Vermont avenue.
Lane, James H., Kansas, Seaton House.
Lane, Henry S., Ind., 391 C st., bet. 3d and 4½.
Morgan, E. D., New York, cor. 13th and I st.
McDougall, James R., California, 432 First street east.
Morrill, Lot M., Maine, Washington House.
Nesmith, James W., Oregon, 221 Pa. avenue, between 14th and 15th.
Norton, Daniel S., Minn., Crutchett's, corner D and 6th sts.
Nye, James W., Nevada, No. 163 G st., bet. 14th and 15th.
Poland, Luke P., Vermont, No. 4 North A st., Capitol Hill.
Pomeroy, Samuel C., Kansas, 322 I street, between 14th and 15th.
Riddle, George R., Delaware, 571 6th st., bet. D and E.
Ramsey, Alexander, Minnesota, National.
Saulsbury, W., Delaware, No. 465 6th st.
Sherman, John, Ohio, No. 332 E st., bet. 13th and 14th.
Sumner, Charles, Mass., corner 13th and F sts.
Sprague, Wm., R.I., N W cor. 6th and E.
Stewart, Wm. M., Nevada, 370 N. J avenue.
Stockton, J. P., N. J., Willard's Hotel.
Trumbull, Lyman, Illinois, 430 D, between 5th and 6th sts.
Van Winkle, P. G., West Virginia, National.
Wade, Benjamin F., Ohio, No. 8 4½ street.
Williams, George H., Oregon, 308 F street.
Wright, William, N. J., cor. 6th and D sts.
Wilson, Henry, Mass., Washington House.
Willey, W. T., West Virginia, cor. 3d st. and Missouri avenue.
Yates, Richard, Ill., 409 8 st. bet. 9th and 10th.

Representatives.

Alley, John B., Massachusetts, Exhibit House.
Ancona, Sebastian E., Pa., 290 F street.
Allison, Wm. B., Iowa, cor. 8 south and 1st east.
Ames, Oakes, Mass., Washington House.
Anderson, George W., Ky., 407 9th street.
Ashley, Delos R., Nevada, 383 D st., bet. 9th and 10th.
Ashley, James M., Ohio, 25 4½ street.
Banks, Nathaniel P., Mass., 426 D st., bet. 6th and 6th.
Baker, John, Illinois, 116 2d st., bet. E and F.
Baldwin, John D., Mass., 35 Indiana avenue.
Barker, Abraham A., Penna., 404 9th street.
Baxter, Portus, Vt., 286 F street.
Benjamin, John F., Mo., 375E street.
Bergen, Francis G., N. J., Seaton House.
Blaine, James G., Maine, 457 9th street.
Blow, Henry T., Mo., 204 Fatrect.
Boyer, Benjamin M., Penna., 381 19th street.
Brooks, James, N. Y., Seaton House.
Broomall, John M., Penna., 356 E street.
Buckland, Ralph P., Ohio, Avenue House.
Boutwell, Geo. S., Mass., 443 13th st. east.
Bowman, F. C., Michigan, Avenue House.
Bidwell, John, California, 406 11th street.
Bundy, H S. Ohio, cor 10 street, and Penn. ave.
Buffinton, E. P., Ohio, 455 13th st.
Bromwell, H. P., Illinois, 388 Fourth street.
Bingham, John A., Ohio, Washington House.
Broughton, Joseph, Conn., 356 F street.
Bradford, A. C., Colorado, 122 Penn. avenue.
Burleigh, W. A., Dakotah, National.
Colfax, Schuyler, Ind., No. 8 4½ st.
Chanler, J. W., N. Y., 352 Franklin Row, K. st.
Clarke, R. W., Ohio, cor 9th st. and Penn. ave.
Clarke, Sidney, Kansas, Metropolitan.
Cobb, Amasa, Wis., Mrs. Skidmore's, 23, 4½ st
Conkling, Roscoe, New York, 204 F street.
Cook, Burton C., Illinois, 420 D, bet. 5th and 6th.
Culloom, S. M., Illinois, 352 F street.
Culver, C. V., Pennsylvania, Exhibit House.
Davis, T. T., N. Y., F street, bet 13th and 14th.
Dawes, Jos. H., Indiana, Chapman's, 7th street.
Dawson, John L., Pa., Mrs Barth's, 3d street.
Donnelly, Ignatius, Minn., National.
Darling, W. A., New York, 437 13th street.
Deming, H. C., Connecticut, 201 E street.
Dawes, H. L., Mass., corner 6th and Pa. ave.
Dodge, Columbus, Ohio, Avenue House.
Denison, Charles, Pennsylvania, Metropolitan.
Dixon, N. F., Rhode Island, 253 I street.
Driggs, John F., Michigan, 41 Louisiana ave.
Dumont, Ebenezer, Indiana, 6 Charles street.
Demy, J. A., Wash. Ter., 305 C street.
Eldridge, Chas. A., Wisconsin, Kirkwood.
Eggleston, Benj., Ohio, Washington House.
Eckley, Ephraim, Ohio, 529 E street.
Eliot, T. D., Massachusetts, Seaton House.
Farnsworth, John F., Ill., 374 Fourth street.
Finck, W. E., Ohio, Mrs Brown's, Third st.
Farquhar, J. H., Indiana, Avenue House.
Ferry, T. W., Michigan, National Hotel.
Garfield, J. A., Ohio, 104 F street.
Gloskbrenner, A. J., Pennsylvania, 34 Md. ave.
Goodyear, Charles, New York, Seaton House.
Grider, Henry, Kentucky, 327 B st., Capitol Hill.
Grinnell, J. B., Iowa, 25 Four-and-a-half st.
Griswold, J. A., New York, Willard's Hotel.
Goodwin, J. N Arizona, 393 10th street.
Hubbell, J. R., Ohio, 488 12th street.
Hogan, John, Missouri, corner 11th and H.
Henderson, J. H. D., Oregon, 360 C street.
Holmes, S. J., New York, Avenue House.
Hubbard, D. Jr., New York, Avenue House.
Harding, A. C., Illinois 488 E, bet. 5th and 6th.
Higby, Wm., California, 432 Carroll Row.
Holmes, Sydney T., New York, Avenue House.
Hooper, Samuel, Massachusetts, northwest corner H and 15th streets.
Hale, Robert S., New York, 427 Fifth street.
Harding, Aaron, Kentucky, 323 B street.
Harrison, H. G., Maryland, 6 Capitol row.
Hart, Roswell, New York, Wormley's, 1 street, bet. Vermont av ave and 14th street.
Hayes, R. B., Ohio, 452 Eighteenth street.
Hill, Ralph, Indiana, 409 Fourth street.
Hotchkiss, G W., New York, Avenue House.
Hubbard, A. W., Iowa, 25 Four-and-a half st.
Hubbard, C. D., West Va., cor. 3d and Md. ave.
Hubbard, J. H., Conn., Washington House.
Hubbell, E. S., New York, Willard's Hotel.
Hitchcock, P. W., Nebraska, 424 H, bet. 11th and 12th.
Holbrook, E. D., Idaho, 20 Four-and-a-half st.
Hooper, W. H. Utah, 467 Ninth, bet. E and F.
Hubbard, C. T., New York, 21 Indiana avenue.
Hunter, Andrew J., New York, 1 Florida avenue.
Humphrey, J. H., New York, Seaton House.
Ingersoll, R. C., Illinois, National.
Jenckes, T. A., Rhode Island, 245 I st.
Johnson, Philip, Pa., 406 2 street.
Jones, Morgan, New York.
Julian, Geo. W., Ind., 426 1st st. s
Kasson, John R., Mo., 393 First st., Capitol Hill.
Kuykendall, A. J., Illinois, 371 Pa. av.
Kerr, Michael C., Indiana, cor Missouri ave. and 4½ st.
Kasson, John A., Iowa, 274 F street.
Keteham, O., New York, 281 Mass. avenue.
Kelley, Wm. D., Pennsylvania, 512 Twelfth st.
Lawrence, Wm., Ohio, 456 Sixth street.
Lone, R. P., Missouri, National.
Latta, Addison H., N. Y., Metropolitan Hotel.
Lawrence, George V., Pa., Avenue House.
Le Blond, F. C., Ohio, Metropolitan Hotel.
Longyear, John W., Michigan, Seaton House.
Lynch, John, Maine, 402 Fourth street.
Latham, G. R., West Virginia, cor. H street and Delaware avenue.
Morrill, Lewis S., Vermont, 402 Fourth street.
Morehead, Jas K., Pennsylvania, 326 N. Y. ave.
McKee, Samuel, Kentucky, 485 seventeenth street.
McClurg, J W., Missouri, 486 Eleventh street.
McKnar, Donald C., California, 341 I street.
Morrow, Ulysses, Pennsylvania, 514 12th st.
Marshall, Samuel S., Illinois, 479 Eighth st.
Marston, Gilman, N. H., 234 F bet. 14th and 15th.
Marvin, James M., N. Y., 468 12th street.
McCullough, Hiram, Md., cor. 1 and 14th sts.
Mefadow, Walter D., Wis., Mrs. Haldeman's, 23 4½ st
Miller, George F. Pa., 281 south H street, Capitol Hill
Morris, Daniel, N. Y., Exhibit House.
Moulton, Samuel W., Ill., 355 4th street.
Myers, Leonard, Pa., 403 Eleventh street.
Nicholson, John A., Delaware, 467 6th st., bet. D and E
Newell, William A., N J., Willards'.
Niblack, Wm. E., Indiana, 44 Md. avenue.
Noell, Thomas E., Mo., 20 Louisiana avenue.
O'Neill, Charles, Pa., Willards'.
Orth, G. S., Indiana, 352 F street.
Paine, Halbert E. Wis., 20 1st st., Georgetown.
Perham, Sidney, Maine, 402 Fourth street.
Phelps, Charles E., Maryland, Willard's
Pike, Frederick A., Maine, 380 Fourth street.
Pomeroy, Theodore M., N. Y., Metropolitan.
Price, Hiram, Iowa, 25 Four-and-a-half street.
Plants, T. A., Ohio, cor. 8th st. and Penn ave.
Patterson, J. W New Hampshire, 428 D st.
Poston, C. D., Arizona, Willards'.
Rousseau, Lovell H., Kentucky, 341 F street.
Raymond, Henry J., N. Y., 394 1 between 17th and 18 streets.
Randall, Sam'l J., Penn., 86 Fayette st., Georgetown
Radford, Wm. New York, Willard's.
Randall, Wm. H., Ky., 27 Four-and-a-half st.
Rice Alexander H., 233 I street.
Rice, John H., Maine.
Ritter, L. C., N. Y., 327 B street, Capitol Hill.
Rogers, Andrew J., New Jersey, Willard's.
Rollins, Edward H., N. H., 32 4½ street
Ross, Lewis W., Illinois, Washington House.
Stevens, Thaddeus, Penn., 229 South B street.
Spalding, R. P., Ohio, 4 North A street.
Schenck, Robt. C., Ohio, 148 G street.
Scofield, G. W., Penn., Avenue House.
Shanklin, Geo. S., Kentucky, 4½ street.
Stilwell, J. M., Indiana, Seaton House.
Sawyer, Philetus, Wisconsin, Avenue House.
Shellabarger, Samuel, Ohio, 444 8 4th street.
Stigreaves, Charles, N. J., 443 Twelfth street.
Sloan, Hamar C., W. a., 49 Four-and-a-half st.
Smith, Green Clay, Kentucky, 245 F street.
Starr, John F., New Jersey, 267 G street.
Strouse, Myer, Pa., Mrs Whitney's, Cap. Hill.
Thayer, M. Russell, Pennsylvania, 292 I street.
Taylor, Nelson, New York, at Logan's ave.
Trowbridge, S. S. Michigan, Seaton House.
Tuber, Stephen, New York Seaton House.
Thomas Francis, Md., 498 Carroll Place.
Thomas, John L., Jr., Md., 4 Four-and-a-half st.
Thornton, Anthony, Ill., 479 Eighth street.
Trimble, L. S., Kentucky, No. 4 4½ street.
Upson, Charles, Michigan, Avenue House.
Van Horn, Henry, New York, 443 Twelfth street.
Van Horn, Robert T., Mo., 392 Tenth street.
Van Aernam, Henry, N. Y., Washington House.
Wright, E. R. V., N. J., Whitney's, Capitol Hill.
Wilson, S. F., Pennsylvania, National.
Walker, Martin, Ohio, 304 south B, Cap. Hill.
Washburne, E. B., Ill., 428 9th st., bet B and F.
Washburn, W. D., Minn., 456 F st.
Washburn, Henry D., Indiana.
Warner, Samuel L., Connecticut, 254 F street.
Woodbridge, F. E., Vermont, 391 F street.
Ward, Hamilton, New York, 300 Twelfth street.
Wentworth, John, Illinois, Willards'.
Whaley, E. V., West Virginia, cor. C street and Louisiana avenue.
Williams, Thos., Pennsylvania, Avenue House.
Wilson, J F., Iowa, 209 G st., bet. 13th and 14th.
Wilson, Stephen F., Pa., United States Hotel.
Windom, Wm., Minnesota, 422 Twelfth street.
Winfield, C. H., New York, 406 Ninth street.

CANDIDATES FOR ADMISSION.

Barker, Jacob, Louisiana, Willard's.
Conrad, Robert T., Virginia, Exhibit House.
Campbell, Wm. B., Tennessee, Metropolitan.
Cooper, Edmund, Tennessee, Metropolitan.
Hawkins, J. R., Tennessee, Metropolitan.
Maynard, Horace, Tennessee, 430 13th street.
Underwood, John C., Va.
Wickliffe, Robert C., Louisiana, Willard's.
Warmoth, H. C., La. (Per Delegate,) Willard's.

PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON May 31, 1866.

Proposals for furnishing such stationery as may be required by this Department and the various and offices thereof during the year ending June 30, 1867, will be received until 12 o'clock m. of MONDAY, July 2, 1866. The use recommended by self-factory test or such of ability to fulfill a contract will not be considered, and contracts will only be awarded to manufacturers of or dealers in the several articles of stationery.

All articles furnished must be of the best quality of their kind, samples of which must accompany each bid.

Each proposal must be signed by the individual or firm making the same, and must specify but one price for each article of the class bid for.

Articles not named in the schedule, if required, are to be furnished at the lowest market price, and the right is reserved of ordering a greater or less quantity of each article contracted for, as the public service may require.

Bond, with approved security, will be required of the individual or firm to whom the contract may be awarded.

Should a contractor refuse or neglect to furnish when required any article or articles, the same may be purchased in open market; and if a greater price shall be paid therefor than is specified in the contract, the difference may be charged to the contractor in his next quarterly account.

The Department reserves the right to reject or accept the bid on all articles, singly or collectively.

The subjoined schedule specifies, as nearly as can be done, the amount, quality, and description of the articles likely to be required.

The bids will be opened in the presence of any of the bidders who may be present, and will be canvassed separately for each of the classes specified below, and contracts for one or more of the classes awarded, as may be deemed most advantageous to the Department.

Proposals must be addressed to the secretary of the interior, and be endorsed "Proposals for Stationery."

CLASS NO. 1.—PAPER.

Item.	
1.	150 reams cap, best quality, white or blue, ruled wide, med um, or close, and trimmed, to weigh not less than 14 lbs., per ream.
2.	50 reams foolscap, white or blue, trimmed and ruled, per ream.
3.	750 reams quarto-post, white or blue, ruled various widths, to weigh not less than 10 lbs., per ream.
4.	75 reams white commercial or other note paper, highly glazed, hard calendered, lined, and gilt or plain, per ream.
5.	10 reams flat cap, white or blue, unruled, per ream.
6.	25 reams envelope, yellow or buff, royal, per ream.
7.	100 reams large brown envelope, 24 by 38 in., per ream
8.	150 dozen sheets patent blotting, 19 by 24 in., per dozen sheets.
9.	10 reams brown envelope paper, 36 by 40 in., per ream.
10.	15 reams straw wrapping paper, 30 by 40, per ream.
11.	100 yards drawing paper, extra fine, in rolls, 48 inches wide, per yard.
12.	100 sheets tracing paper, French, large size, per sheet.
13.	100 yards tracing cambric, per yard.
14.	12 dozen press copy books, not less than 500 pages, per dozen

CLASS NO. 1.—ENVELOPES.

15.	1,000 mails-lined, 8¼ to 9½ by 3½ to 4½ inches, per M.
16.	600,000 adhesive envelopes, white, yellow, or buff, heavy, 8¼ to 9½ by 3½ to 4½ inches, per M.
17.	25,000 adhesive envelopes, white, heavy, 9½ to 11 by 5 to 6 inches, per M.
18.	25,000 adhesive envelopes white or yellow, business letter, 6 by 3½ inches, per M.
19.	20,000 adhesive envelopes, note, per M.

Intermediate sizes ordered not to be charged higher than the next larger.

CLASS NO 2.—PENS AND PENCILS.

1.	25 gross Perry's or Gillott's barrel pens, per gross.
2.	400 gross Perry's, Gillott's or other good metallic pens, per gross.
3.	1,000 quills, No 50, per M.
4.	25 dozen gold pens, with handles or silver cases, best quality, per dozen.
5.	5 dozen fine market gold pens, with handles, best quality, per dozen.
6.	25 dozen ivory or gutta-percha ever-pointed pencils, large or small, with leads, per dozen.
7.	200 dozen Faber's No. 1 to 4, or graduated, per dozen.
8.	150 dozen Faber's polygrades, graduated, per case.
9.	50 dozen Faber's red and blue pencils, per dozen.

CLASS NO. 3.—INK, INK-STANDS, WAFERS, AND WAX.

1.	10 dozen glass, any patent, large or small, inkstands, per dozen.
2.	8 dozen cast-iron double or single inkstands, per dozen.
3.	150 dozen Maynard and Noyes' ink, or any other American copying ink or fluid in market, quarts, per dozen.
4.	25 dozen Arnold's writing fluid, quarts, per dozen.
5.	25 dozen copying ink, quarts, Arnold's, per dozen.
6.	5 dozen best blue ink, quarts, per dozen.
7.	50 dozen David's carmine ink, dozen, No. 1, per dozen.
8.	2 M seal wafers, best quality, red, No. 3, for office seal, per M.
9.	5 pounds best red wafers, common size, per pound.
10.	50 pounds best extra super scarlet sealing wax, per pound.

CLASS NO. 4.—CUTLERY AND MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

1.	45 dozen Rogers' knives, four blades, buck or pearl hand e, per dozen.
2.	25 dozen Rogers' ivory-handle erasers, per dozen.
3.	10 dozen office shears, or scissors, extra, per dozen
4.	100 dozen silk taste, in hanks, per dozen.
5.	500 dozen red tape, assorted, per dozen.
6.	500 dozen German tape, No. 32, red per dozen.
7.	15 dozen paper weights, assorted, per dozen.
8.	30 pounds prepared India rubber, per pound.
9.	10 pounds pounce, per pound.
10.	40 pounds India rubber, No. 1, per pound.
11.	50 pounds best cotton twine, per pound.
12.	9 dozen mahogany rulers, round, or flat, 30 inches long per dozen
13.	15 dozen India rubber rulers, round or flat, Goodyear's patent, 30 inches long, per dozen.
14.	20 pounds fine quality sponge, per pound.
15.	20 pounds gum arabic, per pound.
16.	30 dozen mucilage, large size glass jars, with brush and metallic top, per dozen.
17.	30 dozen mucilage, plain, without brush or top, per dozen.
18.	120 dozen pocket-books, assorted, per dozen.
19.	20 dozen school-boy's leather folders, per dozen.
20.	30 dozen packs Bristol's visiting cards, per dozen.
21.	12 dozen blank books, assorted, per quire.
22.	10 dozen best Chinese India ink, per dozen.
23.	10 dozen best drawing or ruling pens, per dozen.
24.	10 dozen camel hair brushes, per dozen.
25.	20 dozen thumb tacks, per dozen.
26.	200 cakes, co ors, best quality, per cake.
27.	50 gross Manil ions paper fasteners, per gross.
28.	50 reams soft Manilla wrate paper, per ream.
29.	100 gross rubber bands or rings, per gross.

CLASS NO. 5.—PARCHMENT AND PARCHMENT PAPER.

1.	500 sheets of parchment, best quality, 15 by 20 inches, per sheet.
2.	500 sheets of parchment, best quality, 25 by 32 inches, per sheet.
3.	2,000 sheets of parchment paper, best quality, 10 by 15 inches, per sheet.
4.	250 sheets parchment paper, best quality, 15 by 20 inches, per sheet.

FORM OF GUARANTEE.

I, ... certify that ..... is a proper qualified person, and able to fulfill a contract for furnishing stationery for the Department of the interior during the year ending June 30, 186 , should bid be accepted.

N. B.—The proposal and guarantee should be superscribed with the place of residence of the signers, and the proper date. W. PENN CLARKE,

jel-6t Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, June 15, 1866.

On the petition of Samuel Hulbert, of Ogdensburg, New York, praying for the extension of a patent granted to him on the 20th day of September 1843, antedated September 20th, 1829, for an improvement in "Ploughs" for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 20th day of September, 1866;

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 3d day of Sep ember next, at 12 o'clock m.; and all persons are invited to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said petition ought not to be granted.

Persons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, specially set forth in writing, at least seven days before the day of hearing; all testimony filed by either party, to be used at the said hearing, must be taken and transmitted in accordance with the rules of the office, which will be furnished on application.

Depositions and other papers, relied upon as testimony, must be filed in the office *twenty days* before the day of hearing; the arguments, if any, within ten days after filing the testimony.

Ordered also, that this notice be published in the REPUBLICAN and the *Intelligencer*, Washington, D. C., and in the *Daily Journal*, Ogdensburg, N. Y., once a week for three consecutive weeks; the first of said publications to be at least sixty days previous to the day of hearing.

T. C. THEAKER,
Commissioner of Patents.

P. S.—Editors of the above papers will please copy, and send their bills to the Patent Office with a paper containing this notice. j-20-law1w

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE
COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, WASHINGTON,
May 28, 1866.

Notice is hereby given to all persons who have claims against "The Merchants' National Bank of Washington," D. C., that they must present the same and make legal proof hereof to JAMES C. KENNEDY, Receiver of said Bank, at Washington, D. C., on or before the 26th day of August next. F. CLARKE,

my28 eod3m Comptroller of the Currency.

STEAMSHIPS.

STEAMER LEAVES FOR
MT. VERNON
EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY, AND SATURDAY,
AT 10 A. M.
RETURNS AT 4½ P. M.
FARE FOR ROUND TRIP, $1.50.
(One third of this amount for use of Mount Vernon Association.)

Washington and Alexandria boats leave each place every hour from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m.

The fine steamer WAWASET can be chartered for excursions. J. VAN BISWICK,
Gen. Sup't P. P. Co

jel7 1m

NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON
STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
(OLD LINE.)
BETWEEN
NEW YORK, ALEXANDRIA, WASHINGTON AND GEORGETOWN, D. C.
OCEAN STEAMERS
BALTIMORE, REBECCA CLYDE, AND EMPIRE,
IN CONNECTION WITH INLAND STEAMERS
GEORGE H. STOUT, MAY FLOWER, AND ANN ELIZA.

Regular Sailing Days TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, at 12 m., from foot of High street, Georgetown, and Pier 15, East River, foot of Wall street, New York.

For freight or passage apply to—
C. P. HOUGHTON, Agent,
cor of High street, Georgetown.
M. ELDRIDGE & Co., Agents,
Wolcott Street Wharf, Alexandria.
JAMES HAND, Agent,
117 Wall Street, New York.

Freight received constantly and forwarded to all parts of the country with dispatch, at lowest rates.

The outside steamers of this line are now being put in order for the spring trade, and until further notice our freight will be carried by the Ex ress line of inland steamers, with regularity and dispatch.

jel22 C. P. HOUGHTON, Agent.

NEW YORK AND WASHINGTON
STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
OLD LINE,
VIA CANAL, BETWEEN
NEW YORK,
ALEXANDRIA,
WASHINGTON,
AND GEORGETOWN,
Steamers:
NEW YORK, MAYFLOWER, BEVERLY, AND GEORGE H. STOUT.

Regular Sailing Days:
TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS,
at 12 m., from No. 10 Water street, Georgetown, and Pier 15 East River, foot of Wall street, New York.

For freight, apply to
JOHN B. DAVIDSON, Agent,
59 Water street, Georgetown, D. C.
M. ELDRIDGE & Co., Agents,
Prince-street Wharf, Alex'a.
JAMES HAND, Agent,
117 Wall street, New York.

Freight received constantly and forwarded to all parts of the country with dispatch.

mh30-tf JOHN B DAVIDSON, Agent.

THE NORTH AMERICAN LLOYD.

New line of first-class side-wheel steamers between NEW YORK AND BREMEN VIA COWES, with comfortable accommodations for passengers of all grades, carrying the United States Mail. Leave New York on THURSDAYS:

BALTIC, 3,000 tons, 1,600 horse power, A. G. Jones, Commander ..... 26th April.
WESTERN METROPOLIS, 2,600 tons, 1,000 horse power ..... 10th May.
ATLANTIC, 3,000 tons, 1,600 horse power, C. Hoyer, Commander ..... 31st May.
BALTIC, A. G. Jones ..... 14th June.

An experienced surgeon on board.

The Company will not be responsible for specie or valuables, unless bills of lading, having the value expressed, are signed therefor.

Rates of passage, payable in gold, or its equivalent: First Cabin, $105; Second ..... $65; Steerage, $37.50, return tickets; 1, $