MY SPIDER.

BY FITZJAMES O'BRIEN.

Spinning, spinning, ever spinning, Spins a little spider, And I watch her we ave her net, Sitting close bes de her, And she weaves with subtle art, Over, in, and under. Till the complicated mesh, Seems a perfect wonder.

The web she spins is never meant To catch the poor blue-bottle, Nor the golden armored wasp To hamper and to throttle. Nor the threads my spider weaves. Are curiously ethereal-Little sighs, and pouting looks, And such like odd material.

Ah, the web is meant for me, Poor unhappy poet, There's no use in struggling now, I'm done for, and I know it. Sunny curls and moonlight walks, And passages from Byron, Have bound me down, in chains as strong, As triple-hammered from.

Cease your spinning—your poor game, Owns that you have nicked nim, Cease your spinning, wily one, I'm a willing victim. Crown your sacrifice with flowers, I'll neither lag nor falter, Put a ribbon round my neck.

And lead me to the altar.

Highland Music. WHAT A SCOTCHMAN HEARS IN THE BAGPIPE'S

At a recent sociable gathering of the Congregationalists in Glasgow, Rev. Dr. Macleod made a humorous little speech on the peculiarities of Highland music. He said:—

DRONE.

"I remember hearing a story of a Scotchman who was in India, and who asserted that the Scotch had national music that no other coun-try in the world had. Some Englishman who was present said, 'Nonsense, we have far better music than yours.' 'Pil wager you,' said the Scotchman, 'that I'll sing sangs that'll mak' the company greet, laugh and dance, a' within a quarter o' an hour.' And he did it. He first played 'l'he land o' the leal,' and he was interrupted by some one saying, 'O' mon, what for are ye makin' us "greet" that way?' Then he played another tune—I'm not sure but it was, 'We are not fou, we're not that fou, but jist a drappie in our e'e' (tenewed laughter), and then he struck into 'Tullochgorum' (applause), and every man in the room to his legs danced. (Loud applause.) In regard to myself, I don't know what it is that's about this Highland music, but I have for a number of years been hearing music of the best kind, and played by world's best per ormers, and I can listen and enjoy it with all my heart; but the momen I hear that auld bagpipe it tak's me by the throat. If ever you and a Highlander that does not eare about the bagpipe, take care to get a receipt from him when you pay him an account. (Roars of lauguter) It he has no musical ear, don't blame the poor fellow, but pity him; but if he has a musical ear, and don't like the pipes,

Take you care of that chap.

"There is a great deal of talk just now about organs, but I think there is a great advantage in an instrument which is not filled with wind by the bandle of a bellows, but by the strong hearty breath of an out-and-out Highlandman. (Great laughter.) Did you ever hear of an organ being played in advance of a regiment going up in the charge against the French? What would your organs have done in Egypt and at Waterloo?
Why, a single shot would have destroyed them.
What could they do in the Galway boat with a
heavy breeze blowing, in a grand Highland glen, or on the top of our mountains? There is no music in the world to be compared with the bagpipe. I say it seriously. You cannot improve the bagpipe; it is the best of its kind. Conider its associations. People who don't know our associations don't understand them, and the more's the pity. When you and I hear the bagpipe it is not merely hearing the sounds that come from its drone; it is more than that, for we dream of the old glen and the old fireside. Wherever you hear it throughout the world—and I bave heard it in many places-it always sets a Highlander dreaming. He begins to dream of the old nouse in the old glen, and he sees in it his lather, his mother, and his kinsmen; he dreams of the old kirk, and he sees the people in it; of the churchyard, and he thinks of those who are lying in it—all comes up to his imagina-tion at the call of the bagpipe. (Loud applause.) "It is very difficult to define what this music

There is music in nature that you cannot set down for the plane torte. It is in the rearing of the winds, in the meaning of the waves, and in the cry of the wild bird—and all this you hear in the bagpipe. It is the music that High-langers understand best; and though a Highlander may five till he is jourscore years of age, and may hear all the music that was ever composed, set there is something in the bagpipe that will cheer him when nothing else can.

* * "In the Southern States of America, amidst all the war and all the difficulties of

late years, there are sixteen congregations of Highlanders who have existed for one hundred years without aid from emigration. I remember once, when abroad, of asking a servant at a hotel to give a gratuity to my driver. He did noi understand my English nor my French when I accidentally—and it was a good idea— tried him with Am bheil Gaeile athad? he at once replied Tha,"

An Editor's Trials in Utah.

The Vidette, a wide-awake Gentile paper, has, for some time past, been published in Sult Lake City, bearding the Mormon devils in their own den, to the great discomfort of their "Saint The editor recently received a letter, written in blood-or red ink-which read:"Skethodde!"-It is the "red hand" of the Destroying Angels, and threatens assassination. The editor is not much frightened by the order.

"Well, we shall keep the document, and leave our renders to judge whether we are much frightened. If these miserable bounds and cutthroats think they can intimidate the Vidette why, they are simply mistaken. We have spoken plainly in the past, and we shall speak still more plainly in the future, holding ourselve accountable only to God, our conscience, and the laws of the land."

The following day the editor received another warning, of which he says:—
"We stop the press to give place to the following:—'Now,' as the lark said to her young ones,

'it is time for us to leave.' We could stand the 'bloody hand' and the 'skedaddle' of the other warnings, but the following gets us. Just count

"'SALT LAKE CITY, April 9, 1866—Mr. Editor Vaccti:—It you don't quit abusing Steahouse and the Mormons, we'll come and marry you. We don't 'mean blood' but we won't stand to have Stenhouse marigned; so you look out." 27 MORMON WOMEN,

"We weaken on the turn. Will some one take our place? 'Twenty-seven Mormon women!'
P-h-e-w! We apologize, We don't edit the
Vidette—Stenhouse is a good fellow—a brave
man—and he can look a dog in the face! Be-Twenty-seven Mormon women sides, he never did borrow a pair of brass knuckles. 'Twenty-seven M.—.' O Lord, have mercy upon us, miserable sinners! Don't shoot this way! We are not the man! Twenty-seven wives! We'll go!"

-Mr. Pil'e, of Cincinnati, has published a statement of the business of his Opera House from its inauguration to its destruction by fire. The gross receipts during the seven years, from all sources except rents of the stores and offices in the lower stories of the building, were in the lower stories of the building, were \$526,259.02. The gross expenses, not including interest on investment or taxes, were \$471,456.33—leaving a remarkably small margin of profit.

-In the diary of the Japanese mission who visited this country in 1861, it is noted that they were received with ories of "Peyapipehare," evidently intended for "hip, hip, hurrah." and the writer adds, "The meaning is not clear, but dt appears to be a congratulatory expression."

The Insane in France.

INTERESTING STATEMENTS CONCERNING CAUSES OF INBANITY.

The Paris Moniteur has published a valuable series of statistics relating to the French lunatic asylums and their occupants. At the end of 1860 there were 39 asylums in France, of which 57 were public and 42 private. The number of occupants has gradually increased since 1835, when it amounted to 10,539. In 1840 it had risen to 13,283; in 1845 it was 17,089; in 1850, 20,061; in 1855, 24,896; in 1860, 28,761; and in 1861, 30,239. In the last-mentioned year 26,450 of the patients were instance, 3746 were idiots, and 45 were affected with creatings. and 45 were afflicted with cretinism.

During the six years between 1856 and 1861 51'9 per cent. of the insane were women and 48'1 men. Compared with the population, we find that one out of every 915 men and I out of every 839 women is insane; as regards idlooy, there is 1 idiot for every 706 men, and 1 for every 1034 women. Of the 38,988 patients admitted from 1856 to 1860, there are 8250 for whom no particulars could be furnished; and excluding the idiots and the cretins, as also those cases of insanity which were clearly hereditary, the report gives the details of the remaining 26,223 cases. Of these 15,866 may be attributed to physical, and 10,357 to moral causes. Under the first head the cases are classed as follows:-Old age, 20:8; misery and destriction, 1008; onanism and venereal excesses, 1026; drinking, 3455; congenital vice, 474; diseases peculiar to women, 1592; epilepsy, 1498; other diseases of the nervous system, 1136; wounds and injuries, 398; various diseases, 2017; other physical causes,

The moral causes are subdivided as follows:-Overwork, 358; domestic troubles, 2549; loss of fortune, 851; loss of friends, 803; disappointed ambition, 520; remorse, 102; anger, 123; joy, 31; usulted modesty, 60; love, 767; lealousy, 456; pride, 363; political events, 123; sudden transition from an active to a passive life, and vice versa, 82; isolation and solitude, 115; imprisonment, 113; solitary confinement, 26; home sick ness, 78; religion, 1095; other causes, 1728. It will be noticed that nearly one-eighth of the ases of insanity are due to drunkenness, and about one-tenth to domestic troubles, whilst ex-cessive mental labor, which is generally sup-posed to be a fruitul source of insanity, only caused 358 cases out of 26,223.

It would, perhaps, be unfair to attempt to draw a comparison between the characters of nations from the number of persons who became insane on a particular point, but we think that statistics of this kind may, to some extent, be used in this way. The number of cures effected amounted to 8'24 per cent, the larger proper-tion being men. Of the 13,687 who were cured. details can only be given of \$789; of these 5253 had become insane from physical causes, and 4536 from moral causes. The average annual cost of the asylums from 1856 to 1860 amounted to 8,000,000 manes.

INTERESTING ITEMS.

A HOME FOR RETIRED ACTORS .- We hear that Edwin Forrest, the tragedian purposes on his return from California to carry out a long contemplated scheme by founding and engowing in Philadelphia a home for retired actors. Some months since Mr. Forrest purchased a magnificent estate in his native city, some six miles distant from the centre of trade, with the intenpurch: a large adjoining property, and the whole he now intends to devote to uses which will mitigate the sufferings of unfortunate actors, and create for them an asylum where, after they have ceased to win the plaudits of the public they may flud shelter and care. The vicissitudes of an actor's life often throw upon him the cold charities of the world, and to smooth the closing years of the less fortunate members of the pro-lession is the object which Mr. Forrest has in riew. - Boston Journal.

MONUMENT TO DOUGLAS .- On the 13th of June next, the grave of Stephen A. Douglas, one of the most a stinguished of the many public men of Illinois, will be the scene of a solemn and imposing coremony. The corner-stone of the magnificent monument that is to be erected over his remains, will on that day be laid by his surviving telloweritizens, the Covernor of his surviving fellow-citizens, the Governor of the State being the chosen orator of the occasion. The event will be one of unusual interest, and thousands of the admirers of the lamented Northwest will gather around the spot, on the shore of Lake Michigan, where his remains repose, to testify their respect for his memory.

TESTIMONIAL TO MR. GARRISON, -A movement has been inaugurated by the Boston friends of William Lioyd Garrison for a national testimonial of \$50,000, to be presented to him for his eminent services in the anti-slavery cause. A circular in aid of the project has been sent out, which bears many distinguished names, includ-ing a large number of Congressmen, Chief Justice Chase, the Governors of several States, Whittier, Longfellow, Lowell, Bryant, and other

MB, SEWARD'S SPEECH, -We finish this reading with the impression that the attempt is to be made to Johnsonize the Republican party, while at the same time the Democratic party is to be kept in a conclinatory mood, so that if the attempt upon the Republican party iails, there will still be open an opportunity for a new political alliance. - Syracuse Journal.

PUBLIC HOSPITALS IN MOROCCO. -The Emperor of Morocco, in consequence of his late serious illness, has decided on creating at Tetuan, Safil, Tangler, and Fez, four large hospitals for the army and the poorer classes of the population. A French physician has been charged with the organization of those establishments, and has already arrived at Tangier.

MAKING MUCH OF A TENOR,-The London Orbestra informs us that when Mr. Sims Reeves, the English tenor, went to Newcastle last month, the bells of St. Nicholae rang him in, as if he had been a New Year, a Queen's birthday, a udge of assize, or a confirming bishop.

TREATRES UNDER THE HAMMER.-Three Paris theatres were sold by auction the other day at the Palais de Justice:—The Ambigu Comique for 1,236,000 francs; the Theatre de Varietes for 1,050,000 francs; and the Theatre de Montmartre or 1,260,000 francs.

CHINESE ENVOYS IN FRANCE.-A Chinese mission, numbering niteen persons, has a rived in Paris. They are said to be superior to any Chinamen ever before seen in France.

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QUARTEMASTER-GENERAL'S OFFICE. WASHINGTON. D. C., April 19, 1868. The attention of capitalists seeking a profitable investment is invited to this sale.

Scaled Proposals will be received at the office of the Quartermaster-General (Division of River and Rail Transportation), at WASHINGTON, D. C., until the first day of June next, at 12 o'clock M. for the purchase of all the right, it e, and interest of the United States in and to be United States Mititary Railroad from Brazos Sanuago to White's Rancho, lexas.

Mititary Rairoad from Brazos Santiago to White's Ranche, Iexas.

The sele will include the entire track and sidings, buildings, water stations, turn-tables bridges, etc. the rairoad materials and supples pertaining to the road, towether with the rolang stock, cars, machinery, and other equipment.

Ibe sale will not include the title to the land, which coes not beions to the United States.

This road is about ten miles in length, and extends from Brazos Santiago to White's Ranche, on the Rio Grance From this point connection is made by steamer with Brownswille and Matamoras.

This route is the shortest and best for the immense traffic between the Gulf of Mexico and the interior of Southern Texas and Northern Mexico, and the communication by rail alone can readily be extended to Brownsville.

The load a gready completed saves thirty miles of difficult and torinous navigation. Boats on the

d figuit and toriuous navigation. Boats on the river now charge, it is stated, for freight to Browns vi le, as high as \$5 per barrel, and for passengers \$15

The road is five-feet guage, good ties, T rail, and hore particular description of the property can be obtained at this office, or at that of the Chief Quartermaster Military Division of the Gulf, at New A condition of the sale will be that transportation shall be furnished for all Government troops and supplies, whenever required, at the rates paid by Government at the time to the New York Central

The terms of payment accorded will be those considered the most favorable to the Govern-Ten per cent cash, in Government funds, to be poin on acceptance et proposal.

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

Fropesals should be endorsed. "Proposals for purchase of Brazos Santiago and Rio Grande Railroad."

and addressed to the Division of River and Rail Transportation, Quartermaster General's Office, Washington, D. C. Washington, D. C.

By order of the Quartermaster General.

ALEXANDER BLISS,

Brevet Colonel and A. Q. M., in charge of Fourth
Division Q. M. G. O. 423 tM31 GOVERNMENT SALE OF MOLASSES.

OFFICE DEPOT COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, \ WASHINGTON, D. C., May 12, 1896. \ Scaled Proposals, in duplicate, of the torm inchished by the undersigned, will be received at this Office until 12 o'clock M. on THURSDAY, May 81, 1866 for the sale of about 14 500 GALLONS OF MOLASSES.

14 500 GALLONS OF MOLASES.
(88 barrels averaging about 42 gallons each, and
470 half barrels averaging about 28 gallons each.)
Proposals will not be received for less than three
(3) barrels or five (5) half carrels.
All the packages have been regauged and recoopered; but, if desired by the purchaser, will be
reguaged by a lehable inspector before their de
livery. It can be seen at the Subsistence Storehouse, at Sixth street whart, Washington, D.
t., or samples will be found with the lobowing
cflicers:—

Glicers:-Brevet Brigadier-General H. F CLARKE, A. C. Brevet Brigadier-General C. L. KILBURN, A. C. G. S., U. S. A., New York city.

Brevet Brigadier-General C. L. KILBURN, A. C. G. S., U. S. A., Philadelphia, Pa.

brevet Brigadier-General T. WILSON, V. S. and
Brevet Lient Col., Captain and C. S., U. S. A.,
Baltimore, Md.
Or at this office.

Or at this office.

Payment in Government funds, about fifty per cent of which will be required on the acceptance of the bid, and the remainder before the delivery No bid received from parties who have failed t comply with their contracts.

Budders are requested to be present at the opening All purchases will be londed at the Government wharf in Washington, D. C., tree of expense.

The usual reservation by the Government in regard to sids will be observed.

Major and C. S., U. S. A. 5 15 tuth-6t DROPOSALS FOR HEATING FORD'S CHIEF QUARTERMATTER'S OFFICE,)

CHIEF QUARTERMATTER'S OFFICE,
DEPOT OF WASHINGTON,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 28 1866
Sealed Proposals will be received at this office and TUESDAY, June 12 1866 at 12 o'clock M., for it EATING, by steam (direct radiation), the bunding in the city known as "Ford's Theatre," and the two small buildings connected therewith.

Bids should be accompanied by puns showing the manner in which it is proposed to do the work, and state the smount of radiating surface proposed for, with a description of the boiler and its capacity. The work must be completed by the nest day of entember, 1866.

No bids will be entertained except those from per-ons who are known to be in this business, and can refer to similar work which has been executed by them. Half of the amount stipulated to be paid for the Half of the amount stipulated to be paid for the vork will be paid on its completion, and the remaining one half will be retained unto the heating ca acties of the apparatus shall have been thoroughly tested and found satisfactory.

Bidders can see the buildings and receive information in reference to the work by applying to Mr. EDWARD CLARK, Government Architect, No. 328 Fourth street, opposite City Hall, Washington

Proposals should be addressed to the undersigned, annly endorsed, "Froposals for Heating Ford's Brevet Major-Gen. and Chief Quartermaster, 19 11t Depot of Washington.

Depot of Washington.

OFFICE DEPOT COMMISSARY,
FORTRESS MONROE, Va., May 25, 1820.
Sealed Proposals, in duplicate, are invited until 10 octock A. M., on ThiURSDAY, the 7th day of June, 1866, for the sale of about 2500 to ALLONS OF MOLASSES
(Three hundred and ninety-five half-barrels, averaging about 24 gallons each)
This article is branded "Syrup," from Howell, Barr & Co., was made from Muscovado Molasses in December, 1864, and is in good order.
The packages will be recoopered, and put in shipping order; the quantity determined by a Government gauger. ment gauger. I roposa s will not be received for less than five (5) tail barre s.

The Molasses will be delivered on board vessel, free or wharinge, dockage or labor.

I urchaers will be allowed ten (10) days to remove

Property.

Terms—Cash, in Government funds of which fifty per cent will be required on the acceptance of the bid. the balance before delivery of purchases

Bidders are requested to be present, or represented, at the opening of the bids.

I toposals should be endorsed on the envelope, "Proposals for Molasses," and addressed to JAMES CURRY.

Colonel and C. S. V.

GOVERNMENT SALES.

A SSISTANT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, No. 1189 GIRARD Street.

Will be rold at Public Auction, on secount or the United States, on the ground- at Nicetown, Phila delphia, Pa. on SAIURDAY, Jane 2 1893, sale formeneing at 11 o'clock A M. precisely, the Building etc., heretologe known as the

Meclellan U. S. Hospital.

84 Frame Bui dings.
2 Cedar Water lanks, capacity 15 000 gallons each. 2 Iron Truck Cars.

 Wooden Wash Sinks, zine-lined.
 Table Tops and 270 Treaties.
 Wooden Benches. Window Sash (assorted). 1 Plag-staff Counters, Drawers, Shelving, etc., in Dispensary, 2725 feet Oak Picket Fence.

1 Ice Box 4 Wash Troughs. 15 feet long.

26,000 teet loose Lumber. 110 200 Bricks in chimney, stacks, ranges, etc.

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11e trame buildings contain about—
302,424 teet Hemicos and White Prie Scantling.
378,079 feet Flooring and Fougued Boards.
281,208 teet Rough Boards.
The buildings will be sold separately.
1erms et Sale—Cash, in Government funds.
A deposit of ten (10) per cent to be paid on every accepted bid; the balance to be paid immediately after the sale.

The Bron and Terra Cotta Pipes to be sold by the foot, more or less, as they lie buried in the ground.

foot, more or less, as they lie buried in the ground, to be dug up and the ground filled in by the pur-chaser and by superficial measurement amount to 4110 feet of 3 inch from Water Fipe,

738] et to 3 inch fron water Fipe.
280 feet of 1 inch fron Gas Pipe.
2780 feet of 12 meh Ferra Cotta Pipe.
1425 feet of 8-meh Terra Cotta Pipe.
1 iaus of the burdings can be obtained and schedule of the lots seen upon application at this office.
The Buildings, etc., must be removed within twenty (20) days from date of sale, and will be at the risk of the purchasers. the risk of the purchasers.
The 8, 9, and 10 o'clock A. M. trains of the Philadelphia, Germantown, and Norristown Railroad Company will arrive at the McClellan Hospital in time for the sale, starting from Ninth and Green

Brev. Brig. Gen. GEORGE H. CROSMAN,
Asst. Q. M. Gen. U. S. A.
GEORGE R. ORME.
Captain and Asst. Q. M. 5 25 7t

A SSISTAN: QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, No. 19 STATE Street, New York City. May 28, 1836, In pursuance of orders of the War Department, I will sell at Public Auction, at 12 o'clock M., on THURSDAY, the 7th day or June. 1865, at the premises, Trenton, New Jersey, the Buildings Barracks, etc., constituting the "Depot Camp." viz.;—Five Barracks, two stories high, and 80 by 30 feet

Officers' Quarters, 120 by 30 feet. Guard House, 30 by 50 feet. Hospital, 30 by 50 feet. Quartermuster's and Commissary's Storehouse, 33 by 50 feet.

y 50 teet,
storchouse, 150 by 24 feet,
Kitchen, 16 by 16 feet,
Ware house, 18 by 16 feet,
Shed, 10 by 18 feet,
Biacksmith Shop, 16 by 10 feet,
Wagon-Master's Office, 12 by 12 feet,
Stable, 260 by 26 feet,
Small Stable, 16 by 40 feet,
Watch-house, 6 by 7 feet,
2550 feet of Fence, 9 feet high, and

Watch-house, 6 by 7 feet.
2250 feet of Fence, 9 feet high, and
450 feet of open Fence, 4 feet high.
The buildings were built of good merchantable
lumber, and are in good condition.
The buildings wil, be sold separately.
Also, unless otherwise ordered, a quantity of
Quartermaster's Stores, and Camp and Garrison

Chartermaster's Stores, and Camp and Garrison Equipage, consisting in part of the following artiticies, viz :—

5 liorses.
4 Army Wagons.
1 Spring Wagon.
Chicers' Desks Tables, Chairs.
St.ves Stove was Banges. Stoves Stove-pipe, Ranges, Leather Water Buckets. Wooden Pauls. Carpenters's Tools, Spades, Shovels. Coal Hods,

Harness.

Axes, Hatchets.

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Whitewash Brushes, etc.
Caps, Trowsers, Coats, Blouses, etc.
Also, 35 cords of Pine Wood, and
10.000 feet assorted seasoned Lumber, in good order.
Terms of sale—Cash on rendition of accounts.

The buildings must be removed as soon as practicable, and at the risk of the purchasers.

For further information in regard to the nature and kind of materials and articles, and their situation and condition, application should be made at the Quartermaster's Office in Trenton, to HENRY T. FOLCOMB, Agent, or to the undersigned.

The Government reserves the right of declining The Government reserves the right of declining all bids offered, it they are considered unfair or dis

Byt. Major-Gen. STEWART VAN VLIER. Chief Quartermester Department of the East, B C MORGAN, 5 19 St Brevet Major and A. Q. M.

LANCES, HARNESS, SCRAP IRON, EIC. CHIEF QUARTERNASTER'S OFFICE,

DEPOT OF WASHINGTON,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May 21, 1868.
Will be sold at l'ublic Auction, under the direction of Brevet Ergadier-General C. H. Tompkins,
Quartermaster, at Lincoln Delfor, Washington,
D. C., on MONDAY, June II 1866, at 10 o'clock A.
M., a large lot of Quartermaster's Stores, consisting of 105 Army Wagons, 250 Army Wagons with Shoes, 4000 pounds old Horse 250 Army Wagons with Shoes, 4000 pounds old Wagon Hay Racks,
14 two-horse Wagons,
17 Spring Wagons,
18 Light Carts,
48 Light Carts,
105 pounds Tallow,
Wagon and Ambulance
Wheels,
Wheelbarrows,
Wheelbarrows,
Wheelbarrows, Hay Racks, 14 two-horse Wagons, 17 Spring Wagons, 4 Watering Carts,

Buggy, Wheelbar 1034 single sets larness, Blankets, 472 Saddler, Buckets, 21,570 pounds Scarp Chain Chains, 5000 pounds old Wagon Halters, Axles, 5 pounds Coll Chain, Anvies, Smiths' Bellows, Portable Forges, 285 pounds Coil Chain, Anvis, Smiths' 1652 pounds Scrap Iron, 2077 pounds of Lead, 3500 pounds Scrap Steel, Barrels,

17.000 pounds Scrap Keitles, Tongue Irons, 11 000 pounds Scrap Brake This property has been worn, but a large portion f it is still serviceable.

The stores must be removed within five days from

late of sale.

1 crms—Cash, in Government funds.

D. H. RUCKER,

Brevet Major-Gen, and Chief Quartermaster,

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Depot of Washington,

CALE OF PUBLIC PROPERTY. OFFICE OF ARMY CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE, NEW YORK, May 17, 1898.

Will be sold at Public Auction, at the Depot of Amy clothing and Fquinage, corner or LAIGHF and WASHINGTON Streets, New York city, on FRIDAY, June 1st next, commencing at 10 o'clock.

A. M., as follows:—

20.000 Spades, new.

1000 Shovels, new.

20,000 Pickaxes, new.

20,000 Pickaxes, new.

These goods are from the best manufacturers, and Samples of the above articles can be seen at the depet, and further information obtained.

Terms—Cash, in Government funds, Ten per cent. down, and the balance before the goods are taken from the depot, which must be within three days of sale, under joi feiture of the goods and ten per cent.

Brevet Brig, General D H. VINTON, D. Q. M General U. S. A.

MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

J. GRIEL & BRO.,

GENERAL AGENTS, 5 10 1m No. 28 South SIXTEENTH St., Philads.