MARRIED.

HOLLIN—BURROWS—At the parsonage of Fletcher M. E. church, Tuesday, June 17, by the Rev. H. Mystrom, Mr. JOHN F. HOLLIN and Miss ELIZABETH H. BURROWS, both of Georgetown.

HOUX—COOLEY—On the 12th inst., by the Rev. G. W. Cooper, MATHIAS F. HOUX and RUTH E. COOLEY, both of this city.

LILLY—WEINERSBORN—On Thursday, May 1, 1873, by the Rev. Richard Norris, Hermann C. LILLY of Philadelphia, and ANNIE WEINERSBORN, of Washington, D. C.

DIED.

GIBSON—On Tuesday morning, June 17, 1873, at Willow Dale, Prince George's county, Md., Mrs. CATHARINE CARTER GIBSON, aged sixty-five years, wife of Westman Gibson, esq., formerly of Kent Island, Md.

Funeral notice hereafter.

JOHNSON—On the 17th instant, at 1.30 o'clock p. m., after a protracted illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude and resignation, Mrs. MARY E. JOHNSON, in the forty-ninth year of her age.

Resting sweetly from all care,
Life's labor's at an end;
The soul has winged its flight above,
Eternity to spend.

J. C. C.

Funeral this afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from the residence of her husband, corner of L and Canal streets northeast.

LARKIN—On the 17th instant, at 7.21 p. m., of chronic infantism, ELIZABETH ALICE, beloved daughter of Patrick and Elizabeth LARKIN, aged thirteen months and four days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral, from the residence of her parents, No. 320 Twenty-second street northwest, at 4 o'clock on the 19th instant. R.*

RUBOREFORD—Suddenly, on the evening of June 17, CARRIE BLANCHE, daughter of Thomas W. and Carrie Lee Ruboreford, aged seven months.

Notice of funeral in this evening's star.

BUTLER—On the 17th June, 1873, BRIDGET BUTLER, aged forty five years.

Her funeral will take place from her late residence, 519 Eleventh street, this afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend her funeral.

CURRAN—On the 17th instant, MARY EMMA CURRAN, aged 1 m. 1 year, one month and twenty-three days, only child of Edward and Nellie Curran.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully requested to attend his funeral, from No. 115 First street northwest, this afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

FLYNN—June 16, THOMAS FLYNN, aged fifty-seven years, a native of county Limerick, Ireland, for the last twenty-seven years a resident of Washington. He leaves a wife and five children to mourn their loss.

His funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 8 Maccomb's avenue, on Thursday evening, June 19, at 4 o'clock.

LOVE—June 16, at 11.30 p. m., Miss SARAH S. LOVE, aged eighty-seven years.

IN MEMORIAM.

Mrs. Isabella Walker departed this life on Sabbath morning, June 8, 1873. Born in Belfast, Ireland, she came to America in early childhood, and was a resident of Georgetown and Washington, D. C., for nearly eighty years. She was the centre of a large family circle, loving and loved by each one of her kindred, with a rich and rare affection. Happy in holding them around her through all the changes of life, her death was alleviated by every possible circumstance. Children and grandchildren, as well as many of collateral kinship, followed her to the burial. Besides these a large concourse of people, to whom she was known in Washington, shed the final offices of their esteem and sympathy. No one has been summoned from our community in this year of many mutualities more of the best population, to whose character and memory a more profound and heartfelt tribute of regard was paid.

Mrs. Walker had been a member of the Fourth Presbyterian church, under the pastorate of the Rev. Dr. John C. Smith, for more than the third of a century. But she was always liberal in her religious views, and held all Christian brethren as members of the one family in Heaven and on earth. As a matter of convenience, she often attended the First Presbyterian church, (Dr. Sunderland's,) and was able on Sabbath, June 1, to be present at the Communion observed on that day. This was the last of her going to the earthly sanctuary.

Mrs. Walker, in her chosen sphere, had but few equals. She was a genuine representative of that great old stock that supported the reformation in Scotland and Ireland three hundred years ago. She was a woman that never deserted and never knew what fear was. She was full of endurance, of courage and of wisdom. She was strong in her tenderness and invincible in her fidelity. There was something superior about her that made her fear God and lean upon her as a ground of dependence. She was more than a satisfaction and more than a comfort in the trial moments of this life. She was a fortress and a refuge for all who knew her.

There was such a rare sagacity of mind with such pure simplicity, such admirable constancy with such acute sensibility, such abounding faith with such chastened humility, that it was always a joy and a refreshment to be in her company.

There are many with whom personal intercourse is a thing of mere careless enjoyment. But no one ever came in contact with this woman that did not leave her feeling stronger and better for the stern battle of life.

Yet the burden of age was resting upon her, and her infirmities multiplied with every rolling year. Active and provident, and unmurmuring to the last, she carried herself so calmly, so firmly, so bravely as almost never to let a shadow fall of others. Her closing days were no exception. In her full senses, and living in constant expectation of the end, she went about among her children and friends as resolute and unwavering as ever.

At last she reached the river! The signal of her departure was very gentle. It was chiefly the faintness and restlessness of the last earthly night through which she was passing! The cloudless rays of the Sabbath morning beamed upon her, and she saw for the last time the faces of her children.

Before the songs had begun in the churches she was gone. It was but a moment; she saw the first light of this our dwelling summer, and the next took her flight to the celestial country where fadeless flowers are blooming. It was a beautiful and holy day upon earth, but oh! what a day must it have been for her in Paradise.

She always loved the gates of Zion here, and so with what delight and wonder did she catch the heavenly greetings, as they welcomed her into the company of the glorified and brought her into the temple which resounds with the harmonies of angelic worship, and where she heard for the first time the acclaim of the Church triumphant; the sweetest and the grandest of all music, the song of Moses and the Lamb.

And now let her be numbered with the holy women of the past—with Sarah and Rebecca, with Ruth and Esther, with Lois and Eunice—with our sainted mothers gone home to glory. To us her name will henceforth be precious, and her memory fragrant, for these are the things which make earth more cheap and heaven more dear, and death itself but a transition from these passing shadows around us to the eternal substance yonder.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

John A. Ruff et al.
vs. No. 2881, Equity.
Mary F. F. Forest et al.

It is, this 17 day of June, A. D. 1873, ordered by the court, that the sale made and reported by Thos. Hyatt, trustee, be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed, unless cause to the contrary be shown on or before the 1st day of July next: Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some newspaper published in the city of Washington, D. C., for three times prior to the 1st day of July next.

A. WYLIE.
By the Court.
A true copy. R. J. MEIGS, Clerk, &c.
By F. P. Williams, Assist. Clerk. jel-4tsw

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA — HOLDING A SPECIAL TERM, JUNE 16, 1873.

In the case of HENRIETTA STUART, administratrix of Andrew Stuart, deceased, the administratrix aforesaid has, with the approbation of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia aforesaid, appointed TUESDAY, the 29th day of July, for final settlement and distribution of the personal estate of said decedent, and of the assets in hand, so far as the same have been collected and turned into money, to and where all the creditors and heirs of said deceased are notified to attend, with their claims properly vouched, or they may be otherwise by law excluded from all benefit in said deceased's estate: Provided a copy of this order be published once a week for three weeks in the National Union previous to the said day.

A. WEBSTER,
Test.
jel1-W3w Register of Wills.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, THE 3D DAY OF JUNE, 1873.

Cornelia Peltit
vs. No. 2367. Equity Docket 13.
Marshal Peltit.

On motion of the plaintiff, by Lloyd & Alexander, her attorneys, it is ordered that the defendant cause his appearance to be entered herein on or before the first rule day occurring forty days after this day; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default; provided a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks before said day.

A. WYLIE, Justice, &c.
A true copy—Test: R. J. Meigs, Clerk, &c.
By L. C. Williams, Assist Clerk. jel-4tsw

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, THAT THE SUBscriber has obtained from the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, holding a special term, letters of administration on the personal estate of CHARLES DANCHAS, late of Washington city, D. C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 31 day of June next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 31 day of June 1873. GEORGE H. DANCHAS.
jel1-6tsw

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT THE SUBscriber has obtained from the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, holding a Special Term, letters of administration w. a. on the personal estate of JOHN L. CARPENTER, late of Washington county, D. C., deceased. All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 14th day of June next; they may otherwise by law be excluded from all benefit of the said estate.

Given under my hand this 14th day of June, 1873.
HUGH CARPENTER,
jel4-W3w* Administrator w. a.

THE MARKETS.

Baltimore Markets.

BALTIMORE, June 17.—Breadstuffs—Flour.—There is quite a demand for shippers at the easier rates noted yesterday, and sales are reported to day of 1,000 bbls Ohio City Mills Extra for export to Greek, Ionian and prize kept secret, and 2,500 bbls. W. shore Extra, for shipment, coastwise and foreign; also on private terms.

Wheat.—The offerings of Wheat continue liberal, and the market is heavy, and the prices are scarcely maintained down to day. The sales reported are 9,000 bushels prime Western white at $1.40; 10,000 bushels good to prime do red at $1.40@1.36; 6,000 bushels do amber at $1.37; 20 bushels inferior to good Southern red at $1 30@1.35, and 1,000 do prime do white at $1.40. We quote choice Southern white at $1.40@1.42; Southern amber at $1.38@1.35, and Western amber at $1.37.

Corn.—The receipts of Corn to day amounted to 40,000 bushels, nearly all of which was Western. The market for Southern was dull, and for white prices were nominally unchanged, with very light offerings, but for yellow were 1 cent lower. The sales were 1,000 bushels white at about cents, and 4,000 do yellow at 60 cents.

Oats are firm and heavy, and prices continue to decline. The sales to day were 20 bushels Southern at 60 cents, 1,000 bushels mixed Western at 48@49 cents, and we quote bright do at 49@50 cents.

Rye.—The receipts of Rye to-day were about 1,000 bushels, and the market is dull and lower. The sales were 80 bushels good Western on private terms, and 100 bushels prime Maryland at 90 cents, and we quote 0-day at 90@95 cents for fair to prime.

Cotton.—The market for Cotton is very active at New York, and the tendency of prices is still upward, but the advance has checked business here. The sales yesterday foot up 382 bales, all spots, as follows: 50 bales ordinary at 17½ cents, 50 bales strict ordinary at 17¾ cents, 100 bales low middling to full do. at 18, 18¼, and 18½ cents, and 132 bales low middling to strict do. at 18¾, 19, and 19½ cents. We have no quotations to-day, but there is no business reported.

Pork.—Excepting for Bacon in a jobbing way there is no movement whatever in Provisions reported, and the market may be written dull and heavy. We quote at sale of Bulk Meats, long clear shoulder, which are scarce, at 7½@7¾ cents, and clear rib sides dull at 8@8½ cents. The jobbing orders for Bacon are fixed at 8½ cents for shoulders, and at 9@9½ cents for clear rib do. Hams are still quoted at fabulous prices, to quality and size. Lard continues dull and nominal at 8½@9 cents for prime Western steam, and at 9 cents for kettle rendered. Mess Pork we quote at $17 50@18 on the spot bbl.

Richard Rogers.—The rise is better demand for refined sugars, and the market is quiet, with a fair supply of all the grades. We quote Hards at 11¼@11½ cents for Crushed, Powdered and Granulated, and Soffs on a basis of 10@10½ cents for A white. Canton CO we quote at 9 cents.

Whisky.—There are no sales of High Wines reported, and we note the market dull, with light supply, and quote Western at 87@88 cents, latter for small lots.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF AND VEGETABLES.
NAVY PAY OFFICE, 20 SI KILBY STREET,
BOSTON, MASS., June 16, 1873.

Sealed proposals, indorsed "Proposals for Fresh Beef and Vegetables," will be received at this office until 3 o'clock p. m., on the 24th instant, for the supply of thirty thousand (30,000) pounds of Fresh Beef and fifty thousand (50,000) pounds of Fresh Vegetables, at the Navy Yard and Stations, as required.

The Beef must be of good quality, and equal to the grade necessary to make the best mess beef, and be delivered in equal proportion of fore and hind quarters. The Vegetables must be of the best quality the market affords, and the Beef and Vegetables must be offered for by the pound.

Bonds, with approved security, will be required in one quarter the estimated amount of the contract, and twenty per cent. in addition will be withheld from the amount of each payment, as collateral security for the due performance of the contract, which reservation will not be paid until the contract is fully complied with.

Every offer must be accompanied by a written guaranty, signed by one or more responsible persons, that the bidder or bidders will, if his or their bid be accepted, enter into an obligation within five days, with good and sufficient sureties, to furnish the articles proposed.

No proposals will be considered unless accompanied by such guaranty, and the Department reserves the right to reject any proposal unless the responsibility of the guarantors is certified to by the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside, and unless satisfactory evidence that the bidder is a regular dealer in the articles he offers to supply is furnished with the proposal, as well as to reject any proposal not considered advantageous to the Government.

It is to be understood that the contract will expire at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874, without regard to the quantities which may have been delivered, and, in case the stipulated quantity of either article shall be delivered before that date, having a balance due on the other article, the contract may be considered as completed in full, at the option of the Department.

GEORGE F. CUTTER,
Pay Director Civil and Relief Navy.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF AND VEGETABLES.
NAVY PAY OFFICE, 42 CHESTNUT STREET,
PHILADELPHIA, June 14, 1873.

Sealed proposals, indorsed "Proposals for Fresh Beef and Vegetables," will be received at this office until 3 o'clock p. m. on the 21st of June instant, for the supply of seventy-five thousand (75,000) pounds of Fresh Beef and seventy-five thousand (75,000) pounds of Fresh Vegetables, at the Philadelphia Navy Yard and Stations, as required.

The Beef must be of good quality, and equal to the grade necessary to make the best mess beef, and be delivered in equal proportion of fore and hind quarters. The vegetables must be of the best quality the market affords, and the Beef and Vegetables must be offered for by the pound.

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A. W. RUSSELL,
Pay Inspector, U. S. Navy.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.
HEAD'RS DEPARTMENT OF THE SOUTH,
OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
LOUISVILLE, KY., May 12, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in triplicate, under the usual conditions, will be received at this office, and also at the offices of the United States quartermasters at the undermentioned stations, until 12 o'clock m., on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of June, 1873, for furnishing military supplies during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1873, and ending June 30, 1874, as follows:

AT ATLANTA, GA.
800 cords Wood, 10,000 pounds Coal, 10,000 pounds Oats, 120,000 pounds Hay, 6,000 pounds Straw.

AT AUGUSTA, GA.
75 cords Wood, 400 pounds Anthracite Coal, 7,000 pounds Oats, 11,000 pounds Hay, 5,000 pounds Straw.

AT CHARLESTON, S. C.
800 cords Wood, 30,000 pounds Anthracite Coal, 500,000 pounds Oats, 6,000 pounds Hay, 100,000 pounds Straw.

Proposals will state the prices delivered at the yard or depot; also the prices for Wood and Coal delivered where required within city limits, and for Forage and Straw delivered at the wharf, depot or railroad depot, free of expense to the United States.

AT CHATTANOOGA, TENN.
200 cords Wood, 30,000 pounds Anthracite Coal, 10,000 pounds Corn, 10,000 pounds Oats, 180,000 lbs. Hay, 40,000 pounds Straw.

AT COLUMBIA, S. C.
800 cords Wood, 30,000 pounds Oats, 110,000 pounds Hay, 5,000 pounds Straw.

AT CHARLOTTE, N. C.
200 cords Wood, 30,000 pounds Oats, 35,000 pounds Hay, 15,000 pounds Straw.

AT FRANKFORT, KY.
200 cords Wood, 30,000 lbs. Bituminous Coal, 10,000 lbs. Corn, 10,000 lbs. Oats, 20,000 lbs. Hay, 10,000 lbs. Straw.

AT FORT PULASKI, GA.
750 cords Wood, 30,000 lbs. Oats, 40,000 lbs. Hay, 40,000 lbs. Straw.

AT FORT JOHNSTON, N. C.
100 cords Wood, 10,000 lbs. Oats, 20,000 lbs. Hay, 12,000 lbs. Straw.

AT FORT MACON, N. C.
300 cords Wood, 6,000 lbs. Oats, 1,000 lbs. Corn, 15,000 lbs. Hay, 10,000 lbs. Straw.

AT HUMBOLDT, TENN.
300 cords Wood, 20,000 lbs. Bituminous Coal, 10,000 lbs. Corn, 10,000 lbs. Oats, 20,000 lbs. Hay, 10,000 lbs. Straw.

AT HUNTSVILLE, ALA.
300 cords Wood, 30,000 lbs. Corn, 30,000 lbs. Oats, 15,000 lbs. Hay, 20,000 lbs. Straw.

AT LOUISVILLE, KY.
1,000,000 lbs. Pittsburg Coal, 10,000 lbs. Corn, 120,000 lbs. Oats, 100,000 lbs. Hay, 40,000 lbs. Straw. The Coal to be delivered at residences of officers in this city, in quantities as required from time to time.

AT LEBANON, KY.
100 cords Wood, 10,000 lbs. Bituminous Coal, 30,000 lbs. Corn, 40,000 lbs. Oats, 60,000 lbs. Hay, 20,000 lbs. Straw.

AT LANCASTER, KY.
80 cords Wood, 10,000 lbs. Bituminous Coal, 20,000 lbs. Corn, 8,000 lbs. Oats, 40,000 lbs. Hay, 17,000 lbs. Straw.

AT MOBILE, ALA.
300 cords Wood, 30,000 lbs. Corn, 75,000 lbs. Oats, 120,000 lbs. Hay, 60,000 lbs. Straw.

AT MOUNT VERNON ARSENAL, ALA.
25 cords Wood, 30,000 lbs. Oats, 30,000 lbs. Hay, 8,000 lbs. Straw.

AT NASHVILLE, TENN.
300 cords Wood, 10,000 lbs. Corn, 80,000 lbs. Oats, 80,000 lbs. Hay, 40,000 lbs. Straw.

AT NEWBERRY, S. C.
100 cords Wood, 30,000 lbs. Oats, 40,000 lbs. Hay, 12,000 lbs. Straw.

AT RALEIGH, N. C.
350 cords Wood, 20,000 lbs. Oats, 120,000 lbs. Hay 40,000 lbs. Straw.

AT SAVANNAH, GA.
150 cords Wood, 2,000 lbs. Anthracite Coal, 8,000 lbs. Oats, 10,000 lbs. Hay, 8,000 lbs. Straw.

AT ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA.
250 cords Wood, 20,000 lbs. Oats, 30,000 lbs. Hay, 20,000 lbs. Straw.

AT SPARTANBURG, S. C.
200 cords Wood, 30,000 lbs. Oats, 5,000 lbs. Hay, 10,000 lbs. Straw.

AT SUMTER, S. C.
200 cords Wood, 7,000 lbs. Straw.

AT YORKVILLE, S. C.
300 cords Wood, 30,000 lbs. Oats, 30,000 lbs. Hay, 18,000 lbs. Straw.

The above are the estimated quantities that will be required according to the present distribution of troops, but the Government reserves the right to increase or diminish the same at any time during the continuance of the contract.

Bids for any portion of the supplies will be entertained. Bids for Fuel and Forage should be made separately. Bidders will please state explicitly the kind of articles they propose to furnish, the rate for Grain in bulk and sacked; Hay and Straw loose or baled, &c.

Contracts will be awarded, after the bids from all the posts have been received at this office, to the lowest responsible bidder for each post and each kind of supply.

The Government reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Firms bidding for supplies will please state the full name of each member.

Payment for supplies will be made monthly, if in funds, or as soon thereafter as funds for the purpose are received.

Blank proposals and any additional information can be had, in person or by letter, application to the quartermasters at the various posts, or at this office.

JAMES A. EKIN,
Deputy Quartermaster General U. S. A., Chief Quartermaster Department of the South. my18

IMPROVEMENT OF MISSISSIPPI RIVER.
ENGINEER'S OFFICE, U. S. A., 1101 PINE ST.,
ST. LOUIS, MO., May 23, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., of THURSDAY, June 26, 1873, for furnishing and delivering the material and doing all the work required for the improvement of the Mississippi river between the Missouri and Ohio rivers, for which an appropriation has been made by Congress. Specifications and all necessary information will be furnished on application at this office, personally or by letter.

The right to reject any bids or part of any or all bids, for reasons deemed sufficient by the undersigned, is reserved.

J. H. SIMPSON,
Col. of Engineers, Brevet Brig. Gen. U. S. A.

PROPOSALS FOR SMALL ARMS, &c.
BUREAU OF ORDNANCE,
NAVY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20, 1873.

Sealed bids, in duplicate, will be received at this office for the purchase, in lots of 50 to 500, of about 1,000 Whitney's, 1,500 Colts, and 1,200 Remington's Revolvers, (navy size, calibre 36,) with 36,000 rounds 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 16th of June, 1873, and the Department reserves the right to reject all which are not deemed satisfactory.

The bids will be addressed to "Chief of Bureau of Ordnance, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.," and indorsed "Bids for purchase of Navy Revolvers and Ammunition." WILLIAM N. JEFFERS,
my19 Chief of Bureau.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF.
OFFICE OF A. C. S.,
FORT PREBLE, ME., June 14, 1873.

Sealed proposals in duplicate will be received at this office until 11 a. m., June 26th, 1873, for furnishing this Post fresh Beef required by the Subsistence Department, United States Army, at this Post, during six months, commencing July 1, 1873. Information as to conditions, quality of Beef, payments, &c., can be obtained by application to

J. W. WIER,
First Lieutenant 5th Artillery, A. C. S.

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF.
OFFICE OF A. C. S.,
WATERTOWN ARSENAL, MASS., May 16, 1873.

Sealed proposals in duplicate will be received at this office until 11 m. on MONDAY, June 30, 1873, for furnishing this Post with fresh Beef required by the Subsistence Department, U. S. A., at this station, from July 1 to December 31, 1873.

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

W. H. MICHALIS,
1st Lieut. Ordnance Corps, A. C. S.

IMPROVEMENT OF THE WABASH RIVER ROCK EXCAVATION.
CINCINNATI, O., May 13, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, will be received at this office until noon, on THURSDAY, June 19, 1873, for 3,000 cubic yards, more or less, of Rock Excavation, at the falls of the Ohio and the Wabash river.

Specifications and printed forms for proposals will be furnished on application to the undersigned, or to FR. MYERS, C. E., 33 Winston street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

W. E. HERRIL,
United States Engineer, Office Major Engineers, No. 4 Public Landing. my20

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING DULUTH CANAL.
U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE,
ST. PAUL, May 20, 1873.

Duplicate sealed proposals will be received by the undersigned until 12 m., June 25, 1873, for furnishing the materials and doing the work necessary for the repairs of the piers at the Duluth canal.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

For all information apply to the undersigned.

All proposals must be made on blanks to be furnished by the undersigned.

F. U. FARQUHAR,
Major C. E. Engineers.

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,
my20-tf PRESIDENT.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIAL AND LABOR.
OFFICE OF LIGHT-HOUSE ENGINEER,
FIFTH DISTRICT,
BALTIMORE, MD., June 5, 1873.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, m., of SATURDAY, the 5th day of July, 1873, for furnishing the Material and Labor of all kinds necessary to completely construct and deliver on board vessels, at the seaport nearest the bidder's workshops, the metal work for a brown pile Light-house, to be erected at Tyler Knoll, Havre de Grace, Maryland, in the Chesapeake Bay, according to the plans and specifications for the same, which, together with all other needed information, can be had on application to this office.

PETER G. HAINS,
Maj. of Engineers, U. S. A., Light-house Engineer.

PROPOSALS FOR STONE.
OFFICE OF LIGHT-HOUSE ENGINEER,
FIFTH DISTRICT,
BALTIMORE, MD., June 5, 1873.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, m., of SATURDAY, the 5th day of July, 1873, for furnishing all the STONE for a Riprap Protection around the iron work of the Front Range Crotchill Channel Range Lights, Md.

The quantity of Stone required for this work is six cubic yards, more or less.

Specifications and further information can be had on application to this office.

(Signed) PETER G. HAINS,
Maj. of Engineers, U. S. A., Light-house Engineer.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL.
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 20, 1873.

Sealed proposals will be received until 12 o'clock m., FRIDAY, June 20, 1873, for furnishing Fuel for this Department and its several Bureaus, viz:

One thousand (1,000) tons of Pittsburg Coal, (2,240 pounds to the ton,) best quality of Baltimore Company No. 1 White Ash Anthracite Furnace Coal, one hundred and fifty (150) cords seasoned hickory Fire Wood of the best quality, and fifty (50) cords Oak Fire Wood of the best quality.

The above wood to be corded at the Department buildings as may be desired. The whole to be in the cellars of the Department buildings, in conformity with an act of Congress, approved July 11, 1866.

Certificates from the shippers must be shown to the undersigned, or his agent, that the Coal has been purchased at the mines or from the contractors in the kind required by the Department.

Proposals will be opened in the office of the Superintendent in the presence of such bidders as may choose to attend.

Security in twenty bond will be required of the successful bidders for the faithful performance of the contract.

The right to accept or reject any or all bids is reserved by the Department.

C. DELANO,
my19-7tdw Secretary.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDINGS.
HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE PLATTE,
CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
OMAHA, NEB., May 9, 1873.

Sealed bids, in duplicate, will be received, subject to the conditions hereinafter mentioned, and addressed to the undersigned, at Omaha, Nebraska, until 12 o'clock m., on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of June, 1873, for furnishing the following buildings at Post of Beaver, Utah, viz:

One Post Hospital, Officers' quarters, Store-house, and other buildings.

Plans, specifications and general conditions will be made known on application to the Post Quartermaster at Post of Beaver, and at this office.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

Bids to be enclosed and indorsed "Bids for construction at Post of Beaver," and addressed to the Post Quartermaster Post of Beaver, Utah, or to the undersigned.

No stone, floors, sash, glass, blinds, nails and hardware will be furnished on the ground by the Quartermaster's Department. This Department will furnish the lumber, shingles, lime, sand, and all other necessary material and labor.

Bids for the entire work including the above mentioned material, will also be considered, and are invited.

By order of Brigadier General Ord:

ALEX. J. PERRY, Chief Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.
OFFICE ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER, U. S. A.,
FORT MONROE, VA., June 3, 1873.

Sealed proposals in triplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached, are invited at this office until 12 o'clock m., of THURSDAY, June 26, 1873, for furnishing and delivering the material and doing all the work required for the improvement of the Mississippi river between the Missouri and Meramec rivers, according to specifications, which will be furnished on application, personally or by letter.

The right to reject any or all bids, or part of any or all bids, for reasons deemed sufficient by the undersigned, is reserved.

J. H. SIMPSON,
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PROPOSALS FOR FUEL AT THE NAVAL ACADEMY AT ANNAPOLIS, MD.
Sealed proposals will be received until JUNE 26, noon, for supplying the Naval Academy with

700 tons Gas Coal.
700 tons Stevenson Anthracite Coal.
1,100 tons Cumberland Coal, (George's Creek,) run of mine, with a fair proportion of lumps.

To be delivered on wharf at Naval Academy. Free of expense to the United States Government. The Gas Coal immediately after the 1st of July next; Stevenson Coal immediately after the 1st of July, and Cumberland Coal immediately after 1st of August. The delivery of each kind must be continuous.

The Academy will discharge at wharf of not less than sixty tons per day. The Coal to be of the best quality, free from dust, and to weigh 2,240 pounds to a ton.

The right to reject bids for Coal not suitable for the purpose is reserved on the opening.

Proposals to be indorsed "Proposals for Coal," and addressed to JOHN L. WORDEN,
my20 Rear Admiral and Supt. N. A.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

PERSONS
LEAVING THE CITY
FOR THE
SUMMER MONTHS
CAN HAVE THEIR
WELL TAKEN CARE OF,
INSURED,
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Made on the Premises,
BY
ROBERT FULTON & CO.,
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N. B.—Messrs. FULTON & CO. refer to any of our old citizens as to character, responsibility, &c., having been resident in Washington for the past eighteen years.

PROPOSALS FOR WOOD.
OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
DEPARTMENT OF THE GULF,
NEW ORLEANS, LA., May 31, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached to each, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., July 4, 1873, for supplying the post of Jackson, Mississippi, monthly, as required, from July 1, 1873, to June 30, 1874, with 700 cords of hard wood, more or less.

All necessary information in regard to bidding, proposals, etc., with blank forms of proposals, describing the quality of the wood, will be furnished on application to this office, and bids not made upon these forms, or in conformity thereto, will not be considered.

Proposals to be addressed to the undersigned and marked "Proposals for Wood for Jackson, Mississippi." WILLIAM R. HUGHES,
Chief Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS FOR FRAME BUILDINGS.
DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, with copies of this advertisement attached, will be received at this office until 12 m., June 21, 1873, for the construction at Fort Whipple, Va., of the following frame buildings in accordance with plans and specifications which may be seen at this office, viz:

Two (2) six Company Officers' Quarters.
One (1) Post Headquarters and Instruction Building.

Payment to be made when the buildings are completed and accepted by this Department.

Further information furnished upon application to the office. WM. RYMER,
Bvt. Brigadier General, U. S. Army, Depot Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS FOR FRAME BUILDING.
OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
FIRST QUARTERMASTER'S DISTRICT, D. E.,
CORNER GREENE AND HOUSTON STS.,
NEW YORK CITY, MAY 14, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached to each, are invited and will be received at this office until 12 m., June 19, 1873, for the erection at Fort Trumbull, New London Harbor, Conn., of a one-story frame building, 27.6x 40 feet, on the present Quartermaster's Quarters.

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

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

The proposals must be accompanied by a guaranty, signed by responsible parties for the prompt and faithful fulfillment of the contract, if awarded, and addressed to the "Chief Quartermaster, First Quartermaster's District," indorsed "Proposals for Lieutenant Quarters." RUFUS INGALLS,
Chief Assistant Quartermaster General, Bvt. Major General U. S. Army. my21

PROPOSALS FOR ARMY SUPPLIES.
U. S. ARSENAL, PIKESVILLE, MD.,
May 19, 1873.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached to each, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock a. m. on FRIDAY, June 20, 1873, for supplying this arsenal with the following quarterly supplies, from the 1st of July, 1873, until the 30th day of June, 1874:

20% cords of Hard Wood.
20 tons of Hay and Straw.

The above stores to be subject to inspection on delivery, and to be of the best quality, well seasoned, dry and free from small or crooked limbs, and to be piled in post wood-yard. Straw to be of the best quality, free from mixture of other grains.

Proposals must be marked "Proposals for Wood or Straw," as the case may be, and addressed to the undersigned, by name and office. Blank forms can be obtained if desired. M. J. GREALISH,
Captain, O. R. E. and A. A. Q. M., in charge of Pikesville Arsenal. my20

PROPOSALS FOR DIKE.
ARMY BUILDING, HOUSTON AND GREENE STS.,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1873.

Sealed proposals for extension of pile dike at Rondout Harbor, New York, will be received until noon of July 1, 1873.

For forms of bids and other information apply to this office. JOHN NEWTON,
Lieut. Col. Engineers, Bvt. Maj. Gen.

PROPOSALS FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF MISSISSIPPI RIVER.
ENGINEER OFFICE, U. S. A., 1101 PINE STREET,
ST. LOUIS, MO., June 4, 1873.

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