### MHWS SUMMARY.

-The Knights of Pythias yesterday confirmed the new Grand Lodge of Maryland.
P. G. C. Berry was appointed in place of Philip Lowry on the Committee of Unwritten

-Hon. Thomas Cochrane had a good audience for his elaborate argument on the Phila-

delphia plan of local taxation last night. The lecture was a most thorough one.

—Hon. S. Garfielde last night expatiated on the boundless wealth of the great Northwest, its matchless climate, its enormous deposits of metals, and its grain-growing capacities capable of supporting millions of human

-The thermometer yesterday at 3 P. M. marked 70 degrees.

Domestic Affairs. —The Brooklyn, New York, journeymen house painters demand \$3.50 per day on and after Monday next. -Large numbers of members of Congress

started yesterday afternoon and evening for their respective homes.
—Secretary Boutwell will leave Washington

on Monday for Chicago, to be absent about ten days, on private business. -President Grant, accompanied by Senator Morton and General Porter, left Washington

for the West, on the 5'40 train, yesterday afternoon, and will be absent about a week. -Assemblyman Winans, of the New York Legislature, the Republican who voted with the Democrats to prevent a dead-lock in that body, has prepared a statement as to his

action in the matter. -The President of the United States issued yesterday a proclamation convening the Senate in extraordinary session on the 10th of May. The session will be for the consideration of business which by that time will be perfected by the Joint High Commis-

-The citizens of the District of Columbia beld their first election yesterday under the recent act of Congress giving them a territorial form of government. The result was a Republican victory. A number of ladies attempted to vote, but their ballots were not received, on the ground that they had not been registered.

Foreign Affairs.

-People continue to leave Paris in large numbers. -The ramparts around Paris are rapidly

being strengthened. The Communist troops claim to have regained some of their lost positions.

-The insurgents are now bombarding Sevres from a new naval battery.

—The cholera is anticipated in Paris, and many deaths are occurring from kindred

-Thiers declares that the end of the criminal resistance to the Government is approaching.

-Fighting continues between the Versailles and Communist troops, with advantages in favor of the former. -The Versailles troops retain the advan-

calmness and determination. -A despatch from Constantinople says the Porte intends to send a large iron-clad fleet

tageous positions they have secured with

to cruise in the Black Sea. -The Commune has issued a manifesto ing that Paris is once more laboring and suffering for the regeneration of France. -The artists of Paris have held a meeting

to protest against the destruction of the

column in the Place Vendome and the Arc de -Engagements continue in Cuba between the native and Spanish troops, and recently

the former have suffered severely in some of -Advices from Versailles yesterday report that the fighting still continues at Asnieres,

where the insurgents are making a desperate and bloody attempt to regain their lost posi--The Versailles troops have succeeded in

obtaining possession of Asnieres, and have found that the suburb suffered severely from the pillage and marauding of the insurgent

# CITY COUNCILS.

The Proceedings Yesterday. Select Council met at half-past 3 o'clock,

President Cattell in the chair. Mr. Shoemaker offered a resolution increasing the duties of the Clerk of Select Council, in order to insure the preservation of docu-The bill was recommitted to the Committee

on Law for completion. A communication was received from Wm. H. Williams & Co., offering to pave Broad

street with wooden pavement at four dollars per square yard, and guaranteeing to keep the same in repair for ten years; and if at the end of that period any portion of the pave-ment is defective, to relay it at their own expense. Referred to the Committee on Improved Pavement. A resolution to erect additional market

sheds on Girard avenue, after considerable discussion, was postponed until the second Thursday in November. A resolution was passed asking the Legis-

lature not to enforce the purchase of buildings on Tinicum Island, but to permit the Lazaretto to remain where it is. Adjourned. Common Branch.-President Huhn in the

A number of petitions were presented and

appropriately referred. Mr. Shisler offered a resolution requesting the Chief Commissioner of Highways to inform Councils why the obstructions at Penrose Ferry Bridge are not removed, so that the bridge may be completed. Adopted.

Mr. Walker, from the Committee on Fi-

nance, presented an ordinance to create a loan of \$500,000 for the further extension of the Gas Works, with a resolution annexed to publish the same. Postponed for a week. The special order, the Water bill from Select Council, was called up, when Mr. Hall made a motion that the further consideration

of the bill be postponed and made the special order at the next meeting, and that it be printed in Common Council appendix. Mr. Allen, chairman of the Committee on

Surveys, reported a resolution directing the establishment of wharf lines around League Island. Adopted.

Mr. J. S. Allen called up the ordinance creating a loan of \$2,122,000 for the extension of the water-works. Mr. Mead moved to amend by striking out

\$2,122,000 and inserting \$1,762,000. A motion to refer the bill to the Finance Committee, with instructions to report in two

weeks, was carried.

The following bills from Select Council were considered:— A resolution directing the City Solicitor to proceed against certain telegraph companies

for obstructing the highways with telegraph poles was concurred in. A resolution of instruction to the Receiver of Taxes relative to defaulting clerks, amended

by striking out Receiver of Taxes and insert-

ing City Controller, was concurred in.

The ordinance for the construction of iron inlets was amended to read, "that the inlets shall not cost over \$145 each," and then passed. A resolution requesting the Legeslature not to pass the act providing for the sale of the Lazarettc property was agreed to, and the Chamber adjourned.

#### SHOCKING TRAGEDY.

Violent Death of a Respectable Citizen His Skull Smashed in by an Infuriate Drayman. The St. Louis Republican of the 18th inst.

One of the most startling and deplorable cases of homicide which has occurred in this city for a long time transpired yeaterday evening at the freight depot of the Pacific Railroad. The victim was Mr. William H. Gray, of the firm of Gray & Painter, grocers, and the perpetrator of the outrage was a drayman.

STATEMENT OF MR. D. H. PAINTER. Mr. Gray, myself, and the driver went over to load some hemp. In the depot we got a truck and put a bale on it; the driver got ahead of the draymen, and the draymen threatened to move our team away: we were probably 30 feet from him; he came to where we were and get to quarrelling; he had hardly get at him when he took a stake lying on the ground and just him once; he fell towards me and I get hold of and

raised him; he never spoke.

Mr. Gray appears to have been struck when quite unaware of any foul intentions being entertained towards him. He was approached from behind, and Mr. Painter observed the drayman hit him, but the man's actions were so quick that he could not avert the blow. The stake was a heavy one, and swung by the powerful arm of a stalwart frame, came down with a fearful momentum, and crashed in the skull to an extent which dissipated all hope of successful

PLIGHT OF THE SLAYER. There were quite a number of persons in the vicinity of the scene of the occurrence, and considerable excitement prevailed. No one except those immediately tending the wounded man had an adequate conception of the shocking character of the attack, but when the perpetrator of the outrage fied he was hotly pursued. He evaded capture and got clear of his pur-

DEATH OF MR. GRAY. Mr. Gray, on being removed to his residence on Targee street, between Market street and Clark avenue, was attended by Drs. Shore, Hogden, and Mudd. The skull had been badly crushed in; one fracture extended four inches from behind the left car, and the brain was exposed. The operation of trepanning was per-formed, but all surgical aid was of no avail, and Mr. Gray expired at 10 minutes to 8. He did not speak or manifest consciousness from the time he was struck.

THE ACCUSED. The delivery cierk at the freight depot gave it as his opinion that the man who struck the blow was John Tracy, a drayman in the employ of Lewis Nanson & Co., commission merchants. Tracy had come for six barrels of butter, and had signed for it in the delivery-book.

The police made strenuous exertions to effect the arrest of the guilty party. There was but little doubt of his speedy arrest. DECEASED AND HIS FAMILY.

Mr. Gray was thirty-six years old; he had a large circle of friends, and had acquired considerable property. He left a wife heart broken with the grief which bad fallen on her and her four children with such appalling swiftness.

### OBITUARY.

Giovanni Battista Guiseppe Patania. Signor Giovanni Battista Guiseppe Patania, native of Palermo, Sicily, and at the time of his death was fifty-seven years old. He was an artist by profession, as his father also was. He paid much attention to portrait painting, and among the last products of his pencil were a portrait of Miss Nettle Chase, daughter of the Chief Justice, and one of the late Chancellor Robinson, painted for the Manhattan Club. He was famous for his grotesque figures, and capital caricatures of Bierstadt, Ginoux, Eastman Johnson, Beard and others, still hang in his studio, corner of Broadway and Tenth street. Signor Patania had resided in this country fifteen years, and his death resulted from combined attacks of heart disease and softening of the brain. His funeral took place yesterday at the church of St. Antonio de Padona, and was attended by a large concourse of friends.

A German Liberal's Blast Against Bis-

Herr Virchow, one of the leaders of the German liberal party, has written the following letter refusing the candidature to the German Diet:—

"In reply to your letter, informing me that I have been appointed a candidate for the Second Electoral district of Berlin, I beg to say that I do not think there is any reason for changing my resolution to remain a stranger to the my resolution to remain a stranger to the Reichstag. In my opinion there does not exist at this moment, nor will there for a long time exist, any possibility for modifying or ameliorating, in the proper sense of liberty, the present constitution of the German empire. If it is thought that the duty devolving upon me would only be to keep on the qui vive in order to prevent the present situation from becoming still worse, I hope that the electors will also acknowledge that even to render a good serve acknowledge that even to render a good serve as a check against absolutism is impossible without a dissolution. For ten years have I been content to render this ungrateful service in the Prussian Parliament. I now leave it to others, who have more time and confidence than have, to do likewise in the Reichstag."

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REAL ESTATE AT AUOTION. EXECUTRIX'S PEREMPTORY SALE-Executrix's Peremptory Sale—
Estate of Sanson Robinson, dec'd.—Thomas
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and Farm known as "Woolton Hall," Mausion,
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Station, on the Philadelphia, Wilmington, and Baltimore Railroad, half mile from the River Delaware,
8 miles from Wilmington, 9 miles from Chester,
and 28 miles from Philadelphia. On Tuesday, May
16, 1871, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public
sale, without any reserve whatever, at the Philadelphia Exchange—

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All that very elegant country-seat and farm, comprising to scres of land, situate on the westerly side of the Philadelphia and Wilmirgton turnpike and on two private roads, three tronta, about 9 miles below Chester, 3 above Wilmington, 28 from Philadelphia, half mile of the river Delaware, and about 3 squares from Bellevne Station, on the Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad. The improvements are an elegant and spacious three-story stone mansion, main building 49 by 43 feet, extreme length 91 feet, and circular plazza and portice around three sides of it; constructed on the castellated style of architecture, being built in the most substantial manner throughout; has large hall in the centre, saloon parior, conservatory, dining-room, library, kitchen, scullery, stere and china room, and fre-proof safe on the first floor; 4 commedious chambers (each having a bath-room and marble-top stationary washstand, hot and cold water, water-closet) on the second floor; 4 chambers, 2 bath-rooms, and 2 water-tan's (which are supplied by 2 hydraulic rrms—one of the tanks will contain 1800 gallons of spring water on the third floor, and an observatory above. Balconies, with windows opening to them from all the rooms; private stairway, numerous closets (including cedar and wine), stained glass windows, marble mantels, walls and ceilings beautifully frescoed, handsomely papered and painted, gas (with handsome fixtures) and water throughout, 5 bath-rooms, water-closets, bell-calls, 2 furnaces, cooking range, etc.

A genteel 2½-story stone farm house, two-story

stone tenant house, stone stable and carriage house (Norman style), stalls for five horses; stone ice house, filled, with a keeping-room for provisions; frame tool house, stone and frame barn, gas house, built of stone, complete arrangement for making irame tool house, stone and frame barn, gas house, built of stone, complete arrangement for making gas, the operation very simple; frame chicken house, 6 acres of woodland, a rivulet of pure spring water runs through it, and collected by a small dam, and carried \$25 feet through iron pipes into the ram box, the surplus flowing into the pond; also a fish pond, beautiful stone wall on the turnpike front, capped with North river flagging; very elegant Osage orange hedge, forms a beautiful curve around the front lawn; the gravel drives about half-mile in length, ranging from 10 to 20 feet wide; are thoroughly made, paved with large stones and covered with broken stones and gravel, and underground drainage; large vegetable garden, beautiful lawn, in the centre of which is a handsome iron summer house, surrounded by beautiful trees; abundance of fruit trees, apple orchard, etc.; also, 416 beautiful and well-grown forest and evergreen trees on the sides of the drives and around the mansion.

This property was built by the late Hanson Robinson, for his own occupancy, and no expense has been spared to make it a very elegant and finished country seat, all the materials being of the best, and the grounds beautifully laid out. The mansion is lecated in the centre of an extensive lawn, elevated oner 200 feet above the river Delaware, and commands a beautiful and extended view up and down the river and surroundings.

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PUBLIC SALE—THOMAS & SONS, AUC-tioneers.—On Tuesday, May 2, 1871, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, the following described property, viz.:—
No. 1. Two-story brick dwelling, Sixty-fifth atreet, south of Callowhill street. All that two-story Mansard-roof dwelling, with bay window, verandahs, etc., and lot of ground, situate on the east side of Sixty-fifth street, 76 feet south of Callowhill street; containing in front 38 feet, and ex-tending in depth 145 feet to a 10 feet wide alley. The

contains large parlor, dining room, kitchen, chambers, built in the best manner, etc. Terms-\$2000 may remain on mortgage. Immediate north of Race street. All that two story brick Man-sard-roof dwelling, with two-story back building and lot of ground, situate on the west side of Sixty-fifth 200 feet north of Race street; the lot contain ing in front on Sixty-fifth street 40 feet, and extend ing in depth 225 feet to a 50 feet street. It is subing in depth 225 feet to a 50 feet street. It is substantially built; has parlor, sitting-room, dining-room, kitchen, and 6 chambers. Terms—\$2000 may remain on mortgage. Immediate possession. For further particulars, apply to Jeremiah Bonsall, S. W. corner Sixty-fifth and Vine streets.

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REAL ESTATE—THOMAS & SONS' SALE.—
Genteel Three-story Brick Store and Dwelling,
No. 1070 East Norris street, second house above
Thompson street. On Tuesday, May 2, 1871,
at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at
the Philadelphia Exchange, all that genteel threestory brick dwelling, with two-story back building
and lot of ground, situate No. 1070 East Norris
street, second house above Thompson street; containing in front on Bast Norris street 18 feet 9 inches,
and extending in depth 108 feet 8 inches, to a 4-feet
wide alley, with the privilege thereof. It is occupied as a store and dwelling, contains 8 rooms; has
gas, bath, hot and cold water, range, etc. Terms—
\$2000 may remain on mortgage. Immediate pos-\$2000 may remain on morigage. Immediate possession. For further particulars, apply to F. C. Headman, No. 524 Arch street.

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REAL ESTATE-THOMAS & SONS' SALE -2 two-story Brick Dwellings, Nos. 713 and 715 Pierce street, west of Seventh street and south 715 Pierce street, west of Seventh street and south of Morris street, First ward. On Tuesday, May 2, 1871, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all those 2 two-story brick dwellings and lot of grownd, situate on the north side of Pierce street, 144 feet west of Seventh street, Nos. 715 and 715; each containing in front on Pierce street 14 feet, and extending in depth 44 feet. feet. Together with the common use and privilege of a 2 feet wide alley, laid out and opened. They each have 4 rooms, gas, range, etc. Each subject to a yearly ground-rent of \$39. Immediate possession. They will be sold separately. Keys at No. 993 South Fifteenth street.

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REAL ESTATE—THOMAS & SONS SALE.

Two-story brick Dwelling, No. 1832 Bond street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, below Moore street. On Tuesday, April 26, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that two-story brick dwelling and lot of ground, situate on the west side of Bond street, below Moore street, No. 1882; containing in front on Bond street 14 feet, and extending in depth on the south line 70 feet yinches, and ing in depth on the south line 70 feet 2 inches, and on the north line 61 feet 7 inches, to a 20-feet wide street. Subject to a redeemable yearly ground-rent of \$36 currency. Terms—Cash.

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REAL ESTATE-THOMAS & SONS' SALE

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—Business Stand. Three-story Brick Store and
Dwelling, No. 1733 S. Fifth street, below Morris
street. On Tuesday, May 16, 1871. at 12 o'clock,
noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia
Exchange, all that lot of ground, with the three-story
brick messuage, with two-story brick back building
thereon erected, situate on the east side of Fifth
Street. 316 feet 6 inches south of Morris street, First
ward, No. 1733, opposite depot of Fifth and Sixth
Streets Passenger Railway; containing in front on
Fifth street 16 feet, and extending in depth 64 feet
9 inches. Terms—1500 may remain on mortgage.
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4 15M6&13 Nos. 129 and 141 S. FOURTH Street.

REAL ESTATE.—THOMAS & SONS' SALE.

Master street, between Thirteenth and Broad streets.
On Tuesday, May 2, 1871, at 19 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, all that modern three-story brick dwelling, with three-story back buildings and lot of ground, situate on the south side of master street west of Thirteenth street, No. 1814; containing in front on Master street 17 feet, and extending in depth 81 feet. Subject to the restriction that no building for offensive occupation shall ever be crected on said lot. It has gas, bath, not and cold water, heater, range, etc. Immediate possession. Terms—\$2500 may remain on mortgage.

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REAL ESTATE AT AUOTION.

PUBLIC SALE—THOMAS & SONS, AUCtioneers—13 Very Desirable Lots, Broad street,
Filleenth street, Federal street, Thirteenth street,
Clarion street. On Tuesday, April 25, 1871, at 12
o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the
Philadelphia Exchange, the following described
Lots of Ground, viz.:
Nos. 1 and 2. All those two contiguous lots of
ground, situate on the east side of Broad street, 50
feet south of Federal street; containing together in
front on Broad street 50 feet, and extending in depth
200 feet to Watts atreet.
Nos. 3 and 4. All that lot of ground, situate on
the west side of Broad street, 150 feet south of
Federal street; containing together in front on
Broad street 50 feet, and extending in depth 178 feet
to Tiernan street.

No. 5. All that lot of ground, situate on the east side of Fifteenth street, 202 feet 5 inches south of Federal street; containing in front on Fifteenth street 17 feet, and extending in depth 178 feet to

Federal street; containing in front on Fifteenth street 17 feet, and extending in depth 178 feet to Tlernam street.

No. 6. All that lot of ground, situate on the south side of Federal street; So feet % of an inch east of Fifteenth street; containing in front on Federal street is feet % of an inch, and on the west line 112 feet low inches, to a 3-feet wide alley ronning from Fifteenth street to Tlernam street.

Nos. 7 and 8. All these two contiguous lots of ground, described together as follows:—Situate on the north side of Federal street, and west side of a 20 feet wide street running north from Federal street, 156 feet 5 inches east from Fifteenth street; containing together in front on Federal street 34 feet, and extending in depth along the said 20-feet wide street 145 feet 1% inches, and on the west line 143 feet 8% inches, to a 3-feet wide alley, which runs eastward into the said 20 feet street.

No. 9. All that lot of ground, situate on the north side of Federal street, 56 feet 1 inch east of Watts street; containing in front on Federal street 18 feet % of an inch, and extending in depth on the east line 111 feet 8% inches, and on the west line 110 feet 10% inches to a 3-feet wide alley, running from Watts street to Clarion street.

No. 10. All that lot of ground, situate on the west street to Clarion street.

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No. 10. All that lot of ground, situate on the west side of Clarion street, 173 feet south of Federal street; containing in front on Clarion street 16 feet, and extending in depth 66 feet.

No. 11. All that lot of ground, situate on the west side of Thirteenth street, 196 feet 8 inches south of Federal street, containing in front on Thirteenth street 19 feet 4 inches, and extending in depth 100 feet to Clarion street.

No. 12. All that lot of ground, situate on the north side of Federal street, 169 feet 11 inches west of Twelfth street; containing in front on Twelfth street 17 feet, and extending in depth 157 feet to Anita street.

No. 18. All that lot of ground, situate on the west side of a 30 feet wide street, laid out and opened for public use, called Clarion street, containing in front on Clarion street 16 feet, and extending in depth 66 feet.

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Nos. 189 and 141 S. FOURTH Street. REAL ESTATE—THOMAS & SONS'SALE.

On Tuesday, May 2, 1871, at 12 o'clock, noon, will be sold at public sale, at the Philadelphia Exchange, the following described properties, viz.:—

No. 1. Three-story brick dwelling, No. 1903 Thompson street, Twentieth ward. All that three-story brick messuage, with two-story back building and lot of ground, situate on the north side of Thompson street, 72 feet west of Nineteenth street, No. 1903: the lot containing in front 16 feet, and ex-Thempson street, 72 feet west of Nineteenth street, No. 1903; the lot containing in front 16 feet, and extending in depth on the east line 76 feet 5 inches, and on the west line 66 feet, widening on the rear to 18 feet 6 inches. The house has saloon parior, diningroom, and kitchen on the first floor; 2 chambers, bath-room, and saloon sitting-room on the second floor, and 2 chambers on the third floor; has the gas, bath, hot and cold water, cooking-range, heater, etc. Terms—\$3000 may remain on mortgage. Immediate nossession.

possession.

No. 2. Three-story brick dwelling, No. 1620 Amboy street, Twentieth ward. All that three-story brick messuage and lot of ground situate on the west side of Amboy street, between Oxford street and Columbia avenue, Twentieth ward, No. 1620; the lot containing in front 16 feet, including the northern molety or half part of an alley 2 feet 3 inches wide, and extending in cepth 40 feet 6 inches. House contains 6 rooms and bath-room; has gas, hot and cold water, etc. Clear of all incumbrance. Terms cash.

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4 8 22 29 Nos. 139 and 141 S. FOURTH Street.

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AUCTION SALE BY TRUSTEES.

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Notice is bereby given that we, the undersigned, BEN JAMIN WHITE and BERIAH WALL, of the City of Providence, in the State of Rhode Island, under and in execution of the powers in us vested by the deed of trust executed to us by said Black. Hawk Gold Mining Company, bearing date on the twenty-eighth day of May, A. D. 1866, and duly recorded, will sell at PUBLIC AUCTION at the Exchange Salesroom, No. 111 Broadway, New York, on the eleventh day of May, 1871, at 12 o'clock noon, all the estate, lands, quartz lode mining claims, mines, minerals, mining rights and interests, lands and premises, shafts, levels, mills and mill-sites, stores, storehouses, dwellings, and other buildings and structures, water, water-powers, runs and falls of water, water-courses, and water-rights and privileges, water-wheels, flumes, ditches, furand falls of water, water-courses, and water-rights and privileges, water-wheels, flumes, ditches, furnaces, engines, steam-powers, tracts, machinery, retorts, tools and fixtures, and all other estate and property, real, personal, or mixed, of said Black Hawk Gold Mining Company, situate in the County of Gilpin, in the Territory of Colorado, and conveyed to us in and by the deed of trust aforesaid, and all the interest and title of said Company therein.

Reference is hereby made, as a part of this potice.

Reference is hereby made, as a part of this notice, and for a full description of said estate and property, to said deed of trust, which may be examined at the office of W. H. Whittingham, No. 11 Wall street, New York City.

Terms of sale will be made known at the time and BENJAMIN WHITE, Trustees,

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PROPOSALS.

TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.—
SEALED PROPOSALS, indersed "Proposals for Building a Public Schoolhouse in the Twenty-second Ward," will
be received by the undersigned at the office, southeast corner of SIXTH and ADELPHI Streats, until
TRURSDAY, April 27, 1871, at 12 o'clock M.,
for building a Public School-house on a lot of
ground situate on Allen's lane, Mount Airy, Twentysecond ward.

second ward.

Said school-house to be built in accordance with the plans of L. H. Esier, Superintendent of School Buildings, to be seen at the office of the Board of Public Education. Public Education.

No bids will be considered unless accompanied by a certificate from the City Solicitor that the provisions of an ordinance approved May 25, 1860, have been compiled with.

The contract will be awarded only to known mas-

By order of the Committee on Property.

H. W. HALLIWELL.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE,
Fayette Street, near Charles,
BALT:MORE, Md., March 28, 1871.

PROPOSALS are invited for dredging a channel through Fredericksburg and Spottswood Bars, in the Rappahannock river, Proposals, to be scaled, in duplicate, endorsed on outside, and accompanied by a copy of this advertisement, will be received until noon of April 28, 1871, and will be opened in ten minutes thereafter, in presence of such bidders as may wish to be present. Separate Proposals will be also received for removing one wreck in Fredericksburg bar.

The material is easily removed. The channel is not to exceed 90 feet in width or 8 feet in depth at mean low water. The locality is sheltered. The mean low water. The locality
tide rises about two feet
Forms of proposal and any desired information
to be had on application at this office.
The right to reject any bis reserved.
WM. P. CRAIGHILL,
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Major of Engineers U. S. A.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE,
THIRD STORY, UNION BANK BUILDING,
FAYETTE STREET, NEAR CHARLES,
BALTIMORE, MD., March 26, 1871.
PROPOSALS are invited for Dredging a Channel in Queenstown Creek, Maryland, from Chester River to Queenstown. Proposals to be scaled, in duplicate, endorsed on outside, and accompanied by a copy of this advertisement, will be received until

copy of this advertisement, will be received until noon of April 22, 1871, and will be opened in ten minutes thereafter, in presence of such bidders as may be present.

The material is easily removed. The channel is not to exceed one hundred feet in width or eight feet in depth at mean low water. The locality is chaltered. Forms of proposais and any desired information to be had on application at this office.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

WM. P. CRAIGHILL,

Major of Engineers, U. S. Army. QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, UNITED

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 5, 1871.
SEALED PROPOSALS in triplicate will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on MONDAY,
May 8, 1871, for the delivery of fifteen (15) cords of
merchantable hard Wood, at each of the followingmerchantable hard Wood, at each of the followingnamed National Cemeteries, viz.:—
Annapolis. Md.; Culpeper, Va.; City Point, Va.;
Danville, Va.; Fredericksburg, Va.; Fort Harrison,
Va.; Glendale, Va.; Cold Harbor, Va., the last three
near Richmond, Va.; Poplar Grove, Va., near Petersburg, Va.; Richmond, Va.; Staunton, Va.; Seven
Pines, Va.; Winchester, Va.; Hampton, Va.; Yorktown, Va.; Newbern, N. C.; Raleigh, N. C.; Salisbury, N. C.; and Wilmington, N. C.
The Wood to be delivered in such quantities and
at such times as the Superintendents at each of the
Cemeteries may respectively desire.
Forms for proposals furnished upon application
to this office.
HENRY C. HODGES,
4 5 6t Major and Quartermaster U. S. Army.

to this office. HENRY C. HODGES, 45 St Major and Quartermaster U. S. Army. U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE,
FAYETTE ST., NEAR CHARLES,
BALTIMORE, Md., March 29, 1871.)
PROPOSALS are invited for excavating a channel in the James river, at the Rocketts, near Richmond,

Proposals, to be sealed, in duplicate, endorsed on outside, and accompanied by a copy of this advertisement, will be received until noon of April 29, 1871, and will be opened in ten minutes thereafter, in presence of such bidders as may wish to be pre-The material to be removed is rock in beds and

boulders. The channel is not to exceed 180 feet in width or 18 feet in depth at mean high water. The locality is sheltered. The tide rises about 2½ feet. Forms of proposal and any desired information to be had on application at this office. The right to reject any bid is reserved.

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8 29 Major of Engineers U. S. A.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER OFFICE,
THIRD STORY, UNION BANK BUILDING,
FAYETTE ST., NEAR CHARLES,
BALTIMORE, Md., March 21, 1871.)
PROPOSALS are invited for Dredging a Channel at Cambridge, Maryland. Proposals to be scaled, in suplicate, endoresd on outside, and accompanied by a copy of this advertisement, will be received until acon of April 24, 1871, and will be opened in ten minutes thereafter, in presence of such bidders as may wish to be present.

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The material is easily removed. The channel is not to exceed one hundred feet in width or ten feet in depth at mean low water. The locality is heltered.
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The right to reject any bid is reserved.
WM. P. CRAIGHILL.

Major of Engineer U. S. Army. QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, U. S. ARMY,
PHILADRIPHIA, Pa., March 80, 1871.
SEALED PROPOSALS in duplicate will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. on Monday,
May 1, 1871, for building a brick or stone wall with
one double and one single iron gate, around the
National Cemetery at Annapolia, Md.
Bidders will be required to specify the price per
lineal foot, and no bid will be entertained that does
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