THE MARKETS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

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NEW YORK, August 6—1 p. m.—United States 6s, 1881, Coupon, 110¼; United States 5-20s, 1865, Coupon, 108¼; U. S. 5-20s, 1867, Coupon, 108¼; U. S. 5-20s, new 1869, Coupon, 108¼; U. S. 5-20s, '70, Coupon, 110¼; U. S. 5-20s, '68, Coupon, 110¼; U. S. 10-40s, Coupon, 110¼; Currency 6s, 114; New 7-30s, 109¾; Pacific Mail, 34; Adams Express, 97½; Wells, Fargo & Co's Express, 67½; American Express, 72½; U. S. Express, 48½; New York Central and Hudson, 97¼; Erie Railway, 49; Erie preferred, 74; Michigan Central Railroad, 116½; Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, 93½; Union Pacific railroad, 30¼; Northwest, 74; Northwest pref. forwd, 87½; Rock Island, 111; Milwaukee and Saint Paul, 61; Milwaukee and St. Paul preferred, 80¼; Wabash and Western, 35½; Delaware, Lackawanna and Western, 107½; Fort Wayne guaranteed, 100; Ohio and Mississippi Certificates, 31; Ohio, Cincinnati and Indiana Central, 81½; Tennessee State 6s, old, 78; Tennessee State 6s, new, 78½; Virginia State stock, 50; North Carolina State, old, 36¼; North Carolina State, new, 25; Missouri State sixes, 100; Union Pacific Land Grants, 102; Union Pacific 1st Bonds, 109.

LATER—4 p. m.—Gold, Chicago and Ind. Cent., 15¼; Erie, 49¼; Union Pacific, 30¼; Northwest, 74¼; Pacific Mail, 34¼; Ohio and Mississippi certificates, 31¼.

Local 112½.

BALTIMORE MARKETS.

BALTIMORE, August 6—Breadstuffs.—Flour—The receipts to-day were 87 bbls., with sales reported on Wharves of 400 bbls., as follows: 100 bbls. Western Extra at $4.75; 100 do. do. at $5.25; 100 do. Family at $6.50; and 100 do. City Mills Extra at $7.50 per bbl.

Wheat—The receipts to-day were 13,000 bushels, of which 1,000 bushels were Western, and of the remainder about one-half were of inferior quality. The demand for prime white was fair, with sales of 1,000 bushels at $1.70@1.80; 1,000 good to prime at $1.65@1.70, and of red 3,000 under at $1.75@1.80; 1,000 good to prime at $1.80@1.85; 1,000 at $1.75; 1,000 and 2,000 at $1.80@1.85. The demand for Western is less active than for Southern, and we have only to report a sale of 800 bushels at $1.65@1.70.

Corn—The receipts were 19,000 bushels, of which 12,000 bushels were Western. The sales of Southern were 1,500 bushels white at 70@71 cents and 500 yellow at 64 cents, and of Western 3,000 low mixed at 62 cents and 14,000 mixed in elevator at 61 cents. At the close the market was steady at these figures.

Oats—The market for Southern Oats was active and strong, but for Western it was quiet and weak. The receipts were 3,000 bushels, with sales of 2,000 bushels new Southern at 40@41 cents. There were no sales of Western, and we quote it 40@45 cents for mixed, and at 46@47 cents for bright.

Rye—Is firmer with light receipts, and we quote sales of 100 bushels new Pennsylvania at 77 cents. We quote ranging from 60@75 cents, letter for prime.

Provisions.—We have no change in lots of Bulk Meats, but indications that the old and the new are rendered refined for Shoulders and sides, the latter quoted at 5½@5¾ cents, and Hams 10@11 cents for City Cures. Bacon—Shoulders 5¾@6 cents for City Cured, and 6¼@6½ cents for Hams. Lard—Is firmer, with a tendency to advance, and we quote 10 cents for leaf, 10¼@10½ cents for Western steam and kettle rendered, and at 10 cents for refined.

Sugars.—We quote prices to-day as follows: Refining grades Cuba and Porto Rico at 8¼@8¾ cts.; fair to fine grocery grades, 9@9¾ cents; prime to choice, 9¾@10¼ cents; English and French Island, refining, 8¼@8¾ cents, and New Orleans grocery 9@9½ cents. The stock here in first hands is 37,000 bbds., 10,000 hdsds., and 15,000 bags.

Refined Sugars—Are in fair demand, and we quote Hards at 12¼@12½ cents for powdered, 12¼@12½ cents for crushed, and 12¼@12½ cents for granulated. Soft crushed are steady, and we quote on a basis of 11¾@12¼ cents for A white. Clarets (C) are selling at 9@9¼ cents.

Whisky.—The market for High Wines is quiet, and we are still without sales reported, and quote rye and Western at 91 cents.

MARRIED.

CORNWALL—BROOKBANK.—On July 5, by Rev. O. H. Mosher, Lieutenant Edward Cornwall, of Washington, and Mrs. MARY B. BROOKBANK, of Montgomery county, Md.

GRIFFISH—CLINE.—On the 31 of July, by the Rev. Dr. Sunderland, Lieut. Colonel GRIFFISH, of Washington city, and Mary CLINE, of Hunter, Shenandoah county, New York.

HIGGINS—ROBBINS.—At Fel field (V. J.) Baptist church, on Sunday evening, July 28, 1872, by Rev. Mr. Burr, John H. Higgins, of Washington, D. C., and Miss Fanny E. Robbins, of Hartsburg, Pa.

TOWNLEY—MCALLIFF.—On the 31st of June, by Father Tonin, of Alexandria, Va., Mr. EDWARD TOWNLEY, and Miss MARY MCALLIFF. No cards.

DIED.

DAUGHTON.—On the 5th of Aug'st, 1872, MARY RUTH SELLEN, only child of Harley Daughton and Rita, his wife, aged 3 months and 9 days.

Her remains will be taken from the residence of her parents 3 00 Virginia avenue southeast, to-day, August 7, at 4:30 o'clock, p. m.

MURRER.—On Monday evening, August 5, ANNIE MYRRER, only daughter of Charles and Mary Murrer.

The funeral will take place to-day, August 7, at No. 241 Ninth street southwest, at 3 o'clock, p. m.

MCPHONE.—August 5, 1872, MARY A. MCPHONE, beloved wife of Henry McPhone, in the 27th year of her age. Farewell, dear wife, till we meet in Heaven.

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"	2,000 "	2,000
Gifts of $2,000 each		8,000
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31 " 500 "		15,500
33 " 400 "		13,200
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37 " 200 "		7,400
40 " 100 "		4,000
60 " 300 "		18,000
100 " 200 "		20,000
612 " 100 "		61,200
Total, 1,100 Gifts, all Cash		$500,000

The Hon. Thos. E. Bramlette, late Governor of Kentucky, has consented to represent the Trustees in the management of the second Grand Gift Concert, and he will personally see that the money from the sale of tickets is deposited with the Treasurer, that the drawing is fairly conducted, and the gifts promptly and correctly paid.

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Proposals.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—GOVERNMENT HARBOR WORK AT DUNKIRK, N. Y.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER'S OFFICE, No. 9 PEARL ST., BUFFALO, N. Y., July 6, 1872.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, indorsed "Proposals for Dunkirk Harbor Work," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon of August 22, for the construction of a section of about the foot of the Dunkirk breakwater.

APPROXIMATE QUANTITIES OF MATERIALS TO BE FURNISHED AND DELIVERED:

Timber and Lumber (Hemlock or well Counterbraced) Each item to be bid and paid for by the thousand feet, board measure.

1. 11,000 feet b. m. White Hemlock.
2. 30,000 feet b. m. Hard Pine.
3. 56,000 feet b. m. White Oak.

WROUGHT IRON MATERIAL.

Each item to be bid and paid for by the pound.

1. 1,500 pounds Spike or bolts system, assorted lengths, 22,500 lbs.
2. 19 round, nut, screw and washer bolts, 1¼ inches diameter, assorted lengths, 4,750 lbs.
3. 11 square pointed drift bolts, handed and washered, 1¼ inches square, 6 inches long, 165 lbs.
4. 11 round, nut, screw and washer bolts, 1¼ inches in diameter, assorted lengths, 165 lbs.

REPAIRS OF LABOR, TO BE PERFORMED.

1. Repairs of timber work, including labor (the work to be bid and paid for by the linear foot of timber repaired and placed.
2. Repairs of iron work, including work, building superstructure, to be bid and paid for by the linear foot of timber repaired in place.
3. Repairs of stone work (100 cubic feet to the cord.) to be bid and paid for by the cord furnished and put into place.
4. Repairs of stone work (100 cubic feet to the cord.) to be bid and paid for by the cord furnished and put into place.
5. Repairs of fence work, including fence and building superstructure, to be bid and paid for by the linear foot of timber repaired in place.

The stone to be of good quality, and shall be hard, sound and fastened in place, to be bid and paid for by the cord, 128 cubic feet.

Bids from responsible parties for each and everything of labor and material will be considered. Contractors are invited to bid for any one or more items of the above estimate. The responsible bidder whose aggregate is the lowest may expect the award.

Detailed specifications and instructions for bidders, and printed forms upon which all bids offered must be made, may be had upon application to this office.

O. M. POE,
Major of Engineers.
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PROPOSALS FOR DREDGING.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER'S OFFICE, CORNER HUDSON AND GREEN STS., NEW YORK, July 26, 1872.

Proposals will be received at this office until noon on the 20th day of August, 1872, for dredging at different points on the Savannah river, Georgia.

Detailed information will be furnished on application at this office and at the office of the Engineer of Public Buildings, &c.

O. A. GILLMORE,
Lieut. Colonel of Engineers.

PROPOSALS FOR IRON-FRAME BARRACK BUNKS.

OFFICE OF THE DEPOT QUARTERMASTER, PHILADELPHIA, PA., July 18, 1872.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, the 23d day of August, 1872, for the manufacture of such number, not exceeding 12,000, of iron-frame single barrack bunks as may be required by the Quartermaster's Department during the present fiscal year, in accordance with the two patterns adopted by the War Department.

Full information will be furnished and the adopted patterns may be seen at this office and at the offices of the Depot Quartermasters at New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Louisville, St. Louis, Chicago and Pittsburg.

Proposals will state the price per bunk, completed, delivered at the Schuylkill Arsenal, Philadelphia, Pa., and will be accompanied by a sample bunk, with its framework complete, but without the wooden slats.

The right is reserved to reject all bids offered, as also to accept bids for a less number than the entire pattern, as may be deemed advisable by this Quartermaster General.

Each bid must be accompanied by a guarantee of at least two responsible persons, that in case the bid is accepted and a contract entered into they will become sureties to a bond, in the sum of one thousand dollars, for the faithful fulfillment of the contract for the faithful fulfillment. Proposals to be indorsed: "Proposals for Iron-frame Bunks," and addressed to the undersigned.

J. C. EATON,
Assistant Quartermaster General, Depot Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20, 1872.

Sealed proposals will be received until 12 o'clock, m., TUESDAY, the 13th day of August, 1872, for the Department and its several Bureaus, viz:

For eight hundred (800) tons (2,240 pounds to the ton) bituminous coal, of Cumberland, Md., or Williamsburg mine No. 1, White Ash Anthracite furnace coal. Also, three hundred (300) tons (2,240 pounds to the ton) best quality of coke, of Pittsburg origin.

The above coal must be delivered within forty (40) days after receipt of order, at such place as shall be the vacinity of the Department in a satisfactory manner before the party furnishing it will be paid.

The coke must be equal to the sample now in Commissioner Cole's office, which will be examined before the bids are opened, and the best quality, and fifty (50) cords best oak wood, well seasoned and cured, and which are the property of the United States Penitentiary buildings as may be desired.

The whole to be measured, weighed and measured, in accordance with the laws of Congress," approved July 11, 1864.

Bids for coke from the shippers must be shown by the superintendent, certifying that the coal delivered to them (the contractors) is the kind required by the Department.

The bids will be opened in the office of the superintendent, in the presence of such bidders as may choose to attend.

A satisfactory bond will be required of the successful bidders for the faithful performance of the contract.

C. DELANO,
Secretary.

PROPOSALS FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF RIVERS AND HARBORS.

U. S. ENGINEER'S OFFICE, BUFFALO, N. Y., July 15, 1872.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, will be received at this office till 12 m., Tuesday, August 20, 1872, for constructing material and labor for the improvement of Cheektowaga creek and Buffalo creek.

1. Timber construction and dredging BLACK RIVER, O. 250 ft. pier extension and 20,000 cubic yards dredging.

ROCKY RIVER, O. 250 feet piering and 16,000 cubic yards dredging.

ASHTABULA HARBOR, O. 1,200 lineal feet timber piling and 16,000 cubic yards dredging.

CONNEAUT HARBOR, O. 300 lineal feet close piling and 30,000 cubic yards dredging.

2. Blasting and dredging.

ASHTABULA HARBOR, O. Drilling, blasting and removing 3,000 cubic yards shale rock and dredging 6,000 cubic yards sand and gravel.

CONNEAUT HARBOR, O. Drilling, blasting and removing 1,500 cubic yards shale rock, dredging 1,000 cubic yards mean rock, and 60,000 cubic yards sand, gravel, or any surface strata of solid rock.

ERIE, PENN. Dredging 40,000 cubic yards sand, clay, or gravel.

VERMILION, O. Dredging 25,000 cubic yards sand and clay.

SANDUSKY RIVER, O. Dredging 30,000 cubic yards sand, clay and gravel.

TOLEDO, O. Dredging Maumee Bay, 40,000 cubic yards sand and clay.

MAUMEE RIVER, O. Dredging 20,000 cubic yards sand, clay and gravel.

The above amounts are approximate.

Separate bids must be submitted for each harbor, and to be entertained must include the entire work proposed for the harbor.

The contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder in the aggregate.

Specifications and blank bids can be obtained on application.

Envelopes containing bids must be indorsed with the name of the harbor to which they refer, securely sealed and forwarded to this office.

Bonds will be required for faithful fulfillment of contract.

G. L. GILLESPIE,
(Signed)
Major of Engineers, Brt. Lt. Col. U. S. A.

WROUGHT AND CAST-IRON WORK.

CUSTOM-HOUSE, NEW ORLEANS, LA.,
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, Aug. 1, 1872.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Superintendent until 12 m., August 26, 1872, for furnishing, delivering, fitting and putting in place the Wrought and Cast Iron Work as exhibited by the drawings, described in the specifications, viz: Iron for the Dome, consisting of Trusses and Purlins of Roof, Skylights and Ventilators on Roof, Ornamental Cresting, Brack for Ceilings of Customs-room and Vestibule, &c.

Copies of the drawings, specifications and schedules may be seen at this office and at the Custom-House.

All scaffolding required by the contractors to put the work in place will be furnished by the Government free of charge, but will be erected by the contractors.

Proposals will be made by the piece, lineal foot or weight, for the sums at each as called for in the schedule. The work will not be subdivided among different bidders, but will be considered in the aggregate.

Patterns will be made monthly, deducting ten per centum until the usual amount of the contract price is reached, when no more will be made until the sum of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) that the bidder will accept and perform the contract if awarded to him, is completed, when it will be inspected by the United States Judge, the Clerk of the United States Court or the District Attorney of the District, when it will be paid for.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids if it be deemed for the interest of the Government to do so, and any bid may be withdrawn before the party furnishing it will be paid.

Bids from parties who have not been well examined taken place work, of the best quality, and fifty (50) cords best oak wood, well seasoned and cured, and which are the property of the United States Penitentiary buildings as may be desired.

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ROCKY RIVER, O. 250 feet piering and 16,000 cubic yards dredging.

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The above amounts are approximate.

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The contract will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder in the aggregate.

Specifications and blank bids can be obtained on application.

Envelopes containing bids must be indorsed with the name of the harbor to which they refer, securely sealed and forwarded to this office.

Bonds will be required for faithful fulfillment of contract.

G. L. GILLESPIE,
(Signed)
Major of Engineers, Brt. Lt. Col. U. S. A.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 20, 1872.

Sealed proposals will be received until 12 o'clock, m., TUESDAY, the 13th day of August, 1872, for the Department and its several Bureaus, viz:

For eight hundred (800) tons (2,240 pounds to the ton) bituminous coal, of Cumberland, Md., or Williamsburg mine No. 1, White Ash Anthracite furnace coal. Also, three hundred (300) tons (2,240 pounds to the ton) best quality of coke, of Pittsburg origin.

The above coal must be delivered within forty (40) days after receipt of order, at such place as shall be the vacinity of the Department in a satisfactory manner before the party furnishing it will be paid.

The coke must be equal to the sample now in Commissioner Cole's office, which will be examined before the bids are opened, and the best quality, and fifty (50) cords best oak wood, well seasoned and cured, and which are the property of the United States Penitentiary buildings as may be desired.

The whole to be measured, weighed and measured, in accordance with the laws of Congress," approved July 11, 1864.

Bids for coke from the shippers must be shown by the superintendent, certifying that the coal delivered to them (the contractors) is the kind required by the Department.

The bids will be opened in the office of the superintendent, in the presence of such bidders as may choose to attend.

A satisfactory bond will be required of the successful bidders for the faithful performance of the contract.

C. DELANO,
Secretary.

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PROPOSALS FOR STONE.

ENGINEER OFFICE, TENTH L. H. DISTRICT, BUFFALO, N. Y., July 16, 1872.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office till 12 m. THURSDAY, August 15, 1872, for the delivery at Erie, Pa., of the following material for lighthouse purposes, viz:

CLASS I—STONE AND BRICK.

Seventy-two (72) cords coarse rubble stone, dressed, bids per cord.

Twenty-four (24) cords coarse rubble stone, rough, bids per cord.

Four hundred pcs. fifty (450) cap feet, special stone, bids per pc.

Two thousand five hundred (2,500) face brick, bids per M.

Twenty-seven thousand (27,000) common brick, bids per M.

The first cargo of stone must reach the station before the 1st of September, one half by the 15th of September, and the remainder by the 30th of September.

All the brick will be delivered by the 15th September, 1872.

Any desired information can be obtained on application to this office.

Proposals to be entertained must be accompanied by the usual guarantee in duplicate, with printed copy of the advertisement affixed to each proposal.

Envelopes containing proposals will be indorsed "Proposals for Erie Light-house," and addressed to this office.

D. G. GILLESPIE,
Major of Engineers and Eng. Tenth L. H. Dist.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, JEFFERSONVILLE, IND., July 10, 1872.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, are invited and will be received at this office at 12 m. MONDAY, August 19, 1872, for delivery to the Military Storekeeper at this Depot, before October 1, 1872, of the number (2,000) gallons Buffalo Cistern Oil, and seven thousand (7,000) Ax Helves.

Each bid to be accompanied by a guarantee of two responsible persons that in case of award of contract a good and sufficient bond will be given for the faithful performance of the contract.

Bidders required to furnish samples. Articles subject to inspection.

Bids to be distinctly indorsed "Proposals for Buffalo Overshoes and Ax Helves," and addressed to the undersigned.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Quartermaster General.

G. H. HOYT,
Captain and Depot Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS FOR DREDGING DOG-RIVER BAR CHANNEL, MOBILE BAY, ALA.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE, NORTHWEST COR. ST. LOUIS AND JOCKSON STS., LOCK BOX No. 1074, MOBILE, ALA., July 1, 1872.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., on Saturday, August 17, 1872, for dredging and removing 150,000 cubic yards of sand and material from Dog-River Bar Channel, situate in Mobile bay, about four and a half miles from the city of Mobile river and five from the city of Mobile.

The material to be excavated is a soft alluvial labor, and with sand, shell and decomposed vegetable matter, and will be found in the channel and deposited at an average distance not exceeding three miles, with about six feet of water at the dumping grounds.

Bidders will state price per cubic yard of material removed and deposited as above, and measured by measurement to be made by the Engineer, one month after the award of the contract work will be commenced, and the time required for its completion, as this will be one consideration in the award.

Payment will be made monthly, twenty per cent. being reserved until the work is completed to the satisfaction of the engineer in charge, and forfeited in case of failure on the part of the contractor to comply with the conditions of his contract. In addition, bonds to the amount of $5,000, with two sufficient sureties, will be required to insure faithful commencement and performance of contract.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved by the undersigned, and the contract will be subject to the approval of the Chief of Engineers United States army.

Full information in regard to this work will be given at this office, where printed blank forms of proposals can be obtained, and envelope indorsed "Proposals for Work on Dog-River Bar Channel" required. These blank forms will be mailed on requisition to the address of any one desiring to bid.

Bids accompanied by a copy of this advertisement attached to the form of proposals must be signed by two responsible guarantors, whose responsibility must be certified to by a Judge of Court, with the blank form.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, and the envelope containing the same should be indorsed "Proposals for Dredging Dog-River Bar Channel," and addressed to the undersigned.

J. H. SIMPSON,
Bvt. Brigadier General U. S. Army,
and Colonel of Engineers.

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