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6. We rejoice in the quickened conscience of the people concerning political affairs, and will hold all public officers to a rigid responsibility, and engage that the prosecution and punishment of all who betray official trusts shall be speedy, thorough and unsparing.

7. The public school system of the several States is the bulwark of the American Republic, and, with a view to its security and permanence, we recommend an amendment to the Constitution of the United States forbidding the application of any public funds or property for the benefit of any schools or institutions under sectarian schools.

8. The revenue necessary for the current expenditures and the obligation of the public debt must be largely derived from duties on importations, which, so far as possible, should be adjusted to promote the interest of American labor and advance the prosperity of the whole country.

9. We reaffirm our opposition to further grants of the public lands to corporations and monopolies, and demand that the national domain be devoted to free homes for the people.

10. It is the imperative duty of the Government to modify existing treaties with European Governments, that the same protection shall be afforded to the adopted American citizen that is given to the native born, and that all necessary laws should be passed to protect immigrants in the absence of power in the States for that purpose.

11. It is the immediate duty of Congress to investigate the effect of the immigration and importation of Mongolians upon the moral and material interests of the country.

12. The Republican party recognizes with approval the substantial advances recently made toward the establishment of equal rights for women, by the many important amendments effected by Republican Legislatures in the laws which concern the personal and property relations of wives, mothers and widows, and by the appointment of women to the superintendence of education, charities and other public trusts. The honest demands of this class of citizens for additional rights and privileges and immunities should be treated with respectful consideration.

13. The Constitution confers upon Congress sovereign power over the Territories of the United States for their government. In the exercise of this power, it is the right and the duty of Congress to prohibit and extirpate in the Territories that relic of barbarism, polygamy, and we demand such legislation as shall secure this end and the supremacy of American institutions in all the Territories.

14. The pledges which the nation has given to our soldiers and sailors must be fulfilled. The grateful people will always hold those who perilled their lives for the country's preservation in the kindest remembrance.

15. We sincerely deprecate all sectional feeling and tendencies. We therefore note with deep solicitude that the Democratic party counts as its chief hope of success on the electoral vote of a united South, secured through the efforts of those who were recently arrayed against the nation; we invoke the earnest attention of the country to the grave truth that a success thus achieved would reopen sectional strife and imperil the national honor and human rights.

16. We charge the Democratic party as being the same in character and spirit as when it sympathized with treason; with making its control of the House of Representatives the triumph and the opportunity of the nation's recent foes; with reasserting and applauding in the National Capitol the sentiments of unrepented rebellion; with sending Union soldiers to the rear and promoting Confederate soldiers to the front; with deliberately proposing to repudiate the plighted faith of the Government; with being equally false and imbecile upon the overshadowing financial question; with thwarting the ends of justice by its partisan mismanagement and obstruction of investigation; with proving itself, through the period of its ascendancy in the Lower House of Congress, utterly incompetent to administer the Government. We warn the country against trusting a party thus alike unworthy, recreant and incapable.

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40c. per tin.
CARLISBAD WAFERS,
VANILLA WAFERS CIGARETTES,
ALBERT BISCUIT,
CANDY.

G. G. Cornwell & Sons,
FINE GROCERS,
No. 1418 Pennsylvania Avenue, Opposite Willard's hotel.
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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR MILITARY SUPPEIES.

DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, No. 1139 GIRARD STREET, PHILADELPHIA, July 27, 1876.

Sealed proposals, in duplicate, with a copy of this advertisement attached to each, will be received at this office until noon, August 31, 1876, for furnishing the United States Quartermaster's Department with the following-named articles, viz:

5,000 Crossed Sabres, 10,000 Crossed Rifles, 10,000 Brass Letters, 5,000 Brass Numbers, 5,000 Forage Caps, 20,000 pairs White Berlin Gloves, 1,000 pairs Arctic Overshoes, 3,000 Woolen Blankets, 2,000 Axe-helves, 5,000 Scrubbing Brushes, 150 sets Stencil Plates, 1,000 Wall Tent-flies, 2,500 common Tents, 50,000 yards Shirting Flannel, heavy quality; 50,000 yards Shirting Flannel, light quality, and 500 Drum Cords.

All articles will be subject to a rigid inspection, and bidders are informed that full compliance with specifications will be insisted upon, and that no article inferior to the standard will be accepted.

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

Bids are requested for delivery of the articles at Philadelphia, Jeffersonville, Ind., and San Francisco.

A preference will be given to articles of domestic production and manufacture, conditions of price and quality being equal, and such preference will be given to articles of American production and manufacture produced on the Pacific Coast, to the extent of the consumption required by the public service there.

All articles which are to be used in the States and Territories of the Pacific Coast will be received and inspected at San Francisco, Cal.

For information in detail apply at this office.

Proposals containing property not described as "Proposals for Military Supplies," and addressed to the undersigned.

D. H. RUCKER,
jy31-d20t Asst. Quartermaster General.

PROPOSALS FOR PAYING.

OFFICE OF COMMISSION FOR PAVING PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 29, 1876.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Architect of the United States Capitol until 12 m., on TUESDAY, the 8th day of August, 1876, for repaving Pennsylvania avenue, in this city, between the Capitol and the Treasury Building, under the provision of the act of Congress approved July 19, 1876.

The proposals must be accompanied by detailed specifications, giving the depth of the proposed pavement, the method to be followed in laying it, and the nature and proportion of its constituent parts.

Bidders for stone-block pavements will specify the character of the foundation, the sizes of the blocks, and the quarries from which they are to be supplied.

Proposals must be made by the superficial yard, which will include the cost of readjusting the curbstone, wherever necessary to secure a straight line on the face and top, and the cost of removing the present pavement and delivering the same to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, as provided in the act.

The proposals for all other than block pavements must also include the cost of lowering the crown of the street, wherever the Commissioners shall consider it necessary in order to establish more gentle slopes from the crown to the gutters. Proposals for this class of pavements should give separate estimates for different thicknesses, from ten inches up to thirteen inches, and must also give the thickness of the surface or wearing layer.

All proposals must include the cost of keeping the pavement in good repair for a term of three years from the completion of the contract.

No proposal will be entertained unless accompanied by a bond in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars, signed by two responsible bondsmen, and approved as to sufficiency by a judge or clerk of the United States Court of Utilities Small District Attorney, that the bidder will, if the work be awarded to him, enter into a contract within ten days after the award is made, and construct the pavement according to the terms of the contract and specifications.

Payments will be made on account from time to time as the work progresses and as the funds become available.

Upon final settlement ten per cent. of the contract price will be retained as an additional security and a guarantee fund to keep the pavement in good condition for three years, which ten per centum will be invested in the bonds of the United States, and the interest thereon paid to the contractor.

Upon application by letter a copy of the act of Congress authorizing this work can be obtained of Edward Clark, esq., member of the commission, at the office of the Architect of the United States Capitol, Washington, D. C.

H. G. WRIGHT,
Brevet Major General, U. S. A.
Q. A. GILLMORE,
Brevet Major General, U. S. A.
EDWARD CLARK,
jy31-Tt Commissioners.

PROPOSALS FOR ARMY WAGONS, AMBULANCES AND SPRING WAGONS.

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 29, 1876.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Chief Quartermaster at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, until 12 o'clock, noon, on August 13, 1876, or at the office of the depot quartermaster at Jeffersonville, Ind., until 12 o'clock, noon, on the early delivery to the quartermaster's department at Fort Leavenworth, or at Jeffersonville, of one hundred and twenty Army Wagons, twenty Ambulances, Wheeling pattern, twenty Spring Wagons, St. Louis pattern. Bidders will please specify how soon they can complete the delivery of the whole quantity.

Specifications of the kind of Wagons and Ambulance required can be had by application at the office of the chief quartermaster at Fort Leavenworth or at the office of the depot quartermaster at Jeffersonville.

Each proposal should be in duplicate, and be accompanied by a guarantee (signed by two responsible persons) that it will be carried out in good faith if accepted.

The Government reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals.

Envelopes containing proposals for the delivery of the Wagons and Ambulances at Fort Leavenworth should be endorsed "Proposals for Army Wagons, Ambulances and Spring Wagons," and addressed to Lieutenant Colonel Rufus Saxton, deputy quartermaster general, chief quartermaster Department of the Missouri, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, and envelopes containing proposals for delivery at Jeffersonville should be similarly described, and addressed to Lieutenant Colonel James A. Ekin, deputy quartermaster general, in charge of the quartermaster's department there. M. C. MEIGS,
jy29-6t Quartermaster General U. S. A.

PROPOSALS FOR COAL.

TREASURER'S OFFICE, UNITED STATES SOLDIERS' HOME, NEAR WASHINGTON, D. C., July 19, 1876.

Sealed proposals, to be indorsed "Proposals for Coal," will be received by the undersigned until MONDAY, August 7, 1876, at 12 o'clock m., for the delivery at United States Soldiers' Home, D. C., on or before the 20th day of September, 1876, of the following description of coal, to be the best quality, well screened and to weigh 2,240 pounds to the ton, viz:

500 tons White Ash Furnace Coal.
400 tons Red Ash Range Coal.

Bidders must state the price per ton delivered for the aggregate required. Separate bids for the respective descriptions will not be considered. Payment will be made in cash when the whole quantity has been delivered.

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

Bonds to the amount of five thousand dollars, with two sureties approved by the undersigned, will be required for the faithful performance of contract. C. H. LAUB,
Surgeon, U. S. A., Secretary and Treasurer.
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PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, July 7, 1876.

Sealed proposals for furnishing Stationery for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1877, will be received at this Department until the 8th day of August, 1876, at 12 o'clock m.

Blank forms for bidding will be furnished upon application.

The bids will be considered and accepted or rejected, item by item, and this advertisement and the proposal, so far as accepted by the Secretary of the Treasury, and the bond accompanying the same, shall constitute the contract between the Government and the bidder or bidders, and no further contract will be executed.

The articles contracted for must be furnished from time to time during the year, in quantities pursuant to orders from the Department. The entire quantities will, however, be called for during the year.

Each proposal must be signed by the individual or firm making it, and be accompanied by a bond, with sufficient sureties, in the sum of ten thousand dollars, ($10,000,) approved by a United States officer of the district in which the surety or sureties reside or do business, on a form to be furnished by the Department, conditioned for furnishing such portions of the articles as may be awarded under it, and the performance of the contract.

All deliveries will be subject to inspection by an expert detailed for the purpose by the Secretary of the Treasury, and the delivery of an inferior article will be deemed sufficient cause to annul the contract, at the option of the Secretary.

Deliveries must be free of charge at the Treasury Department, Washington.

The failure to comply with any one order under the contract will operate as a forfeiture of the entire penalty of the bond, or the Secretary of the Treasury may direct the purchase, in open market, of such quantities of any articles as shall be necessary to supply the deficiency caused by such failure, and charge to the contractors fifty per centum of the price which it shall be found necessary to pay for such articles.

Proposals unaccompanied by a satisfactory bond will not be considered, and contracts will be awarded only to established manufacturers of, or dealers in, the articles.

Proposals to be addressed to the undersigned, and marked "Proposals for Stationery."

Proposals will be opened as indicated above, but no award will be made until an appropriation therefor shall have made by Congress.

LOT M. MORRILL,
jy19-MThst Secretary of the Treasury.

PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12, 1876.

Proposals for furnishing such articles