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For Baltimore on Sundays, 6:30, 8:00, 9:00, a.m., 1:25, 2:35, 3, 4:40, 5:30, 7, 8:10, 10:00 p.m.

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From New York, and Philadelphia, 2:55, 8:30 a.m. daily, 8:20 p.m. daily except Sunday.

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From Lexington, 6:20 a. m. daily, and 2:15 p. m. daily, except Sunday.

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Trains leave Baltimore for Washington at 2, 4:40, 6:30, 7:15, 7:30, 9, 9:10, and 10:30 a. m., 12:15, 2:50, 4, 4:40, 5, 6:25, 7:30, 9:00 and 10:15 p. m.; on Sundays, 2, 4:40, 7:30, 9, 9:10 a. m., 1:30, 5, 6:25, 7:30 and 9:00 p. m.

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For Baltimore, 6:50, 8:15, 9:40, 10:00, 10:50 a. m., and 1:40, 4:00, 4:25, 4:40, 6:30, 7:40, 10:00 and 11:15 p. m. On Sunday, 9:40, 10:50 a. m., 4:00, 6:30, 7:40, 10:00 and 11:15 p. m.

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MAGNIFICENT SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, CONSISTING IN PART OF PARLOR SUITE, UPHOLSTERED IN EMBOSSED PLUSH, TURKISH CHAIRS, TURKISH ROCKERS, PLUSH TOP TABLES, PARLOR LIBRARY BOOK-CASE AND DESK, FRENCH PLATE PIER MORROR, FRENCH PLATE MANTEL MIRRORS (ANTIQUE STYLE FRAME), WALNUT CHAMBER SUITE, WITH FRENCH PLATE SWINGING GLASS, WALNUT WARDROBE, WALNUT CHIFFONIER, WITH MIRROR ATTACHED; WALNUT CYLINDER DESK, WALNUT LADIES' DESK, M. T. CENTER TABLES, FANCY BAMBOO CHAIRS, WALNUT MARBLE-TOP SIDEBOARD, WALNUT DINING CHAIRS, WALNUT EXTENSION TABLE, RAW SILK COUCH, LEATHER-COVERED RECLINING CHAIR, WALNUT MIRROR BACK HALL PIECE, HALL CHAIRS, COTTAGE SETS, SPRINGS, PILLOWS AND BOLSTERS, BLANKETS, BEDDING, WALNUT PLATFORM CRIB, BODY BRUSSELS AND OTHER CARPETS, RUGS, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE KITCHEN REQUISITES, &C., BEING THE ENTIRE CONTENTS OF DWELLING NO. 124 E STREET NORTHWEST, AT AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL SIXTEENTH, commencing at TEN O'CLOCK, we will sell, at the above-named residence, the elegant furniture contained therein, having been in use for a short time. This sale presents an unusual opportunity to housekeepers and others to obtain first-class well-kept furniture.

House open for inspection early on morning of sale.

Terms cash.

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF C STREET, BETWEEN EIGHTH AND NINTH STREETS; EAST SIDE OF NINTH, BETWEEN C AND D STREETS, AND ON WEST SIDE OF ELEVENTH, BETWEEN NORTH B STREET AND MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE NORTHEAST.

By virtue of a deed of trust, dated October 30th, A. D. 1883, and recorded in liber No. 1061, folio 138, et seq., one of the land records for the District of Columbia, we shall offer at public auction, in front of the premises, the following described real estate, situate in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, to wit:

On WEDNESDAY, APRIL SIXTEENTH, 1884, at FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., Lot numbered two (2), in square numbered nine hundred and sixteen (916.)

On SAME DAY, at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., Lot numbered six (6), in square numbered nine hundred and thirty-eight (938.)

On SAME DAY, at FIVE O'CLOCK P. M., Lots numbered nine (9), ten (10), eleven (11), twelve (12), in square numbered nine hundred and sixty-five (965), as the same have been newly subdivided by us, and which subdivision will be exhibited at time of sale.

Terms: One-third in cash, and the balance in six, twelve, eighteen and twenty-four months, with interest at six per cent per annum, secured by deed of trust on the property sold; or all cash at option of the purchaser or purchasers. A deposit of $50 will be requd at the time of sale on each lot, and all recording and conveyancing at the expense of purchaser or purchasers. Terms to be complied with in seven days, otherwise the property will be resold at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser after five days advertisement.

DANIEL O'C. CALLAHAN,
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By direction of the owner, Mr. Peter B. Pollard, who is declining business and removing from the city, we will sell by public auction, at his stables, on THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL SEVENTEENTH, 1884, by catalogue, commencing at TEN O'CLOCK prompt, his entire valuable stock of Horses, Wagons, Harness, &c., &c., viz:

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By virtue of a deed of trust, dated December 17, 1872, and duly recorded in Liber No. 703, folio 268, et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the holder of the notes secured thereby, we will sell at public auction, in front of the premises, on WEDNESDAY, the THIRTIETH DAY OF APRIL, A.D. 1884, at FIVE O'CLOCK P.M., the following described real estate, situate in the city of Washington, D. C., to wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land known and distinguished as and being part lot numbered one (1), in square numbered five hundred and twenty-three (523), beginning for the same twenty (20) feet from the southeast corner of said lot one (1) and running thence west nineteen and one-half (19½) feet; thence north one hundred (100) feet; thence east nineteen and one-half (19½) feet; thence south one hundred (100) feet, to the place of beginning; having a frontage of 19½ feet on north M street, together with the improvements, etc.

Terms of sale: The amount of the indebtedness, together with the interest, and expenses of sale, in cash; balance in six and twelve months, for which the purchaser's notes, secured by deed of trust on property sold, and bearing interest from date of sale, will be taken. A deposit of $100 required at time of sale. Terms to be complied with in seven days from day of sale. All conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost.

JAMES M. PENDLETON, } Trustees.
mh25-eo&ds BRAINARD H. WARNER, }

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE UNIMPROVED REAL ESTATE, LOCATED ON I STREET NORTHWEST, BETWEEN TWENTY-FOURTH AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREETS.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust to me, bearing date August 14, 1876, and recorded in liber No. 828, folio 304, et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, by direction of the party secured thereby, I will sell at public auction on MONDAY, THE TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF APRIL, 1884, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land and premises known and described on the public plat or plan of said city as the whole of lot "G," and the east (3) three inches front, and with that width to the rear of lot F in Starr and Metcalf's subdivision of original lots (5) five and (6) six in square No. (28) twenty-eight, having a front of fifteen feet and nine inches on I street northwest.

Terms of sale: The amount of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust unpaid, with the expenses of sale in cash, and the balance at six months, for which the notes of the purchaser, bearing interest from the day of sale, and secured by a deed of trust on the property sold shall be taken. A deposit of fifty dollars required of the purchaser or purchasers at the time of sale, and all conveyance at the expense of the purchaser.

B. H. WARNER, Trustee.
DUNCANSON BROS., Auctioneers. ap9-d&ds

THOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

On THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL SEVENTEENTH, 1884, at TEN O'CLOCK, I shall sell at residence 1530 O street northwest the following Household Effects:

Square Grand Pianoforte, nearly new; Raw Silk Piano Cover, Piano Stool, Walnut Parlor Suite Upholstered in Red Rep, Oil Paintings, Window Hangings, Fancy Folding Chairs, Lounges, Brussels and Ingrain Carpets, Brussels Hall and Stair Carpets, Rugs, Sewing Machine, Willow Rocker, Handsome Bedroom Suites, Mattresses, Walnut Extension Table, Dining Chairs, Walnut Marble Top Sideboard, Calendar Clock, Large Refrigerator, Heating Stoves, Kitchen Requisites, &c., &c.

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AUCTION SALES.

THOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

CHANCERY SALE OF A WELL-LOCATED UNIMPROVED LOT, CONTAINING 15 ACRES, AT BRIGHTWOOD, D. C.

By virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, sitting in Equity, passed in cause No. 8732, Equity Docket 23, wherein Samuel Butt is plaintiff and Rebecca R. Bealle et al. are defendants, I will, on SATURDAY, THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1884, at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., sell at public auction, in front of the premises, the following described real estate, situate at Brightwood, in the District of Columbia, to wit: All that part of a tract of land called "Resurvey of Peter's Mill Seat," beginning at a bound stone planted at the northwest corner of said Lot, in the east line of 7th street road, thence south 83¾ deg., east 82 p. to the east line of the track; thence with said line south 10 deg., east 30.88 p.; thence north 83¾ deg., west 73.48 p. to a corner of Cissell's land; thence north 6¼ deg., east 8.88 p.; thence north 83¾ deg., west 17.84 p. to a stone in the east line of 7th street road; thence with said road north 6¼ deg., east 20.64 p. to the beginning, containing 15 acres.

Terms: One-third cash; balance in two equal instalments at one and two years, secured by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers, and a deed of trust upon the property sold. Deferred payments to bear interest from the date of sale, or all cash at the option of the purchaser or purchasers. A deposit of $100 required on day of sale. All conveyancing at purchaser's cost. If the terms of sale are not complied with within seven days from the date thereof the trustee reserves the right to resell the property at the cost and risk of the defaulting purchaser or purchasers.

BENJAMIN D. CARPENTER,
ap15-10t Brightwood, D. C.

THOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

CHANCERY SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE ON I STREET, NEAR ST. ALOYSIUS CHURCH NORTHWEST, AND ALSO ON MARYLAND AVENUE, BETWEEN FOUR-AND-A-HALF AND SIXTH STREETS SOUTHWEST.

By virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, passed in equity cause No. 6,340, I will sell as trustee, at public auction, in front of each of the premises, the hereinafter described real estate, to wit:—On MONDAY, the TWENTY-EIGHTH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1884, at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK p. m., Lots Nos. 134 and 135, in Shepherd's subdivision of square No. 623, situated on I street north, between First street and North Capitol street northwest. And on the same day, at the hour of HALF-PAST FIVE O'CLOCK P. M., the east half of Lot seven (7), in Reservation D, situated on Maryland avenue, between 4½ and 6th streets southwest, improved by a good, substantial dwelling-house.

Terms of sale: One-third (⅓) cash, and the balance to be paid in 6, 12 and 18 months, with interest from the day of sale and payments thereof, to be secured by the promissory notes of the purchaser or purchasers, or all the purchase money can be paid cash on day of sale or on the ratification thereof by the court. A lien is reserved on the property sold for the purchase money and interest. No deed will be given until purchase money and interest shall be paid. A deposit of $50 on each piece of property will be required when knocked down. All conveyances at purchaser's cost. If terms of sale are not complied with within 10 days after sale, the property will be re-sold at risk and costs of defaulting purchaser.

S. S. HENKLE, Trustee,
ap15-dts 460 Louisiana avenue.

CHARLES W. HANDY, Real Estate Agent.

PUBLIC SALE OF IMPROVED PROPERTY ON H STREET, BETWEEN FOURTH AND FIFTH STREETS NORTHWEST, BEING DWELLING No. 417 H STREET NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a deed of trust recorded in Liber R. M. H., No. 2, folio 427, of the land records of the District of Columbia, I will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the premises, on FRIDAY, the TWENTY-FIFTH DAY OF APRIL, 1884, at HALF PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., all that parcel of ground situate in the city of Washington, D. C., being part of lot numbered two (2), in square number 517, described as follows: Beginning at a point on the front line of Massachusetts avenue fourteen (14) feet from the northeast corner of said lot; thence along the line of said avenue northwesterly sixteen (16) feet; thence along the dividing line of lots two (2) and three (3) southwesterly thirty-eight (38) feet; thence along said dividing line south forty-three (43) feet nine and a half (9½) inches; thence east along the line of north H street sixteen (16) feet three (3) inches; thence north at right angles to the line of said north H street forty-two (42) feet one (1) inch; thence northeasterly in a straight line to the point of beginning.

The improvements consist of a substantial brick dwelling.

Terms: One thousand dollars cash; balance in six (6) and twelve (12) months, the purchaser to give his notes for the deferred payments, bearing six per cent. interest, and secured by deed of trust on the property; $100 down at time of sale. EUGENE CARUSI,
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PEREMPTORY SALE OF THE FINEST SUBURBAN PROPERTY IN THE DISTRICT, CONSISTING OF 112 LOTS SITUATED ON MERIDIAN HILL AND FRONTING RESPECTIVELY ON BOUNDARY STREET, SIXTEENTH STREET EXTENDED, EIGHTEENTH STREET EXTENDED, ERIE AVENUE, HURON STREET, ONTARIO AND CENTRAL AVENUE AND FIFTEENTH STREET EXTENDED.

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Lots No. 8, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 29 and 31, block 6.
Lots No. 13 and 14, block 8.
Lots No. 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15 and 30, block 9.
Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 23, 24, 25 and 26, block 10.
Lots No. 1, 2, 4, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 33 and 34, block 11.
Lots No. 12, 16, 23, 24, 29 and 30, block 12.
Lots No. 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, block 14.
Lots No. 12 and 13, block 15.
Lots No. 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13 and 19, block 16.
Lots No. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11, block 17.
Lots No. 15, 16, 21, 22 and 23, block 18.
Lots No. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 26, block 20.
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Terms: One-third cash; balance in one and two years, notes to bear interest, and to be secured by deed of trust on property sold, or all cash, at option of purchaser or purchasers. A deposit will be required on each lot as soon as knocked off. Terms to be complied with in ten days, otherwise resale at risk and cost of defaulting purchaser or purchasers after five days' public notice of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C. Conveyancing, &c., at cost of purchasers.

A plat of this property can be seen at the office of the Auctioneer.

ap14-7t DUNCANSON BROS., Aucts.

WALTER B. WILLIAMS & CO., Auctioneers.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF TWO-STORY AND BASEMENT BRICK DWELLING, NO. 1204 R STREET NORTHWEST, AND LOT 21¾X100 TO ALLEY.

By virtue of a deed of trust, dated September 15, 1882, and duly recorded in Liber No. 1017, folio 237, et seq., one of the land records for the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, we will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the premises, on THURSDAY, APRIL TWENTY-FOURTH, 1884, at FIVE O'CLOCK P. M., Lot 21, in Collman and Adams', executors and trustees, subdivision of square No. 277, in Washington City, in said District, together with the improvements thereon.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, of which $100 must be paid at time of sale, and the balance in equal payments in one and two years, to be secured by purchaser's notes, bearing interest from day of sale, at seven per cent (interest semi-annually), and a deed of trust on the property sold to the satisfaction of the Trustees. Conveyancing and recording at purchaser's cost. Terms of sale to be complied with in six days after sale, else Trustees reserve right to resell at risk and cost of purchaser in default.

WM. F. HOLTZMAN, } Trustees.
ap12-dtds FRED. KOONES, }

THOMAS E. WAGGAMAN, Real Estate Auctioneer.

In pursuance of the provisions of the will of the late William M. Morrison, of record in the office of the Register of Wills of the District of Columbia, I shall sell, at public auction, on the TWENTY-FIRST DAY OF APRIL, 1884, at FIVE O'CLOCK P. M., in front of the premises, the House and Lot situated on 4½ street, between Pennsylvania avenue and C street northwest, known as the northern 28 feet of lot 23, in square No. 491, by depth of 125 feet, running back that width to an alley 25 feet wide.

Terms: One-fourth cash; balance in six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest, or cash, at the option of purchaser.

W. H. MORRISON, Surviving Executor.
THOS. E. WAGGAMAN, Real Estate Auct. ap11-d&ds

DANENHOWER & SON,
Real Estate and Insurance Brokers,
1226 F street northwest.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF TWO-STORY STORE AND DWELLING, No. 335 C STREET SOUTH, SOUTHWEST CORNER OF FOURTH STREET EAST.

By virtue of a deed of trust, dated November 5th, 1879, and recorded in Liber 924, folio 241, et seq., we will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises, at FIVE O'CLOCK P. M., on SATURDAY, APRIL NINETEENTH, 1884, sub. Lot A, in Geo. A. Barr's subdivision of original lot 1, in square 791, together with the improvements thereon.

Terms: A deposit of $100 at time of sale; one-third cash; balance in equal payments of six, twelve and eighteen months, with 7 per cent until paid, secured by deed of trust on the premises, or all cash. In the event of failure to comply with terms within seven days, the property will be resold, at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser. WILLIAM W. DANENHOWER, } Trustees,
WILLIAM H. MAIN, }
ap11-dtds THOMAS DOWLING, Auct.

THOMAS DOWLING, Auctioneer.

CHANCERY SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED AND UNIMPROVED SUBURBAN PROPERTY ON LINCOLN AVENUE (OR GLENWOOD ROAD), KNOWN AS THE KEATING PROPERTY, WASHINGTON, D. C.

By virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, sitting in equity, passed in a cause (wherein Keating et al. are complainants and McLaughlin et al. are defendants), No. 8661, I shall, on THURSDAY, THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1884, at FIVE O'CLOCK P. M., on the premises, sell the following described real estate, situated in said district, to wit: Lots No. 34, 35, 40, 42, 48, 49, 59, 61, 68, 73 and 79, in McLaughlin's subdivision of the tract of land known as Prospect Hill, and also the undivided one-half interest in and to Lots 80, 81 and 82, in the said sub-division of Prospect Hill, together with the buildings and improvements thereon, consisting of a large and well-built brick dwelling and stables.

Terms: One-third cash; balance in six and twelve months; notes to bear six per cent interest from day of sale; or all cash, at the option of the purchaser or purchasers. Deposits of $25 will be required on each unimproved lot, and $250 on the homestead. If terms of sale are not complied with within five days after day of sale, the Trustee reserves the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser or purchasers. JOHN F. ENNIS, Trustee,
No. 486 Louisiana avenue.

In order to secure to the purchaser or purchasers of the homestead mentioned in the above advertisement a good and valid title to the whole of the said property, I shall at the SAME TIME AND PLACE offer for sale my undivided half interest in and to the said homestead.

ap8-dts MARGARET A. THYSON.

FITCH, FOX & BROWN, Real Estate Brokers.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF DESIRABLE UNIMPROVED PROPERTY SITUATED ON MERIDIAN HILL, NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF COLUMBIA ROAD AND SIXTEENTH STREET EXTENDED.

The undersigned, assignee for the benefit of the creditors of Benjamin Lawrence and Albert Asher, lately doing business in the city of New York, will sell at public auction, on the premises, in the District of Columbia, on WEDNESDAY, APRIL TWENTY-THIRD, A. D. 1884, at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., all those certain pieces or parcels of land situate and lying in the county of Washington, in the District of Columbia, and known as lots numbered one, two, three, four, five, six, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen and sixteen, in block numbered twenty-one, of Hall and Elvans' recorded subdivision of Meridian Hill, containing eighty-two thousand five hundred square feet of ground, as surveyed in September, A. D. 1867, by Charles H. Bliss, surveyor.

Terms made known at time of sale.
Dated New York, March 17th, 1884.

ELLIS S. YATES, Assignee.
STERN & MYERS,
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Specifications, general instructions to bidders and blank forms of proposal for any of the above named materials will be furnished to established dealers and manufacturers on application to this Office.

THOS. LINCOLN CASEY,
Colonel, Corps of Engineers.
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PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

OFFICE OF THE PUBLIC PRINTER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14, 1884.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until ELEVEN O'CLOCK A. M. OF SATURDAY, APRIL NINETEENTH, 1884, for furnishing the Government Printing Office with ICE from May 1, 1884, to April 30, 1885.

Bidders will state the kind of Ice they propose to furnish. The successful bidder will be required to furnish it in such quantities and at such times as may be required, subject to weight and inspection when received.

The right to reject any bid is reserved. Bids must be indorsed, "Proposals for Ice," and addressed to the Public Printer.

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PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF, MUTTON, &c.

OFFICE PURCHASING AND DEPOT COMMISSARY
OF SUBSISTENCE,
WASHINGTON, D.C., April 15, 1884.

Sealed Proposals, in triplicate, addressed to the undersigned, will be received at this office, until TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON, on THURSDAY, MAY FIFTEENTH, 1884, at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of bidders, for furnishing the Fresh Beef required by the Subsistence Department, United States Army, at this depot, for issue to troops, &c., during the fiscal year commencing July 1st, 1884.

Separate Proposals will also be received for furnishing from the contractor's stall during the same period such choice cuts of Fresh Beef, Mutton and Corned Beef as may be required for sales to officers.

The government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

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

W. H. NASH,
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ap14-6t

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
BUREAU ENGRAVING AND PRINTING.
April 1st, 1884.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until TWELVE O'CLOCK M., THURSDAY, MAY FIRST, 1884, for supplies needed by this Bureau, during the year from July 1st, 1884, to June 30th, 1885, of articles in the following classes: Dry Colors; Oils; Chemicals; Typographical Inks; Textiles; Paper; Binders' Materials; Grocers' Sundries; Blank Steel Plates and Rolls; Glue and Twine; Hardware; Iron and Brass Castings; Gas and Steam Settings; Lumber; Horse Feed; Ice, and Coal and Wood.

Blank forms for proposals on articles of any class, with information as to quantities, qualities and conditions, will be furnished on application to the undersigned.

Proposals on each article will be considered separately, and preference given to articles of domestic production or manufacture, price and quality being equal.

As it is not convenient to store a large quantity of goods in the Bureau, orders on the accepted bidders will be made from time to time as the actual need may be determined, and, as a rule, for not less than the quantities specified on the schedules.

Those desiring blanks and information will be required to specify on which class of articles they are qualified to propose, as awards will be made only to established manufacturers of, or dealers in, the articles needed.

Proposals will also be received for the purchase from the government of the Waste Paper, Strawboard Cuttings, Old Blankets, Scrap Twine, and such other articles of junk as may accumulate from time to time in this Bureau during the year from July 1, 1884, to June 30, 1885, and also for the purchase from the government of the Pulp to be produced from the maceration of the United States notes, securities, etc., authorized to be destroyed during the same period.

Full information relative to these articles will be furnished.

The right to waive defects and to reject any or all bids is reserved.

T. N. BURRILL,
Chief of Bureau Engraving and Printing,
Washington, D. C.
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PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASE OF VESSELS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, March 1, 1884.

In accordance with the provisions of the fifth section of the act of Congress making appropriations to supply deficiencies approved March 3, 1883, sealed proposals will be received at the Navy Department until noon on SATURDAY, MAY THIRD, 1884, at which time and place they will be opened, for the purchase of certain vessels which have been stricken from the Navy Register, under authority of an act of Congress approved August 5, 1882, and which it is deemed for the best interests of the United States to sell.

The vessels offered, their appraised value and their locality, are the Niagara, at Boston, Mass., $24,200; Florida, at New London, Conn., $52,700; Colorado, $34,700, and Ticonderoga, $24,900, at New York; Supply, $800, at League Island, Penn.; Pawnee, $5,200, at Port Royal, S. C.; Benicia, $14,000, and Cyane, $12,000, at Mare Island, Cal.

Proposals must be submitted in a sealed envelope, addressed to the Secretary of the Navy, Washington, D. C., and indorsed "Proposals for the Purchase of Vessels," so as to distinguish them from other communications. No offer for more than one vessel should be included within one proposal.

The vessels will be sold, for cash, to the person or persons, or corporation or corporations, offering the highest prices therefor above the appraised value thereof. Each bid or proposal must be accompanied by a deposit in cash (or satisfactory certified check) of not less than ten per cent. of the amount of the offer or proposal, and also a bond with a penal sum equal to the whole amount of the offer, with two or more sureties, to be approved by the Secretary of the Navy, conditioned for the payment of the remaining ninety per cent. of the amount of such offer or proposal within thirty days from the date of its acceptance. In case default is made in the payment of the remaining ninety per cent., or any part thereof, within that time, said cash deposit of ten per cent. shall be considered as forfeited to the Government, and shall be applied as directed in the act of March 3, 1883. All deposits and bonds of bidders, whose proposals shall not be accepted, will be returned to them within seven days after the opening of the proposals.

On application to the Department, a printed list will be furnished, giving general information concerning the vessels; also forms of bids and bonds which must be used by bidders. The vessels can be examined at any time by applying to the Commandants of the Navy Yards.

The purchasers must remove the vessels purchased from the limits of the yard within such reasonable time as may be fixed by the Department.

WILLIAM E. CHANDLER,
Secretary of the Navy.
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PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF.

OFFICE A. C. S.,
WASHINGTON BARRACKS, D.C., March 5th, 1884.

Sealed Proposals in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, with a copy of this advertisement attached, will be received at this Office until TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON, on THURSDAY, APRIL SEVENTEENTH, 1884, at which time and place they will be opened in presence of bidders for furnishing and delivering the Fresh Beef required by the Subsistence Department, U. S. Army, at this post, for issue to troops thereat during the fiscal year commencing July 1st, 1884.

The contract for Fresh Beef shall not be construed to involve the United States in any obligation for payment in excess of the appropriation granted by Congress for the purpose.

Proposals must be enclosed in sealed envelopes marked "Proposals for Fresh Beef," and addressed to the undersigned. The government reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

Blank proposals, giving information as to conditions, quality of beef, payments, amount of bond, &c., must be obtained by application to this office.

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THE PENNSYLVANIA REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Delegates Arriving at Harrisburg—A Fight Against the Blaine Element Probable.

HARRISBURG, PA., April 15.—The majority of the delegates to the republican state convention, to be held to-morrow, have put in an appearance, and the hotels already present a lively appearance. The Pittsburg delegation and most of the western delegates are here. Those from the east will arrive this afternoon. There are no developments yet, but from the quiet working of the leaders it looks as if a fight will be made against the Blaine element, which is now in the majority. Grow will have no particular opposition for temporary chairman, and may possibly be made permanent chairman. The principal contest during the convention will, it is said, be on delegates at large.

Republican Gains in New Jersey.

TRENTON, N. J., April 15.—Nearly complete returns from yesterday's city election show the republican gains to be heavy. Donnelly (dem.) was elected mayor by 310 majority, and republican gain of 912. Richards (rep.) was elected receiver of taxes by 713 majority, and Ellis (rep.) was elected superintendent of schools by 255 majority. Chambersburg reversed last year's democratic victory and elected a republican mayor.

Delegates to the New York Republican Convention.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 15, noon.—Information has just been received in the assembly chamber that the Draper faction has elected Hon. Hamilton Harris, John Greer and Robert Strain as delegates to republican state convention. This gives State Committeeman Draper control of the Albany county delegation by a vote of 10 to 5.

The Prosecution of Daly, the Dynamiter

LONDON, April 15.—The Liverpool police have been ordered to send all the evidence they obtain concerning Daly to the home department, which will undertake the prosecution. It is expected that the trial of Daly will take place at Birmingham. Eagan's documents are still being examined by the Birmingham police.

A Celebrated Cardinal Resigns.

BRESLAU, April 15.—The *Volks Zeitung* of this city states that Cardinal Ledochowski has resigned the archbishopric of Posen and Gnesen, and that the pope has accepted his resignation.

The Siege of Khartoum.

LONDON, April 15.—A letter of the Mahdi has been published. In this he commands the tribes to push forward the siege of Khartoum, to blockade all the roads and embarrass the Turks and infidels in all other ways possible. This injunction is urged upon them as a religious duty.

BURIAL OF CHARLES READE.

LONDON, April 15.—The remains of Mr. Charles Reade were interred to-day at Willesden. The funeral was private. Mr. George Augustus Sala, Mr. Edwin Arnold and a few other literary friends of the deceased were present.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

The New York Stock Market.

The following are the opening and closing prices of the New York Stock Market to-day, as reported by special wire to H. H. Dodge, 539 15th street:

Name.	O.	C.	Name.	O.	C.
Can. Pac.	52	52	N. J. Cent.	86	85¾
Can. Sou.	49¾	50	N. Y. Cent.	113⅛	113¾
Cent. Pac.	57¾	57¾	N.Y.C. & St. L.	8	8½
Ches. & Ohio	12½	....	Do. pref.	16¼	16¾
Do. 1st pref.	23	....	Nor. & West. p.	40¼	40¼
Do. 2d pref.	15½	....	North Pac.	21¾	22
C. B. & Q.	124	124⅜	Do. pref.	47¾	47¾
C. C. C. & I.	58	....	Northwest.	114¾	115¼
Col. Coal	16	16½	Do. pref.	143	143¼
Del. & Hud.	106½	106½	Ohio & Miss.	20¼	....
D., L. & W.	119⅜	119¾	Oregon Trans.	18⅜	18½
Den. & R. G.	18	17½	Ont. & West.	10	10
E. T., Va. & Ga.	6¼	6⅜	Pac. Mail	51	51⅝
E. T., V. & Ga. p.	11½	....	Peo. D. & E.	15	....
Erie	21⅞	21¾	Reading	52¼	52⅝
Do. 2ds	....	88¾	Rock Isl.	119½	122
Ill. Cent.	128½	129¼	Roch. & P.	10⅝	8¼
I. B. & W.	16	16½	St. Paul	83¼	86¼
L. E. & W.	16	16¼	Do. pref.	113¾	133
Lake Shore	97½	97⅞	St. P. & Omaha	30	30¾
Lou. & Nash.	46⅞	47½	Do. pref.	90½	91½
Mich. Cent.	88	....	St. P., M. & M.	95½	95¾
M. K. & T.	18⅜	18⅞	Texas Pac.	17¾	18½
Minn. & St. L.	15	....	Union Pac.	69⅞	70
Do. pref.	28	30	Wab. Pac.	11¼	11⅞
Mo. Pac.	83⅞	83¾	Do. pref.	19⅞	20¼
Mob. & Ohio	11½	....	West. Union	68½	68⅜
Nash. & Chat.	52	....			

Decision Concerning New York Elevated Railroads.

ITS EFFECT IN WALL STREET.

NEW YORK, April 15.—Judge Van Brunt has rendered a decision in the equity term of the court of common pleas in the suit brought by the Metropolitan elevated railway company against the Manhattan railway company, and others. This action was brought to set aside an agreement, charged to be fraudulent, reducing the rental of the Metropolitan road from ten to six percent. Judge Van Brunt says that the plaintiff is entitled to a judgment relieving all the parties in the action from the October agreement on making such restitution as he suggests in the opinion. On Wall street sharp fluctuations in the Elevated shares followed Judge Brunt's decision. Manhattan sold down 2½ to 42½, and do., first preferred declined to 90, and rallied to 91. Metropolitan rose to 105¼ against 101¼, the last previously reported sale.

Uncertainty in the Stock Market.

SPECULATORS AWAITING DEVELOPMENTS.

NEW YORK, April 15, Wall street, 1:50 p. m.—The *Post* says: The stock market was somewhat firmer this forenoon, and the general range of prices was a little higher than the lowest prices of yesterday. But it was very feverish and unsettled, and made the impression that the majority of speculators were expecting developments of some kind, and yet that they were all too uncertain about the future to operate decidedly in any direction. The total volume of business was consequently smaller than yesterday, and there were only five stocks in which there was any considerable activity, Union Pacific, St. Paul and Lackawanna, which were all a little firmer than yesterday, and Missouri Pacific and Western Union, which were not so strong as yesterday.

The Chicago Markets.

CHICAGO, April 15, 10 a. m.—At the opening this morning the markets showed considerable strength, with the exception of provisions. May wheat opened at 84, sold up to 84⅛, declined to 83¼, and is now 83⅞. May corn opened at 49¾, and remains steady at that figure. Pork opened weak; May now being quoted at 16.82½. May lard is 6.22½. The weather is stormy and chilly. The stock of wheat in store at Chicago shows a decrease of 560,000 bushels for the past week. The shipments yesterday exceeded the receipts by 180,000 bushels.

The Markets.

BALTIMORE, April 15.—Virginia sixes, consolidated, 40½; past-due coupons, 39; do. new threes, 57; North Carolina sixes, old, 108¾ bid to-day.

BALTIMORE, April 15.—Cotton quiet—middling, 11⅞a12. Flour steady and fair demand for medium grades. Wheat—southern scarce, and in good demand; western higher and more active; southern red, 1.09a1.12; do. amber, 1.12a1.15; No. 1 Maryland, 1.14a1.14½; No. 2 western winter red, spot, 1.01a1.01½; May, 1.01½1.01¾; June, 1.01⅝a1.01¾; July, 1.01a1.01½; August, 1.00½a1.01½. Corn—southern steady; western higher and less active; southern white, 58a60; do. yellow, 52a54½; western mixed, spot, 51¾a52½; May, 52¾a53½; June, 54¾a55¼; July, 56½a56⅞; steamer, 50 bid. Oats steady and dull—southern, 40a43; western white, 40a42; do. mixed, 38a40; Pennsylvania, 40a43. Rye higher, 68a70. Provisions quiet and steady. Eggs lower, 14. Coffee quiet—Rio cargoes, ordinary to fair, 9¼a10¼. Sugar firm—A soft, 7; copper refined quiet, 14. Other articles unchanged. Freights to Liverpool per steamer quiet—cotton, 5-32d.; flour, 1s.3d.; grain, 3¾a4d. Receipts—flour, 3,345 barrels; wheat, 101,000 bushels; corn, 31,000 bushels; oats, 17,000 bushels; rye, 600 bushels. Shipments—wheat, none; corn, 26,000 bushels. Sales—wheat, 453,000 bushels; corn, 160,000 bushels.

The District in Congress.

EXEMPTION OF CHURCH PROPERTY FROM TAXATION.

A bill was introduced in the Senate to-day by Mr. Cameron (Wis.) to exempt from taxation all the property of the Eastern Presbyterian church in this city.

Capitol Topics.

A TILT IN THE DANVILLE INVESTIGATION.

A lively tilt occurred in the Danville investigating committee to-day between John S. Wise and Senator Vance. Senator Vance offered testimony to prove the bad character of the witness Sims. Mr. J. S. Wise said if this testimony was admitted he would ask permission to introduce testimony showing the bad character of Senator Vance and Representatives Cabell and G. D. Wise, of Va. Senator Vance said he spat upon such insinuations. Mr. J. S. Wise retorted that he returned the gentleman's scorn. Mr. G. D. Wise also defended himself against insinuation. The question will be referred to the full committee.

MINOR NOTES.

A large delegation from the various boards of trade throughout the country waited upon the House committee on banking and currency to-day to urge the suspension of the coinage of silver for two years.

A DISPATCH FROM COMMANDER SCHLEY.—Commander Schley telegraphs to the Secretary of the Navy this afternoon that the sealers mentioned in his former telegram were the Leopard and Tiger, not Arctic and Fox. Arctic and Resolute are reported as working north, being too late for seals.

RANGE OF THE THERMOMETER.—The following were the readings at the office of the chief signal officer to-day:—7 a. m., 47.0; 11 a.m., 55.8; 2 p.m., 58.2. Maximum, 58.4; minimum, 45.4.

THE DEFICIENCY IN THE JUDICIARY FUND.—A STAR reporter called at the Department of Justice to-day with reference to a report that the Attorney General had asked for a deficiency appropriation of $375,000 in the star route cases. He learned that an estimated deficiency of $375,000 exists in the general judiciary fund, but this does not result from expenses in the star route cases. A similar deficiency in this fund has occurred every year for the past ten years, and therefore is nothing unusual in this instance.

ROBBERIES REPORTED.—Richard J. Jackson, 1831 13th street northwest, reports that while the family was absent from the house yesterday the lock was forced off his trunk and $19 in money stolen. Emily Parker, Blagden's alley, reports stolen from her house yesterday $2.85 in money. J. S. Schaffert, 1208 3d street southwest, reports stolen from her yard last Tuesday a wheelbarrow, worth $3.

The District Democracy.

THE CONTEST FOR THE HONORS TO BE CONFERRED BY TO-NIGHT'S CONVENTION—HOW THE CANDIDATES STAND—THE DISTRICT FOR TILDEN.

The convention to elect delegates to the national democratic convention to be held in Chicago in July will meet at Willard hall this evening. The chief interest, of course, is in the selection of delegates, although there is considerable canvassing for the honor of presiding over the convention. Mr. W. Pierce Bell and Dr. W. O. Baldwin are the candidates for this honor. Two delegates and two alternates will be sent to Chicago. The gentlemen recognized as candidates are Wm. Dickson, R. C. Hewitt, E. D. Wright, T. J. Luttrell, W. D. Cassin and H. O. Claughton. It seems to be generally conceded that Mr. Dickson will be elected on the first ballot by at least 45 votes.

Mr. E. D. Wright stated to a STAR reporter that he expected to receive 45 votes.

Mr. Dickson's friends last evening claimed 51 votes for him. One tally, made up by a delegate, gave Dickson 49 votes, Luttrell and Hewitt each 21, Wright 22 and Cassin 7, leaving 12 votes doubtful.

Mr. Claughton, it is said, came into the field too late to accomplish much, and has not actively participated himself in the canvass.

THE TILDEN MEN TO THE FRONT.

All of the leading candidates are Tilden men. In fact, a talk with active democrats of the city shows that the general sentiment here is in favor of Tilden. "It doesn't make much difference who the District delegates favor," said a member of the central committee to-day. "They do not go to the convention as President-makers. They go there this time for the purpose of securing representation for the District in the convention and on the national committee. I would not favor Mr. Dickson's election under other circumstances, because I do not think the same man should be elected so often. But he did good work at the last convention and can do it again." The District democrats claim that the fact that they contributed about $20,000 to the campaign fund four years ago ought to give them a hearing in the convention.

A CHANCE OF SECURING A VOTE.

"What chance is there of the District delegates securing a vote in the convention?" asked a STAR reporter of Mr. E. D. Wright.

"A very good chance," said Mr. Wright. "This is the first time the District democrats were ever formally invited to send delegates to the convention. The Chicago men will have great influence in the organization of the convention. They are favorably disposed towards Mr. Dickson and the District democrats, who aided them in securing the selection of Chicago as the place of holding the convention."

As there are no contesting delegations, it is expected that to-night's convention will be organized quickly and with no disorder. It is thought, however, that there may be a wrangle before the balloting over the adoption of the two-third rule, which will be proposed, and which will greatly endanger the chances of some of the candidates.

MR. WRIGHT'S CHANCES.

Mr. Wright's friends to-day were more confident than ever of his election. One gentleman said: Mr. Wright was sure of 38 votes. This will elect him on the first ballot unless the two third rule is adopted. There will be a strong opposition to the adoption of the two-thirds rule.

THE CONTEST FOR THE CHAIRMANSHIP

appears to be very even. Mr. Bell, it is said, will have all the votes of East Washington and Dr. Baldwin will have all the votes of West Washington. The votes of the intervening districts are so divided as to make the result doubtful.

NOTES.

Though the prevailing sentiment among the delegates is in favor of Tilden, it seems to be well understood that the men sent to Chicago shall go untrammeled by instructions.

Frank P. Morgan, J. Hadley Doyle and E. D. Lynch are named as candidates for the secretaryship of the convention.

Mr. Dickson will be nominated by Mr. Campbell Carrington and Mr. Wright by Mr. C. S. Moore.

Charged With Arson.

THE PROPRIETORS OF THE GLOBE HOTEL AND THE BAR-KEEPER ON TRIAL.

Solomon Friedman and George Cohen, proprietors of the Globe hotel, No. 837 Pennsylvania avenue, which was fired last Wednesday morning, and James Glass, their bar-tender, were charged in the Police Court to-day with arson. Nathan S. Putnam, a lodger in the hotel, testified that he awoke last Wednesday morning, and went to the door and found the hall full of smoke; cried "fire" in a loud voice, then ran to the fourth floor and awakened the inmates, including the defendants and the cook. Witness started down stairs, and found the defendants on the sidewalk when he got down; they were partly dressed. Officer McDonald testified that he examined the premises about 2 o'clock Wednesday morning, and found every window and door secure, and no signs of fire could be seen. About 3 o'clock witness heard the alarm of fire and went at once to the corner of 4½ street, and saw Mr. Cohen, who had on his pants and coat and a shawl over his head.

Lewis Hayes, colored, a waiter at the hotel, testified that he locked up the back part of the house, including the back gate. Witness left at 5 minutes past 12 o'clock. The defendants and another man were then in the bar-room. Peyton Taylor, the colored cook, and Jacob Kirsch, a boarder, gave similar testimony.

William S. Sorrell, fireman, testified that when he went to the fire, he went into the bar-room from the hall; the door was not locked; there was a light blaze behind the bar, and several fires about the wainscoting; witness found that eight fires had been built—in the bar-room, dining-room and billiard saloon.

Charles Merillat, assistant engineer, testified similarly.

Officer Breen testified that, in company with Detective Raff, he visited the building, and found that it had been fired in seventeen places; kerosene had been poured over the wainscoting on the lower floor, and also around the pool tables on the second floor; witness examined the back door, and found that it had been forced open from the inside.

Detective Raff testified that he went to the burned building about 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, and, upon examination, found that the building had been fired in various places; the wainscoting in the dining room, which was considerably burned, was saturated with oil.

THE DEFENDANTS DISCHARGED.

The court said: "This is a serious charge against the defendants, and there is no doubt that somebody is guilty of arson. There is no evidence tending to show that the defendants are guilty, but the testimony tends in the opposite direction. It is unreasonable that a man should set fire to his house and then go to bed and have to be awakened, and there is no evidence to prove that they had provided any means of escape. It would be unjust for them to be held up before the public as criminals on such evidence as introduced in this case, and I therefore dismiss it."

THE EMMERT HIGHWAY ROBBERY.—Mr. George Emmert, jr., the victim of the highway robbery for which Abraham M. Smith, Pleasant White and Robert Dent were convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary, was instrumental in securing the pardon for these men which, as stated, in THE STAR yesterday, has been ordered by the President. Mr. Emmert's investigations since the trial has convinced him that these men were not concerned in the assault and robbery, and he laid the matter before Judge Wylie in a letter. These men were convicted mainly on the testimony of Wash Meredith, who claimed to be their accomplice.

PROMOTIONS IN THE CITY POST OFFICE.—John F. Lipphard and C. E. Davis, $900 clerks in the city post office, having resigned, the Postmaster to-day made the following promotions: H. W. Dunbar and Benj. Parkhurst, from $800 to $900; E. T. Martin, from $700 to $800; E. L. LeMerle, from $600 to $800; E. L. Burnham, from $600 to $700; Sidney J. McFarland and John N. McElwain, from substitute clerks to the $600 grade.

WASHINGTON FISH MARKET.—Sold by R. A. Golden, agent—14,000 shad, from $21 to $31 per hundred; 225,000 herring, from $7 to $8 per thousand; 1,000 bunches fish, from 15c. to 50c. per bunch. Mr. Gwynn Harris, inspector of marine products, reports the arrival of herring to-day at 199,983; shad, 11,355; tailors, 1,570; bunch fish (rock), 5,690.

District Assessor Dodge met with a slight accident to-day; in descending a stairway at the District building he stumbled and fell a short distance, cutting his head and bruising himself.

The will of the late Elizabeth Ragan, filed to-day, bequeathes, after the payment of her debts, all her property to her mother, Mary L. Faunce, and also appoints her guardian of her six children.

Alexandria Affairs.

Reported for THE EVENING STAR.

MINISTERS' MARRIAGE BOND.—The Virginia law requires that "when a minister of the gospel shall, before the court of any county or corporation in this state, produce proof of his ordination and of his being in regular communion with the religious society of which he is reported a member and give bond in the penalty of $1,500, such court may make an order authorizing him to celebrate the rites of marriage." Under this law Rev. C. B. Middleton, of the Methodist Protestant church, and Rev. A. H. Lee, of the Free Methodist church, gave bond and surety before Judge Meade yesterday, and are now authorized to marry couples in this city.

CORPORATION COURT.—The corporation court continues its session this afternoon, but will hold only a brief session. The grand jury has indicted Ezekiel Cade, of Washington, for selling lottery tickets, and Henry Wilson, for the same offense, and W. H. Ford for malicious cutting. Geore H. Steiner, gave bond as executor of the will of Catharine Atwell.

DEATH.—Mr. Thos. Waddey, a well-known old citizen, who long kept a shoe store on Union, near King street, died last evening at his home, on Lee street, between Wolfe and Wilkes streets.

REAL ESTATE SALE.—Five small houses with a lot at West End, near the Cameron Mills' lane, were sold at auction yesterday by Lucas & Co. at $1,740.

NOTES.—Wm. Epps, colored, arrested by Officers Simpson and Franks, is held at the police station this morning, charged with disorderly conduct.——The presbytery of the Chesapeake will open a meeting at the Second Presbyterian church to-morrow night. Rev. Dr. Dinard, the pastor of that church, will preside.——Mr. Jas. H. Reed says that during his connection with the German bank he never had a day's leave of absence.——The city school board will hold a called meeting to-morrow night.

The Courts.

EQUITY COURT—*Judge James.*

To-day, Ruppert agt. Smith; injunction till final hearing. Mackall agt. Burche; commission to obtain testimony of non-resident witnesses ordered. Taylor agt. Maders; sale ordered—W. C. Stone and C.C. Cole appointed trustees.

POLICE COURT—*Judge Snell.*

To-day, Theodore Thompson, colored, indecent exposure; $10 or 30 days. George Meyers, formerly a clerk in the District auditor's office, pleaded guilty to a charge of stealing two law books from Mr. Wm. Birney's office, and was sentenced to pay a fine of $10 or 30 days in jail. He says he stole the books to buy bread, as his family was suffering for something to eat. Samuel Dent, a colored hack driver, paid $5 for soliciting fares in the Capitol grounds. John Schultze, a cigar store proprietor, at 2913 M street, was fined $5 by Judge Snell for selling cigars on Sunday. He noted an appeal.

Affairs in West Washington.

MARRIED LAST NIGHT.—Mr. John A. Wetzel, the well-known undertaker of this place, and Miss Ida L. Fletcher, of East Washington, were married last evening at Trinity (Catholic) church by Rev. Father Roccofort. The church was filled with the friends of the two families. The bridal couple were attended by Miss Sallie Wetzel, sister of the groom, and Mr. Joseph Wetzel, his brother. The ushers were Messrs. K. B. Krause, George M. Hunt, Frank W. Dowling and T. Ashley Dent. A reception was held at the house of the bride's mother.

CANAL TOLLS.—The governor of Maryland has been asked to call a meeting of the board of public works to-day on canal-toll reduction.

THE first annual meeting of the Citizens' Equitable Building Association was held last night at Goddard's hall. The election of officers resulted as follows: William Clabaugh, president; S. Thomas Brown, vice president; Robert E. Frey, treasurer; Ferdinand King, secretary. Directors—Edgar Frisby, John Gibbons, J. W. Morgan, Thomas Dowling, B. R. Mayfield, J. F. Birch, Rufus H. Darby. The report of the secretary was as follows: Receipts—Dues, $39,865.74; advances, $2,930.50; fines, $45.38; total, $42,841.62. Payments—Advances, $41,178.12; insurance, $13.30; expenses, $681.70; total, $41,873.12. Balance, $968.50. Total number of shares, 3,218. Advanced on, 184. Settled, 24. Not advanced on, 3,010. $4,200 was sold, being 25 shares, ranging at $1.93 to $1.96 per share.

REAL ESTATE SALE.—Thomas Dowling sold yesterday evening for F. W. Jones and C. H. Cragin, Jr., assignees, the lot on the south side of 1st or N street, improved by a fine, large, double three-story and mansard roof brick dwelling house, known as premises No. 3230 N street, to Mr. George Hill for $6,250; and the west half of the same lot, having about the same front and depth, and improved by a desirable cottage house, known as premises No. 3234 N street, to Rev. B. Peyton Brown for $4,025.

HEBER TENT.—The ball of Heber tent, No. 19, I.O. R., at Forest hall, last night was a pleasant and successful affair.

EASTER OFFERINGS.—The Easter offering of the congregation of Christ church, on Sunday last, amounted to $1,200, of which the Sunday school children contributed $214.——The offering at St. Johns church was $700.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.—Marriage licenses have been issued by the clerk of the court to C. G. Ayres and Mary Elizabeth, Fairfax county, Va.; Henry B. Bayley, of Walnut Hill, Ill., and Blanche Hammett; Wm. Claude Barrett and Mabel A. Parkhurst; Fountain Peyton and Caroline Powell; W. H. Rustin, of St. Mary's county, Md., and Maria Woodward, Waynesboro Jackson and Martha Tasco; Franklin Cook and Sarah J. Parker, both of P. G. Co., Md.; William Raum and Marcellina Taylor; Madison Butler and Martha Norris; W. J. Walsh and Nellie C. Gleason.

COMMISSION TO EXAMINE DIES, ETC.—Secretary Folger has appointed Messrs. S. A. Johnson, W. M. Ultz, W. H. Walton, George Kittle, T. I. Gardner, David Lamb, W. H. Earle and Paul Hirsh, of the Treasury department, a committee to count and examine the dies, rolls, plates, etc., at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, with a view to the destruction of all those found defective and of all those no longer required for the use of the government.

BIDS FOR FURNISHING STATIONERY.—Bids were opened at the Treasury department to-day for stationery for the department for the next fiscal year. The bidders were: Wm. Ballantyne & Son, C. C. Purcell, J. D. Free, jr., J. J. Chapman, Fred. A. Schmidt, V. G. Fischer, W. H. Dempsey, J. L. Savage, and C. W. Thorn, of Washington; E. D. Lockwood, Jas. Langfeld, John T. Bailey & Co., J. G. Ditman & Co., and Nescochague Manufacturing company of Philadelphia, and S. H. Roberts & Co., W. A. Wheeler, jr., R. A. Robbins, Jas. R. Michael, and J. McK. Drake of New York. The contracts have not yet been awarded.

The Political Field.

THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN CONVENTION—DELEGATES ELECTED IN VARIOUS STATES—TILDEN AND HENDRICKS, ETC.

The seats in the national republican convention remaining, after supplying one to each delegate and alternate, 1,000 to the Chicago local committee, and reserving from 400 to 600 for the daily press, will be distributed to the several states, in exact proportion to the number of their delegates.

The Maryland republican committee have decided to hold the primary elections in Baltimore April 28, the convention to be held the next day. A majority of delegates elected in the Dorchester, Md., republican primaries Saturday favor Blaine. The Prince George's county, Md., republican convention was held at Laurel yesterday. The following delegates were elected to the district convention: Capt. R. S. Widdecombe, Upton W. Dorsey, John Holland and Henry Lee Plummer. These delegates favor Dr. W. G. Greene as a delegate to Chicago. Samuel Jennings, Gen. George H. Frye, Charles Holliday and Dr. W. G. Greene were elected to the state convention. A resolution was adopted indorsing President Arthur. The Baltimore *Sun* states that the delegates were elected under the control of Dr. W. G. Greene, of the second controller's office, Treasury department.

Anti-Arthur men were elected yesterday in the second assembly district of Orange county, New York, while in the first assembly district three anti-Arthur men and two Arthur men were chosen. A union meeting of republicans of the twenty-[illegible] assembly district, New York, last night, agreed upon an Arthur delegation to the congressional convention.

Mr. Hendricks called on Mr. Tilden yesterday, but it is said that the conversation was chiefly about the town of Pisa and the ruins of Pompeii. The visit lasted only ten minutes. It is believed that the old feeling between them has not yet died away.

The Trenton (N. J.) *Times* publishes the result of a postal card canvass of the state for presidential preferences. Twelve hundred and [illegible] cards were received by the *Times*. Of these [illegible] were for Blaine, 273 for Tilden, 210 for Randall, [illegible] for Edmunds, and 101 for Butler.

Republican delegates to the state and district conventions were elected in Fitchburg, Mass., last night. Most of them were uninstructed, but the delegates from the 5th ward were instructed for Edmunds.

The republicans in the fifteenth Pennsylvania district yesterday elected Galusha Grow and F. [illegible] Lyon delegates to the national convention. They are both Blaine men.

The indications are that Alabama will send a strong Arthur delegation to Chicago.

The republicans in Caldwell, Idaho, have elected uninstructed delegates.

SENSATION IN THE SHARON TRIAL.—In the Sharon divorce case in San Francisco, yesterday, Harry Wells, a witness for the plaintiff, testified that Sharon had in his presence introduced Miss Hill to H. M. True as Mrs. Sharon. The deposition of True, who is on his death-bed, was read stating that Wells' testimony was "a put up job" between Miss Hill, Wells and himself. True's deposition created a sensation. He is 67 years old, and his death is momentarily expected.

MARRIED.

CARSON—KEMON. In this city, on the evening of April 8th, 1884, by the Rev. Dr. Chester, MR. ADOLPH B. CARSON, of Chicago, Ill., to HELEN S., daughter of the late Peter S. Kemon, esq., of this city.

DONALDSON—HAUPTMAN. On Monday, the 14th day of April, 1884, at Union parsonage, by the Rev. W. T. L. Weech, JOHN T. DONALDSON, of this city, to MARIA LOUISE, daughter of the late Philip Hauptman.

LYNCH—KELLEY. On April 9th, 1884, at Pleasant Hill, Montgomery county, Maryland, by Rev. James Nourse, Mr. JOHN LYNCH and Miss MARY E. KELLEY.

DIED.

DUVALL. On Monday, April 14, 1884, at 9 o'clock p. m., HELEN, infant daughter of Andrew B. and Mary M. Duvall, aged one year, nine months, and seventeen days.

Funeral private, from the residence of her parents, No. 329 C street northwest.

FITZHUGH. On April 14, 1884, at 1:20 o'clock p. m., WILLIE A., beloved son of W. R. and Ella E. Fitzhugh, aged one year, four months and fourteen days.

Little Willie was our darling,
Pride of all our hearts at home;
But the angels came and whispered,
Darling Willie do come home.

Too fair for earth, his spirit fled
To heaven's celestial bliss,
He was too sweet; too fair by far,
For such a world as this.

Go little loved one, go,
A mother's heart can tell,
And none but hers can fully know
How sad to say farewell.

BY AUNT MAGGIE.

Funeral to take place from the residence of his grandfather, A. G. Columbus, Wednesday, 16th instant, at 3 o'clock p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

MILLER. At Anacostia, D. C., on Monday morning, April 14, 1884, at 3 o'clock a. m., of neuralgia of the heart, GEORGE M. MILLER, aged fifty-six years and three months.

Our Father from us has gone,
A voice we loved is still.
A place is vacant in our home
Which never can be filled.

God in his wisdom has recalled
The boon His love had given,
And though the body moulders here
The soul is safe in heaven.

BY HIS CHILDREN.

Funeral will take place from his late residence on Wednesday, April 16th, at 2 o'clock p. m. Friends and relatives are invited.

MORRISON. On April 14th, 1884, FANNIE R. MORRISON, at her mother's residence, 1237 10th street northwest, at 1:25 o'clock a.m. Easter Monday.

The funeral will take place from Asbury M. E. church on Wednesday, the 16th, at 2 o'clock p.m. The relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

WILLENBUECHER. At New York, April 15th, 1884, at 4 o'clock a.m., OTTO H. WILLENBUECHER, in his twenty-seventh year.

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