THE MARKETS.

COMMERCIAL.
Baltimore Markets.

BALTIMORE, May 30.—Breadstuffs.—Flour.—The demand is limited at the moment to the wants of the local trade, and to-day only reached 200 bbls Western, as follows: 100 bbls Common Extra at $4.87; 50 Family do. at $5.00; 50 Family at $5.25, and 50 do. at $5.

Wheat.—The sales reported were 22 bushels amber at $1, and 200 bushels inferior to fair red at $1.00@1.05. There were no samples of Western offered, but we quote amber at $1.00@1.05, latter for strictly choice.

Corn.—The market was dull for all spot lots. The sales of Southern were 4,000 bushels at 71@72 cents, being a shade better; an yesterday; Western, and 3,000 bushels yellow at 72 cents; 1,000 bushels white were held at 72c. There were no sales of Western in store or elevator, and we quote nominal at 69@70 cents. There was more inquiry for forward delivery, and we note a sale of 40,000 bushels for last half June, and first half July at 67 cents.

Oats.—The sales to-day were confined to 3 bushels Southern at 45 cents, and we quote mixed Western at 40@42 cents, and bright do. at 43@44 cents.

Rye.—The sales of Rye to-day were 600 bushels fair good at 90@92 cents, and we quote prime at 95 cents.

Corn.—We quote prices to-day as follows: Middling at 12½@13 cents, and good do. at 13@13½ cts., good ordinary at 12½@13 cts., and ordinary and low grades from 10 down to 11 cents.

Provisions.—There are no sales of Bulk Meats reported, and we quote shoulders at 7½@7¾ cents, and clear Rib sides at 9 cents. The printing demand for Bacon is fair, especially active, and the market is steady, and we quote shoulders at 8 cents, clear rib sides at 9½ cents, and clear rib and clear sides at 10 cents, the leading dealers generally asking the outside figures. Hams are still quoted at 12@13 cents, as to quality and sugar. Lard continues dull, and we quote at 9 cents for prime Western steam, and at 9½@9¾ cents for kettle-rendered. Mess Pork we quote at $17.50@18 per bbl.

Sugars.—We continue to quote prices as follows: Cuba, and Porto Rico, fair to good refining, 7¾@8 cents; English Island do., 7¾@8¼ cents; Martinique do. 7¾@8 cents; Cuba centrifugal, 8¼@9 cents; Demerara, No. 13, 8¼@8½ cents; Porto Rico grocery, 8¼@8½ cents; New Orleans do., 8¼@8½ cents; Demerara venetian pan, 8¾@9 cents; and Brazil at 7½@8 cents.

Whiskey.—There is less firmness in the market for High Wines, and prices have given way a trifle. We hear of no sales, but quote Western held at 90½ cents per gallon.

DIED.

DORSEY.—On the 30th instant, at 1 o'clock a. m., of pneumonia, JOHN R. DORSEY, in the eighty-ninth year of his age.

Texas papers please copy.

Funeral services will take place at the Metropolitan Presbyterian church, corner of Fourth and B streets southeast, on Sunday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Members of the Association of the survivors of the War of 1812 and the Oldest Inhabitants, are respectfully invited to attend.

NALLEY.—On the evening of the 29th instant, after a short but painful illness, WILLIAM JAMES, infant son of Elizabeth and of Elizabeth and Dennis F. Nalley, aged thirteen years and two months.

The funeral will take place on Sunday evening, at 4 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 319 D street, between Third and Fourth northeast. The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

SWEENEY.—On the 30th instant, MARY CLEMENTINA, youngest daughter of Wm. H. and Adda Sweeney, aged ten months and eighteen days.

PLATZ.—On Tuesday, at 6 o'clock p. m., GEORGE J., son of Joseph and Christiana Platz, aged four years, two months and thirteen days.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend the funeral on Saturday, May 31, at two o'clock p. m., from residence, 484 Pennsylvania avenue. Baltimore and New Orleans papers copy.] 2t*

KEARNS.—On the 8th instant, JOHNNY KEARNS, aged sixty-five years, a native of county Roscommon, Ireland.

His funeral will take place from the vault of Georgetown Holy Rood cemetery, Sunday, June 1, at 3 o'clock p. m. Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

James S. Davis et al.,
vs. In Equity, No. 3037. Docket 12.
Mary M. Davis et al.,

This cause having been referred to the auditor to state the trustee's account and make distribution of the proceeds of the late sale, creditors of the persons interested are hereby notified to appear before me, prove their accounts, and be heard in the premises, on MONDAY, June 2, 1873, at 10 o'clock a. m., at my office, in Barbour's law building, 490 Louisiana avenue. ROBERT LEECH, Auditor.
May 30, 1873. m30-3t

UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 14, 1873.
On the petition of JAMES HAYNES, of Hollis, Me., praying for the extension of a patent granted to him on the 6th day of August, 1858, for a improvement in Wood-saw Frames:

It is ordered that the testimony in the case be closed on the 6th day of July next; that the time for filing arguments and the Examiner's report be limited to the 16th day of August next, and that said petition be heard on the 21st day of July next.

Any person may oppose this extension.
m17-d2w M. D. LEGGETT, Commissioner.

UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 14, 1873.
On the petition of BENJAMIN F. BRUNEVANT, of West Roxbury, Mass., praying for the extension of a patent granted to him on the 27th day of October, 1857, and reissued on the 19th day of June, 1860, for an improvement in Blanks for Shoe Pegging Machines:

It is ordered that the testimony in the case be closed on the 16th day of July next; that the time for filing arguments for the Examiner's report be limited to the 23d day of July next, and that said petition be heard on the 30th day of July next.

Any person may oppose this extension.
m17-d2w M. D. LEGGETT, Commissioner.

WHEREAS VIRGINIA MILITARY LAND Warrant No. 9,115, for 100 acres, issued by the Register of the Virginia Land Office, March 26, 1784, to Patrick Henry, assignee of Richard Lee, heir of Captain John Watkins, Virginia Continental Line, war of the Revolution, has been lost or destroyed; application has been made to the Commissioner of Pensions for the issue of a duplicate thereof, so also for the satisfaction of the same by the issue of bounty land scrip. apm-6w

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THE MORTGAGE.—The Trustees under the Mortgage are Messrs. Jay Cooke, of Philadelphia, and J. Edgar Thompson, President of the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company. They will directly and permanently represent the interest of the First Mortgage bondholders, and are required to see that the proceeds of land sales are used in purchasing and canceling the bonds of the Company if they can be bought before maturity at not more than 10 per cent. premium; otherwise the Trustees are to invest the proceeds of the land sales in United States Bonds or Real Estate Mortgages for the further security of Northern Pacific bondholders. Also, that they have at all times in their control as security, at least 500 acres of average land to every $1,000 of outstanding first mortgage bonds, besides the railroad itself, and all its equipments and franchises.
PROFITABLENESS.—Of course nothing can be after than the bonds of the United States, but as the Government is no longer a borrower, and as the Nation's present work is not that of preserving its existence, but that of DEVELOPING A CONTINENT, we remind those who desire to increase their income and obtain a more permanent investment while still having a perfectly reliable security, that:
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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL AT THE NAVAL ACADEMY AT ANNAPOLIS, MD.

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The Anthracite will be required in egg size, not less than sixty nine per day. The Coal to be of the best quality, free from dust, and to weigh 2,240 pounds to the ton.

The right to reject bids for Coal not suitable for purposes of the Academy is reserved.

Proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for Coal," and addressed to JOHN L. WORDEN,
m7-tf Rear Admiral and Supt. N. A.

PROPOSALS FOR FRAME BUILDING.

OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER, FIRST QUARTERMASTER'S DISTRICT, D. E., CORNER OF HOUSTON AND GREENE STS., NEW YORK CITY, April 16, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached to each, will be received at this office until 12 m., June 19, 1873, for the erection at Fort Trumbull, New London Harbor, Conn., of a cemetery frame building, 27 x 36 x 8, to be used as laundresses' quarters.

All the required material and labor to be furnished by the contractor.

Plan and specifications may be seen at this office, and at the Fort Quartermaster's Office, Fort Trumbull, Conn.

The proposals must be accompanied by a guarantee of two responsible parties for the prompt and faithful fulfillment of the contract, and be addressed to the "Chief Quartermaster, First Quartermaster's District," indorsed "PROPOSALS FOR FRAME BUILDING, FORT TRUMBULL, CONN."

CHAS. G. SAWTELLE,
Colonel and Assistant Quartermaster General, Brvt. Major General U. S. Army. m7t8

PROPOSALS FOR SMALL ARMS, &c.

BUREAU OF ORDNANCE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., MAY 29, 1873.

Sealed bids, in duplicate, will be received at this office for the purchase, in lots of 100 to 500, of about 1,000 Whitney's, 1,500 Colt's, and 1,200 Remington's second-hand, military size, rifles, and 500 boxes of paper ammunition, to be delivered to the successful bidder or bidders at the New York or Washington navy yards.

The bids will be opened at 12 m. on the 19th of June, 1873, and the Department reserves the right to reject all which are deemed unsatisfactory.

The bids will be addressed to "Chief of Bureau of Ordnance, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.," and indorsed "Bids for purchase of Old Revolvers and Ammunition." WILLIAM N. JEFFERS,
m30 Chief of Bureau.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF.

OFFICE A. C. S.,
FORT FOOTE, MD., MAY 1, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, will be received at this office until 12 m., June 1, 1873, for furnishing the Fresh Beef required by the Subsistence Department, United States Army, at this Station during six months, commencing July 1, 1873.

Also, separate proposals for furnishing officers with choice cuts for the same period.

Information as to condition, quality of Beef, payments, &c., can be obtained by application to

JAMES M. ROBERTSON,
m31 First Lieut. 2d Artillery, A. C. S.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF.

FRANKFORD ARSENAL, OFFICE A. C. S.,
PHILADELPHIA, PA., May 15, 1873.

Sealed proposals in duplicate will be received at this office until 12 m., June 14, 1873, for furnishing the Fresh Beef required by the Subsistence Department, U. S. A., at this station during the next six months, commencing July 1, 1873.

Information as to conditions, quality of Beef, payments, &c., can be obtained by application to

WILLIAM PRINCE,
m16 First Lieutenant Ordnance, A. C. S.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF.

OFFICE ACTING COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE,
FORT MCHENRY, MD., May 24, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, will be received at this office until 11 o'clock a. m., June 24, 1873, for furnishing Fresh Beef required by the Subsistence Department, United States army, at this station during six (6) months, commencing July 1, 1873.

Information as to the conditions, quality of Beef, payments, &c., can be obtained by application to

E. LORD,
Captain, C. S. A., and A. C. S. M., in charge of Fresh Beef.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF.

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PHILADELPHIA, PA., MAY 15, 1873.

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WM. P. CRAIGHILL,
m16 Lt. Col. Engineers, Brvt. Major General.

PROPOSALS FOR DREDGING.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE,
ARMY BUILDING, HOUSTON AND GREENE STS.,
NEW YORK, May 24, 1873.

Sealed proposals for Dredging the Bar at Rutherford Park, on the Passaic river, N. J., will be received until noon of June 16, 1873.

For further information apply to this office.

JOHN NEWTON,
Lieutenant Colonel Engineers, Brevet Major General.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF.

OFFICE A. C. S.,
POST OF RALEIGH, N. C., MAY 15, 1873.

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R. N. HOWELL,
1st Lieut., 2d Artillery, A. C. S.

PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 17, 1873.

Sealed proposals, addressed to the Secretary of the Navy, for furnishing stationery for the Navy Department, Bureaus and other offices thereof, in Washington, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874, will be received until 12 o'clock, m., of the 3d of June.

Proposals must be submitted on the forms furnished by the Department, with the guarantee and affidavits annexed, and must embrace all the items therein.

Proposals from parties not engaged in business in Washington will be not a supply depot in such city, will not be considered.

The schedule embraces two general classes: 1st, stationery and miscellaneous articles; 2d, envelopes.

The contract will be awarded to the whole or by classes, as may be considered the more advantageous to the Government.

The Department reserves the right to require a greater or less quantity of any article in the schedule than that specified, as the wants of the same may require.

The articles will be called for from time to time as needed, and must be furnished with the schedule, and satisfactory to the head of the office or bureau for which required; must be delivered within ten days after the receipt of the requisition of the contractor; in default of any of which requirements the Department reserves the right to purchase the articles in open market, to apply the contract in whole or in part, and will hold the contractors responsible for any additional expense it necessarily incurs by such default.

Bills properly approved, accruing under the contract, will be paid quarterly.

GEO. M. ROBESON,
m7t20 Secretary of the Navy.

PROPOSALS FOR GOVERNMENT HAULING

DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 25, 1873.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until THURSDAY, June 5, 1873, at 12 m., when they will be opened, for the hauling of public stores from the depot for one year, commencing July 1, 1873.

Bidders will take one price per load of 1,500 pounds at which they will agree to haul the required stores whenever called upon by this office, to or from the points designated below, or such other points within the city limits to or from which stores may be required to be hauled, viz:

Schuylkill Arsenal (Gray's Ferry road,) including the local hauling required thereat; Frankford Arsenal, (Bridesburg;) Quartermaster's Office, No. 112 Girard street, and Quartermaster's yard on the Delaware river, from Callowhill street to Washington street, and the different railroad depots in the city.

Hauling which may be required to points not specified in the contract will be paid for at corresponding rates.

Bidders will be required to give security for the faithful performance of the contract.

Bids to be subject to the approval of the Quartermaster General before being accepted.

The Department reserves the right to reject all bids.

A list of the points from and to which stores will most generally require to be hauled can be seen at the office of the undersigned.

Proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for Hauling," and addressed to the undersigned.

C. C. EASTON,
Assistant Quartermaster General, U. S. A., Depot Quartermaster. m7t

PROPOSALS FOR RATIONS.

HEADQUARTERS U. S. M. CORPS,
QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, APRIL 24, 1873.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 3 o'clock, p. m., of WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of June next, for furnishing rations to the United States Marines at the following stations, from the 1st day of July to the 30th of June, 1874:

PORTSMOUTH, New Hampshire;
CHARLESTOWN, Massachusetts;
BROOKLYN, New York;
PHILADELPHIA, Pennsylvania;
WASHINGTON CITY, District of Columbia;
PENSACOLA, Florida;
PORTSMOUTH, Virginia;
NORFOLK, Virginia;
MARE ISLAND, California.

Each Ration to consist of twelve ounces of Pork or Beef, one pound and four ounces of Salt or Fresh Beef; sixteen ounces of Soft Bread, or twelve ounces of Hard Bread, or one pound and four ounces of Corn Meal; and to every one hundred Rations fifteen pounds of Beans, one pound of Rice or Hominy; ten pounds of Green Coffee, or eight pounds of Roasted and Ground) Coffee, or one pound and eight ounces of Tea; fifteen pounds of Sugar; four quarts of Vinegar; one pound and four ounces of Adamantine or Star Candles; four pounds of Soap; three pounds and twelve ounces of Salt, and four ounces of Pepper.

The rations are to be delivered upon the order of the commanding officer of each station: the Fresh Beef, when the station is located on the coast, of good quality, with an equal proportion of hind and forequarters, necks and kidney tallow to be excluded; the Fresh Beef, when the station is located in the interior, to be taken from the market of the place where the station is located; the Coffee, good Rio; the Sugar, good; the Vinegar, of the strongest; and the Beans, Vinegar, Candles, Soap, Salt, &c., to be of good quality.

All subject to inspection.

A guarantee, signed by two persons, whose responsibility must be certified to by a United States District Judge, District Attorney, or Collector, must accompany each proposal.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by such guarantee. Blank forms of proposal can be obtained upon application at any of the Marine stations.

Newspapers authorized to publish the above will send the paper containing the first insertion to this office for examination.

Proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for Rations," and addressed to the undersigned.

WILLIAM B. SLACK,
m26 Maj. and Quarterm't U. S. Marine Corps.

PROPOSALS FOR WROUGHT IRON BEAMS.

ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL, ILL., April 25, 1873.

Sealed proposals are hereby invited to furnish, delivered on cars at this Arsenal, at any time before November 1, 1873,

About 1,800 lineal feet of heavy 15 inch wrought iron I beams, to weigh 300 pounds per yard, length between 15 and 22 feet, generally about 19 feet

About 7,400 lineal feet of heavy 12 inch wrought iron I beams, to weigh about 150 lbs. per yard, length between 15 and 22 feet, generally between 18 and 20 feet.

Proposals must state price per pound; be addressed to undersigned, indorsed on outside, "Proposal for Iron Beams," and be accompanied by a guarantee of two responsible parties, that if a bid be accepted, the contract will be entered into and executed must be received before that time.

Samples of iron must be furnished.

The bids will be opened at 12 m. on the 19th of June, 1873, and the Department reserves the right to reject all which are deemed unsatisfactory.

The bids will be addressed to "Chief of Bureau of Ordnance, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.," and indorsed "Bids for Purchase of Old Revolvers and Ammunition." WILLIAM N. JEFFERS,
m28 Chief of Bureau.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF.

OFFICE A. C. S.,
FORT WOOD, N. Y. HARBOR,
May 19, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, will be received at this office until 12 m., June 13, 1873, for furnishing the Fresh Beef required by the Subsistence Department at this station for six months, commencing July 1, 1873.

Information as to conditions, quality of beef, payment, &c., can be obtained by application to

ROBERT P. PARR,
m27 First Lieutenant, Third Artillery, A. C. S.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF.

OFFICE OF ACTING COM'RY OF SUBSISTENCE,
FORT HAMILTON, N. Y., May 16, 1873.

Proposals, in duplicate, will be received until 12 m. on the 13th day of June, 1873, for all the Fresh Beef and Mutton that may be required by the Subsistence Department at this Post during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874.

Information and conditions obtained of

J. M. MARSHALL,
m27t3 First Lieut. Fourth Artillery, A. C. S.

PROPOSALS FOR EXTENSION OF BREAKWATER AT PLATTSBURG, N. Y.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE,
ARMY BUILDING, HOUSTON AND GREENE STS.,
NEW YORK, May 14, 1873.

Sealed proposals will be received until noon of June 14, 1873, for the extension of the Breakwater at Plattsburg, N. Y.

For forms of bids and other information, apply to this office. JOHN NEWTON,
m27t3 Lt. Col. Engineers, Brvt. Major General.

PROPOSALS FOR DREDGING.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE,
ARMY BUILDING, NEW YORK, May 16, 1873.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until noon of the 30th day of June, 1873, for establishing and maintaining, by dredging or otherwise, a channel nine (9) feet deep and one hundred and fifty (150) feet wide at mean low water, across the bar at the mouth of St. John's river, Florida. For full particulars apply at this office.

WM. F. BARLOW,
m24 Maj. of Engineers, Bvt. Maj. Gen. U. S. A.

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GENERAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

SENECA STONE.
The Maryland Freestone M. and M. Company is now ready to receive orders for STONE, either sawed or rough dimension.
Send orders to Company's office,
CORNER K AND TWENTY-EIGHTH STREETS, ROCK CREEK.
C. W. HAYDEN,
m29t6-tf PRESIDENT.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL, FORAGE AND STRAW.

OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
DEPARTMENT OF THE GULF,
NEW ORLEANS, La., May 17, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in triplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached to each, will be received at this office, and at the office of the Acting Assistant Quartermaster of the post until the quarter ending S. 1873, for supplying the post of Monroe, Louisiana, monthly, as required, from July 1, 1873, to June 30, 1874, with the following quantities of fuel, forage and straw, viz: 300 cords Shackelford hard wood, 15 tons corn or oats, 30 tons hay, 15 tons straw.

Bids for any part of the supplies will be received.

All necessary information in regard to bidding, requirements, etc., with blank forms of proposals, descriptive of the kind and quality of wood, forage and straw, will be furnished on application to the office; and bids not made upon these forms or in conformity therewith will not be considered.

Proposals to be addressed to the undersigned, or to the Acting Assistant Quartermaster at the post, and marked "Proposals for Fuel," or Forage, as the case may be.

WILLIAM R. HUGHES,
Chief Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS FOR FORAGE AND STRAW.

DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 5, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached, are invited from responsible parties until 12 m., June 14, 1873, for furnishing all the Corn, Oats, Hay and Straw required at posts in the following named States and Territories, viz: Alabama, California, Florida, Georgia, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Nevada, North Carolina, Oregon, South Carolina, Texas, Tennessee, Colorado, Dakota, Idaho, Indian, Montana, New Mexico, Utah, Washington and Arizona.

For list of stores in detail, location, terms, &c., see Circulars, which can be procured on application at the Quartermaster