A FIRST-CLASS SNOW STORM .- Hail commenced to fall early last evening, but soon snow flakes came down thick and tast. By ten o'clock the white mantle of winter was nearly four inches deep. The merry jugling of sleigh-bells made some of the streets quite musical. The severe cold weather of Sunday night and during the early part of yesterday prepared the founda-tion for a arst-class sleighing season. The snow, however, has spoiled the sport of the skaters, and the parks will be deserted for some days. If we could have a covered park in this city, such as they have in Montreal and all other Cansdisn cities, it would pay handsomely. Owing to the heavy spow-storm of last evening the various trains on the different lines of railroads running from this city were unable to leave on their regular schedule time. The 11:10 P. M. train on the Pennsylvania Bailroad did not succeed in geiting out of the depot until 12-15 o'clock, one hour and five minutes behind the regular time. The New York train going was one hour and twenty minutes behind time. A large number of laborers, with shovels, cleaned the track for some distance in order to enable the trains to start. The city passenger railways also experienced great difficulty in making their regular trips. On the Market street line the last car that succeeded in getting brough without much difficulty was No. 51. The passengers in the cars following were com-petied to get out and aid in pushing the vehicles up the steep grade west of the permanent bridge

THE HOSPITAL RECORD .- A brakesman upon the Bultimore railread, coming up in the 925 A. M. train yesterday morning, fell from the train at Chester. The cars passed over him, cutting off an arm and both feet. A boy named John Lehro was run down last evening by a fire apparatus in Germantown avenue, corner of Oxford street. He was badly

thart about the head.
Charles Lynch, aged twenty-years, residing at Portsville, Pennsylvania, was admitted into the Hospital with his left foot badly crushed by a

train of coal cars.

A man named Owen McNally was admitted with his right shoulder blade broken. McNally states that he was knocked down at an early hour yesterday morning, by some unknown person, on Washington street, near the Baltimore depot, and roubed of his pocket-book, contain-ing the sum of two hundred and seventy-live

COLLECTION OF WATER RENTS .- The duplicate of water rents for 1866 has just been completed, and the Register of Water is now engaged in receiving the rents for the present year. The following is the amount to be paid by

Wards.	Amount	Wouds	Amount.
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Twelfth	18 000 20	LWGDIY-SIXII	1 23.630 00
Thirteenth	28,514 50		
Total			8615,850 25

BURGLAR CAPTURED .- James Riley had a heaving yesterday afternoon, charged with ggart, coming from a house at Ninth and Taggart, coming from a house at Ninth and Wallace streets. Mr. Taggart entered the house, searched the prisoner's room, and found two pawn tickets, a pair of pauts, and a pocket diary. On the pawn tickets Taggart recovered a couple of overcoats and some silverware. Complaints having been entered by Mr. William Ayres, No. 898 North Eighth street, and Mr. W. H. Bitting, No. 623 North Tenth street, that their dwelling houses had been entered and tobled, the detective suspected that some of the obbed, the detective suspected that some of the articles belonged to the above-named gentlemen. He notified them to be present at the Central Station yesterday afternoon, when Mr. Ayres identified two of the overcoats as his property, and Mr. Bitting identified the diary as his own. Riley was committed to answer.

MEETING OF YOUNG MEN.-A large meeting was held last evening in the Reformed Dutch Church, corner of Seventh and Spring Garden streets, composed principally of young men, re-presentatives from the different churches throughout the city. The object of the meeting was the formation of an association for the moral and intellectual improvement of young men in that section of the city. The committee on name made their report, and recommended the word "Union" as the name of the association. name of "Social Union" was finally adopted as the one which should designate the association. A nomination of officers then took place, result ing as follows:-President, Colonel D. W. C Moore, of the Second Reformed Dutch Church Vice-Presidents, J. Poland Baptist, E. T. Middle ton. Secretary, William M. Abbey.

THE BOARD OF SURVEYS,-The stated meeting of the Board of Surveys was held yes terday morning, President Kneass in the chair, A resolution directing the widening of Girard avenue and Poplar street, in the Twentieth Ward. was read and referred to a committee. The committee on petition for a sewer on Hamilton street, between Nineteenth and Twentieth,

Resolved. That the Board of Surveys recom mend the construction of a cincular brick culvert, two feet nine inches inside diameter, in Hamilton street, with an inlet and one man whole length about four hundred and forty feet. Several objections were made, but the resolution passed finally. After the transaction of business of minor importance the Board

ANNIVERSARY.—The sixteenth anniversary of the Union School and Children's Home took place last evening in St. Andrew's Church Eighth street, above Spruce. A hymn was sung by the little ones belonging to the Home, which was followed by the reading of the reports for the part year by Mr. George Duncan, Jr., Secretary. The total amount received was \$8699.83, all of which has been expended. The WRE oills remaining unpaid amount to \$1942.78. During the year seventy-nine children were admitted into the Home, sixty-five were placed out, and lorty-four returned to their parents or friends. Brief but interesting addresses were made by Rev. Messrs Beadle, Boardman, Bringhurst, and John M. Maris, Esq.

ALLEGED ROBBERY OF BONDS .- A colored man named Herrmann was arraigned last even-ing at the Central Station, charged with robbing his father of a Government bond and other oro-perty, valued in all at about one hundred dol-It appears that some months ago the house of the elder Herrmann was entered and robbed of a trunk containing the bond, etc. le took the precaution to notify the officers of the Mint of the fact, and asked that if a regis tered bond of the description he gave be offered hold on to the party who presented it. A fedays since the bond was brought to the deak to be cashed. The person who offered it, on being estioned, stated that he had purchased it indirectly from Herrmann. The accused was thereupon arrested and committed to answer,

M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL SOCIETY. - A meeting of the Board of Managers of the Philadelphia M. E. Sunday School Society was held last even the lecture room of Trinity M. E. Church Eighth street, above Race. The President, Cole man Heiskell, occupied the chair. About twenty delegates were present, representing a like number of Sunday Schools. Several of the delegates gave very interesting accounts of the progress that had been made during the past year in the schools that they represented.

LABCENY CASES .- Three women were charged vesterday afternoon with the larceny of seventy-six dollars, the property of Nicholas Balford. They were committed for a further hearing. h man named James Fleming was committed by Alderman Beitler last evening on suspicion of having stolen a shawl.

CITY INTELLIGENCE. Conspining to Steal.—Yesterday afternoon Sergeant Welsin, in passing the corner of Second and Brown streets, observed a man and boy whose movements excited his suspicious. He followed them down to Chesnut street, and saw the boy on the way make several attempts to steal goods from the fronts of stores. He arrested them and took them before Recorder Eneu, who committed them to answer the charge of conspiring to steal. On the person of the man a heavy black-lack was found, and some skeleton keys. He gave the name of James Kabarra, the boy that of Joseph Smith.

OPEN CHANNEL .- The channel in the Delaware is still open, notwithstanding the in-creased coldness in the air. The change, indeed, was very sudden. Sunday morning was so warm that an overcoat was rather burdens than otherwise. Sunday night found every drop of exposed water as hard as glass. Yesterday brought no thaw with it, but the vessels going up and down the river have thus far kept it open.

FIRES .- The roof of the foundry on Lawrence street, above Oxford, occupied by Messra, Flesh & Roeper, was considerably damaged by fire about five o'clock yesterday afternoon. The Francisville public school-house, located on Seventeenth street, above Coates, Fifteenth Ward, was slightly damaged by tire about half-past six o'clock last evening.

THE SABBATH-MEETING OF THE CLERGY. —An adjourned meeting will be held this even-ing by the clergy and luty at the Baptist church, Broad and Arch streets, relative to the proper observance of the Sabbath.

HARD ON THE BIRDS .- It is feared that during the very severe cold weather within the past fortnight all the partridges in this latitude were frozen to death.

The Confederate Loan-Letter from W. E. Baxter, M. P.

To the Editor of the N. Y. Tilbune,-Sir:am surprised to see my name in a list of British subscribers to the Confederate Loan, which has been circulated on your side the Atlantic. Dur-ing the last four years I have been one of the most ardent sympathizers with the Northern people in their struggle to vindicate the principles of free, constitutional government, assailed by the slave-owning aristocracy of the South, who had too long been dominant in your great Republic, and who, when beaten at the polls, at: tempted by insurrection to destroy one of the best Governments in the world Meyer for a moment did I lose faith in the ability of the Northern States to put down a rebellion the most unjustidable in history, and I rejeice to think that their triumph has not only strengthened and consolidated the power of the Union, but has given an impetor to liberty all over the world. The struggle has all along appeared to me so important that my mind has been en-grossed by it almost to the exclusion of British politics, and these being my sentiments, openly proclaimed in public ever since the commencement of the war, to say nothing of the folly of the investment, I would just as soon have subscribed to assist the despots of Europe or the Emperor of China as have given a shilling in aid of a cause, the success of which would have been the greatest calamity that ever befell America. I am, sir your obedient servant, M. P. for the Montrose District of Burghs,

Dundee, December 23, 1865. The Cotton Crop of Illinois. The remarkable increase within four years in the shipments of cotton from points in Southern Illinois is shown from the facts that the ship-

ALC: NO.	Central Railroad amounted in 1862 to 6770 and in 1865 to 1,581,400 rounds. The fo figures show the constant and rapid incre	flowing
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	The yield for 1865 is equal to three the bales, worth over half a million of dollars	ousand

ments from nine of the stations on the Illi

CHARLOTTE THOMPSON TURNED PLANTER .- The Montgowery (Ala.) Mail says that Miss Charlotte Thompson, who is now playing a most successful engagement at the Mobile Theatre, has purchased a very large and desirable plantation near that city; and we also hear that it is her intention to make that city her permanent place of residence.

AMUSEMENTS.

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Alteration of time for this week only. The doors will open at 6.45; commence at 7.30 o'clock.

THURNDAY EVENING, January 18

BENEFIT OF MR. RICHARD SRITH.

WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY AFTERNOONS,

January 17 and 20.

GRAND FAMILY MATINEES,

and list

DAYLIGHT PERFORMANCE

DAYLIGHT PERFORMANCE Will be revived on Monday, January 21, the Grand Irish Drams, ARRAH-NA-POGUE.

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"A GLANCE AT THE WORLD WE LIVE IN!"

SYNOPS S OF THE LECTURE.

The simplicity and unity in the plan of creation. Skatch of the former condition and constitution of our Planet, and its progressive stages in becoming the abode of life. Farth air and water, in their relation to vegetable and animal voins.

The Indestructibility of Matter and its Forces.

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GOVERNMENT SALES.

A UCTION SALE OF SERVICEABLE AND DAMAGED HOSPITAL PROPERTY. MEDICAL PURVEYOR'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., January 15, 1868 }
Will be sold at the Judiclary Square Ware cuses
E and F1F1H Streets, in this city, on TUESDAY
the 23d of January, 1866, at 10 o'clock, A. M., large quantity of serviceable and Damaged Hospita Property, consisting of :— Sheets, Shirts. Diawers.

Pillow-cases, Bed-sacks, Towels. lowns, Blankets, Also, one Fire-proof Safe.

Mosquito-nets, Tin Plates, Wash Basins, Knives and Forks, Spoons, etc.

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79) pounds Alum, 20 pour de Ammonia, 320 bottles Ammonia, 9 salions Arnea, 27 pounda Assa estida, 36 pounda Bine Vitriol, 423 bott es British Oil, 167 l 16 bounds Calomel, 287 pounds Cantharides, 1440; pounds Castile Soap. 781 counds Supported, 1141 pounds Copperas, 200 ; ounds Epsom Salts. bottles Suphune Einer, bounds Ground Flaxseed, 256 quarts Spirits Furpentine, 123) pounds Ground Ginger, 1318? pounds Glarber Sults, 28 bottles Tincture Iodine, 825) pounds Lard, 77 gailons Laudanum, 401 pounds Acetate Lead, 247 pounds Mercurial Ointment, 1558 bottles Mustang Limment. 1514 quarts Spirits Nitre, 106 quarts Castor Oit, 88 quarts Sweet Oil, 1828 botUes Opodeldoc, 60 pounds Chiorate Potasb,

for pounds Chlorate Potash,
697; pounds Rosin,
788; pounds Rosin,
789; pounds Touacco—Plug,
761; pounds Sulphur,
89 pounds Sulphate Zinc,
Antiecc, Antimony, Aquaiortis, Arnica flowers,
Antow root Basam of Copains, Fir itassicon and
Rosin Ointments, Bicarb. Soda, Borax, Buckthoris
Suup, Chlorolorin, Condition Powders, Corrosive
Sublimate, Croam Tartar, Glycerine, Giman's and
Powel's Limments, Caustic, Mustard, Nutsalls,
Crotos Oil, Farriers' and Garsing Oils, Oils of
Cloves, Juniper Origanum, Rosemary, Sassafras and
Spike, Pepper mist, Tartar Emetic, Cayenne Pepper,
Wormwood and Yellow Root.
Terms—Cash, United States currency. The stores
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EXTENSIVE SALE OF DRY GOODS, BEDDING, EIC., IN ORIGINAL PACKAGES.

Will be sold at Auction, at the Medical Purve or's
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EEDDING.

2 000 Hair Mattresses, jointed. 15,000 Hair Pillows. 47,000 Bed Ticks. 22,000 Conn erganes, Linen and Marseilles. 20,000 Mosquiro Bars, 51,000 Pillow Cases. 45,000 Fillow Ticks, 80,000 Sheets, Linen and Cotton. CLOTHING. 42 000 Shirts.

25 000 Dressing Cowns. 19 000 Socks. 10,000 Night-caps, SUNDRIES. 84,000 Towels, full size, huckaback. 17,000 Roller-lowels, crash. 1.000 Nankins.

1.000 Napkins.
2.000 yards Red Flannel.
2.400 yards Gutta Percha Cloth.
4.000 Gutta Percha Blankets
1.000 India Rubber Cusbions and Pillows.
1.000 Canvas Hammocks. 1,000 Canvas Blanket Cases.

10,000 canvas Blanker Cases.
10,000 pounds Oakum and Iow.
Cotton Bats, Cotton Wadding, Tape, etc.
A small portion of the foregoing articles are second hand, and will be sold separately. The greater part are new and in original packages.
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LARGE SALE OF CONDEMNED CLOTHING,

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, DEPOT OF WASHINGTON, WASHINGTON, D. C., January 13, 1868 WASHINGTON. D. C., January 13, 1863)
Will be sold at public auction, under the direction
of Captain D. G. Thomas, M. S., K., at the Government Warchouse, corner of Seventeenth and H
sirects, Washington, D. C., on MONDAY, January
29, 1866, at 10 o'clock A. M., a large lot of condemned Clothing, etc., consisting of
Drums,
Kettles,
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Saubes, Books, Jackets, Hospital Tents, Wall Tents, Sibley Tents, Blankets. Leggings, ommon Tents. Flags, Coats, Cap Covers. Rubber Brankets, Rubber Ponchos, Caps, Pack Saddles. Axes, Pickaxes, Vests, Trowsers, Hatchets, Shirts.

Spaces, Turbans, Shovels, Etc. Etc. Etc.
The sale will be continued from day to day until e stores are sold. The stores must be removed within five days from date of sale. Terms—Cash, in Government funds,
D. H. RUCKER,
Brevet Major-General and Chief Quartermaster,
1 15 12t Depot of Washington.

SALE OF SURPLUS GOVERNMENT MULES, ALL GOOD AND SERVICEABLE, OFFICE OF ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER. \
WILMINGTON, Del., January 2, 1866. \
Will be sold at public auction, at Wilmington,

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Friday, the 5th of January.
Friday, the 12th of January.
Friday, the 19th of January. Friday, the 26th of January. Four hundred good and serviceable mules, One handred on each day of sale The particular attention of purchasers is called to the excellent quality of these mules, being of good size, in good condition, kind and gentle, and well broke to harness, being the surplus team mules of Washington Depot.

Washington Depot.

Animals sold singly.

Sale to commence at 10 A. M.

Terms—Cash, in United States currency.

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Eum, in charge First Division Q. M. G. O.

C. H. GALLAGHER.

Captain and A. Q. M.

DEFOR QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE RICHMOND, Va.,

PUBLIC AUCTION. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of in structions from the Quartermaster-General, I will still at Pablic Auction, at Rockett's Landing, Richmond, Va., on the 20th day of January, 1898, 150 Firs-1-CLASS MULES.

These mules have been in use in the teams at this Depot for the past six months, are well broken, and in the condition.

Term:-Cash, in Government junda. Sale to commence at 10 A. M.
GEORGE B. CADWALADER. Brevet Lt.-Col. and A Q. M., In charge of Depot

SALE OF RESERVED HORSES.

QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 12, 1865.

The Quartermaster-General of the Army directs that all Government Horses now at Giesboro, D. C., be sold so the highest bidders.

Saves will, therefore, take place at GIESBORO, D. C., beginning on D. C., beginning on
THURSDAY NEXT, DE' EMBER M, 1865,
and continuing on each TUESDAY and 1 HURSDAY thereafter, until all are disposed of
A Boat will leave the Sixth street wharf every
hour on the days of sale.
These horses have been carefully selected, and are
superior to any heretofore offered for sale.
Anima's will be rold singly.
Sales to commence at 10 o'clock A. M.
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MILITARY DIVISION OF THE TERRESETE,
CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
U.S. MILITARY RALLROAD,
NASHVILLE, TEDRESSEO, JANUARY 9, 1868.

WIFE sold at Fubite Auction, at Monophis, Tennessee, WEDNESDAY, February 7, 1866 the following described Rolling Stock, viz:
Four (4) Locomotive Engines, five feet gauge—three old and dismanted, one repairable.
Sixteen (16) Box and nine (9) Flat Cars (more or or lers), five test sauge,
Same time and place—

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Ore (1) Lecomotive Engine, five foet gauge, lying in the ditch on the line of the dismanppi Central Railread, twelve miles north of Grand Junction.

AT NASHVILLE, TENN., WEDNESDAY, FEB-RUARY 14 1896, will be soid the following described Kolling stock, all of five feet gauge, and in good one (1) Locomotive Engine, Lyman & Souther, Eighteen (18) Locomotive Engines, R. Norris & Sons, builders.
One (1) Locomotive Engine, Rodgers' L. and M. Works, builders.
One (1) Locomotive Engine, Swinbourn & Smith, builders.
One (1) Locomotive Tender.
Two Hundred (200) Flat and Box Cars, more of

less.
Same time and pince:

Wive (5) Locomotive Engines, unserviceable
Boilers and Running Gears for Two (2) Dummy E-n
gines, unserviceable. gines, unserviceable.

Five (5) Spans (150 feet each) McCasum's Truss

Five (5) Spans (150 feet each).
Bridge.
Two (2) Spans Bridge (50 feet each).
One Hundred and Thirty-three (183) perch of first and *econd-class Cut Stone, comprising foundation of Round House.
Will also be sold on above-mentioned dates at MEMPHIS and NASHVILLE, the balance of MILLTARY RAILBOAD PROPERTY remaining undiscount of at that time.

posed of at that time. Eales will commence at each place at 10 o'clock A M., and continue until all the property is disposed of TERMS OF SAI E—Cash, in Government funds; or when purchased by rairoad companies, or credit if desired of not exceeding two years, payable in monthly fostalments with interest at the rate of 7:50 per cent. per annum, secured by bond satisfactory to the Government for double the amount of the projectly purchased.

Full descriptions of the Engines can be obtained on application to Captain S. R. HAMILL, A. Q. M.

Nashville, Tennessee, 116 25t Brevet Major and A. Q. M., U. S. A.

OVERNMENT SALE OF CONDEMNED ORD-Will be sold at Fublic Auction, by order of the Sec-retary of War, at the United States Arsenal, Colum-bus, Ohio. on MONDAY, January 22 1866. com-mencing at 10 o'clock A. M., and days following:— 14 sets Artiflery Harness, wheel,

28 " lead. Carbines, various patterns. United States Smooth-bore muskets, cal. 69. Austrian Rifle Muskets, cal. 54, new.

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19 Foot Artillery Swords,
2, 115 Light Cavalry Subres.
14 Horse Artillery
29 Musicians and N. C. Officers' Swords,
4,429 Bullet Moulds, various,
15,900 Ball Screws, Screwdrivers, Wipers, etc.
49 sets Horse equipments, cavalry, complete,
133 Cavalry Saddles, McClellan pattern.
168 Saddle Blankets.
51 Cavalry Bridles.
20 600 Bayenet Scabbords. 80,000 Bayonet Scabbards. 20,000 Cap Pouches. 26 000 Cartridge Boxes, infantry, and Plates.

25 000 "Box Belts and Plates. 25 000 Gun Shngs. 1 000 Sword Belts. N. C. Officers', and Plates. 83 500 Percussion Caps, for shot-guns, 8,240 Cores, various, 255 pounds Hemp Rope, 162 " Becswax. 1 Horse.

ALSO, A lot of Pickaxes, Felling-axes, Shovels, Mattocks, Pole Yokes, etc.

Bull catalogues will be ready at sale.

TEPMS OF SALE —Cash in Government funds.

Articles to be removed immediately at expense of

T. C. BRADFORD. Captain Ord., Bat. Major U. S. A.,

Captain Ord., Bat. Major U. S. A.,
Commanding Arsenal.

I ARGE SALE OF CONDEMNED QUARTERMASIEK SIORES, CLOTHING, CAMP
AND GARRISON EQUIPAGE, AT ALEXAN.
DRIA, VIRGINIA.

Chief Quartermaster's Office,
Depot of Washington,
Washington, D. C., January 5, 1866.

Will be sold at Public Auction, at Alexandria, Virginia, under the direction of Brevet Lieutenant-Celonel J. G. C. Lee, A. Q. M., on THURSDAY, January 25, 1866, at 10 o'clock A. M., a large lot of condemued Quartermaster's Stores, Ciothing, etc., as follows:

as iollows:-Shirte. Hammers, Jackets. Coais, Caps, Flags, Wagons, Saws. Ambulances, Spring Wagons, Paulins, APTON. Grain Separator, Cauldrons, fron Axles, Chains, Army Range, Wheelbarrows, Argand Burners. Manilla Rope, Gurled Hair, Drugs, Sheepskins, Deer Hides, Cast, Wrought, and The legition Chairs, Letter Presses, Halters, Hames, Scrap Iron, Cast and Spring Steel, Hames, Grain Sacks, etc.
Together with a large lot of secondhand Lumber,
onsisting of Flooring, Ship Knees.

The stores must be removed within five days from The sale will be continued from day to day until the whole of the property is sold.

Terms-Cash, in Government funds.
D. H. RUCKER, Byt. Maj. Gen. and Chief Quartermaster, fot Depot of Washington. SALE OF SERVICEABLE QUARTERNASTER

O STORES.
CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
DEPOT OF WASHINGTON,
WASHINGTON, D. C., January 1, 1866.)
Will be sold at Public Auction, under the direction of Brevet Colonel C. H. Tompkins, Quarter master, at LANCGLE DEPOF, Washington, D. C. master at LINCGLA DEPOT, Washington, D. C., on TUESDAY, January 23, 1866. at 10 o'clock A. M., a large lot of QUARTERMASTER S'ORES, consisting of Iron Boilers, Sweat Collars, Horse Covers, Hose Carriage, Hammers, Hay Knives, Fire Hose, Neck Straps and Chyins, Travelling-force, Limbers, Branding Irons, Irons, Iron Picket Posts, etc.

The Stores must be removed within five days from date of sale.

Terms-Cash, in Government funda.
D. H. RUCKER, Byt. Maj.-Gen, and Chief Quartermaster, 7t Depot of Washington

SALE OF NAVY POWDERS AT THE NAVY YARD, PHILADELPHIA.
BUREAU OF ORDNANCE, WASHINGTON CITY. January 9, 1806

There will be sold to the highest bidders, at Pu

lic Auction, at moon of the 22d day of January, 1856, at the office of the Inspector of Ordnance, at the Philadelphia Navy Yard, by sample, five thousand three hundred and thirty-two (5332) barrels of NAVY TOW DERS. Townser.

Terms—Cash, in Government tunds; one-half to be deposited at the end of sale, and the remainder within ten days afterwards, during which time the towders must be removed from the Fort Millin Magazine, otherwise revert to the Government.

H. A. Wise, Chief of Burger.

Chief of Bureau.

SALE OF GOVERNMENT BARGES
CHIEF QUARTER ASTER'S OFFICE,
DEPOT OF WASHINGTON, Washington, D. C. January 13, 1866.

Will be sold at public auction, under the direction of Brevet Major Benjamin Burton, A. Q. M., at Sixth a rect whar. Washington, D. C. on SATUR-DAY, February 3 1866, at 12 o'clock M., the following named Government vessels, viz.:

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Barec JURA.

Terms—Cast, in Government funds

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Terms—Cash, in Government funds
D. H. RUCKER:
Biev. Major Gen. and Chief Quartermater.
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Depot of Washington.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

I ARGE SALE OF GOVERNMENT BUILD-LOOKOUT, MD HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT WASHINGTON,

BEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT WASHINGTON,
OFFICE OF (HIEF QUARTERMASTER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., December 29, 1865)
Will be sold at Fublic Auchoute the highest bidder at FOINT LOCKOUT, Md., commencing THURSDAY, January 18, 1866, at 10 o'clock, A.
M., the following frame buildings and other public properly at that mace, viz.:
UNIFED STATES GENERAL HOSPITAL.
One Beadquarters Building, 175 by 25 feet; 16
Hospital Wards, each 175 by 25 feet; one Mass-house, 250 by 28 feet; one Guards' Quarters, 167 by 24 text, one Centrabund Quarters, 60 by 14 feet; one Kitchen, 60 by 28 feet; one Chapel, 77 by 25 feet; one Laundry, 29 by 22 feet, with stationary Engine, Locome two Boller, and all the necessary apparatus for stoam

tive Boller, and all the necessary apparatus for steam in Edry and dry Eg; one Cow Stable. Il by 14 feet; one Horse Stable, 52 by 21 feet; one Wacon House, small; one Baggage House, 55 by 25 feet; one Warenouse, 55 by 25 feet; one Fee House, 40 by 80 feet, and 19 feet high; Water-tank Building, 17 by 17 feet, 30 feet high; Water-tank Building, 17 by 17 feet, 30 feet high; With circular water tank, 18 feet diameter; two Coal Houses, one Saw House, one Forage House, one Dead House, and one Wash House, of various dimensions; also, covered Plank Footwalks connecting the above buildings; aggregate length 1860 feet, and 8 feet wide. to Boller, and all the necessary apparatus for stear

buildings; aggregate length 1800 feet, and 8 feet wide.

The above-mentioned Headquarters Building is two stories high, fathed and plastered, and the fifteen Heapfital Wards, the Mess-house, and a few other structures are also lathed and plastered.

PRISON CAMP.

10 Hospital Wards, each 140 by 25 feet; 7 Cookhouse, each 143 by 22 feet; one Cookhouse, 120 by 26 feet; one Cookhouse, 140 by 25 feet; with two wings, each 30 by 20 feet; one Headquarters Building, 72 by 24 feet, with two wings, each 40 by 20 feet; one Obspensary, 40 by 38 feet; one Chauel, 160 by 24 feet; one Express office, 30 by 16 feet; one Guard House (b dek), 50 by 15 feet; one Quartiers, one Office, and one Storeroom, of various dimensions; also, 9188 lineal feet of Fencing, 12 feet high; 310 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet wide; and 9188 lineal feet of Plank Footwalks, 12 feet one Quarters, 100 by 14 feet; one Quarters, 100 by 14 feet; one One Storehouse, 9188 lineal feet of vootwalks, 12 by 22 feet; one Quarte

houses, one Oil-house; one Saddler's Shop, and one Mers House, of various dimensions.

MISCELLANEOUS BUILDINGS, AND OFHEI PROPERTY.

One Pest Hospital, 70 by 25 leet; one Commissar; Storehouse, 200 by 35 feet; one Commissary Salet room and Office, 84 by 27 feet; one Office, 27 by 1 leet; one Guard House (log), 30 by 50 feet; one Guard House (log), 30 by 20 leet; two frams Guard House, small size; one Barrack, at Fort Lincoln 60 by 20 feet; one Ordinance Storehouse, 54 by 12 leet; one Slaughter House, 40 by 24 feet, with Shed, 24 by 13 feet, and Outbuildings, 9 by 9 leet; one Stable, 36 by 22 fest; and 10 Kitchens, Quarters, etc. of various dimensions.

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One wharf of Timber and Lumber, 476 feet long and varying in width from 22 to 102 feet. 248 lines feet of Stockade, 11 feet high on the Potomac side with block-house 20 by 30 feet, four plant forms, each 16 by 12 feet, and 100 lineal feet of plank footwalk 6 feet wide. 157 lineal feet of Stockado on tay side with block-house 25 by 20 feet, and three platforms of various dimensions, and a footwalk.

One Hose Carriage; 28 Fire Ladders; 24 Axes; 116 Fire Buckets; and six lengths of Hose, each of feet Fire Buckets; and six lengths of Hose, each of feet

Fire Buckets; and six lengths of Hose, each of feet long.

Three Cocking Ranges; one Perpetual Oven; a quantity of old Lumber; and a number of Pumps.

Point Lockout, vituated at the junction of the Potensacriver with Chesapeake bay, was, before the war a favorite watering clace, and is well adapted for the purpose now, having excellent facilities for salt water Lathing, and abundance of fish and game.

The buildings above enumerated under the head of 'United States General Hospital,' are located directly on the Point, the principal structures being arianged in a circle, radiating from a common centre, and connected by covered footwalks, and could with mederate expense be fitted up properly for the accommodation of visitors, as a steam jaundry, ice-house, coal house water-tanks, and many other necessary structures for the purpose, are ready for immediate use. An excellent opportunity is a so afforded to land-owners in the vicinity, and elsewhere, to secure valuable lenging and building material.

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A steamer will leave the Government wharves, south side of the basin, near Fardy's shipyard, Bal-timore, Md., at 10 o'clock, on the morning of Wed-nesday, January 17, 1866, for the transportation of bidders to Point Lookont; and will be retained until the close of the sale to return the passengers to Bal-timore. Meals will be furnished on the boat at the

Terms—Cash, in Government funds.

M. I. LUDINGTON,

Colonel and Chief Quartermaster,

Department of Washington.

SALE OF CONDEMNED ORDNANCE STORES.

Will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT MINE TAT INDIANAPOLIS ARSENAL, INDIANAPOLIS, IND., ON FEBRUARY 20, 1866, at 10 o'clock A. M., a large quantity, consisting in

974 Carbines, various kinds. 36,000 Muskets and Rifles, new and old United States, and fereign, of various calibres. 508 Starr's Army Revolvers, serviceable.

276 Savage's | Navy Revolvers, new, and others, with a large lot of spare parts, for the repair of small arms of various patterns. 430 Cavalry Sabre Belts, worn. 724 Cavalry Saddles, worn. 1,090 Cavairy Bridles, worn.

1,153 Cartridge Boxes, for Carbines, worn 300 Slings, for Carbines, worn. 158 sets of Artillery Harness, worn. 47,000 sets of Infantry Accoutrements, worn. Also a large lot of appendages for the various

kinds of Muskets and Rifles.

200 Cartridge Boxes, for Pistols, worn.

Samples to be seen at the INDIANPOLIS ARSENAL, and at the UNITED STATES ORDNANCE AGENCY, No. 45 WORTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

TERMS OF SALE-CASH. JAMES M WHITTEMORE, 1 8i2 20 Capt. and Bvt. Maj. Ord , Commanding.

DUBLIC SALE AT THE FRANKFORD ARSENAL,

PHILADELPHIA, ON ACCOUNT OF THE UNITED STATES. On THURSDAY MORNING, January 18, 1866, at II o'clock,

will be sold at Public Sale, GUNFOWDER, BY SAMPLE Viz.:— 19,656 pounds United States Powder mixed, badly caked. 9900 pounds United States Cannon Powder, badly

4000 pounds United States Mortar Powder, dirty 4601 pounds United States Powder, good mixed 87 468 pounds Confederate States Powder, good mixed rain.
4167 pounds Confederate States Powder, badly

damaged.
This Powder is stored at Fort Delaware.
Samples may be seen at the Watertown, Waterviet, and Frankford Arsenals, and at the Unite States Agency, No. 45 Worth Street, New York.
When the interest of the Government may requisit, the powder will be hid in Terms. United States currency.

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