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ARRIVALS AT THE HOTELS.

METROPOLITAN—Potts & Hensley, Robert Ould, Richmond, Va; A W Adams, Ky; W H Hosea, Md; A F Ziegler, Columbus, Ohio; H L Gallaher, J W Hines, Va; Chas J Janney, Leesburg, Va; A J Mead, Kansas; J M Thornton, Ala; Mrs M L Blake and child, Phila; J C Robinson, Ill; T J Kenney, Ohio; Chas G Eckart, U S A; N R Bowman, Lynchburg, Va; Dr B H Riggs, Mrs B H Riggs, Selma, Ala; Wm Flynn, Miss Sallie Flynn, Madisonville, Ga; Mrs Randolph, Miss Logan, Salem, Va; L A Jones and wife, Xenia, Ohio; S A Sypert and wife, Ky; Chas Crawford, N O; Col Chas B Johnson, Texas; H Rudolph, N Y; Thomas L Price, Mo; Col F A Osborn, P A Doran, Leavenworth; D D Price, N Y; Dr Joseph S C Rowland, Fort Smith, Ark; Miss Mary Harris, Brooklyn; D C Mayo, Richmond, Va; W W Gage, N O; C M Donovan, Phila; C H Gray, N J; C D C Murphy, N Y.

KIRKWOOD HOUSE—Kirkwood, N A Pinkney, Philadelphia; Chas H Smith, Omaha; John De Wolfe, Nebraska; W Curtis, Washington; L Launsbury, F L James, New York; J S Thompson, Washington; Geo E White & wife, San Francisco; Newton Fetty, A S Brown, C D Tull, Virginia; S S Hackett, Pennsylvania; A S Frank, Geo S Rasser, Maryville, Ky; W Einstine, Philadelphia; H H Gurnsey, Pennsylvania; Geo H Achenback, W P Furey, Lock Haven; C Y Patterson, Terre Haute; James R Bolles, New London; J H Hawes, Washington; L D Brenckenridge, New York; John Atkrong, Cincinnati; Miss Alice Ward, Baltimore; Wm M French, Washington; John Dennison, Nebraska; E H Cutler, Baltimore; J S Thompson, City; W H Lurdhot, Memphis; H J Fisher, Jackson, Miss.

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OWEN HOUSE—S. W. Owen, H Neide, U S A; C P Williams, Philadelphia; J J Geer, Cal; H H Brogden, Md; W H Oldham, T T Oldham, Marietta, Ohio; J J Birthoff, City; G L Ruster, Maysville, Ky; L F French, N Y; H E O Reilly, Vicksburg, Miss; Col J Moyen, Memphis; Earl Rice, Indianapolis, I; Hagaman, Ohio; J W Culbertson, Chicago; W Brewster, G P Cate, Springfield, Mass; E E Watson, Boston, Mass; H C Cabell, Richmond, Va; W H Stevens, Boston; P H Smith, Baltimore, Md.

SEATON HOUSE—John H. Semmes, Milton A J Glossbrenner, Pennsylvania; Geo W Hunter, Philadelphia; C E Post, wife and son, Illinois; J R Powell, Philadelphia; E C Toof, Iowa; J F Johnson, M Mathews, Virginia; F J Sturgess, Philadelphia; John Walker, J M Mount, Virginia; F Davidson, Pennsylvania; W M Hunter, Virginia; F Clark, Clark, Ohio; S M Horley, Philo Durfee, New York; J W M Millan, Kansas; J Summer, W A Maddox, J J Allston, Maryland; L F Dowd, D G Rusk, Chicago, Illinois.

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WILLARDS' HOTEL—Sykes & Chadwick, Lyman Lacy, Ill; R F Wright, New Orleans; Col P Hooper, Ala; A G Garfield, Chicago; James C Jewett, N Y; N M Bell, Salem, Oregon; John Gibson, jr, Richmond; Hon Charles Haight, N J; R N Reid, Savannah, Ga; J H Bingham, Tenn; J D Blackwell, N Y; Samuel B Ruggles, N Y; W R Morrison, Ill.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 15, 1868.

On the petition of WILLIAM THOMLEY, of Philadelphia, Pa., praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 19th day of September, 1854, for an improvement in Safety Washer for Securing Wheels to Axles, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 19th day of September, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent office on MONDAY, the 31st day of August next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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 *Evening Chronicle*, Cincinnati, Ohio, once a week for three successive weeks; the first of said publications to be at least sixty days previous to the day of hearing.

A. M. STOUT, Acting Commissioner of Patents.
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 15, 1868.

On the petition of WILLIAM H. ARNOLD and JOSEPH C. BURRITT, of Ithaca, N. Y., praying for the extension of a patent granted to them the 8th day of September, 1854, for an improvement in Calendar Clocks, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 19th day of September, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 31st day of August next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said petition ought not be granted.

Persons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, specially set forth in writing, at least *twenty* 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.

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A. M. STOUT, 9-TuSt Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, May 15, 1868.

On the petition of JOHN A. GRIMES, of Canton, Ohio, praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 15th day of August, 1854, for an improvement in Ploughs, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 15th day of August, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 27th day of July next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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.

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

A. M. STOUT, jy13-Tu Acting Commissioner of Patents.

APPLICATIONS FOR DUPLICATE LAND WARRANTS.

To all whom it may concern:

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, PATENT OFFICE, MAY 19, 1868.

Application having been made under the act of June 21, 1860, for the release of the following described land warrants, which are alleged to have been lost or destroyed. Notice is hereby given that at the date following the description of each warrant a new certificate or warrant of like tenor will be released, if no valid objection should then appear.

No. 47,200, for 160 acres, issued under the act of March 3, 1855, in the name of Kellogg Perry, and was granted November 13, 1856. August 8, 1868.

No. 70,801, for 160 acres, issued under the act of March 3, 1855, in the name of Harrison Corum, and was granted October 2, 1856. September 5, 1868.

No. 23, for 80 acres, issued under the act of March 3, 1855, in the name of Eleanore Hailey, widow of George Hailey, deceased, and was granted May 27 1856. August 22, 1868.

No. 50,161, for 160 acres, issued under the act of March 3, 1855, in the name of Elizabeth Willis, father and heir at law of Clark B. Leath, deceased and was granted May 30, 1849. August 22, 1868.

No. 78,352, for 160 acres, issued under the act of March 3, 1855, in the name of Alexander Berry-Hill and was granted March 6, 1858. July 18, 1868.

No. 69,752, for 160 acres, issued under the act of March 3, 1855, in the names of the minor children of Andrew Jewett, deceased, and was granted July 21, 1857. September 19, 1868.

No. 80,183, for 160 acres, issued under the act of February 11, 1847, in the name of Elizabeth Thompson, mother and heir-at-law of Jesse Thompson, deceased, and was granted September 30, 1857. September 26, 1868.

JAMES A. MORGAN, Acting Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 20, 1868.

On the petition of JOHN J. WEEKS, of Oyster Bay, N. Y., praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 29th day of September, 1854, which patent was surrendered, and application for re-issue made in four divisions, for an improvement in Harvesters of Grain and Grass, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 29th day of September, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 6th day of September next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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.

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A. M. STOUT, jy13-F3w Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 18, 1868.

On the petition of ABNER WHITELEY, formerly of Springfield, Ohio, now of Fairfield county, Missouri, praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 19th day of September, 1854, for an improvement in Grain and Grass Harvesters, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 19th day of September, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on Monday, the 23d day of August next, at 12 o'clock m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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.

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A. M. STOUT, jy13-F3w Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 15, 1868.

On the petition of HARRY H. EVANTS, of Chicago, Ill., praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 19th day of October, 1854, for an improvement in Shingle Machine, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 31st day of October, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 17th day of October next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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.

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A. M. STOUT, jy11-W3t Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 15, 1868.

On the petition of ALBERT WILLIAMS, of Salem, Ohio, praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 31st day of October, 1854, for an improvement in Tool for Grooving Mouldings, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 31st day of May, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 31st day of August next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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 *Atlas*, New York, N. Y., once a week for three successive weeks; the first of said publications to be at least sixty days previous to the day of hearing.

A. M. STOUT, jy12-F3w Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 15, 1868.

On the petition of GARDNER S. BLODGETT and PAUL T. BOWEY, of Burlington, Vermont, praying for the extension of a patent granted to them the 5th day of December, 1854, for an improvement in Oven for baking, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 5th day of December, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on Monday the 4th day of November next, at 12 o'clock m.; and all persons are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said petition ought not be granted.

Persons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, specially set forth in writing, at least *twenty* 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.

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A. M. STOUT, 9-TuSt Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, May 15, 1868.

On the petition of JOSEPH GILMAN, of Paterson, New Jersey, praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 15th day of August, 1854, for an improvement in Safety Washer for Securing Wheels to Axles, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 15th day of September, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent office on MONDAY, the 31st day of August next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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.

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A. M. STOUT, jy24-W3t Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, May 20, 1868.

On the petition of REBECCA A. MARCHER, of New York, N. Y., executrix of Robert J. Marcher, deceased, praying for the extension of a patent granted to the said Robert J. Marcher the 23d day of May, 1855, for an improvement in Tool for Grooving Mouldings, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 23d day of May, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 31st day of August next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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.

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

A. M. STOUT, jy12-F3w Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 15, 1868.

On the petition of JOHN A. MARDEN, of English Neighborhood, N. J., praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 31 day of October, 1854, for an improvement in Pen and Pencil Case, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 31 day of October, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 31 day of August next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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.

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Ordered, also, that this notice be published in the REPUBLICAN and the *Intelligencer*, Washington, D. C., and in the *Tribune*, Chicago, Ill., once a week for three successive weeks; the first of said publications to be at least sixty days previous to the day of hearing.

A. M. STOUT, jy10-TuSw Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, May 18, 1868.

On the petition of ABNER WHITELEY, of Springfield, Ohio, praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 22d day of August, 1854, and reissued the 4th day of September, 1857, for an improvement in Track Cleaners to Grass Harvesters, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 22d day of August, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 10th day of August next, at 12 o'clock m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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 *Post*, Boston, Massachusetts, once a week for three successive weeks; the first of said publications to be at least sixty days previous to the day of hearing.

A. M. STOUT, my20-TuSt Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, May 21, 1868.

On the petition of DANIEL HALLADAY, of Batavia, Illinois, praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 26th day of August, 1854, for an improvement in Governor for Wind Mills, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 26th day of August, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on Monday, the—day of August next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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 *Tribune*, Chicago, Illinois, once a week for three successive weeks; the first of said publications to be at least sixty days previous to the day of hearing.

A. M. STOUT, my20-W3t Acting Commissioner of Patents.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, May 15, 1868.

On the petition of JOHN MARIN, of English Neighborhood, N. J., praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 23d day of October, 1854, for an improvement in Pen and Pencil Case, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 23 day of October, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 31 day of August next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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.

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Ordered, also, that this notice be published in the REPUBLICAN and the *Intelligencer*, Washington, D. C., and in the *Post*, Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, once a week for three successive weeks; the first of said publications to be at least sixty days previous to the day of hearing.

A. M. STOUT, my20-W3w Acting Commissioner of Patents.

Proposals.

PROPOSALS FOR BEEF.

OFFICE DEPOT, A. C. S., SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS, June 20, 1868.

Sealed proposals in duplicate will be received until 12 o'clock, noon, on Tuesday the 14th day of July, 1868, for furnishing the United States Subsistence Department with the following stores:

200 barrels SALT BEEF (MESS.)
2,000 pounds DRIED BEEF,

at San Antonio, Texas. The above articles to be of the very best quality, and to be put up in the best and most secure manner. To be delivered within thirty days after the opening of the bids.

The beef will undergo a thorough inspection before being received.

Satisfactory evidence of the solvency of each bidder and person offered as security will be required. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Proposals must be plainly endorsed, "Proposals," and addressed to the undersigned.

By order of Brevet Major General A. Beckwith, Chief C. S. 5th Military District.

HERMAN SCHREINER, 1t13-4d 1st Lieut 25th Infantry, and A. C. S.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING UNITED STATES ARMY SUPPLIES.

SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposals for furnishing United States Army Supplies," will be received at the office of the undersigned until 12 m. of MONDAY, the 27th day of July, 1868, for supplying to the Posts in the Harbor of Boston, viz: Forts Independence and Warren, and Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Mass., and to officers of the army stationed in Boston, Mass., Fuel, Forage, and Straw, in the following proportions, monthly and quarterly:

FOR WATERTOWN ARSENAL.

Thirty cords of Hard Wood, more or less, per month.

Twenty-five hundred and fifty-five pounds of Oats monthly.

Twenty-nine hundred and eighty pounds of Hay, monthly.

Twenty-two hundred and sixteen pounds of Straw, monthly.

FOR FORT WARREN, BOSTON HARBOR, MASSACHUSETTS.

Seventy-five cords of Hard Wood, to be delivered on or before September 30, 1868.

Sixty-six hundred pounds of Oats, delivered quarterly, or as may be required.

Seventy-seven hundred pounds of Hay, delivered quarterly, or as may be required.

Eleven thousand pounds of Straw, delivered quarterly, or as may be required.

FOR FORT INDEPENDENCE, BOSTON HARBOR, MASSACHUSETTS.

Sixteen hundred and twenty pounds Oats, delivered quarterly.

Thirty-four hundred and ninety-two pounds Straw, delivered quarterly.

FOR THE CITY OF BOSTON.

4,000 pounds Anthracite Coal, to be delivered monthly.

4,720 pounds Oats, to be delivered monthly.

4,880 pounds Hay, to be delivered monthly.

2,400 pounds Straw, to be delivered monthly.

The fuel and forage required in Boston to be delivered in such parts of the city as may be designated. That for Watertown Arsenal and the Forts in the Harbor of Boston to the officers of the Quartermaster's Department at those stations respectively.

All of the above articles to be of a good merchantable quality—in the case of wood, oak to be the standard, and a cord to consist of 128 cubic feet. The supplies to be delivered as herein stated under the orders and directions of the undersigned.

Contracts to be executed with a bond signed by two responsible parties as sureties.

Bids for supplying the entire amount of each article specified above will be received.

The right of rejecting any and all bids is reserved, if they are found to be exhorbitant or objectionable.

Payment will be made monthly or quarterly, as the supplies are delivered.

R. CLARK, jy15-1d Assistant Q. M. Gen.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 18, 1868.

On the petition of ABNER WHITELEY, formerly of Springfield, Ohio, now of Fairfield county, Missouri, praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 19th day of September, 1854, for an improvement in Grain and Grass Harvesters, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 19th day of September, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on Monday, the 23d day of August next, at 12 o'clock m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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 *Burlington Times*, Burlington, N. J., once a week for three successive weeks; the first of said publications to be at least sixty days previous to the day of hearing.

A. M. STOUT, jy13-F3w Acting Commissioner of Patents.

Proposals.

PROPOSALS FOR POSTAGE STAMPS.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, June 22, 1868.

Proposals will be received until 12 m. of July 22, next, for furnishing Postage Stamps for a term of four years, commencing 23d of September next.

Bidders will state the price per thousand Stamps, deliverable in packages of ten thousand each, at the Post Office Department in Washington.

Also, the price per thousand in similar packages deliverable to the agent of the Department at the place of manufacture.

Also, the price per thousand delivered in larger packages, as required either at the Department or place of manufacture.

Also, the price per thousand separated in such quantities as may be daily ordered for the use of post offices, never less than two hundred stamps, and securely packed in tin cases, suitable binders'-board boxes, with muslin or other equally strong covers, or in suitable envelopes, according to the quantity and distance to be conveyed, as may be required by the Department, stating the difference, if any, between the cost of delivery to an agent at the place of manufacture, and at Washington, D. C. All such packages, before mailing, to be re-examined and recounted by an agent of this Department.

Bidders will also give the additional cost for directing packages for the mails and preparing blank receipts, under the direction of an agent of the Department, either at the Department or manufactory.

Proposals must be made for the Stamps in sheets, perfectly gummed, and perforated in such manner that each separate Stamp can be readily detached and used.

The denominations of Stamps now in use are one cent, two cents, three cents, five cents, ten cents, twelve cents, fifteen cents, twenty-four cents, thirty cents, and twenty cents; and five cents, ten cents, and fifteen cents for periodicals. The superfaces of the periodical Stamps will be about ten times that of the letter Stamps. On all of the Stamps the designs, dies, and plates, are substantially in figures as well as letters, and the whole work must be executed in the best style.

The Stamps must be prepared in such a manner that any attempt to remove them from a letter or packet will so mutilate them as to render them useless.

Special proposals for Stamps on embossed paper, as now in use, *are invited.*

The whole number of Stamps furnished to the Department during the year ending the 30th of June, 1867, was 371,396,603.

From past experience it is supposed that the number of packages mailed will average above two hundred daily, varying in size from two half sheets, or 200 stamps, up to the 500 half sheets, or 50,000 stamps; but by far the larger proportion of packages contain not more than 20 half sheets or 2,000 stamps.

Each bid is to be accompanied with a specimen of the style of engraving and quality of the paper to be furnished, which will be submitted to competent persons, to be selected by the Postmaster General, for examination; and the accepted bidder, before the final consummation of a contract, will be required to prepare designs and furnish proof impressions of the engravings of the several denominations of stamps. There should be variety in the designs, and a distinct one for each value.

Specimens of board and tin boxes and envelopes for the transmission of stamps must also be submitted with each bid. It is necessary to protect the boxes by metallic cases, and to use the most effectual manner against wet or abrasion.

The contract will require all dies and plates to be prepared and kept in repair, and that new dies and plates be made, free of charge, for any of the denominations of stamps or others, without charge, at the pleasure of the Department; and all such dies and plates are to be the property of the United States, and to be surrendered to the Post Office Department.

No bids will be considered except from parties who have been actually engaged to the business of copper-plate printing and steel engraving, and are those engaged at the time of bidding, and who are occupying suitable fire-proof premises, and provided with all the necessary facilities to execute the work promptly, and give the requisite protection to the stamps, dies, and plates in their possession.

Parties not known to the Department will furnish proof as to these points with their bids.

The Postmaster General reserves the right of deciding what is the most advantageous bid, to be most to the interest of the Department, having reference to the style of the work, security, mode of packing, &c., as well as the terms, and also of rejecting any or all bids, if in his judgment the interests of the Department require it.

Proposals should be carefully sealed, and marked "Proposals for Postage Stamps," and addressed to the Third Assistant Postmaster General,

ALEX. W. RANDALL, jo25-F4t Postmaster General.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF AND BEEF CATTLE.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE PLATTE, OFFICE CHIEF COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, OMAHA, NEB., June 28, 1868.

Sealed Proposals, in duplicate, will be received by First Lieutenant Henry M. Benson, 36th Infantry, U. S. A., at Cheyenne, D. T., Territory, until 12 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, the 18th day of July, 1868, for furnishing the troops and others supplied at this post with

FRESH BEEF, FROM THE BLOCK,

from the 1st day of October, 1868, to the 31st day of August, 1869, or such less time as the Commissary General of Subsistence may direct.

Each proposal must state the price at what price per pound, net, will be furnished each number of

BEEF CATTLE,

on the hoof, (all steers over three and under seven years of age, in good healthy condition, average gross weight one thousand pounds, and none received under eight hundred pounds,) as may be needed at the post during the period of the fresh beef contract.

For further particulars and conditions of contract, inquire of Lieutenant Benson, at the post, or the undersigned.

By order of Brevet Major General Augur,

J. W. BARRIGER, jy4-td Brevet Lieut. Col. and Chief C. S.

PROPOSALS.

U. S. ENGINEER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, CITY HALL, BOSTON, July 2, 1868.

Proposals will be received at this office until the 15th inst., at 2 p. m., for the construction of a Bulkhead and Jetties at Beach Point, Provincetown, Mass.

The bulkhead will be located at or near the line of ordinary high water, with the jetties at points about 50 feet apart, extending therefrom to or near to low water mark, constructed similarly in all respects to the bulkhead (not including the number of stakes is to be planted firmly in the sand, the intervals both longitudinal and transverse being about four feet. The heads of these stakes will be tied together by two rows of poles, one near the top, and the intervals between the stakes will be compactly filled with stone and brush, so interlaced and dispersed as to bind well together.

The details of the bulkhead (not including the several jetties described) will be some 600 feet, more or less, and will be dependent upon the decision of the Engineer in charge, based upon contingent requirements appearing in the progress of the work.

The bids will express a price per lineal foot measured both on line of the bulkhead and of the jetties.

Bvt. Maj. Gen. U. S. A., Lt. Col. Eng'rs. jy4-td

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL.

NAVY DEPARTMENT, July 3, 1868.

Sealed proposals, endorsed and addressed to the Secretary of the Navy, for supplying the Navy Department with one hundred and fifty cords of Oak Wood, and two hundred and fifty tons of Anthracite Coal, will be received until noon of the 15th of JULY, instant. The proposals must be separate.

The Wood must be of the best quality of Oak, well seasoned, straight, and of good size, for use in open fire-places, and must be delivered and stacked for inspection and measurement in front of the Navy Department Building, by the first of September next.

The Coal must be of the best white ash Anthracite, egg size, 2,240 pounds to the ton, and delivered by the 1st of September next, as follows:

120 tons at the Navy Department.
30 tons at the Observatory.
50 tons at the Hydrographical Office, corner of Eighteenth street and New York avenue. jy11-td

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, June 15, 1868.

On the petition of HARRY H. EVANTS, of Chicago, Ill., praying for the extension of a patent granted to him the 19th day of October, 1854, for an improvement in Shingle Machine, for seven years from the expiration of said patent, which takes place on the 31st day of October, 1868:

It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on MONDAY, the 17th day of October next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified 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 *twenty* 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.

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A. M. STOUT, jy11-W3t Acting Commissioner of Patents.

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