Pittsburgh Gazette

THURSDAY..........MARCH 3, 1864.

CITY AND SUBURBAN.

From Yesterday's Evening Gazette

The City Finances.

The report of the City Controller, John McCargo, Esq., as presented to Councils, exhibits the following summary:

The receipts were $354,029.55—of which there was expended, on appropriations, $226,821.98; paid into sinking fund, $26,434.96; taxes refunded (being overpaid,) $53.91, and for Treasurer's commission on vehicle license collected, $141.68—leaving a balance in the treasury of $88,537.92.

The amount of warrants drawn and paid was $236,855.13—including $124,334.91 for interest and tax on city loans.

The municipal indebtedness has been reduced from $1,126,000, four years ago, to $862,835 at the present time. Last year bonds to the amount of $27,615, issued for municipal purposes, were redeemed. To the reduction of this indebtedness has been applied exclusively, the grading and paving assessment of 1857, amounting to $185,000, which was made payable in five years. Some $12,000 or $15,000 remain uncollected.

Up to the first of February $693,000 of railroad bonds, issued to various railroad companies in payment of city subscriptions to stock had been lifted, or compromised, for which $582,187 five per cent. bonds, and $282,153 of four per cent. bonds were issued in exchange. By these exchanges nearly two-thirds of the judgments obtained against the city have been satisfied. The cost of the judgments settled, consisting of lawyer's fees, court costs, stamps, &c., has been about $25,000, which has been paid out of the city treasury.

The balance in the Sinking Fund, on the 2d of February, 1863, was $5,484.55; the transfer to it from grading and paving assessment, in 1863, amounted to $27,153.47; from appropriation No. 19, $5,100, and from the Fifth Ward Market, $1,281.49 (collections of '62 and '63)—making a total of $39,019.51, of which $27,615 was used in cancelling overdue municipal obligations, leaving a balance, to be used for the same purpose, of $11,404.51.

A New Railway Project.

A bill has passed the House of West Virginia, and is now before the Senate, to incorporate the West Virginia Railway Company. The act authorizes the company to construct a railway from the Pennsylvania line, near Joseph Carroll's, in Preston county, by the way of Brandonville, the mouth of Muddy creek and near Kingwood, in the aforesaid county; the junction of Three Fork and Raccoon Creek, in the county of Taylor, Buckhannon, in the county of Kanawha, thence to the mouth of Sandy river in the county of Wayne, and to provide everything necessary for convenient transportation on the same. The capital stock of said company shall be five millions of dollars, divided into shares of fifty dollars each; and books may be opened by the said corporators, or any three of them, to receive subscriptions to the said capital stock, within two years after the passage of this act, at such places as said corporators, or any three of them, may designate. If after the organization of the company herein provided for it shall be ascertained that the purposes of the company can be better attained by a change of route, the Company is authorized to change the route so as to commence anywhere on the Pennsylvania line in the counties of Monongalia or Preston, and extend the same up any of the streams of the Monongahela river or elsewhere to the waters of Elk river, thence by way of Charleston to the Kentucky line. The work shall be commenced within five years after the passage of this act, and one-fourth of the work must be completed with two years after it is commenced.

City Fines and Forfeitures.

Mayor Lowry has made return to the City Treasurer of the amount of fines and forfeitures collected by him during the month of February—the first month of his term. The whole amount returned is $732.63. In addition to this he paid in $310 dramatic and pawnbroker licenses; and $49.65 commitment fees of cases arrested by the night police, which fees now go into the city treasury—making a total return of $1,092.28.

On looking over the cash book, we find that the amount of fines and forfeitures returned by Mayor Lowry, for *this single month*, equals the amounts returned by Mayor Sawyer for the preceding *seven months* of his term! During the month of February, 1863, Mayor Sawyer paid $105.30 fines and forfeitures, or $627.33 *less* than the amount returned by Mayor Lowry during the same period of this year. Business is *reviving* wonderfully at the Mayor's office.

Tribute of Respect.

At a meeting of the members of the Signal Corps, held February 24th, at Chattanooga, Tenn., to pay tribute to the memory of Harry S. Black, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God to take from our midst our esteemed friend and companion, Harry S. Black, therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Harry S. Black we have lost a valued friend, a beloved companion, and the country a brave and faithful soldier.

Resolved, That we tender to his bereaved mother, mourning family, and to his large circle of friends our heartfelt sympathies for them in this their great affliction.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished the Pittsburgh Gazette for publication, and a copy of the same be sent to his family.

WASHINGTON SCHWEIZE, Vice President. JAMES H. KELLY, President.
J. B. NEWMAN, Asst. Secretary. J. M. KIMBALL, Secretary.

Jefferson Township Institute.

The Teachers' Institute of Jefferson township held its last meeting for the present school year, on Saturday, the 27th ult. There were in attendance a large number of persons, consisting of teachers, directors, parents and scholars. The exercises on the part of the teachers consisted of review, class drill, select reading, and essay. On the part of the scholars, they consisted of concert, readings, select dialogues and select orations. At noon a very bountiful repast was furnished by the ladies, which was received with much gratitude and dispatched with eager zest. Near the close of the exercises, an animated discussion was participated in by John H. Burket, and Tho. F. Snee—Subject, "Should prizes be awarded to scholars as an incentive to study."

City Mortality.

Dr. George L. McCook, Physician to the Board of Health, reports the following deaths for the week commencing Feb. 19, and ending Feb. 26:

Males......15 | White..........24 | Total......25
Females....10 | Colored........ 1 |

Cancer, 1; Anasarca, 1; Old Age, 1; Typhoid Fever, 3; Illiac Abcess, 1; Consumption, 3; Disease of the Heart, 1; Pyemia, 1; Pericarditis, 1; Abcess of the Kidney, 1; Pneumonia, 3; Complicated Disease, 1; Measles, 2; Asphyxia, 1; Enteritis, 1; Still Born, 1; Diptheria, 1; Disease of the Lungs, 1; Scarlatina, 1.

The Appointment of Mr. McCullough.

We have received from the Executive Committee of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway Company and Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad, the following official announcement:

PITTSBURGH, March 1, 1864.

The Executive Committee, by virtue of the authority conferred by paragraph "5th" of the agreement between the Companies, have this day appointed J. N. McCullough, Esq., General Superintendent of both roads.

By order of the Committee.

W. H. BARNES, Secretary.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—A newly recruited soldier attempted to commit suicide, yesterday, in the guard house connected with Provost Marshal Foster's office, by cutting his throat with a knife. He was discovered before he had succeeded in inflicting a mortal wound. He had been drinking immoderately for some days previous, and the consequent depression is supposed to have caused him to attempt the rash act. The wound, although severe, will not prove fatal. He was removed to the Military Hospital, in the Ninth Ward.

CHARITABLE.—The inmates of the Western Pennsylvania Hospital for the Insane, at Dixmont, made contributions to the Sanitary Fair at Cleveland, Ohio, to the amount of one hundred and fifty dollars. These contributions include an Arkansas cabin, hair wreaths, toilet sets, picture frames, India ink sketches by Blythe, mats, cone, hair, and rice baskets, vases, patriotic aprons, (likewise, linen aprons,) spool wagons, shell and morocco cushions, etc., etc., etc.

SALES OF STOCKS by Davis & McIlwaine, Auctioneers, at the Commercial Sales Rooms, No. 54, Fifth street, on Tuesday evening:

Pittsburgh Gas Company	65 50
Bank of Pittsburgh	67 25
Mechanics' Bank	62 50
Manchester Savings Bank	49 50
Manufacturers' & Mechanics' Bank	56 25
[illegible]	31 75
Birmingham Gas Company	30 50
Allegheny Insurance Company	28 25

First Ward, Allegheny.

A mass meeting of the citizens of this Ward was held at the Hope Engine House, on Tuesday evening, to take into consideration the question of filling the quota of the Ward under the second call. The number of men enlisted under the auspices of the bounty commissioners to fill the first call, was sixty-five—of whom but five were re-enlistments of veterans. Of the 735 enrolled men of the Ward, only 211 appear to have contributed towards the bounty fund at all, showing that 524 of the enrolled men have, thus far, done nothing. The principal object of the meeting was to learn whether these 524 enrolled men intended aiding their fellow-citizens in raising a fund sufficient to place in the service the remaining quota of forty men. A list was opened at the meeting, and some $1,200 subscribed. An adjourned mass meeting of the citizens of the First Ward will be held at the freight shed of the P. Ft. W. and C. R. R., Federal street, on Thursday evening, to decide finally, in regard to this important subject.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—A veteran soldier recently formed an ardent attachment for a young lady in Wheeling, but was forbidden the house by her parents. On Wednesday night last, by previous arrangement with the girl, he was about crawling through a back window, when he was discovered by the father, who, being exceedingly nervous, and afraid of thieves, fired a pistol at him. The ball passed through the crown of the soldier's felt hat, shaving the hair off his head, and continuing its course, lodged in the body of a house cat, killing it almost instantly.

ALUMNI ANNIVERSARY.—The Alumni Association of the U. P. Theological Seminary, Allegheny, will celebrate its first anniversary on Tuesday evening, March 15th. The programme of exercises will be announced next week by the Committee of Arrangements. The anniversary address will be delivered by Rev. R. D. Harper, D. D., of Xenia, Ohio. It is hoped to have a general attendance of the Alumni of the Seminary.

CHARLES WEINEL, residing in the vicinity of Leechburg, has been committed to jail here, to answer a charge of embezzling a package containing a book, from the post office at Shaner's Cross Roads, Westmoreland county. The information was made before Commissioner Bailey, by Daniel Lober, and Weinel was arrested and brought down by officer Shore.

COMMITTED FOR A FURTHER HEARING.—Edward Acker, who is accused of committing a forgery on the Allegheny Savings Bank, had a hearing before Mayor Alexander this morning, which resulted in his being committed to jail for a further hearing on Monday next.

ACCIDENT.—Joseph Brown, pilot, of Philipsburg, accidentally fell on the wharf, yesterday evening, and sustained a fracture of the right leg.

J. M. KENNEDY, Esq., was on Saturday, on motion of A. H. Miller, Esq., admitted to practice in the several Courts of Allegheny county.

It is reported that Gottschalk is about to be married to a [illegible] avenue, New Y[illegible]

FLORENCE, the [illegible] of the "Ticket-of-[illegible]

COMMERCIA[illegible]

PITTSBURGH [illegible]

[Reported Expressly for the [illegible] WEDNESDA[illegible]

GRAIN.—WHEAT continues [illegible] quote from wagon at $1,50 for Re[illegible] White. The stock in the hands [illegible] large, but the mills are all well supp[illegible] reported from store.

CORN—Is firm, in consequence [illegible] prices are not quotably higher [illegible] at $1,10, and $1,14a1,15 for Sh[illegible]

BARLEY—has declined to $[illegible] $1,46 for Fall. The season for [illegible] over.

RYE—is dull and nominal, a[illegible] sales, we omit quotations.

OATS—may be quoted steady at 78 to 80c from wharf and depot, and 83a85c for small lots from store.

PROVISIONS—Bacon is firm with an upward tendency. We note regular sales at 10a10¼c for Shoulders; 11¾a12c for Sides; 13¼a13¾c for Plain Hams, and 14¾a14½c for Sugar Cured. Lard is steady, with small sales of prime city at 14a14¼c. New York is quiet and nominally unchanged. Dried Beef is selling at 14c.

GROCERIES—Sugar is firm with sales at 14a14¼c for Cuba, and 15a15¼c for New Orleans. Refined Sugars remain unchanged. Coffee is firm with regular sales at from 36¼a37½c for common to prime Rio. Molasses steady with regular sales at former rates. We understand that Teas have advanced largely in New York and other eastern markets.

BAGS—Continue very firm, and some descriptions have again advanced. We note sales at 40c for army oats Sacks, and 60 to 70c for Seamless. Four bushel linen Corn Bags, and extra heavy do at 75c.

FISH—Steady with sales of 10 half bbls No 3 Large Mackerel at $6,25; 10 half bbls Medium do at $5,00, and 25 half bbls Lake Herring at $5,50. White Fish are now held at $7,50 per half bbl, which is an advance.

BUTTER & EGGS—Prime Roll Butter is scarce and in demand; we quote at 30c to to 32c for prime to choice. Eggs, also, are firmer, with sales at 20c.

SEEDS—Clover Seed is dull but unchanged; small sales at $8,00 to $8,50. Timothy Seed is steady with moderate sales at $3,25. Flax Seed is in good demand and sells readily at $2,75a2,80.

HAY—Continues quiet and dull, with a drooping tendency; we note sales of loose from scales at $27a28 per ton. Baled Hay is nominally unchanged.

POTATOES—The supply is light, but as the demand is limited, the market is quiet and rather dull: small sales from store at 90c to $1,00 per bushel, as to quality.

FLOUR—is quiet and dull but unchanged. Sale of 150 bbls from store at $6,50 for Extra, and $7,00a7,25 for Family.

Pittsburgh Petroleum Market.

March 2—There is a moderate local demand for small lots of Crude, especially low gravities, but there is but very little of this particular description in the market. Indeed, there is but very little of any kind, and it is a remarkable fact that the stock in the market at the present time is less than it has been at any time in the history of the trade. The demand for Refined, for export, cannot by any means be termed brisk, for notwithstanding the supply is light, it is but proper to remark that the demand is limited. In the absence of sales quotations may be fairly given at 12¼a20c in bulk and 23a25c in bbls. Refined is exceedingly quiet and neglected, while prices are nominally unchanged. Good standard brands are still held at 40c in bond and 50 free, though it is but proper to remark in this connection that these figures are somewhat above the views of buyers. Naptha is nominal with small sales at 17a17½c. Residuum is quotable at $4,00 ℔ bbl.

New York Petroleum Market.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

NEW YORK, March 2—The market for Crude is decidedly firmer, and holders are asking higher rates; quotations may be fairly given at 29a29½c on the spot, and 30a30½c for March delivery. Refined in bond, also, is firmer, and advanced rates are now demanded; sales on the spot at 47a47½c, and 48c for March delivery. Free oil is firm and higher, ranging from 54 to 57c on the spot, and 56c for March. Naptha is dull and prices are nominal.

Chicago Market.

FEB. 29—Our markets are quiet, and prices of most articles much the same as on Saturday. The demand for Provisions light, and there are very few in the market. Holders of cut Meats are firm at 7¾a7½c, for fair to choice lots of Shoulders, and 10¼a10¾c for salted Hams in bulk. Sugar pickled Hams, in bbls and tcs, 11a11¼c; rough Sides held at 9¾a9¾c for medium to extra heavy, in bulk. Mess Pork held at $19,50a20,50 for good to choice brands of country and city, but few or no buyers at over $20 for best brands. Cumberland middles held at 9¾a10c; short ribbed 9¾a10¼c; long cut hams at 12¼a12½c in bxs. Lard very dull and prices drooping at 11¾a12¼c for prime, but there are few buyers at outside prices. Flour dull and nominal. Wheat more active at $1,05a1,06½ for No 2, and 1,14a1,15 for No 1 spring, at favorite wheat houses, closing firm. Old Corn dull and nominal; new firm and more active, opening at 74c, and closing at 75½a76c. Oats quiet and steady at 63a63½c for No 1. Barley unchanged. Rye quiet. Seeds dull. Highwines firm, opening at 74c, and closing at 75c. Corn Meal dull and lower.

Dressed Hogs lower, with sales at $6,75a7,75 for light to heavy. Live Hogs steady and unchanged, with sales at $6a7,50 for light to heavy weights.

Cattle in fair demand and steady at $3a6 for common to extra Beeves.

The British Iron Trade

WOLVERHAMPTON, Feb 11.—Prices have begun to give way in several quarters. Pigs that were held in second hands are now offered at 7s 6d, and some even at 10s, below the prices quoted a fortnight ago, by the makers of the same quality. A few makers also are consenting to take lower terms. Sales took place yesterday at 5s reduction, the iron to be made, and in a day or two 7s 6d reduction will be accepted. The first-class foreign hematite and the large allmine makers of this district have not yet faltered. The orders for finished from have fallen off perceptibly. The foreign competition is being felt. Some Belgian makers of plates have just returned home with a long list of orders for plates at £11 10s in London; and certain German houses are taking some north of Europe orders for sheets that would have come here if our prices were not so high. Some sheets are passing from second hands here at 2s 6d and 5s below list rates. Most makers are still busy upon old orders. Mr. W. Foster, M. P., still declines to submit to the dictation of the Puddlers Union, and his two works are standing. The rise of 3d a day given to the colliers in the Bradley district is being gradually obtained by the men in the Bilston, Wolverhampton, and Willenhall districts; but some masters are firm in their refusal to give more than 2s 3d.

Imports by River.

WHEELING PER MINERVA—3 bbls apples, Logan & Gregg; 10 do do, Jno Harbert; 31 do do, 30 bales hay, 1 box butter, 1 do eggs, Owens & Kennedy; 4 bbls apples, Jamison; 74 do do, Fetzer & Armstrong; 15 do do, Owner; 74 sks barley, W W Anderson; 174 sacks wheat, J S Liggett & co; 55 do do, J R Noble; 6 pkgs tobacco, Jno Graster; 1 sale door, Burke & Barnes; 120 kegs nails, Shomaker & Lang; 8 bbls ale, Wm Ogden; 1 box sundries, W L Standish; 1 horse, David Cook; 28 bdls willows, L Jones; 24 bbls flour, M H'[illegible]; 120 sk bbls, Brewer Burke & co; 65 do do, [illegible]; 710 bdls paper, Godfrey & Clark; 100 do do, J R Weldin; 1 box tobacco, R Gleason; 15 bgs flaxseed, Wm Day; 19 pkgs sacks etc, J T Day; lot sundries, Fleming & [illegible]; 1 bbl wine, [illegible]; 2 bbls [illegible], [illegible]; 2 bbls tobacco, [illegible]; 7 bbls apples and eggs, McCullough Smith & co; 2 cks wine, [illegible]; 8 do do, 2 bbls pelts, C Smith; lot sundries, J H Jones.

Quartermasters' and Commissary's Awards at Indianapolis.

The lettings under Quartermaster Browning's advertisement for Corn, last Friday, were as follows:

Wm Hinesly, 200 bush at 95c.
E S Terrill, 1 000 bush at 95c.
F P Rusch, 5 000 bush at 94c
" " 5 600 bush at 96c.

The bids ran as high as $1,09. The Corn must be delivered on or before the 27th of March, at the Indianapolis Forage house.

Commissary Foster accepted proposals as follows, on Friday last, under his recent advertisement for army stores.

Pork—Prime mess, 75 bbls to Pattison & co, at $19; mess, 172 bbls to Maguire Jones & co, at $20.

Bacon—Shoulders, 30 000 ℔s to Pattison at $9,40; no bids were made on Bacon Sides.

Beans—16 000 ℔s to Harter & Root at $5,23, and 14 000 ℔s, to Farmington & Williams, of Terre Haute, at $5,24.

Sugar—15 000 ℔s to Andrew Wallace at 14⅞c (Cuba); 4 000 ℔s to same at 15c; 4 000 ℔s to same at 15¼c; 7 000 ℔s to H M Sockwell & co, at 15¾c (N O).

Soap—8 000 ℔s to Farmington & Williams, of Terre Haute, at 8c; 8 000 ℔s to same at 8,25c.

Vinegar—2 000 gallons to Maguire Jones & co; at 21¼c.

Rice—16 000 ℔s to Maguire Jones & co at 9½c.

Molasses—1 000 gallons to Maguire Jones & co at 72 cts.

Star Candles—4 000 ℔s to Maguire Jones & co at 23¼c.

Salt—8 000 ℔s to F P Rusch at 23c ℔ 100 ℔s.

Hominy—8 000 ℔s to Theodore Hudnut at 3¾c.

Flour—500 bbls choice extra "Secretary Chase" brand, to John Carlisle at $5,79. A bid for "Annapolis" brand at $5,55 rejected, being too low a grade.

London Indigo Sales.

The February sales commenced on the 9th. The quantity to be brought forward was 1417 chests. The sale opened with but a small attendance of either home or foreign buyers and the biddings throughout the day were very languid. Several marks of good Tirhoot Indigo were included in the catalogue, and only met with a partial demand at a decline of 2d to 4d on the last sales' prices, notwithstanding the strong support given by proprietors, who withdrew or bought in largely. As compared with the last October prices, we may quote middlings and good Bengals 2d to 3d, and ordinary and undesirable kinds at 3d to 6d discount. Good Oudes are 2d to 3d lower, but the ordinary sorts have realized the last sales rates. Kurpahs of good ordinary quality have met with a fair demand at about last sales rates, but the ordinary undesirable sorts have been chiefly bought in at 3d decline. Dry leaf Madras showed a decline of 2d to 3d. The second day's sales progressed heavily at the first day's currencies for good kinds of Bengal, but objectionable sorts, including some Oude marks, went at 4d to 6d decline from October. Madras, of which a good proportion was sold, went at 3d ℔ ℔ decline. At the third day's sale the reduction of the Bank rate to 7 per cent, had no effect on the market. With the exception of one or two choice Tirhoot marks, the goods offered were of undesirable quality; the sale, in consequence, went off heavily at very irregular prices, the reduction, in some cases, being considerable. Good colored lots met with strong competition. Kurpah mostly bought in.

Imports by Railroad.

PITTSBURGH FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, March 2—106 bbls flour, Jas McCully & co; 100 do do Chas D Leech; 100 do do, Lindsay & Telford; 2 cars hay, J J Worthington; 1 pkgs liquor, Frank & Rosenberger; 150 bgs wheat, J S Liggett & co; 2 cars scrap iron, J Mull-n; 423 bdls hoops, A B Spang; 1100 bulk shoulders, W B Hays & co; 2 cars hay, Bingham, Sturgeon & co; 6 bbls apples, 1 do butter, Rea & Kell; 119 oil bbls, J A Caughey; 96 tcs lard, F Sellers & co; 7500 feet lumber, Cromlow & Coon; 41 kegs nails, W A Sneathen; 75 doz brooms, Watt & Wilson; 11 sks scraps; Wm Flaccus; 11 do rags, Godfrey & Clark; 3 bbls apples, L H Voigt; 67 bdls paper, J M Perkins; 10 doz buckets, Little & Trimble; 5 do do, E Dalzell; 15 do do, W H Kirkpatrick & co; 23 pkgs twine etc, H Gerwig; 31 bbls pearls Bakewell, Fears & co; 2 do buttr, D McGurk.

ALLEGHENY STATION, March 2—3 bbls eggs, Shulze Son & co; 30 sks oats, J H S[illegible]; 12 bbls flour, Zinhead & Andrews; 10 bunches brooms, J Coblants; 45 bgs oats, Jos Craig; 10 bbls flour, [illegible] Jno Hamilton [illegible]

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FOR SALE--FOR RENT.

VALUABLE FARM AND COAL LAND FOR SALE.

That very valuable property in Allegheny county, known as the Morgan Robertson farm, on the Monongahela river, about 18 miles above Pittsburgh, is offered for sale. It contains 187 acres and 4 perches, 40 acres of which are embraced in the borough of West Elizabeth, the residue in Jefferson township. About thirty acres of it is excellent Coal land. The improvements on the place are of a valuable character, there being on the part in the borough, a large double two story brick mansion house, a frame barn, log house and frame stable, and on the remaining portion a bearing orchard, two log houses, stable and other buildings. The location of this property is admirable, fronting 106 perches on the river, and having a fine wharf with deep water along it. The land, which is of excellent quality, rises gradually backward to the coal. An indisputable title and early possession will be given. Apply soon to THOMAS J. KEENAN, Attorney, 81 Diamond street.
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DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers for sale the dwelling house in which he now lives, situated on South Avenue, First Ward, Allegheny. The lot is 27 feet front by 160 deep, running back to a 20 foot alley. It is a two-storied brick, contains six rooms and cellar. The out-houses are a wash house, stable, coal house, &c. There is a large yard surrounding the dwelling, filled with shade and ornamental trees. There is gas and water in all the rooms of the dwelling.

I also offer for sale a desirable country residence in Rochester township, Beaver county, Pa., containing twenty acres of ground. There is a new two-storied frame dwelling, containing six rooms, on the property. There is also a young orchard of all kinds of fruit. There is a good barn, outhouses, &c. It is about a mile from the Rochester Depot.
For terms inquire of R. H. BOLES,
ja26:tf South Avenue, Allegheny City.

VALUABLE COAL PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The undersigned will sell at private sale, 172 ACRES OF COAL, in connection with 5 ACRES OF SURFACE, as an outlet to the river, located on the east bank of the Monongahela river, three miles below Monongahela City, and one-half mile above Limetown. This property affords a rare chance for those desiring to make a good investment, as it is not surpassed in *quality of coal* or in *location*, as the furtherest point does not exceed ¼ of a mile from the river, and the water is *excellent for loading*. Persons desiring further information will please call on J. S. MORRISON, Esq., No. 131 Fourth street, Pittsburgh, where they can see a plot of the tract; or call on F. J. GARDNER, residing on the premises, who will take pleasure in showing the property.
J. S. GARDNER,
J. A. HAPPER,
fe16.1m F. J. GARDNER.

HOTEL FOR SALE.—The splendid new Hotel in Oil City, known as the SHERIFF HOUSE, is offered for sale. The building is frame, 50 feet front on Main street, and 40 feet deep, and contains Parlor, Sitting-room, one Bed-room, large room or Bar-room or Store-room, spacious hall, B[illegible] gage-room and Wash-room on first floor; twelve Bed-rooms, Dining-room and Kitchen on the second floor, and finished attic with 5 rooms. The house is painted and plastered in the best style, and is built on a good stone foundation, and has cellar and furnace for warming the building. The outside arrangements are Stable, Wash house, Bake-oven and strong spring of water within 20 feet of the kitchen. The house is well furnished in modern style, &c., and is offered all together. The ground is upwards of half an acre in extent. Call and examine the premises, or address JOHN B SHERIFF,
f-19:1m At Oil City, or Pittsburgh, Pa.

DRY GOODS STORE FOR SALE, in a flourishing Western town on the P. F. W. & C. R. R., not over 200 miles from Pittsburgh, now doing a large and profitable trade. The stock is new, and has been selected with reference to the country trade. Has all been purchased for cash at lowest market prices.

The present proprietor has decided to retire from the trade owing to bad health, and now cheerfully offers the stock for sale; also the good will of the retiring party. The house has a large and respectable trade, which can be retained. The present stock will involve from seven to ten thousand dollars, but could be reduced if desired.

Parties wishing to know the particulars will please address or call personally on
LYDAY & SHORPENNING,
oc18:tf 52 Hand street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

FARM FOR SALE, in Burrell township, Westmoreland county, within half a mile of Parnassus Station, on the A. V. R. R., containing 28 ACRES, more or less. There is a Log Barn, a good Frame Stable, Granaries to hold grain, a number of choice Apple Trees which never miss bearing [illegible]; House, with Kitchen attached. I will sell it [illegible], or in two or three lots, to suit purchasers.

[illegible]—One-third in hand, or on confirmation of [illegible]; the balance in two or three annual payments, may be agreed upon, with interest, secured by [illegible] and mortgage.

If not sold by the 3d OF MARCH, it will be offered at public sale on that day, at 1 o'clock p. m.
fe1tw7aitd JAS. MARTIN.

[illegible]OR SALE—A COUNTRY RESIDENCE, containing 11 acres, situated at the Sharpsburg [illegible] on the Allegheny Valley Railroad. Citizens [illegible] nger Railway Cars pass every 20 minutes. Improvements are a Dwelling containing 15 rooms, stable, Carriage-house, Wagon-shed, Cow-shed, Cow stable, Coal-house, Chicken house, Tenant-house, &c., &c. Water is conducted in lead pipes from a never-failing spring to the kitchen and wash-room, and may be conducted to every room in the house. No better site for a rolling mill or glass works is to be found. There is an abundance of all kinds of fruit. Inquire of Messrs. HITCHCOCK & McCREERY, between the hours of 10 and 11 a. m.
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STEAM GRIST MILL FOR SALE—Situate in Baldwin township, on Little Saw Mill Run, about 4½ miles from Pittsburgh. The Mill is fifty feet square, four story, and has three run of French Burr Mill Stones. The mill lot contains 2½ acres, with the right to five acres of coal adjoining. There are also erected on the mill lot one large Frame Dwelling, with nine rooms and finished garret; one small Frame Dwelling, one Frame Stable and other buildings. The mill was lately built, is in good condition, doing a first rate business, and will be sold cheap.

For terms, &c., enquire of W. J. FORD & CO., on the premises, or of J. W. HALL,
ja29:1m No. 89 Fifth street, Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE—FOUR ACRES of LAND.—The undersigned offers for sale FOUR ACRES OF LAND in McClure township, near the borough of Manchester, and a quarter of a mile from the Beaver Pike, in the rear of the subscriber's own house, and between the residences of J. P. Liggett and Thomas Bakewell, Esqs. The land is in a high state of cultivation. There is a small Frame House erected thereon, and an orchard of fine bearing fruits, consisting of twenty-five bearing apple trees, and thirty-five bearing cherry trees, of all sorts; also peaches, plums and quinces.

For further particulars apply on the premises, to
JOSEPH SIEFFERT

FOR SALE—The Trustees of the Third Presbyterian Congregation, of Pittsburgh, offer for sale the property at the corner of Third and Ferry streets. The lot has a front of 85 feet on Third street, and extends along Ferry street 98 feet towards Second street. It will be sold in its present condition upon favorable terms.
Enquire of C. B. M. SMITH,
fe5:tf Secretary Board of Trustees, No. 93 Diamond street.

STEAM SAW MILL FOR SALE—Situated on the bank of the Ohio river, 12 miles from the city, in the Borough of Sewickley. The Mill has two acres of land with it, is in good running order, capable of cutting timber 52 feet in length, and admirably constructed for barge building purposes.

For further particulars address
BANKS & McMASTER,
fe18:1m Box 67, Sewickleyville P. O., Pa.

FOR SALE—Twenty-seven Acres of Land, part of the Lorenz farm, commanding a fine view of Pittsburgh and vicinity. It is about one mile from Jones' Ferry Landing. There are on the premises some fine fruit trees, and a never-failing spring of excellent water. Will be sold together, or divided to suit purchasers. Persons desiring a country residence will please call on
H. ALLEN LORENZ,
ja19:4m No. 63 Water street.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—A TRACT OF COAL in Elizabeth township, Allegheny county, Pa., situated in Pool No. 3, containing about 36 acres, with 6 acres of surface at the river, with 14 tenements, one store-room and 25 pit cars. A small investment, in the present condition of the pit, in three weeks the bank could be worked successfully.

For particulars inquire at 168 Fourth street.
fe25:1m G. H. TOWER, Real Estate Ag't.

FARM TO LEASE.—The Hill Farm adjoining the Borough of Sharpsburg, Allegheny county, is offered for rent. There are about Seventy-five Acres of tillable ground, and a considerable range of Pasture land on the place. It is well watered by six or seven springs, and a large portion of the farm is in meadow.
Apply to JOHN B. SHARP,
fe27:1w In said Borough.

FOR SALE—In McClure Township, EIGHT ACRES OF GOOD GARDEN LAND, including good House, containing five rooms; a good Barn and outhouses; good Spring of water. The above property is within one mile of the Woods Run Railroad, at Hartman's Station. Possession will be given on 1st of April.
Inquire of H & G. RAYNOR,
fe23:2w No. 168 Beaver street, Allegheny.

FOR SALE—That desirable property situated in the Borough of Manchester, on the corner of Locust street and the Ohio river, and known as the Greenwood property, on which is erected a modern style Brick Dwelling House, Carriage House, Stable, Ice House, &c.
For further particulars apply to A. D. SMITH,
fe2:tf 68 Water street, Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE—A fine two-story BRICK HOUSE, No. 20 Stevenson street, containing eight rooms and finished attic, with wash-house attached. Water in the basement, and Gas throughout the whole house. The lot is 21 feet 6 inches front by 90 feet deep, to an alley.
For terms, &c., inquire of the subscriber, on the premises.
fe22:2w A. J. TAYLOR.

FOR SALE, VERY LOW.—One PUPPET VALVE ENGINE, 22 inch cylinder, 5 feet stroke, in admirable condition, with or without Main Shaft, Fly Wheel, Flanges, Force Pump, &c. This Engine is well adapted for many purposes, but especially for a Rolling Mill. Call and see it.
THOS. ARBUCKLE & CO.,
Anchor Cotton Mills,
de4:tf Allegheny City.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE, in the Eighth Ward, between Gibbon and Forbes streets. Lot 27 feet front by 123¼ feet deep, on which is erected a three-story Brick House, containing seven rooms and good cellar.
For further particulars inquire of JOHN J. STORE,
fe27:1w Corner Gibbon and Magee streets.

FOR SALE—Two Cast Iron BLAST CYLINDERS, to work perpendicularly; forty inches diameter, six feet stroke; suitable for a Char coal Furnace or Refinery; all complete and in good order. Enquire of COLEMAN, WESTERMAN & CO.,
[illegible] Sharon, Mercer county, Pa.

FOR SALE—A PORTABLE ENGINE, with tubular Boiler; 6 inch cylinder, 12 inch stroke; complete, as good as new. Suitable for an oil well, &c.
CARSON & CO.
fe27:1w Perry Block, Duquesne Way.

FOR RENT—Two Rooms for Offices, in No. 142 FOURTH ST., near Smithfield.
Two Rooms in No. 119 THIRD STREET, near Smithfield.
Also, for a term of years, VACANT LOTS in the Ninth Ward—on Carson, Butler and Allegheny streets. WM. M. DARLINGTON,
fe1:tf No 37 Fifth street, up stairs

FOR RENT—To a small family, the one-half of a beautiful residence in Mount Troy, one mile from the Allegheny Market House, with about ¾ acre of ground, all covered with choice fruit trees, evergreens, shrubbery, &c. An excellent well of water, and a large cistern of soft water.
Enquire of A. H HARVEY, on the premises.
fe10:tf

FOR SALE—That two-story BRICK DWELLING, finished in good style, and in complete order, situated on the corner of Decatur street and Carpenter's alley, Sixth Ward, containing eight rooms and finished garret. Can be had at a bargain.
Enquire of CULP & SHEPARD,
fe4 343 Liberty street.

FOR SALE—A Frame House, containing four rooms, situate on the corner of Samson and Market streets in the Borough of Manchester. The Lot is 17 feet front by 60 feet deep. Terms easy. Inquire at THOMAS HARPER'S Wagon Shop, Beaver street, Manchester, or at the residence of the subscriber, in McClure township.
fe17:tf JOSEPH SIEFFERT.

FOR SALE—Two Wrought Iron OIL STILLS, almost new, with Copper Goose Necks and Condensing Pipe. All the cocks and connections complete.
Also, TWO STEAM BOILERS.
Enquire of HUGH M. BOLE,
fe18:tf Corner of Point alley and Duquesne street.

A RARE OPPORTUNITY.—A Book, Stationery and News Depot for sale, in the best location, in a large city, and doing a fine business. To a person with about $2,500 capital, it will be an excellent opportunity to engage himself.
For particulars call at JOHN P. HUNT'S,
ja16:tf Masonic Hall, Fifth street.

FOR SALE—18 ACRES OF RICH BOTTOM LAND, on Chartiers Creek, four miles from the city, near the village of Mansfield, on the line of the Steubenville Railroad. Well adapted for Gardeners or a Nursery.
Apply to J. L MARSHALL,
fe25:1w 139 Liberty street.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE, on Gibbons street, in the Eighth Ward. Five good rooms in the house. Apply to
MACKRELL & JOHNSON, Attorneys,
ja21:6m No. 89 Grant street, Pittsburgh.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE OF CONDEMNED HORSES.

WAR DEPARTMENT, CAVALRY BUREAU,
OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
Washington, D. C., February 15th, 1864.

Will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the places and dates named below, viz:
At Mifflin, Pa., 300 Horses, Friday, 4th March.
At Williamsport, Pa., 300 Horses, Tuesday, 8th March.
At Altoona, Pa., 300 Horses Friday, 11th March.
At New Brunswick, N. J., 300 Horses, Tuesday, 15th March.
At Easton, Pa., 300 Horses, Friday, 18th March.
At Newark, N. J., 300 Horses, Tuesday, 22d March.
At Lebanon, Pa., 300 Horses Friday, 25th March.
At Wilkesbarre, Pa., 300 Horses, Tuesday, 29th March.

These Horses have been condemned as unfit for the Cavalry service of the United States Army.

For road and farm purposes many good bargains may be had.

Horses will be sold singly.

Sales begin at 10 a. m., and continue daily till all are sold.

Terms Cash, in United States Treasury Notes only.
JAMES A. EKIN,
fe27:mh29 Chief Quartermaster, Cav. Bureau.

EAST BIRMINGHAM LOTS AT AUCTION.—On SATURDAY AFTERNOON, March 5th, at 2 o'clock, will be sold, on the premises, by order of James M. McKee, Trustee:

Three Lots, each 20 feet front, on the west side of Meadow street, south of Jane street, and extending back 60 feet to a 8 feet alley.

Five Lots, each 20 feet front, on the south side of Jane street, west of Meadow street, and extending back 120 feet to a 24 feet alley.

Five Lots, each 20 feet front, on the north side of Josephine street, west of Joseph street, and extending back 120 feet to a 24 feet alley.

Also, One Triangular Lot or piece of ground, beginning on the southeastern corner of Joseph and Jane streets; thence extending southerly along Joseph street 120 feet to a 24 feet alley; thence along said alley eastwardly, parallel with Jane street, 20 feet 1¾ inches to land now or late of Jane Ormsby's heirs, thence by said land northwardly 120 feet 6¾ inches to Jane street; and thence by said Jane street northerly 24 feet 24 inches, to place of beginning.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash, residue in one and two years, with interest, secured by bond and mortgage.

DAVIS & McILWAINE, Auct'rs.

DEPUTY QUARTERMASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 26, 1864.

SALE OF CONDEMNED PUBLIC ANIMALS.—Will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the FAIR GROUNDS, in this city, on the 4th DAY OF MARCH, 1864, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following Animals, condemned as unfit for public service, viz:

15 MARES, with foal;
20 HORSES;
1 MULE.

Also a lot of BROKEN LUMBER.
Terms cash, Government Funds.
O. CROSS,
Lt. Col. and Deputy Q. M. Gen.
T. A. McCLELLAND, Auct'r. fe27:td

CENTRE AVENUE PROPERTY.—On TUESDAY EVENING, March 8th, at 7½ o'clock, will be sold, on the second floor of the Commercial Sales Rooms, 54 Fifth street, the late residence of Mrs. Agnes Irwin, on Centre avenue, in the Seventh Ward, the lot fronting 22 feet on Centre avenue, and extending back 182 feet to Duncan st. The dwelling is a large two-story brick, with basement, and furnished with hot and cold water, and all modern appliances.

Also, Lot No. 83 in Mrs. Mahon's plan of lots in Pitt township, having 24 feet front on Centre avenue adjoining the residence of Mrs. Kennedy, and extending back 120 feet.

Terms of Sale—One-half cash, and the balance in 12 months, with interest, secured by bond and mortgage. DAVIS & McILWAINE, Auct'rs.

MOUNT EMMETT PROPERTY.—On TUESDAY EVENING, March 8th, at 7½ o'clock, will be sold, on the second floor of the Commercial Sales Rooms, 54 Fifth street, the site of the Mount Emmett Hotel, late Hugh Sweeny's, on Mount Emmett street, back of Allegheny City, which commands the most delightful views of the two cities and surrounding country. The lot is No. 83 in Sweeny's plan of Mount Emmett, being 178 feet by 122, with 40 feet streets front and rear, and a 10 feet alley along one side.

Terms of Sale—One half cash, and the balance in twelve months, with interest, secured by bond and mortgage. DAVIS & McILWAINE, Auct'rs.

CLAIM AGENTS.

PENSIONS, BOUNTY, BACK PAY.

T. WALTER DAY,

Soldiers' Claim Agent,

LICENSED BY THE U. S. GOVERNMENT.

No. 103 Fifth St., 3d door below the Cathedral

No charge is made until the claim is collected.
WAR CLAIMS, of every description, presented and prosecuted before Congress, the Court of Claims, the Executive Departments, and Paymaster General, at Washington, D. C.
Prize Money and Recruiting Officers' Claims promptly attended to. ja15:1y

MILITARY CLAIMS.

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W. J. & HALL PATTERSON.

144 Fourth Street, 2d floor

PITTSBURGH, PA

Claims for PENSIONS, BOUNTY, BACK PAY SUBSISTENCE and PRIZE MONEY.
Also, ORDNANCE RETURNS promptly attended to. f-21:ma

R. C. MACKRELL..........A. JOHNSON

MACKRELL & JOHNSON,

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

AND SOLDIERS' CLAIM AGENTS,

No. 89 GRANT STREET,

de29:1y PITTSBURGH Pa

SOLDIERS' CLAIMS, BOUNTIES, PENSIONS AND ARREARS OF PAY,

Promptly attended to by

ARTHURS & RIDDELL.

No. 135 Fourth street, Pittsburgh, Pa
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NOAH W. SHAFER,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

No. 106 Fifth Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Claims for PENSIONS, BOUNTY, PRIZE MONEY, &c., vigorously prosecuted.
ja9:2m

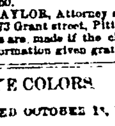
MILITARY CLAIMS, BOUNTIES, PENSIONS, BACK PAY and MILITARY CLAIMS of every description, collected by the subscriber, at the following rates, viz: Pensions $10 00, all other claims $2 50.

C. C. TAYLOR, Attorney at Law,
No. 73 Grant street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

N. B. No charges are made if the claim does not succeed, and all information given gratis. se4:1y

FAMILY DYE COLORS.

PATENTED OCTOBER 13, 1863.



Black, Black for Silk, Dark Blue, Light Blue, French Blue, Claret Brown, Dark Brown, Light Brown, Snuff Brown, Cherry, Crimson, Dark Drab, Light Drab, Fawn Drab, Lt. Fawn Drab, Dark Green, Light Green, Magenta, Maize, Maroon, Orange, Pink, Purple, Royal Purple, Salmon, Scarlet, Slate, Solferino, Violet, Yellow.

For Dyeing Silk, [illegible] Goods, Shawls, Scarfs, Dresses, Ribbons, Gloves, Bonnets, Hats, Feathers, Kid Gloves, Children's Clothing, and all kinds of Wearing Apparel.

☞ A SAVING OF 80 PER CENT. ☜

For 25 cents you can color as many goods as would otherwise cost five times that sum. Various shades can be produced from the same dye. The process is simple, and any one can use the dye with perfect success. Directions in English, French and German, inside of each package.

For further information in Dyeing, and giving a perfect knowledge what colors are best adapted to dye over others, with many valuable recipes,) purchase Howe & Stevens' Treatise on Dyeing and Coloring. Sent by mail on receipt of price—10 cents.

Manufactured by HOWE & STEVENS,
260 Broadway, Boston.

For sale by druggists and dealers generally.
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ESTABLISHED 1760.

PETER LORILLARD,

SNUFF AND TOBACCO MANUFACTURER,

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(Formerly 42 Chatham street, New York,)

Would call the attention of dealers to the articles of his manufacture, viz:

BROWN SNUFF.

Macaboy, Fine Rappee, Coarse Rappee, American Gentlemen, Demigros, Pure Virginia, Nachitoches, Copenhagen.

YELLOW SNUFF.

Scotch, High Toast Scotch, Irish High Toast or Lundyfoot, Honey Dew Scotch, Fresh Honey Scotch, Fresh Scotch.

Attention is called to the large reduction in prices of Fine Cut Chewing and Smoking Tobaccos, which will be found of a superior quality.

TOBACCO.

SMOKING—Long, No. 1, No. 2, Nos. 1 and 2 mixed, Granulated.

FINE CUT CHEWING—P. A. L., or plain - Cavendish, or Sweet; Sweet scented Oronoco; Tin Foil Cavendish.

SMOKING—S. Jago, Spanish, Canaster, Turkish.

N. B.—A circular of prices will be sent on application. ap10:1y

PATENTED OCTOBER 8, 1861.

DITHRIDGE'S PATENT

OVAL LAMP CHIMNEYS,

MANUFACTURED OF

XX FLINT GLASS.

These Chimneys are intended for the flat flame, heating all parts of the glass equally, does not expose it to cracking. E. T. DITHRIDGE,
Fort Pitt Glass Works, Washington street,
ap17 Pittsburgh, Penna.

J. & M. M'STEEN, BRASS FOUNDERS, GAS AND STEAM FITTERS. Particular attention paid to the fitting up and repairing of OIL REFINERIES. All kinds of BRASS AND IRON COCKS made to order. Also BRASS CASTINGS, of all kinds, made at the shortest notice.

All orders left at Nos. 31 and 34 WATER STREET, near Liberty, will be promptly attended to.

☞ The members of this firm being practical mechanics, of many years' experience in their business will insure to give satisfaction in every respect.

We are also agents for Guild, Garrison & Co.'s STEAM PUMP, for pumping Water, Crude and Refined Oils, &c. de9:1y

UNION BRASS WORKS.

MANSFIELD & FITZSIMMONS,

Brass Founders.

FINISHED BRASS WORK furnished at the shortest notice. A superior article of BABBIT'S PACKING METAL, for Steam Cylinders. No. 13 SECOND, near Short street, Pittsburgh, Pa. ja23:ly

FOR DISPOSAL, on moderate terms for cash, a fine lot of second-hand 2, 3, 5 and 6 FLUED AND TUBULAR BOILERS, of different sizes; also, several second-hand ENGINES, of different sizes; WROUGHT IRON SHAFTS, for stern and side-wheel boats, DOCTORS. Also, Saw and Flour Mill ENGINES and FREIGHT HOISTERS.
Address THOS. B. ELLIS,
de:2md Cairo, Illinois.

GUM AND OILED CLOTHING, of all kinds, always on hand and for sale, wholesale or retail, at the India Rubber Depot of
J. & H. PHILLIPS,
de18 Nos. 26 and 28 St. Clair street.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR FORAGE.

CHIEF QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
Washington Depot, December 8, 1863.

Sealed proposals are invited by the undersigned for supplying the U. S. Quartermaster's Department, at Washington, D. C., Baltimore, Md., Alexandria and Fort Monroe, Va., or either of these places, with HAY, CORN, OATS and STRAW.

Bids will be received for the delivery of 5,000 bush. of corn or oats, and 50 tons of hay or straw, and upwards.

Bidders must state at which of the above named points they propose to make deliveries, and the rates at which they will make deliveries thereat, the quantity of each article proposed to be delivered, the time when said deliveries shall be commenced, and when to be completed.

The price must be written out in words on the bids.

Corn to be put up in good stout sacks, of about two bushels each. Oats in like sacks, of about three bushels each. The sacks to be furnished without extra charge to the Government. The hay and straw to be securely baled.

The particular kind or description of oats, corn, hay, or straw proposed to be delivered, must be stated in the proposals.

All the articles offered under the bids herein invited will be subject to a rigid inspection by the Government Inspector, before being accepted.

Contracts will be awarded from time to time to the lowest responsible bidder, as the interest of the Government may require, and payment will be made when the whole amount contracted for shall have been delivered and accepted.

The bidder will be required to accompany his proposal with a guaranty, signed by two responsible persons, that in case his bid is accepted he or they will, within ten days thereafter, execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to deliver the forage proposed in conformity with the terms of this advertisement; and in case the said bidder should fail to enter into the contract, they to make good the difference between the offer of said bidder and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of a U. S. District Attorney, Collector of Customs, or any other officer under the United States Government, or responsible person known to this office.

All bidders will be duly notified of the acceptance or rejection of their proposal.

The full name and P. O. address of each bidder must be legibly written in the proposal.

Proposals must be addressed to Brigadier General D. H. RUCKER, Chief Depot Quartermaster, Washington, D. C., and should be plainly marked "Proposals for Forage."

Bonds, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, signed by the contractor and both of his guarantors, will be required of the successful bidder or bidders upon signing the contract.

Blank forms of bids, guarantees, and bonds, may be obtained upon application at this office.

FORM OF PROPOSAL.

(Town, County and State,)——————,
(Date,)——————,

I, the subscriber, do hereby propose to furnish and deliver to the United States, at the Quartermaster's Department at ———, agreeably to the terms of your advertisement, inviting proposals for forage, dated Washington Depot, December 8, 1863, the following articles, viz:

——— bushels of Corn, in sacks, at —— per bushel, of 56 pounds.
——— bushels of Oats, in sacks, at —— per bushel, of 32 pounds.
——— tons of baled Hay, at —— per ton, of 2,000 pounds.
——— tons of Straw, at —— per ton, of 2,000 pounds.

Delivery to commence on or before the ——— day of ———, 186—, and to be completed on or before the ——— day of ———, 186—, and pledge myself to enter into a written contract with the United States, with good and approved securities, within the space of ten days after being notified that my bid has been accepted.

Your obedient servant,
——————

Brigadier General D. H. RUCKER,
Chief Depot Quartermaster,
Washington, D. C.

GUARANTY.

We, the undersigned, residents of ———, in the county of ———, and State of ———, hereby, jointly and severally, covenant with the United States, and guarantee, in case the foregoing bid of ——— be accepted, that he or they will, within ten days after the acceptance of said bid, execute the contract for the same with good and sufficient sureties, in a sum equal to the amount of the contract, to furnish the forage proposed in conformity to the terms of advertisement dated December 7, 1863, under which the bid was made, and, in case the said ——— shall fail to enter into a contract as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference between the offer by the said ——— and the next lowest responsible bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

Witness, { Given under our hands and seals this ——— day of ———, 186—.
[Seal.]
[Seal.]

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the above named guarantors are good and sufficient as sureties for the amount for which they offer to be security.

To be certified by the United States District Attorney, Collector of Customs, or any other officer under the United States Government, or responsible person known to this office.

All proposals received under this advertisement will be opened and examined at this office on WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY of each week, at 12 m. Bidders are respectfully invited to be present at the opening of bids, if they desire.

D. H. RUCKER,
de11:6m Brig. Gen. and Quartermaster.

PROPOSALS FOR CAVALRY HORSES.

CAVALRY BUREAU,
OFFICE OF CHIEF QUARTERMASTER,
Washington, D. C., Feb. 24, 1864.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., on MONDAY, March 7th, 1864, for THREE THOUSAND (3,000) CAVALRY HORSES, to be delivered at Montpelier, Vt., within fifty (50) days from date of contract.

ONE THOUSAND (1,000) CAVALRY HORSES, to be delivered in Washington, D. C., (Giesboro Depot,) within thirty (30) days from date of contract.

ONE THOUSAND (1,000) CAVALRY HORSES, to be delivered in Elmira, N. Y., within forty (40) days from date of contract.

Also, Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., THURSDAY, March tenth, (10th,) 1864, for TWO THOUSAND (2,000) CAVALRY HORSES, to be delivered in Wheeling, West Virginia, within thirty (30) days from date of contract.

Said horses to be sound in all particulars, not less than five (5) nor more than nine (9) years old, from 14½ to 16 hands high, full fleshed, compactly built, bridle wise, and of size sufficient for cavalry purposes.

These specifications will be strictly adhered to, and rigidly enforced in every particular.

No bid will be entertained unless accompanied by a guarantee for its faithful performance.

Should any United States officer guarantee the proposal of a bidder who should prove to be irresponsible, his name will be reported to the Secretary of War, with a recommendation that such officer be dismissed the service.

All bidders and guarantors will be held to the strictest accountability, and every failure to comply with terms of contract, or to make the contract when awarded, will be followed by prosecution to the full extent of the law.

Form of bid and guaranty can be had on application to Captain JOHN W. McKIM, A. Q. M., at Boston, Mass., Capt. J. G. Farnsworth, A. Q. M., Wheeling, West Va., or at this office.

Successful bidders will be required to enter into written contracts, with good and sufficient security, immediately on the acceptance of their bids.

The oath of allegiance must accompany each bid.

The undersigned reserves the right to reject all bids deemed unreasonable.

No bid will be entertained for less than fifty horses.

Bids for the entire number of Horses required are invited.

Payment will be made on completion of contract, or as soon thereafter as funds may be received.

Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for Cavalry Horses" and addressed to Captain JAS. A. EKIN, Chief Quartermaster, Cavalry Bureau, Washington, D. C.

Any further information will be promptly given on application to JAMES A. EKIN,
Lt. Col. and Chief Q. M., Cavalry Bureau.
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ORDNANCE OFFICE,
WAR DEPARTMENT,
Washington, February 23, 1864.

Proposals will be received by this Department until TUESDAY, March 15th, at 4 p. m., for the delivery, at the following Arsenals, of HORSE EQUIPMENTS, United States Cavalry pattern, as hereinafter specified:

At the New York Arsenal, 3,000 sets.
At the Frankford Arsenal, 5,000 sets.
At the Allegheny Arsenal, 6,000 sets.
At the Cincinnati Depot, 3,000 sets.
At the St. Louis Arsenal, 3,000 sets.

☞ These sets of Horse Equipments are to be furnished complete, except the horse-brush, curry-comb, lariat, picket-pin link and blanket. The curb and watering bits, the malleable iron hardware and stirrups are to conform strictly in pattern and finish to those deposited at the Arsenals above named. The trees are to be of the regulation pattern, assorted sizes—not less than 3½ inches between the bars on the inside of the pommel, the side bars of hard white wood or beech, the pommels and cantles of beech, well put together; all the irons one-tenth of an inch thick, and all let into the wood; to be covered with the best slaughtered cow-hide; all other covering to be rejected. The trees to be subject to inspection during all stages of the manufacture, but the equipments will be inspected at the Arsenals where delivered.

Deliveries must be made in lots of not less than fifty cents per week for all contracts of 500 sets or under; one hundred sets per week for all contracts of from 500 up to 1,000 sets; two hundred sets per week for all contracts of from 1,000 to 2,000 sets; and five hundred sets per week for all contracts of from 3,000 to 5,000 sets. The first delivery to be made on the 2d day of April, 1864.

Failure to make deliveries at a specified time will subject the contractor to a forfeiture of the number he may fail to deliver at that time.

No bids will be considered from parties other than regular manufacturers, and such as are known to this Department to be fully competent to execute in their own shops the work proposed for.

Bidders will enclose with their bids the written acknowledgments of their sureties, over their own signatures.

Each party obtaining a contract will be obliged to enter into bonds, with approved sureties, for its faithful execution.

Upon the award being made, successful bidders will be notified, and furnished with forms of contract and bond.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all bids, if not deemed satisfactory.

Proposals will be addressed to "Brigadier General George D Ramsay, Chief of Ordnance, Washington, D. C.," and will be endorsed "Proposals for Horse Equipments." GEO. D. RAMSAY,
Brigadier General, Chief of Ordnance.
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PROPOSALS FOR STEAMBOAT TRANSPORTATION—PITTSBURGH OR WHEELING TO ST. LOUIS AND OMAHA.

PITTSBURGH, February 15th, 1864.

Sealed Proposals are invited until the 1st OF MARCH, by the undersigned, for transportation, by steamer, from Pittsburgh or Wheeling to St. Louis, and to Omaha City, from 3,000 TO 4,000 TONS OF RAILWAY IRON AND SUPPLIES, between the 1st day of March and June or July next. Proposals should be for all or any part or portion of the transportation.

All proposals must be accompanied with a guarantee for its faithful performance.

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WHEREAS, By satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, in the County of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, has been duly organized under and according to the requirements of the Act of Congress, entitled "An Act to provide a National Currency, secured by a pledge of United States Stocks, and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved February 25th, 1863, and has complied with all the provisions of said Act required to be complied with before commencing the business of Banking:

Now, therefore, I, HUGH McCULLOCH, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the said SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, is authorized to commence the business of Banking under the Act aforesaid.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office, this 13th day of February, 1864.
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