LOCAL NEWS.

BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES.—The Board of Trustees of Public Schools met yesterday afternoon at their rooms in the City Hall building. Mayor Wallach presided. The reports of teachers from the several districts were presented, as follows:

	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.
Number of pupils	79	111	1,018	394
No. of trustees' visits	31	36	5	17
No. of parents' visits	66	34	18	9

The committee to which was referred the application of Miss C. G. Scott for the position of an instrumental music teacher reported that no provisions have ever been made to teach that branch of education. The committee also reported that the net proceeds of the two concerts of the grammar schools amounted to $[illegible].

Dr. Davis, from the committee to furnish the new school building, reported that the furniture would be in readiness in the course of four or five weeks.

Mr. Rhees, from the Committee on Rules, reported the following:

Rule 4—Absence for four days in any month, unless caused by sickness or the presence of a contagious disease in the family, (of which the teacher must be informed before the expiration of the fourth day,) or when authorized in writing by a trustee, subjects the pupil an offending to dismissal from school by the sub-board of the district to whom every such case shall be reported by the teacher.

The cost of any pupil who shall be absent for more than twenty consecutive school days, from any cause, shall be forfeited; but those who may be detained by sickness shall have the preference, on returning, in admittance to school over others.

In making up the Monday reports, the absences of any pupil, when more than five consecutive days, shall not be included in the average attendance.

Rule 55—For violent or pointed opposition to authority in any particular instance, a teacher may suspend a pupil from school for the time being, and shall immediately inform the parent and the sub-board. If the pupil is not restored by the sub-board within five days, he shall be considered as dismissed, and his name shall be stricken from the roll.

The consideration of this rule was postponed for one month.

Mr. Wilson, from the Committee on Examinations reported the times for the various annual examinations, the names of the trustees appointed to examine the schools of the various districts, and the days for the distribution of medals and premiums to the most meritorious scholars. Adopted.

It was moved that the report be printed; which was adopted.

Mr. Fife offered a resolution, that the professor of music, with the approbation of the Committee on Vocal Music, be authorized to distribute, according to the original intention, a set of gold premiums provided for the last year. Adopted.

Mr. Rhees offered the following:

Resolved, That a committee of four be appointed to keep charges and receive testimony as to the loyalty of any of the teachers now employed in the public schools, and that the charges be specific and be in writing.

Adopted.

Messrs. Rhees, Davis, Wilson and Heimsod were appointed said committee.

Mr. Rhees also offered a resolution that the trustees and the secretary report hereafter the number of errors made by the teachers in their monthly reports. Adjourned.

WARM WEATHER.—For the past three or four days the inhabitants of the metropolis have been experiencing the effects of a "heated term," with the thermometer at about 80 degrees. This transition from cold, sharp winds to the state of the atmosphere, was rather too sudden for comfort or general health of the community, and it cannot be productive of good results. The pressure of warm weather always makes us, as journalists, solicitous in regard to the sanitary condition of the city, and especially is our anxiety under such peculiar circumstances as Washington is at the present time. We are not prone to censure the city authorities, nor indeed any person, unkindly, nor will we do it at this time, but we respectfully suggest that no pains or expense shall be spared to put this city in the best sanitary condition possible during the hot weather. Just now, when hospitals containing thousands of patients are counted by tens, and in a short time great additions to them will be made in order to accommodate our brave wounded soldiers, who are now being brought here from the battle-field. It behooves every one, whether in public or private position, to lend a helping hand in laying before the authorities any public nuisances that now exist, or that may come to their knowledge from time to time.

A WOMAN BADLY BURNT.—A colored woman named Margaret Wilson was severely burnt last night, about 10 o'clock, at a bawdy house on Thirteenth street, kept by Caroline Boutagne, where she was employed in the capacity of a cook. It appears that the woman was intoxicated, and had fallen asleep in the kitchen. A table was near by, on which was a lighted lamp. This was knocked over by her during her sleep, and falling in her lap, set her clothes on fire, and burning her very severely, from her head to her feet. Her chest is scraped from the flames, and it is thought that recovery is impossible.

A man who was in the kitchen, threw a bucket of water on her whilst she was burning and extinguished the flames. Patrolmen Franklin, Simonds and Howes, of the fifth precinct, were soon at hand and rendered every assistance in their power, carrying her home on a stretcher and going after Dr. Abbott, who immediately attended her.

This accident was the cause of an alarm of fire about that hour.

LOCAL NAVAL NEWS.—On Monday evening the schooner Indian, of Hanson reached this city in a prize. She was captured on the 20th ult., off the coast of North Carolina, by the United States steamer Vicksburg. The captain says he was in a legitimate trade, and was on a voyage from Honduras, but got out of his course..... The steamer Ella, the flag-ship of the Potomac flotilla, was yesterday hauled under the shears at the navy yard to receive a new boiler. The boiler weighs thirty-five thousand pounds..... The new revenue cutter Wawaynanda arrived at the navy yard on Monday night, and in the course of a day or two will be inspected by the Secretary of the Treasury. The W. was built in Baltimore by Messrs. John T. Vardy & Brother, and is pronounced one of the finest steamers afloat. She is of six hundred tons burthen, and is supplied with two powerful oscillating engines. Her trial trip exhibited an unusual speed for vessels of her class. She is one of six ordered at the same time, but built at different points, and she is pronounced by naval officers and engineers to be decidedly the most superior vessel; in all respects, for the revenue service. She is under the command of Lieutenant Commander Jones.

ELLA JACKSON DISMISSED.—Ella Jackson, arrested upon the charge of assisting in an alleged abortion, was dismissed yesterday afternoon by Justice Clayton, who said that though there was evidence that medicines had been administered by her, yet there was no evidence that the girl upon whom the alleged abortion was attempted was pregnant when she died, nor that an abortion had been attempted. The Justice further remarked that there was no statute law in the District to punish the crime of abortion, and that the common law was, therefore, the guide in such cases, and that the common law required the child to be quickened in the womb before abortion could be charged. Ella Jackson was, therefore, dismissed.

INEBRIATED ITALIAN.—John Marini, an Italian shopkeeper, on the corner of Second street and Pennsylvania avenue, was arrested this morning by Patrolman Wallingford, of the Eighth precinct, upon the charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He was breaking the windows of his own store, and raising confusion generally. The policeman remonstrated with him, when he replied that it was his own store, and that he would do as he pleased. The policeman then arrested him, and took him to the station-house, where he was fined $4.94 by Justice Ferguson.

MISS EVANS' LECTURE THIS EVENING.—Those who wish to be agreeably entertained and instructed, should not forget the lecture this evening by the young Welsh orateress, Miss Evans. She is a most eloquent speaker, although only sixteen years old. The meeting will be held at Rev. Dr. Channing's Church, corner of Sixth and D streets. The tickets are 25 cents.

JUDGES OF ELECTION.—The City Council will meet to-night in joint session for the selection of election commissioners for the approaching annual election to take place next month. The election was to have taken place on Monday night, but there appeared to be some difficulty between the friends of the opposing candidates for the mayoralty.

THE WAY TO DO IT.—Captain Camp, commanding officer at the Soldiers' Rest, received orders yesterday to notify John Shea, proprietor of a small dwelling known as the Winchester House, on First street east, that if it was not torn down and taken away in forty-eight hours from date, the military would do it for him. It has several times been closed for violations of military law, and hence the order for its demolishment.

ODD FELLOWS' LEVEE.—The levee of the Grand Encampment of the Order of Odd Fellows, will come off this evening at Odd Fellows' Hall, on Seventh street. The members of the order will appear in regalia, and after an address and a promenade concert, the floor will be cleared for the dance and all may enjoy themselves to the fullest extent.

YOUNG MAN WANTED.—An honest, industrious young man is wanted to assist in the superintendence of the carriers' routes of the REPUBLICAN. Applications may be made to Mr. Shepherd, at the counting-room of this paper, between 3 and 4 o'clock p. m.

REMAINS OF GEN. WADSWORTH.—The remains of Gen. Wadsworth are expected to arrive in this city to-day from Fredericksburg. Embalmers from this city have gone down to Fredericksburg to embalm the bodies of the officers killed in the late battle.

SOMETHING NEW AND BEAUTIFUL in gold-plated goods, both ladies and gentlemen's wear, at 188 Pennsylvania avenue, near Four-and-a-half street, at the Dollar Jewelry Store.

UNION LEAGUE.—J. W. Bear, or the "Buckeye Blacksmith," will address the league this evening.

Amusements.

FORD'S NEW THEATRE.—"Our American Cousin." "The Two Murderers." This evening Mr. J. S. Clarke, Susan Denin, and the Comedy company. "Our American Cousin," with the irresistible Clarke as Asa Trenchard, and Miss Denin as Florence Trenchard; and a pleasing drama entitled "The Two Murderers," with Clarke as Jacques Strop, a most humorous delineation, J. A. Herne as Robert Maestro, and other favorites in the cast.

CANTERBURY MUSIC HALL.—Manager Lee has to congratulate himself on the valuable acquisition he has made to his troupe of artists in the persons of the world-renowned Snow brothers, undoubtedly the most wonderful gymnasts that we have ever had the pleasure of witnessing; their classical grouping, revolving globes and suspense performances being beyond the criticism of the most fastidious; added to which their troupe of numerous trained dogs and monkeys, which exhibit an instinct rarely acquired among the animal species. The Snow brothers only remain this week, having to fulfil other important engagements at other principal theatres throughout the country. "Cudjo's Cave" will be produced next week.

VARIETIES.—This (Wednesday) afternoon another brilliant May day festival, introducing the great illusionist, Whitney, the most expert necromancer of the day; also will appear, Mrs. Frank Drew, the accomplished young actress; also, all the Ethiopians and the double troupe of stars.

WHITEHURST'S GALLERY, 454 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE.—This celebrated establishment has just been elegantly refitted and furnished. Has one of the largest collections of Photographic negatives in this country, numbering over fifteen thousand, embracing likenesses of distinguished personages both civil and military. Likenesses of many of those fallen in battle can be obtained here. For superior work, Whitehurst outstripping his competitors, received a medal at the World's Fair, London. Particular attention is called to his new Imperial Photograph, also Vignette now much sought after. nov14—M

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Subscribers will receive either Registered or Coupon bonds, as they may prefer. Registered Bonds are recorded on the Books of the United States Treasurer, and can be transferred only on the owner's order. Coupon Bonds are payable to bearer, and are more convenient for commercial uses.

Subscribers to this loan will have the option of having their Bonds draw interest from March 1st, by paying the accrued interest in cash—(or in United States notes, or the notes of National Banks, adding fifty per cent. for premium,) or receive them drawing interest from the date of subscription and deposit. As these Bonds are

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It may be useful to state in this connection that the total Funded Debt of the United States on which interest is payable in gold, on the 1st day of March, 1864, was $705,956,000. The interest on this debt for the coming fiscal year will be $48,277,196; while the customs revenue in gold for the current fiscal year, ending June 30th, 1864, has been so far at the rate of over $180,000,000 per annum.

It will be seen that even the present gold revenues of the Government are largely in excess of the wants of the Treasury for the payment of gold interest, while the recent increase of the tariff will doubtless raise the annual receipts from customs on the same amount of importations, to $190,000,000 per annum.

Instructions to the National Banks acting as loan agents were not issued until March 26, but the amount of the bonds reported sold at the United States Treasury up to May 7 was

$46,016,100.

Subscriptions will be received by the First National Bank of Washington, D. C., First National Bank of Baltimore, Maryland, and by all National Banks which are depositaries of public money, and all respectable banks and bankers throughout the country, (acting as agents of the National Depository Banks,) will furnish further information on application, and afford every facility to subscribers.

Subscriptions will be received by the *Treasurer of the United States* at Washington, and the *Assistant Treasurers* at New York, Boston, and Philadelphia.

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BRIGGS GOLD COMPANY.—THE Trustees of the BRIGGS GOLD COMPANY have declared a DIVIDEND OF ONE PER CENT., (out of the net earnings of the Company for the month of April,) payable at the office of the Company, No. 51 John street, May 16, 1864, to shareholders of record at the close of business this day.

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TESTIMONIALS.

From Rev. Fred. S. Jewell, Professor of State Normal School, Albany, N. Y.

This may certify that I have been, since 1844, subject to violent periodical attacks of catarrh, marked by a highly-inflamed condition of the lining membranes of the cavities of the head, producing a most distressing species of headache for days at a time, wholly incapacitating me for business, and during the paroxysms confining me to the bed. In some instances the inflammation has extended to the teeth, occasioning toothache; to the throat, producing hoarseness and partial loss of voice; and twice it has so affected the left eye as to confine me for a month or more in a darkened room.

These attacks have been accompanied by strong febrile symptoms; by stoppage of the head, and, in the first stages, by watery discharges from the nose, subsequently becoming acrid and yellow, and toward the closing of the attack becoming bloody and purulent. I have tried medicines of almost every kind; external applications to the head, such as camphor, ginger, hot bandages, and fermentations of hot vinegar; snuffs of some half a dozen kinds, and other catarrhal preparations; together with the internal remedies, such as alteratives, cathartics, and emetics. These have produced no change in the occurrence or character of the disease, and in most cases, with little or no temporary relief, I had come at length to believe the disease to be practically beyond either cure or material alleviation.

Under these circumstances I was led some five months ago to make a trial of Dr. Lighthill's treatment. His method, at once, approved itself to my judgment, as simple, philosophical, and likely to be effective. Notwithstanding the disadvantages under which it labored, in dealing with a disease of such long standing, aggravated by nervous debility and dyspepsia, and constantly induced by the accidents of my professional labor I found the treatment reaching the disease as it had never been reached before, and producing such a modification and alleviation of its character as I had supposed impossible. I chronicle the results thus:

Although I have been situated several times so that I should formerly have believed a severe attack of my catarrh inevitable, I have escaped thus far; the symptoms of threatened attack have been very light, and have yielded to the remedies employed by Doctor Lighthill, without need of recourse to the old hot fermentations or emetics; and the discharges from the head have resumed the original and natural condition. I count upon a complete cure. That I have been able, however, to obtain so material a relief is to me a cause of gratitude. In that alone I am repaid for whatever the experiment may have cost me.

I make this statement unsolicited, as a means of acknowledging my obligation to Dr. Lighthill's method of treating catarrh, and with a view to aid any one who may have suffered from that disease in forming a just opinion of its merits and its probable utility in their own case.

(Signed) REV. FRED'K S. JEWELL,
Prof. State Normal School.
ALBANY, N. Y., March 14, 1864. ap8-eo3w

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OFFICIAL NOTICES.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, May 9, 1864.

The following officers having been reported at the headquarters of the army for the offences hereinafter specified, are hereby notified that they will stand dismissed from the service of the United States unless, within fifteen (15) days from this date, they appear before the Military Commission in session in this city, of which Brigadier General Caldwell, United States volunteers, is president, and make satisfactory defence to the charges against them:

For giving duplicate discharges to an enlisted man, in violation of Paragraph 145, Revised Army Regulations.

Captain M. F. McDonald, 13th Pennsylvania cavalry.

For enlisting a man physically disqualified for duty.

Major St. Clair Mulholland, 116th Pennsylvania volunteers.

For accepting a recruit physically disqualified for duty.

Assistant Surgeon J. K. Mason, United States army.

Drunkenness and absence without leave.

Second Lieutenant Erastus Wheelock, 14th New York artillery.

Captain Oliver S. Johnson, 8th New Jersey volunteers.

Absence without Leave.

Lieutenant Colonel George D. Savage, 13th New Hampshire volunteers.

Lieutenant Ernest Ratzmann, 48th New York volunteers.

First Lieutenant Samuel Howell, 73d New York volunteers.

Assistant Surgeon Frederick W. Simpson, 73d New York volunteers.

R. D. TOWNSEND,
my9 Assistant Adjutant General.

OFFICIAL.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 9, 1864.

The following officers charged with offences and heretofore published, are exempt from being dismissed the service of the United States, the Military Commission instituted by Special Orders, No. 53, series of 1863, from this office, having reported that satisfactory defence has been made in their respective cases, viz:

Captain Edward Hays, 20th New York volunteers.

Surgeon John Higgins, 13th Illinois cavalry.

Lieutenant Emanuel Eyre, 84 Delaware volunteers.

E. D. TOWNSEND,
my9 Assistant Adjutant General.

OFFICIAL.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, May 7, 1864.

First Lieutenant Charles J. Ball, 13th New Jersey infantry, having been reported at the headquarters of the army for absence without authority since January 10th, 1864, is hereby notified that unless, within (15) days from this date he appears before the Military Commission in session in this city, of which Brigadier General Caldwell, United States volunteers, is president, and makes satisfactory defence to the charges against him, he will be recommended for dismissal from the service of the United States.

R. D. TOWNSEND,
my9 Assistant Adjutant General.

OFFICIAL.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, March 17, 1864.

All applications for leaves of absence or permission to visit Washington must be addressed to Major General Halleck, Chief of Staff, and must specify the business for which the officer desires the permission. Telegrams addressed direct to the Secretary of War on this subject will receive no attention.

By order of the Secretary of War.

E. D. TOWNSEND,
m31-tf Assistant Adjutant General.

OFFICIAL.

HEADQUARTERS MILITARY DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON,
WASHINGTON, D. C., February 16, 1864.

General Orders, No. 3.

Col. T. Ingraham, 85th Massachusetts volunteers, is hereby detailed as Provost Marshal of the Military District of Washington. He will be respected and obeyed accordingly.

By command of Brig. Gen. MARTINDALE:

JOHN P. SHERBURNE,
fe16-tf Assistant Adjutant General.

ORDNANCE OFFICE,
WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, May 4, 1864.

The following contracts have been awarded for Infantry Accoutrements, under the advertisement from this Department of March 25th, the bids under which were opened April 25, 1864:

Hoover, Calhoun & Co., New York, 18,000 sets at $5.90, New York Arsenal.

T. C. Williams & Co., New York, 6,700 sets at $4.90, New York Arsenal.

Baker & McKenney, New York, 10,000 sets at $4.65, New York Arsenal.

James Anderson, New York, 10,000 sets at $4.75, New York Arsenal.

Dinger & Lonkar, New York, 5,000 sets at $4.80, New York Arsenal.

H. W. Oliver, Pittsburgh, 15,000 sets at $5.15, Allegheny Arsenal.

H. Head, Quincy, Ill., 10,000 sets at $5.80, St. Louis Arsenal.

R. Tillson & Co., Quincy, Ill., 10,000 sets at $5.80, St. Louis Arsenal.

GEO. D. RAMSAY,
my7-eam10t Brig. Gen., Chief of Ordnance.

ORPHANS' COURT.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, WASHINGTON COUNTY, TO WIT:

APRIL 26, 1864.

In the case of Frederick Iddins, executor of Sarah Truman, deceased, the executor aforesaid has, with the approbation of the Orphans' Court of Washington county aforesaid, appointed Saturday, the 21st day of May next, for the final settlement and distribution of the personal estate of said deceased, and of the assets in hand, as far as the same have been collected and turned into money; when and where all the creditors and heirs of said deceased are notified to attend, (at the Orphans' Court of Washington county aforesaid,) with their claims properly vouched, or they may otherwise by law be 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 Republican* previous to the said 21st day of May next.

Test—
ap30-1awlw* Z. C. ROBBINS,
Register of Wills.

HORSES! HORSES! HORSES!

WAR DEPARTMENT, CAVALRY BUREAU,
OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
WASHINGTON, May 7, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., MONDAY, May 16th, 1864, for two thousand (2,000) CAVALRY HORSES, to be delivered at the Government Stables in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, within fifty (50) days from date of contract.

Said Horses to be sound in all particulars, well broken, full fleshed, from fifteen (15) to sixteen (16) hands high, from five (5) to nine (9) years old, in good condition, and well adapted in every way to Cavalry purposes.

These specifications will be strictly adhered to and rigidly enforced in every particular.

No bid will be entertained unless accompanied by a guarantee for its faithful performance.

☞ Should any United States officer guarantee the proposal of a bidder who should prove to be irresponsible, his name will be reported to the Secretary of War, with a recommendation that such officer be dismissed the service.

All bidders and guarantors will be held to the strictest account fully, and every failure to comply with terms of contract, or to make the contract when awarded, will be followed by prosecution to the full extent of the law.

Form of bid and guaranty can be had on application to this office, or to the United States Quartermaster, at Harrisburg, Penn.

Successful bidders will be prepared to enter into written contracts, with good and sufficient security, immediately on the acceptance of their bids.

The oath of allegiance must accompany each bid.

The undersigned reserves the right to reject all bids deemed unreasonable.

Bids for fifty (50) horses and upwards will be entertained.

Bids for *the entire number* of Horses required are invited.

Payment will be promptly made on completion of contract.

No more will be received.

Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for Cavalry Horses," and addressed to Lieut. Col. James A. Ekin, Chief Quartermaster, Cavalry Bureau, Washington, D. C.

Any other information will be promptly given on application, personally or by letter, to

JAMES A. EKIN,
Lieutenant Colonel and Chief Quartermaster,
Cavalry Bureau.

☞ Purchase in the open market will be continued until the contract is awarded. Price, one hundred and forty-five ($145) dollars per head. Payment made in Certificates of Indebtedness for eight (8) horses or more. my8-7t

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To conclude with the drama in one act of the
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JACQUES STROP.....Mr. J. S. CLARKE
To-morrow—Last night but two of Mr. J. S. Clarke.

NOTICE—In order to give increased effect to the perfect production of the grand spectacle of the
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