# FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

## FINANCIAL.

**New York Money Market.**

NEW YORK, Aug. 6, 1878.

Money easy at 2. Exchange strong. Long, 483; short, 486½. Gold steady at 100¼.

GOVERNMENT BONDS.

Government bonds strong at the following quotations:

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| 1881's, coupons | 107½ | New fives | 108½ |
| 1867's, new | 102½ | Ten-forties | 109½ |
| 1867's | 104½ | D. C. 3.65's | 81½ |
| 1868's | 107½ | | |

STATE BONDS.

State bonds quiet and steady. The following are the quotations:

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| Tenn. 6's, old | 81½ | Ala. 5's | 69 |
| Do. new | 33½ | Do. 8's | 69 |
| Va. 6's, old | 30 | Ga. 6's | *101 |
| Do. new | 30 | Do. 7's | *105 |
| Do. consolidated | 73½ | N. C. old | 18 |
| Do. deferred | 4 | Do. new | 3 |
| La. 6's, old | 50 | Do. special tax | 2 |
| Do. new | 50 | S. C. old | 44 |
| Levee 6's | 50 | Do. new | 30 |
| Do. 5's | 50 | | |

* Offered.

STOCKS.

Stocks generally firm. The quotations are as follows:

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| N. Y. Central | 107½ | Chicago and N.W. | 52½ |
| Erie | 16½ | Do. preferred | 74 |
| Lake Shore | 62½ | Rock Island | 118½ |
| Illinois Central | 84½ | Western Union | 89½ |
| Pittsburg | 86½ | | |

SUB-TREASURY STATEMENT.

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| Balances—Gold | $134,227,775 |
| Currency | 6,750,347 |
| Interest paid | 540,010 |
| Paid for bonds | 131,000 |
| Customs receipts | 850,000 |

## COMMERCIAL.

**Georgetown Grain Market.**

GEORGETOWN, Aug. 6, 1878.

Wheat—The market for wheat opened to-day with a little firmer tone, with sales at 100@105 for good to prime.

Corn—Corn firmer at 39@40c for both yellow and white.

**Baltimore General Market.**

BALTIMORE, Aug. 6, 1878.

Cotton firm. Middling, 11½c.

Flour steady and unchanged. Howard-street and Western superfine, $3@3.50; do. extra, $3.25@3.75; do. family, $4.50@5.75; City Mills superfine, $3.50@3.75; do. extra, $3.75@4.25; do. Rio brands, $5.75; Patapsco family, $6.50.

Wheat—Southern active and firm. Western firm and higher. Southern red, prime, $1.06@1.08; do. amber, $1.06@1.08; No. 1 Western winter red, spot and August, $1.05; September, $1.05½; October, 1.06.

Corn—Southern steady. Western quiet and steady. Southern white, 40@41c; do. yellow, 42c; Western mixed, spot and August, 40½@40¾c; September, 40½@40¾c; steamer, 40c.

Oats quiet and easier. Southern, 32@33c; Western white, 32@33c; do. mixed, 31@31½c; Pennsylvania, 32@35c.

Rye nominal.

Hay dull and unchanged. Maryland and Pennsylvania prime, $19@21.

Provisions firm and unchanged. Pork, $11. Bulk meats—Loose shoulders, 4½c; clear rib sides, 4½c; packed, 4¾@4¾c. Bacon—Shoulders, 4¾c; clear rib sides, 7½c. Hams, 12@12½c. Lard, refined, 8½c. Butter scarce and firm; choice Western, 18@19c.

Petroleum nominally unchanged. Refined, 10½c; crude, 6½c.

Coffee firm. Rio cargoes, 19@19½c.

Whisky dull at $1.08.

Sugar quiet and unchanged at 8¼@9½c.

Receipts—Flour, 6,450 bbls; wheat, 196,000 bu; corn, 63,500 bu; oats, 3,500 bu.

Shipments—Wheat, 87,000 bu.

Freights to Liverpool per steam unchanged. Cotton, ⅝d; flour, 2s 6d; grain, 5d.


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| 100 Prizes of 100 | 10,000 |
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P. M.

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The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

A. J. WALLIS, President of the Board of Trustees. aug-7eTh&tf 633 Fifteenth street northwest.

PROPOSALS FOR THE COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF GARBAGE, THE TRANSPORTATION OF OFFAL, AND THE COLLECTION AND TRANSPORTATION OF DEAD ANIMALS.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, OFFICE OF HEALTH OFFICER, WASHINGTON, AUG. 5, 1878.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 m. TUESDAY, 13th instant, for the collection and removal of all garbage, refuse animal and vegetable matter from dwelling houses, market houses, hotels, and other places in the cities of Washington and Georgetown and their immediate and more densely populated suburbs, in the District of Columbia, for the collection and removal of all dead animals from said cities and suburbs, and for the transportation of all night soil, garbage, and dead animals beyond the limits of the District of Columbia, as provided by the regulations of the Health Department, for the period of three years—proposals offering to do a more permanent service will be entertained—commencing September 1, 1878.

Proposals will be informal, "Proposals for Collection, Transportation, and Removal of Offal," and will be addressed to the undersigned.

Form of proposal and information regarding the service will be furnished upon application at the office.

By order of the Commissioners.

SMITH TOWNSHEND, M. D., au3-3t Health Officer.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 31, 1878.

Sealed proposals (to be endorsed "Proposals for Fuel") will be received at this Department until 12 m. on the 31st day of August, 1878, to furnish the Department with fuel for the year ending June 30, 1879, to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be desired.

Information as to kinds and quantities of coal and wood, and as to the mode and manner of delivery, can be obtained at this Department.

The right to reject any and all bids, or to accept any portion of any bid, is reserved, and each bidder is required to furnish with his bid a bond, with two sureties, in the sum of $2,000, as a guarantee of a faithful performance of the contract which may be awarded to him. R. C. WOODSON, au6-2,14,20,24,29 Superintendent.

PROPOSALS FOR SITE FOR NAVAL OBSERVATORY.

NAVY DEPARTMENT, July 16, 1878.

The undersigned have been appointed a Commission under an act of Congress, approved June 24, 1878, "to select a site within the District of Columbia for the United States Naval Observatory; such site to possess relatively the advantages of healthfulness, cleanness of atmosphere, convenience of access from the city of Washington, and such other advantages as may be found expedient, and to report fully thereon, including estimates of the total expense of said site, and the location of the Observatory, to the next session of Congress."

The second section of said act reads as follows:

"SECTION 2. Said Commission shall invite sealed proposals or offers of sale from the owners of land deemed fit for such a site containing such provisions as they may deem sufficient to bind such owners to convey such land to the United States in case the same shall thereafter be selected and determined on as the site of said Observatory; which proposals shall be opened by the full commission publicly, and in the presence of persons interested who may choose to attend, on a day to be fixed for that purpose, after due notice to all parties in interest; and no proposal received after such formal opening shall be opened or considered."

In accordance with the above provisions, sealed proposals for such site will be received until noon of the 20th day of August next, at which time they will be publicly opened at the Navy Department in the presence of such persons interested as may choose to attend, and this is due notice of said opening.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposals for the Naval Observatory," and addressed to the "Commission to ascertain cost of removing the Naval Observatory, care of the Secretary of the Navy."

Sealed proposals must give specs and bounds by which the property is described, and be accompanied with a plat of the same, and conform to conditions of the second section of the act above quoted.

The quantity of land required will be not greater than fifty nor less than twenty (20) acres, at the price named per acre, subject to accurate survey.

If parties offering a tract larger than twenty (20) acres are willing to give the option of taking any quantity not less than that area at the stipulated price, they will so state in their proposals.

Blank forms for proposals may be obtained at the Navy Department.

Proposals must be signed by the owner or owners of the property.

DANIEL AMMEN, Rear Admiral, U. S. N. J. G. BARNARD, Colonel and Brevet Major-General. LEONARD WHITNEY. jy29-2t&w

PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE, WASHINGTON, D. C., July 9, 1878.

Sealed proposals will be received at the Department of State until 12 m. on the 10th day of August, 1878, to furnish this Department with Stationery for the year ending June 30, 1879, in accordance with a schedule of articles which will be supplied to persons and firms proposing to bid therefor.

The right to reject any and all bids, or to accept any portion of any bid, or to amend the quantity given of any article in the schedule is reserved; and each bidder is required to furnish with his bid a bond, with two sureties, in the sum of two thousand dollars, as a guarantee of a faithful performance of the contract which may be awarded to him. R. C. MORGAN, jy 12 Superintendent.

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