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### CITY INTELLIGENCE (For Additional City Intelligence see Fith rage.

THE CITY DEMOCRACY IN COUNCIL. Yesterday a convention or delegates elected by the Democratic citizens of each of the elec tion divisions in the several Wards of the city of Philadelphia, assembled at National Guards Hall, Race street, below Sixth, to revise the rules for the government of the Democratic party. The meeting was called to order by the nomination of Richardson L. Wright as President, which was unanimously confirmed. Messra. John K. Zeilin, John Robbins, Jr., and T. E. Gaskill were elected Secretaries. Mr. Joseph Mehaffy was appointed Treasurer. Messrs. Edward A. Tress and Patrick Donahue were appointed Messenger and Doorkeeper

The convention was quite full, every precinct in the city being represented. The following nominations were made for permanent President:-Richardson L. Wright

and George A. Quigley.

Mr. Wright having received 110 votes to Mr. Quigley's 51, was declared elected.
Mr. Wright briefly thanked the delegates for the honor conferred upon nim. He was glad to be able to assert that a brighter day was ing for the Democratic party. He knew that all the gentlemen present were here for the pure object of perpetuating and strengthening the Democratic party. They were here without any ulterior object, simply for amending the rules governing the Democratic party, and he felt sure harmony would attend their deliberations.

Mesars. William Loughlin and Richard Ludlow were unanimously elected Vice-Presidents. The

temporary secretaries, treasurer, and door-keepers were appointed permanent officers. Mr. A. J. Lechler moved to amend rule 1 so

that the elections of judges and inspectors of elections should occur on the first Monday in September instead of the second Monday in August. He stated that the August convention would remain in session eight or ten days, and all action should be deferred until their adjour-

Mr. Quigley favored the substitution of the fourth Monday in August, as otherwise suffi-cient time would not be allowed the candidates to organize for the political campaign. He was not in favor of making arrangements with gen tlemen who did not call themselves Democrats. He would not allow outside parties to break up their good old-time organization. Sooner than that, he would welcome defeat for the safety of the Democratic party. He did not see the use of acjourning action in order to see what action a national convention would take. The Demo-cratic party hold the reins of power in their hands, and they should keep them.

Hou. John James declared that when bad men.

conspire together against the right, good men should unite. When the Kelleys, the Forneys, and the O'Neills hang together, all true opponents of them should fight them with all the weapons they could obtain.

Dr. Sites stated that there were several move ments on foot which required time to perfect them. They were movements entirely within the Democratic party, and time only was required to enable all the movements to be carried out that the Democratic party should hold the power. When the Johnson men were heard, it would be found that they had the same purposes as the Democratic party. He knew no reason why the party should throw cold water on a movement which would greatly intensify the strength of the Democratic party. When the movement was perfected, all would be ready for a quick campaign. He favored the original amendment in order to obtain the needed time.

The amendment to name the fourth Monday in August was voted down, and the first Monday in September was agreed to as the date of divi

CONTINUATION OF THE INQUEST ON JOSEPH MURPHY.—The Coroner's inquest on the body of Joseph Murphy, who died from the effects of a stab received at Girard Park, on

Monday week, was resumed yesterday.
Oscar Allison, sworn.—I reside at No. 718
North Nineteenth street; was at Girard Park on
Monday week; don't know the prisoner nor the deceased personally; the affair at the Park was about 7 o'clock in the evening, and it occurred between the gate and the house; there was party of men there, and one of them struck a woman; don't know who the woman was; a man then took it up for the woman; don't know if it was Murphy; I left the Park and went towards the gate, and saw a police officer; called to him, and told him there was going to be a fight; he said it was none of my business; don't knew the policeman; his number was 557; he turned and went towards the road; got on a car and rode off; I returned to the scene of the fight, saw defendant strike a woman; a man interfered; he had a moustache and side whiskers; he was pointed out as Murphy; a man then pulled out a knife, and he made a stab at the man who struck the woman; a stab was then made at Murphy; don't know it he was struck or not: Murpny fell when Burns made the stab at him; don't know what became of Burns; there were twelve or thitteen men in the fight; the knife was a long one, with a narrow handle; Burns took the knife out of his pocket. I saw him

William Richardson, sworn-I was at the Park. and I think I saw Burns; I know Murphy; had been in his company once or twice before; there was a fight half way up the lane; I went up and asked who it was; I saw two men on the ground together; one was Murphy, but the other was not Burns; both men were covered with blood; defendant kicked at Murphy; I pushed him away. and he drew a knife, and swore he would use ic; I did not see him use it on any one; I knocked Burns down; don't know what became of him after that; all the male friends of Burns were in the at ack on Murphy, and kicked him once in a

while; don't know when Murphy was cut.

John R. Denny, a bricklayer, testined that he was at the Park and saw the whole of the row; saw several men on the man who had the quarrel with the woman; saw Richardson, the former witness, reach over, take the Park police officer by the hair, and tell him that if he was not quiet he would smack his mouth; saw Burns knocked down and fall with his head against a tree; he tried to get away and ran into a field; was fol-

tried to get away and ran into a field; was followed and struck again; did not see a knife in Burns' hand, and did not believe Murphy was stabbed during the fight.

Anna Gearing testified to seeing a knife in Burns' hand while the fight was going on, and saw him go into the fight with it; some one called out that he had a knife, and one of Murphy's friends followed him in; he came out soon after; saw no one else with a knife. after; saw no one else with a knite.

Jacob Dunnet, policeman, sworn-I am No. 557; I have no regular station; I was on duty on that day at the Girard Avenue Stables, three or four squares from the Park; I was in the Park twice; did not see Burns there; I was told that there was a fight in the Park as I was just outside of it, and I said I had no business to attend to anything in the Park without a warrant; I admit in going into the Park I was where I had no business to be; I was a new hand, and didn't know.

The jury, after a brief deliberation, rendered a verdict that Murphy died from the effects of a stab inflicted by Owen Burns. The accused was thereupon committed for trial,

A SAD ACCIDENT,-Before Recorder Eneu. yesterday, a hearing was had in the case of Aaron S. Blackman, Captain of the schooner Daniel J. Birch, which ran into a rowboat on Monday afternoon, off Windmill Island, causing the drowning of Michael Rourk. The testimony showed that the boat, which contained fitteen or sixteen men, was coming from the island to this side of the river, the deceased sitting at the bow of it; that the schooner was tacking, and that the Captain was at the wheel; he was called to sheer off, but did not do so until it was too late. Rourk was knocked into the water and came up near the stern, but sunk before he could be reached. All the men in the boat but one got upon the schooner, and were put ashore by the Captain. As the casualty seemed to be accidental, the Captain was discharged.

A DRUNKEN FREAK .- James Phillips was arrested for driving the horse and wagon of Mr. G. A. Nugent from in front of Herkness' Bazaar. Several witnesses testified that he was intoxi-cated at the time, and he was fined.

THAT WIGWAM .- The arrangements for the erection of the wigwam for the accommodation of the Philadelphia Convention have been completed. The plans are now in the hands of the architect. They will be rapidly carried into execution, and the building probably completed by the 10th of August. The wigwam will be the nost extensive pyramid of canvas ever erected in the United States. It will exceed in size the ver-memorable wigwam in which the Chicago Convention of 1860 assembled. It will seat ten thousand persons. A special gallery for ladies will be a prominent feature of the building. It will be erected on the Central Skating Park of Dr. Jansen, at Fifteenth and Wallace streets, and will occupy nearly all of that large quadri

HOSPITAL NEWS .- William Witton, aged twenty-eight years, residing at Alten's lane, Mount Airy, had both of his legs broken by falling from a third-story window of McCallum's

David Eisenberry, a driver on the Hestonville railroad, had both shoulders dislocated by being thrown from his car. Michael Quillen was severely injured by be ing thrown from the fourth story of a store on Dock street, while he was engaged in hoisting

A lad named James Myers fell from a tree at Germantown, and broke his arm.

An Inquest.-The Coroner held an inquest yesterday on the body of William Mc-Allister, who was drowned on Sunday off Green-wich Point by the upsetting of a rowboat, two other lads being drowned at the same time. The testimony was to the effect that the oarsmen stood up in the boat to shift the oars, and the motion impacted to it by this caused it to capsize. The young men were drowned in endeavoring to swim to the shore. The body of Michael Berry another of the victims, was recovered on the Jersey shore yesterday.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY .- Yesterday afernoon, before Recorder Eneu, George Dyer was charged, on the oath of George Creess, with assault and battery. It appears that on Thursday last the prosecutor went to Dyer's house to reprimand him for abusive language which he alleges detendant had used towards him. Dyer said he did not know him. He then told him who he was when, defendant seized him by the throat and commenced beating him. Dyer was held in \$500 bail to answer.

A WAIF .- A female infant, apparently three weeks old, was found last night on the steps in the rear of the Jayne building, by Officer Colum, of the Reserves, and was taken in charge temporarily by Mrs. Lakemeyer, of Carter street. The infant was neatly dressed, and was wrapped

FALLING OF A WALL .- A portion of the new toundation wall on the south portion of the lot where the new *Ledger* building is to be erected, fell yesterday afternoon, but no one was injured There did not seem to be a bountiful supply of mortar used in building it.

LAYING A WATER MAIN.-Workmen are now engaged laying a 10-inch water main on Sixth street from Somerset street to Reading Railroad. Petitions have been presented for the extension of this pipe to Frankford.

FIRE.—The alarm of fire about half-past Il o'clock last night was caused by the burning of an extensive lampblack manufactory beyond the Wire Bridge. The entire structure and contents were destroyed.

DEATH OF A SHIP-BUILDER. - James House, a well-known ship-builder in Kensington, died yesterday. Mr. House at one time represented the Nineteenth Ward in Common Council

BODY RECOVERED .- The body of Peter

Salter, colored, who was drowned from off a barge in the Delaware a few days ago, was recovered yesterday. BODY FOUND .- The body of a man, supposed to be one of the three that were drowned

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GOVERNMENT SALES. A 8° ISTANT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
No. 1188 GIRARD Street.
PHILADELPRIA, Pa., July 20, 1868.
Will be sold at Public Auction, on account of the
United States, on the grounds at TWENTYFOURTH and SOUTH Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.,
On SATURDAY,
July 28, 1868, sale commencing at 10 o'clock A. M.,
precisely, the Buildings, etc., heretolo.s known as
the SOUTH STREET UNITED STATES HOSPITAL, viz : 6 Frame Bui'dings, 119 feet of j-inch Gas-Pipe, 571 feet of j-inch Gas-

6 Frame Bui'dings,
1 Frame Sink,
12 Closeis,
1 Opright Boller,
1 Chooking Range,
2 Wash troughs,
6 Iron Hoppers,
3 iron Son Containers,
6 Iron Son Containers, Pipe, 114 feet of j-inch Gas-78 reet of 11-inch Iron Water-Pipe, 39 feet of 8-inch Cast-iron diren sinks. Wooden Smks. Pipe, 392 net of Lend Pipe (as-Iron Bath-lube, Cedar Tank, sorted sizes), 51 Gas Pendants, Flagstuff. Counters, Shelving, Draw- 29 Pendant Arms, ers, etc., 22 Bibb-Cocks, 68 feet of 14-inch Gas- 9 Stop-Cocks, Pipe, 90 feet of I-inch Gas- 11,200 Bricks in Pave-

Fipe, ment; 89 feet of 1-inch Gas- Also n lot of Board Fenc-Pipe,
The Frame Buildings contain about 18,920 feet
Hemiock Scanting. 14,720 feet Flooring and
Tongued Boards, 22,970 feet Rough Boards, 942 feet Terms of Sale—Cash, Government funds A depost of twenty (20) per cent, to be paid on every accepted bid, the nalance immediately after the

Ine buildings, etc., must be removed within fourteen (14) days from date of sale, and will be at the risk of the purchasers. The South Street City Passenger Railway cars pass the Hospital every five minutes.

By order of
Brev. Brig.-Gen GEORGE H. CROSMAN,

Plans of the buildings can be obtained and

Ass't Qr. Master General U.S. .. GEORGE R. ORME, Capt. and Assisiant Quartermaster SALE OF QUARTERMASTERS' SIORES AT QUARTERMASTER-GENERAL'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D C., July 17, 1988

By order of the Quartermaster-General, there will be sold on the premises.

A: PUBLIC AUCTION,
under the direction of Captain George f. Browning, A. Q. M., On THURSDAY, August 2, 1866, the following described lot of Quartermasters'

100 cords wood. chairs, benches 100 cords wood.
12,000 feet oak and ash
plank (wheelwright's stuff)
9,000 feet matched floormatting, ward-robes, cupboards. 2 grindstones. 1 grindstone, large, 4 1,400 pieces six-light sash feet diameter. 8 by 10, glazed. 20,000 feet assorted lum-50 ladders. 50 fire-hooks 2,000 feet square timber, 10 by 12. 8 platform scales large. 4 counter scales. 40 kegs cut nails. 4 warehouse trucks, blocks and falls. army wagons. 15 carts. 1 dead-horse wagon. 69 irou bedsteads. water wagon, iron. 300 blankets. 6 hose carriages and About 10,000 pounds grain reels. 12 sets harness (four 1 soow, 20 by 60 feet,

horse). 20 sets harness (Ambut little used. I set mathematical so bulance) s ruments. 15 sets cart harness. 25 riding saddles, bri-dles, head-halters. 1 spirit level and tri-1 surveyor's compass, herse-brushes. 25 white-wash brush-About 3000 feet gum hose, 2 and 2 j inch (new)

es, water-buckets, shovels, spades, picks and paulins. and nozzles, complete.

5,000 feet gum hose, 1, 1;
1; 2, and 2; with with couplings 15 cooking stoves. heating stoves. firecouplings and noz bricks, etc., for zies, partiy worn 100 brass cocks, angle-

cook stoves (new), office de ks.tables, valves, etc. worn.

ALSO, 20 HORSES.

Together with a large quantity of other property, not above enumerated Sale to commerce at 10 o'clock A. M., and continue from day to day until all is sold. Purchasers must remove their stores within five (5) days from dete of sale

(5) days from drie of saic.

Terms—Cash, in Government funds.

A boat for Giesboro will leave Sixth street wharf every hour during the day of sale

JAMES A. EKIN.

Brevet Brigadier-General U. S. A., in charge 1st
Division O. M. G. O. 720 11t Division. Q. M. G. O.

SALE OF MACHINERY, ETC. NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS,
WASHINGTON, June 16, 1866.
Will be sold at Public Auction at the Navy Yard,
NORFOLK, on FRIDAY, the 3d day of August
next, the following artic es, viz.:—
1 wenty-one Rollers of Roding Mill.
Seven Nail Machines
One Guide Mill (complete), 38 Rollers,
Two bundles Saws for Slotting Screws.

Two bundles Saws for Slotting Screws. Two Machines for Slotting Screws Seven Machines for Cutting Fareads. Four Oil Retainers.

Two Oil Fress Rollers.
Eight pieces Iron Shafting.
Six sets Couplings for Shafting.
Lot of Taps and Dies for Gas Fitting.
One box Lacings (leather).
Three boxes Besting.
One for server Machine. One Gun-screw Machine One piece Leather Belting, 6 inches wide, 164 One piece Leather Belting, 6 inches wide, 141

one piece Leather Belting, 20 inches wide, 224 pounds. I wo rolls Gum Packing. Six bars Octagon Steel (cast).
Sale to commence at 11 o'clock A. M.
Terms—Cash, in Government funds; and all articles to be removed from the yard within ten days from day of sale.

By order of Navy Department.

JOSEPH SMITH,

6 19tuth13t Chief Bureau Yards and Docks.

# PROPOSALS.

DROPOSALS FOR SALE OF WOOD. HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF WASHINGTON,

OPPICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER. S WASHINGTON, D. C., July 14, 1866 Sealed Proposals are invited at this office until 12 o'clo-k noon, MONDAY, Aueut 6, 1866 for the purchase of (13,000) THIRTEEN THOU-SAND CORDS OF GOVERNMENT WOOD, located as follows: cated as follows:- (1400) FOURTEEN HUNDRED CORDS at the (1400) FOURTEEN HUNDRED CORDS at the Kendail Green Wood Yard, on the line of the Baltimore and Omo Railroad, about one mile from the depot of said road in tois city.

In a wood consists or about ONE THIRD (†)

PINE and IWO-THIRDS (†) OAK) and is piled immediately along the track of the railroad.

(11.000) ELEVEN THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED CORDS at the Wood Yard, three-quarters of a mile north of A'exandria, on the line of the Washington, Alexandria, and Georgetown Railroad.

This wood consists of about TWO-THIRDS (#) PINE and ONE-THIRD () OAK, is pied along the track, and is distant about one-half of a mile from a whari on the Potomac river, leading to

irom a wharr on the Potomac river, leading to which there is a direct and level road.

All of the wood effered for sale is of good or fair quality, and thoroughly seasoned.

Proposals will be received for quantities from (50) lifty cords and upwards, with privilege of taking all of either or both lots.

Payment to be made in Government funds, immediately lafter the opening of the bios, and upon measurement of the wood.

The right is reserved of rejecting any or all proposals deemed disadvantageous to the United States.

Colonel and Chief Quartermaster,

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PROVIDENT

T H E P R O V I D E N T LIFE AND TRUST COMPANY,
OF PHILADELPHIA.
Incorporated by the State of Peonswivania, Third Month 22d, 1865. IASURES LIVES, ALLOWS INTEREST ON DEPOSITS, and GRANTS ANNUITIES. CAPITAL, \$150,000.

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PROPOSALS.

A NIHRACITE COAL FOR THE NAVY

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF EQUIPMENT AND RECEUTING,
June 30, 1866
Sealed Proposals for furnishing anthracito Coal
for the Navy, to be delivered during the fiscal year
ending 30th June. 1867, will be received at this
bureau until 10 A. M., 30th July, 1866.
These proposals must be indoised "Proposals for
Anthracite Coal for Steamers," that they may be
dis inguished from other business letters.
The offer must be for the delivery of 40,000 tons, of
2240 pounds. 2240 pounds.

The coal must be of the best Buck Mountain or Black Heath, or of a kind equal to them in all respects, for the purpose intended, which equality will be determined by a Board appointed by the Secretary of the Navy after the reception of the

The name of the coal proposed to be furnished

must be stated in the offer.

It is to be delivered in lumps of suitable size for navar steamers, clean, of uniform quality, solected tree from impusties, unmixed, of which the contractor will be required to furnish such evid-ace as will be matienatory, and be subject to such inspections at the opening and the contractor of the contra will be maintenered, and be subject to such inspec-tion as to quality and quantity as the Department may direct. The coal must, in all respects, be satis-factory to the inspector or inspectors to be appointed by the Bureau, who will have the right of peremp-tory rejection.

The coal is to be delivered on board vessels, at

The coat is to be delivered on board vessel, at such piace in the port of Philadelphia as may be designated by the Bureau, and in such quantities and at such times as, in the opinion of the Bureau, the exigencies of the service may require, commencing when the vessel is reported ready to receive eargo; turnishing it demanded not less than one thousand tons per day, to be distributed to each vessel, as n sy be directed, until the loading is com-

Proposals will be likewise received for the delivery of 12,000; tons of the same quality of coal, to be delivered in the port of New York, on board vessels, as at Philadelphia.

In the case of failure to deliver the coal in proper quantity, of the proper quaity, and at the proper time and place, the Bureau will reserve in the con-tract the right to purchase forthwith, at the con-tractor's risk and expense, that which may seem necessary to supply the deficiency.

necessary to supply the deficiency.

Any demurrage or other charges to which the
Navy Department may be subjected from delays in
the prompt delivery of the coal by the contractors,
will be deducted from their buls.

The price must be for the coal delivered on board
vessels, on the terms and conditions above stated, at the contractor's risk and expense, and without extra charge of any kind.

The offer, as required by law, must be accompanied

by a written guarantee, signed by one or more re-sponsible persons, to the effect that they undertake that the bidder or bidders will, it his or their bid be accepted enter into obligation, at such time as may be prescribed by the Bureau, with good and sufficient securities, to furnish the supplies proposed.

No proposition will be considered unless accompanied by such guarantee; and the Department reserves the right to reject all the offers, it considered to be to the interest of the service to do so.

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Two or more sureties each, in a sum equal to the amount specified to be paid, will be required to sign the contract, and their responsibility will be certified by the Assessor of Internal Revenue of the District.

As additional and collateral security, twenty per cent, which reservation is not to be paid except by authority of the Segretary of the Navy unit the conauthority of the Secretary of the Navy, until the con-tract shall have been in all respects complied with; and the remaining eighty per cent., or other amount that may be due upon each bill, will, when a proper certificate is furnished by the inspector, and the bill approved by the Bureau, be paid by such may agents as the contractor may name, within ten days after the warrants for the same shall have been passed by the Fecreary of the Treasury. It will be stipulated in the contract that if default lt will be stipulated in the contract that it demants be made in the delivery of coal, in the quantity or quality, and at the place and time directed by the Bureau then and in that case, the contractor and his sureties will rorfest and pay to the United States, as liquidated damagos, a sum of money not exceeding twice the contract price, which may be recovered from time to time, according to the act or acts of Congress in that case provided.

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Bidders whose proposas shall be accepted and none other, will be notified, and, as early as practicable, a contract—til be transmitted to them which they will be required to execute within ten days after its receipt at the post office or navy agency named by them.
The form of offer, guarantee, and certificate is

herewith given :-FORM OF OFFER

I (or we), of \_\_\_\_\_\_, State of \_\_\_\_\_\_, hereby agree to unish and deliver \_\_\_\_\_\_ thousand tons of \_\_\_\_\_\_, at the rate of \_\_\_\_\_\_ per ton of 2240 pounds, amounting to \_\_\_\_\_\_ dollars, the whole in conformity with the provisions and terms of the advertisement of the 30th day of June, 1866, from the Navy Department, and hereinto appended.

hereunto appended.
Should my (or our) offer be accepted, I (or we) request to be informed at \_\_\_\_\_, and that the contract may be forwarded to \_\_\_\_\_, for signatures and (Signed) (Date.)

FORM OF GUARANTEE. We, the undersigned residents of \_\_\_\_\_, in the State of \_\_\_\_\_, and of \_\_\_\_\_, in the State of \_\_\_\_\_, hereby jointly and severally covenant with the United States, and guarantee that in case the foregoing bid of \_\_\_\_\_ be accepted, \_\_\_\_ will, within ten days after the recent of the contract at \_\_\_\_\_, execute the same, with good and sufficient sureties for the delivery of the anthracite coal proposed, in compiliance with the terms of the advertisement of 

cepted. Witness. (Signed), C. D. E. F. (Place.) (Date.) FORM OF CERTIFICATE AS TO GUARAN-TORS OFFICE OF THE ASSESSOR OF INTERNAL REVENUE, ?

Witness my hand: G. H. Assessor. [6 2944]

PROPOSALS FOR FUANISHING IRON AT THE WASHINGTON NAVY YARD,
PAYMASTER'S OFFICE, U. S. NAVY,
No. 260 F STREET, WASHINGTON. D. C.,
July 17, 1866.

Separate Scaled Proposals, to be endorsed "Proposals for Chain and Bar iron." will be received at this office until SATURDAY, July 28, 1866, at 12 o'clock M. for the following artises, which are required for immediate use at the Washington Navy Yard viz:— Yard viz:—

200,000 (two hundred thousand) pounds Chain
Links, 1½ inch diameter and 15 inches long,
90,000 (nine)y thousand) pounds Chain Links, 1½
inch diameter and 18½ inches long.

40 000 (forty thousand) pounds Chain Links, 1 1-16
web convents and 18 2 below long. 5000 (five thousand) pounds 3 i meh round Bar Iron, refired. 2000 (two thousand) pounds 31 inch round Bar Iron. 1500 (fifteen hundred) pounds 1g inch round Bar

2000 (two thousand) pounds 2; inch round Bar 2000 (two thousand) post-delivered at Washington Iron.
The above articles to be delivered at Washington Navy Yard, free of cost to the Government for freight or transportation, subject to inspection, and at the risk and expense of the party furnishing.
Sufficient guarantee for prompt delivery will be required of successful bidders

CALVIN C. JACKSON,
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Paymaster U. S. Navy.

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