# Pittsburgh Gazette.

SATURDAY..................MARCH 26, 1864.


## RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

Canton Methodists have acquired an enviable fame in church enterprise by their good deeds. Prosperity having crowned the labors of several members of the Methodist church in that vigorous young city, they resolved to cease worshipping in an old frame meeting house, and erect an elegant edifice, combining all the modern improvements of the day, ventilation, light, heat, &c. The new edifice is most eligibly located on the corner of two streets, and is of the Romanesque style of architecture. It is 104 feet in length, including tower in the front and projection in the rear; while the building proper is 86 by 60. The steeple is 186 feet high, and is supplied with a sweet toned bell. The audience room has seating for 600, but by means near at hand 1000 can be accommodated. Seats cushioned, ceiling ribbed style, with pearl color between, and side walls of plain tints. Lighted from ceiling with reflectors. Windows stained glass. Aisles covered with Brussels carpet. Organ cost $2000. The lecture room and other rooms on first floor are beautiful. The whole costing $40,000, which was paid for before dedication, which occurred on the 13th inst. After the church was dedicated, the congregation made a "thank offering" in behalf of the cause of the mission of *six thousand* dollars—largest sum of any Methodist congregation in the bounds of the Pittsburgh Conference. Rev. S. P. Woolf, who has just been appointed Presiding Elder of the Pittsburgh District, was the pastor for the past two years.

—The twenty-first Convention of the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in the United States, will convene in York, Pa., May 5, 1864, and be opened with a sermon by Rev. Dr. Kurtz, President of the last convention.

—Recent intelligence from Australia reports that the various Presbyterian bodies in Queensland have become one. The highest body is a Synod. The basis of Union were—the word of God as the rule of faith—the Westminster Confession and Catechisms, the Form of Government, the Directory, for Public Worship, and the Second Book of Discipline or subordinate standards.

—Dr. Pusey of England, is out with a letter on the judgement in regard to the "Essays and Reviews," which he denounces as a miserable, soul destroying one, and must be "repudiated" by the Church of England, and adds, that "he has long anticipated the coming of a time when the presence of the common enemy of unbelief would draw closer into one band all who love our Lord as their Redeemer and their God, and the Bible as being indeed the very word of God."

—According to the *Presbyterian* the process of changing the Calvanistic Methodist churches of Wales into Presbyterian churches, has already begun.

—It appears from reliable sources that there is but one student in the Union Theological Seminary in Virginia.

—"Nesbannock," the able New York correspondent—said to be the Rev. Dr. Junkin, chaplain, in the U. S. Navy—of the *Presbyterian*, in noticing a sermon preached by Rev. Dr. Dix, of Trinity Episcopal Church, in the Tabernacle in Sixth Avenue, on a recent Sabbath, on the "Necessity of Unity in Religion," says, he argued against the *sects*; urged a return to primitive Christianity as the only way to secure unity; and strongly set forth the disadvantages of divisions. But the real object of his theory was indicated by his thrusts against the right of private judgement in the interpretation of the Scriptures. He predicted the period when there would be but one universal Church, but he writes, according to Mr. Dix, in this wise: (a) prelacy is the only true form of primitive Christianity; (b) the Anglo-American Church is the legitimate succession; (c) let all the "sects" return to her bosom, surrender the right of private judgement, and let "the Church" be the interpreter for all her children.

—Recent statistics show that the Jesuits are increasing. At the end of 1863 the number was 7,529, or 118 more than in 1862. They are distributed among nineteen establishments. There are 250 in the United States.

—At the monthly meeting of the Philadelphia Sabbath School Association, held some evenings since, Geo. H. Stuart, Esq., presiding, it was stated in the report of Mr. Martin, that five schools organized by the association had grown into places of worship, where the Gospel has been preached, and some three hundred individuals converted.

—Charles J. Spindler, teacher in the boys' school at Gundenburg, Prussia, has been appointed to the mission in Greenland.

—With all the difficulties attending the Home Mission work in New York City there are encouraging results from the labors of this society. It has been in operation thirty years, during which time there has been organized and in successful operation ten mission houses having the benefit of the labor of thirty-five missionaries, male and female, and eight hundred visitors. Sixty meetings are reported weekly, and many hundreds are securing the benefits of these means of grace. These "Mission Stations" are commonly on the second floor of a dwelling or warehouse, with accommodations for one or two hundred persons, where adults and children assemble at various times to receive scriptural instruction and useful knowledge, and where poor and distressed persons apply for sympathy and relief.

—The annual missionary collection of St. Paul's M. E. Church, Fourth Avenue, New York amounted to the noble sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars. It is but a few months ago since that $10,000 were collected in the same church for City Missions, thus making contributions of twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars within the financial year.

—The *Commercial Advertiser*, New York, says Broadway Tabernacle (Congregational we think) contributed eighty-eight thousand dollars during the last year. Sixty-five thousand dollars of this sum were appropriated to pay off the debt of the Church.


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## CITY AND SUBURBAN.

### From Yesterday's Evening Gazette

### The General Bounty Bill.

We are indebted to Senator Graham for a copy of the general bounty bill, as it passed the Senate. The principal amendment in the Senate was the striking out of the clause levying a *per capita* tax of "not more than five dollars on all taxable male inhabitants." The House refused to concur in this amendment, and a Conference Committee was appointed which reported, as has been announced, in fixing the poll tax at one dollar.

The first section legalizes all bonds or certificates of indebtedness heretofore issued by the corporate authorities of any county, city, ward or borough, or the school directors, road commissioners or supervisors of any township of the commonwealth, for the payment of bounties; and provides that where any committee or individual shall have paid or become personally liable for bounties to volunteers to the credit of any county, city, township, ward or borough, with the understanding or agreement that a law would be passed to levy a tax to pay the money so advanced, all such subscriptions shall be valid against such districts, as if the same had been borrowed or subscribed by the corporate authorities, and it shall be the duty of the commissioners, supervisors, or school directors, as the case may be, to levy and collect a tax to pay all such claims, with interest, and the cost of collection.

The second section legalises the payment of bounties by the commissioners and controller of any county, or the corporate authorities of any city, ward or borough, or by the school directors, road commissioners or supervisors of any township; and also legalizes all loans made for such purpose.

The third, fourth, fifth and sixth sections are not of material importance to the general reader. The seventh, eighth and ninth sections are important, and are given in full:

SEC. 7. That the said county commissioners or school directors, road commissioners, or supervisors of any township, or corporate authorities of any city, ward or borough, are hereby authorized (for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act) to borrow money and issue bonds or certificates of indebtedness, not less in amount than the sum of twenty-five dollars, except when the bounty is less than twenty-five dollars, in the name of such county, township, city, ward or borough, with or without interest coupons attached, payable at such times and in such manner as may be agreed upon, and to levy and assess on all property, professions, trades and occupations subject to taxation for state and county purposes, and collect such taxes as may be necessary to meet the principal and interest of said bonds and certificates as they shall become due and payable, which taxes shall be collected as county, city, ward, and borough taxes are now levied and collected, including a per capita tax of one dollar on all taxable male inhabitants. *Provided*, That in all cases where any person or persons liable to draft, have for the purpose of raising the sum requisite to pay a bounty to the volunteers required to fill the quota of any county, city, ward, borough or township, stipulated in writing to pay a sum greater than the amount of tax which would be due upon the assessed valuation of their real or personal property, it shall and may be lawful for the corporate authorities of such county, city, ward, borough and township, to collect the amount so subscribed. *Provided*, That no bonds or certificates issued under any of the provisions of this act shall be for a longer period than ten years. *Provided, further*, That in all cases where a borough and township have separate boards of school directors, and are embraced in one district for the purposes of the military draft, the directors of said districts are hereby authorized to act jointly in carrying into effect the provisions of this act.

SEC. 8. That in all cases where the county commissioners of any county, the school directors, road commissioners or supervisors of any township, or the corporate authorities of any city, ward or borough have levied a per capita tax *only* upon persons subject to draft or military duty, the action of the corporate authorities of the same is hereby legalized and made valid.

SEC. 9. That in any case where a part of the bounty authorized by this act has been paid by any ward, township, city or borough, and said ward, township, city or borough authorities as aforesaid, shall neglect or refuse to pay such part as remains unpaid by the terms of their agreement to pay bounties to volunteers; then the difference between the sum so paid and the full amount of the bounty promised (not exceeding in the whole the sum of three hundred dollars to each volunteer) shall be paid said volunteers by the county authorities in which said ward, townships, cities or boroughs are located, and the county commissioners in which said ward, townships, cities or boroughs are located, shall assess, levy and collect a tax on such defaulting ward, townships, city or boroughs as other ward, township, city or borough taxes are levied and collected, in such amounts as may be required to pay the balance due the volunteers as aforesaid from such defaulting township, city or borough.

Section tenth provides that the money borrowed by commissioners shall be paid over to the county treasurer, who shall pay the bounties to volunteers on the warrant or order of the commissioners.

Section eleventh provides that the money borrowed by school directors, road commissioners or supervisors of any township, or corporate authorities of any city, ward or borough, shall be paid to the treasurer of the same, and if such officer does not exist, to a person appointed for the purpose, who shall give bonds, &c.

Section twelfth provides that re-enlisted veterans, not credited to any special locality, and who shall hereafter be credited to the locality from which they originally volunteered, shall be paid bounty by the local authorities, under the provisions of this act.

Section thirteenth provides that in case of the death of any volunteer entitled to bounty, the money shall be paid to his legal representatives.

Section fourteenth relates to the auditing of the receipts and expenditures of the bounty fund, in like manner as other district accounts are audited.

Section fifteenth exempts from taxation all bonds or warrants issued under this act.

### Important Information to the Merchants and Manufacturers of Pittsburgh—Advertising Directory and Guide.

We are pleased to notice that our friend Mr. E. N. Bowes (deaf mute), son of late Gen. J. E. Bowes, U. S. A., of Indiana, is now sojourning in this city. He will call upon the merchants and business men generally in our city, with the view of introducing to them a new method by which they can make their business known. The style has been adopted in St. Louis, Baltimore and Philadelphia. It is the intention of the gentleman engaged in this enterprise to introduce his plan of advertising into the principal cities of the Western States.

He proposes to hang the Business Chart at the Depots, Hotels, &c. in this city, and also at the different thriving stations on the Pennsylvania Central R. R., Pittsburgh, Cleveland and Wheeling R. R., Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago R. R., and also at important river towns when *desired*. The Chart, or Card, will contain a fine steel portrait of a Union General, and that will attract attention. Those of our enterprising business men who desire to have their places of business well impressed upon the public mind, will avail themselves of the opportunity thus afforded them by Mr. Bowes, the genuine card printer and manager.

The Charts, when fully printed, will be displayed in the most public places, to the extent of Three Hundred large charts (measured 22 x 83), being the sufficient number for early distribution. Each advertiser will have as much space allotted as he may desire. The printing will be done in fine colors, and therefore add to the attraction. He will have them printed at his office, the "Press office," Philadelphia, and will faithfully perform all business intrusted to his care.

He is well recommended by the business men of those above mentioned cities for his untiring energy and attention.

Terms of payment, on credit until the Card is completed for circulation.

See the splendid samples of the "Philadelphia Card."

SALE OF FURNITURE, BRUSSELS CARPETS, ETC.—On Tuesday morning, at ten o'clock, there will be sold at M'Clelland's auction house, No. 55 Fifth street, an elegant assortment of household furniture, nearly new, including elegant marble top tables, French plate mirrors, Brussels and ingrain carpets, gold band China tea and dinner sets, French bedsteads, mattresses, etc. This lot is very large and choice, and those in need of furniture should by all means attend the sale. There will also be a sale of furniture at ten o'clock on Saturday, at which bargain will no doubt be offered.

CORRECTION.—In our notice of the accident at the Fort Pitt Works, there were several mistakes which we are requested to correct. Mr. McGinley (not McGinnis) while moving a gun, carelessly placed his foot on the shear of a nine inch (not twenty inch) lathe. His foot was caught and crushed by a "knocker," which moves very slowly, making about one revolution in thirty seconds. It was only by extreme carelessness that the accident occurred.

### The Iron Merchants and the Fair.

At a late meeting of the Iron Association of this city, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Western Iron Association heartily sympathises with the movement in this city, having for its object a Fair, for the benefit of the Sanitary Commission, and pledges itself to do all in its power to further so humane an object, and that the presiding officer of this Association appoint seven members as a Committee to co-operate with the Executive Committee of the Pittsburgh Sanitary Fair.

By subsequent motion, the Vice President of the Association in the Chair was added to the Committee, when the following Committee was announced.

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| B. H. Painter, | Henry W. Oliver, jr. |
| Geo. H. Holtzman, | Jos. McKnight, |
| M. K. Moorhead, | J. T. Wood, |
| Geo. W. Hailman, | B. Preston. |

### School Fair in Allegheny.

The pupils of the Second Ward schools, Allegheny, have been making preparations, for some time past, for a fair for the benefit of the Pittsburgh Subsistence Committee. As the schools close to-day for the spring vacation, the fair will be held this (Friday) evening, and Saturday afternoon, in the school building. The fair will open at seven o'clock, this evening, and at three o'clock Saturday afternoon. The display, we understand, will be quite creditable. Refreshments will be provided for visitors, and among other good things will be an ample supply of delicious ice cream. The attendance of parents, and others interested in the schools, will no doubt be large. The price of admission for adults is ten cents, and for children five cents.

### The Sanitary Fair.

It is stated that the Executive Committee of the Sanitary Fair have determined to open the exhibition on Wednesday, the 1st of June. They have also determined to set apart booths for the several counties which may wish to contribute, as such, to the fair. This a good arrangement, and we hope it will beget a spirit of emulation between the several adjacent counties, which will be creditable to themselves and profitable to the Sanitary Commission.

The trades of the two cities and vicinity are beginning to respond to the suggestions of the Executive Committee.

THE NEW CITY HALL IN ALLEGHENY.—This building is being pushed forward rapidly, and will soon be ready for occupancy. The Mayor's office will be removed to it on Tuesday next, and as the rooms on the first floor are not quite finished, the Mayor will occupy the basement fronting on Ohio street for a few weeks. The cells, which are built of solid masonry, will be a great improvement upon the pens now in use. New furniture for the office has been ordered by the committee.

PRESENTATION.—The pupils under the immediate instruction of Mr. M. B. Goff, Principal of the Third Ward schools, Allegheny, on Thursday presented him with a complete edition of Prescott's works, comprising nine volumes. The presentation was made by Miss Sophia Lenkard, on behalf of the donors, and the Principal responded in appropriate terms. The presentation was made on the occasion of the examination of the pupils in the Principal's Department.

LOST TRUNK.—Last evening, about nine o'clock, two young men, who were carrying a trunk down Penn street, entered a saloon to take a drink, leaving the trunk at the door, and upon returning to the street, the trunk was missing. Supposing that they were the victims of a joke, they procured a lantern and searched the neighboring yards, but were unable to obtain any clue to the missing property. The trunk was filled with clothing, which will doubtless be appropriated by the thief.

RELIGIOUS RECEPTION.—On Wednesday, February 17th, Miss Mary Gorman, (in religion, Sister Mary Joseph,) and Miss Mary Frances Kittell, (in religion, Sister M. Bernardine,) received the holy habit and white veil of the order of Mercy, at the hands of the Bishop of the Diocese, who preached on the occasion.

BIRMINGHAM.—The citizens of the borough of Birmingham will vote on Saturday on the question of the issue of bounty bonds for volunteers to fill the quota of the borough under the late call of the President.

THE TWENTY INCH GUN, at the Fort Pitt Works, is being bored at the rate of *twenty-four* inches per day, instead of *four* inches, as stated in our morning edition.

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## COMMERCIAL RECORD.

### PITTSBURGH MARKET.

[Reported Expressly for the Pittsburgh Gazette.] FRIDAY, March 25, 1864.

GRAIN—Wheat is more active but nominally unchanged; we continue to quote from wagon at $1,30 for Red and $1,35 for White. Corn is in better demand but not quotably higher; sale of 150 sks White, in grs, at $1,10; 3 cars shelled at $1,15, and 5 cars do, on private terms. Oats steady, with a fair demand and light receipts; we note small sales from store at 85a87.

GROCERIES—Sugar is firm and higher; we note sales at 15a15½c for Cubs and 16 to 17c for New Orleans. Coffee, also, is a shade higher, and is now quoted at 38½, 39, and 40. Molasses is stiff, with sales at from 75 to 80c for old and 85 to 87c for new. Syrups, too, have advanced, sales of "Booth & Edgar's" having been made at $1,15. Rice is selling at from 9½ to 10.

PROVISIONS—There is no falling off in the demand for Bacon and the market is firm but unchanged. We continue to quote at 10½a10¾c for Shoulders; 12a13½c for Ribbed and Clear Sides, 14c for Plain Hams, and 15c for Sugar Cured. Lard is quiet at 14c for city. Mess Pork ranges from $23,50 to $24.

FLOUR—There is a fair demand for this article at unchanged prices. Sale in one lot of 100 bbls Family at $7,12; and 62 bbls, low grade, at $6,50.

FISH—Steady, with a fair jobbing demand at former rates. We note small sales at $12,50a12,75 ⅌ bbl for No 3 Large Mackeral; $10 for No 3 Medium; $5 ⅌ half bbl for Lake Herring and $7,75 for White Fish.

BUTTER & EGGS—Butter is in good demand and firm at from 40 to 45c for common to strictly prime Roll. Eggs in good supply and dull, with a drooping tendency; sales at from 20 to 23c.

MILL FEED—Sale of 10 tons Middlings at $1,65 ⅌ cwt.

HAY—Is in fair demand, but unchanged; sales of loose from scales at $33 to $35 ⅌ ton. Baled Hay ranges from $25 to $30.

BEANS—Sale of 20 bush prime small White at $2,75 ⅌ bush.

CHEESE—Sales in lots of 125 bxs English Dairy at 15a15½.

WHISKY—Is firm and somewhat excited; Common is now held at from 98c to $1,00.

### Pittsburgh Petroleum Market.

MARCH 25.—The Petroleum market was comparatively quiet to-day, though the firmness noted in our last still continues. Indeed, Crude sold at a slight advance, several small lots having changed hands at 27 to 27½c, and these, we may remark, are the highest figures that have been obtained in this market for several months. Quotations may be fairly given at 22c in bulk and 27a27½ in bbls, the market closing firm at full rates. Refined is excited, firm and unsettled. The only sale reported, was 300 bbls, free—on speculation—at 54; The general asking rates for prime standard brands are 45c in bond; and 55c, free, and it is but proper to remark that, as yet, there have been but few sales at these figures. Naptha is in demand and the supply light, at 23½a25. Residuum may be quoted at from $4,15 to $4,25 ⅌ bbl.

### New York Petroleum Market.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

NEW YORK, March 25.—There is a good demand for Crude, and prices are tending upward; sales on the spot at 32a32½c and 33c for April delivery. Refined, in bond, is firm and a shade higher, with sales at 49½a51c. Free Oil is steady with an advancing tendency; sales on the spot at 59a61c, and 63a64 for future delivery. There is a moderate demand for Naptha, and prices are firm.

### Edward Bill's Flour and Grain Circular.

New York March 22.—The daily arrivals of Western Extra and Family brands of Flour have of late been nearly sufficient to supply the limited wants of the city trade, and with the near approach of spring, there is an increased desire to sell and reduce the winter stock from store, prices, in consequence, continue irregular and are lower on the fortnight. For the shipping grades of Extra State and Ohio, the English demand (with the late unfavorable advices) has been light, and buyers have had the advantage of 10 to 15 cents decline.

At yesterday's market the trade was quiet, but there was more inquiry, chiefly for the British Provinces. In Wheat the transactions have been light. The stock having become greatly reduced, holders of good shipping qualities of spring and winter are not ready sellers and are disposed to ask rates that exporters are unwilling to pay in the face of the declining market in England. Rye is inactive and without much change in value. Oats are in fair demand. For Indian Corn there is no shipping inquiry, the trade being confined to the wants of the city government. With more free supplies of new, the prices of old and new are a few cents lower.

### Chicago Market.

MARCH 24.—There was a brisk inquiry for Wheat, both by shippers and speculators, and we note an improvement in prices of fully ½c per bushel—with liberal sales of No. 1 Spring at $1,15½a1 16; No. 2 Spring at $1,10a1,10½; rejected Spring at $1, and No. 2 Red Winter Indiana at $1,25—the market closing very firm at the advanced quotations. Old Corn ruled dull and was entirely neglected—there being no sales reported. New Corn declined ½c per bushel—with sales of No. 1 at 82a82½c, No. 2 at 78½a79c, and Rejected at 72½a73c. The great bulk of the transactions having been at the inside figures. Oats were less active and dull, with a decline in prices of ¼a½c per bushel—No. 1 selling at 64½a65c, and No. 2 at 62½c, closing quiet. Rye was in better demand and firmer, with sales of No. 1 at $1,01. There was also an active demand for Barley, and the market shows a further advance of 2c per bushel, with sales of No. 2 at $1,20a1,24, and by sample at $1,27½a1,35. Highwines were active and buoyant, and we note a further advance in prices of 2½a3c per gallon, with sales of about 2,600 barrels at 83a85c, the market closing steady but not very active.

### New York Coffee Market.

March 23.—Brazil has been inactive of late, and stock accumulating, prices at one time since our last were quoted one-quarter of a cent lower, but yesterday, as Gold advanced, there was more inquiry and increased firmness, so that we retain our quotations of Friday last unchanged. Other kinds are quiet, but have commanded good prices. The sales are 2853 bags Santos, per Eunomia (to resale), on terms not transpired; 1730 Rio, including 100 before arrival, part 57 cents; 1435 Maracaibo, 35½a36, with some inferior 34; 119 Costa Rica, 37½a40; 117 Angostura, 33, 4 mos., 21 bgs and 80 bbls Jamaica, 34½; 213 bgs St Domingo, 33½a33¾; and 175 Stained do 31½ cash. The stock of Rio in the Country, as made up by Messrs W. Scott & Son, is 59,916 bags, viz, 52,074 here, 5842 in Philadelphia, and 2000 in Baltimore.

### Imports by River.

WHEELING—PER MINERVA—5 bbls dry apples Trimble, 12 do do, 8 sks beans, Christy; 37 sks wheat, Noble & Angel; 56 bbls benzine, J P Duncan; 473 sks barley, Joshua Rhodes; 38 bbls willows; L Mooney; 120 oil bbls, Brewer; Burke & co; 6 hhds tobacco, T C Penn; 80 flour bbls, J B Liggett; 1 pkg produce, Potter, Aiken & Shepard.

LOUISVILLE—PER TEMPEST—23 hhds tobacco, J W Taylor; 2 do do, F A Mason; 27 do do, F M Poindexter; 15 do do, John Grazier; 20 do do, D & W Rinehart; 2 pkgs sundries, John T Horne; 9 do do, J H Wood; 1 pair mules, Bidwell; 20 coils rope; 7 pkgs tins & co; 150 b h goods, Eve Leiter; 118 bbls whisky; 308 bxs starch, 192 hhds tobacco, Clark & co.

ZANESVILLE—PER STEAMER JULIA—558 bbls flour, 47 rolls leather, 5 hhds bacon, 35 bbls eggs, Clarke & co; 82 oil bbls, 10,000 hoop poles, 160 bags corn, 8 bbls eggs, Fetzer & Armstrong; 132 sks corn, 7 sks dried apples, McBane & Anjer; 1 box eggs, C Stolzambach; 100 bbls flour Jas Gardner; 40 do do Graham & Thomas; 9 pkgs, B A Fahnestock & co; 246 bags shorts, A J Hagan; 8 pkgs eggs, F Van Gorder; 3 boxes tobacco, Thos Moore, 4 pkgs eggs, Head & Metzger; 1 bbl do, J Gutendorf; 15 pkgs produce, J B Dilworth & co, 7 do A Wagner; 85 doz chairs, Headstands, Hadley & Rockerhouser; 32 oil bbls, 7 bbls D M Edgerton.

151 flour bbls, J B Liggett & co; 100 oil bbls Ardesco Oil co; 61 oil bbls, Jas A Hutchinson; 104 bbl apples, 8 bbls apple butter, 29 sks potatoes, J O Paden; 12 pks produce, Fleming & Steele; 24 sks potatoes, 40 sks corn, 29 pks sundries, Wm P B ck & co; 25 bbls apples, 2 bbls eggs, L H Voight & co; 10 pks sundries, A Gross; 75 bags corn, Rea & Keil; 5 sks flax seed, Cook, Fettit & co; 2 hhds tobacco, 1 bdl sheep skins, Mr. Parr; 858 feet lumber, Capt. Goldfog; 6000 feet lumber, Mr. Goodman; 47 oil bbls, steamer Julia; lot moving, owner.

### Imports by Railroad.

PITTSBURGH FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD March 25—1 car oil bbls, Forsyth & bro; 200 hides, J Y McLaughlin; 270 do, Henry Dean; 9 pkgs rags, McCullough, Smith & co; 15 hides J H Ralston; 6 bbls flour, Weyman & son; 25 bxs soap, Wm Cooper; 25 do do, J S Dilworth & co; 2 bbls eggs, 1 bx butter, John Miller; 18 bbls eggs, James Brown; 150 hides, J O Lappe; 10 bbls paper, W S Haven; 1 car metal, R C Loomis; 2 pkgs brandy, Frank & Rosenberger; 163 sks corn, Thos Bell & co; 1443 bulk shoulders, J P Hanna & co; 20 bbls scrap iron, Hitchcock, McCreery & co; 19 bgs seed, L H Voigt & co; 9 bbls hams, 15 do shoulders; Shomaker & Lang; 12 sks rags, Markle & co.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R., March 25—2 bbls sugar, 12 pkgs pails, Shulz, son & co; 8 bbls apples, N Angel; 54 sks 5 bbls wheat, J S Liggett & co; 10 pkgs pearl barley, E Heazleton; 6 bgs rags, Shomaker & Lang; 8 do do, Godfrey & Clark; 2 pkgs butter; 1 do eggs, H Riddle; 100 pkgs plaster, Burke & Barnes, 500 sks corn, Thos Bell & co; 20 do do, Hitchcock, McCreery & co; 163 bgs rye, Thos Moore; 20 bbls sand, Bakewell, Pears & co; 50 do do, Plunkett & co; 97 bbls wheat, Noble & Angel; 110 bbls flour, H Gerwig & co; 100 do do, McDonald & Arbuckle; 151 sks wheat, J S Liggett & co; 610 bush corn, Wilson & Worthington; 5 bbls eggs, 2 do dry apples, F Vangorder; 7 bbls eggs, Jas Montooth; 22 pkgs leather, J Knox; 5 bbls eggs, S Moran.

## STEAMBOATS.


FOR CINCINNATI & LOUISVILLE.—The fine passenger steamer TEMPEST, Capt. Wait, will leave as above on MONDAY, 28th inst., at 4 o'clock p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to J. D. COLLINGWOOD, JOHN FLACK, Agents.

FOR ST. LOUIS.—The fine passenger steamer NEW YORK, Capt. H. J. Lightner, will leave as above THIS DAY, 16th inst., at 4 p. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to JOHN FLACK, J. D. COLLINGWOOD, Agents.

REGULAR WHEELING & PARKERSBURG PACKET.—The fine steamer MINERVA, Capt. John Gordon, will leave Pittsburgh for Wheeling every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, making close connections with the Wheeling and Parkersburg Packets. Returning, will leave Wheeling every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY. Passengers and freight receipted through to Parkersburg. For freight or passage apply on board or to JAS. COLLINS & CO., Agents, On Wharf Boat, at the foot of Wood street.

FOR WHEELING, MARIETTA AND ZANESVILLE.—The fine passenger steamer EMMA GRAHAM, Monroe Ayres, Commander, leaves Pittsburgh every TUESDAY, at 4 p. m., and Zanesville every FRIDAY, at 8 o'clock a. m. The new steamer JULIA, Wm. Coulson, Commander, leaves Pittsburgh every SATURDAY, at 4 p. m., and Zanesville every TUESDAY, at 8 o'clock a. m. For freight or passage apply on board or to J. D. COLLINGWOOD, Agent, Pittsburgh. H. S. PIERCE & CO., Agents, Zanesville, Ohio.


## FOR SALE—FOR RENT.


TWO FARMS FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale his Farms, containing four hundred and sixty acres, all cleared, of which there are forty acres of meadow ground, except a sufficient quantity of timber, which is reserved for its use. To persons desirous of engaging in stock raising or agricultural pursuits, this is a rare opportunity, as the same has been kept for a stock farm for the last fifteen years. Will be sold whole or in part, to suit purchasers. One-half has got the best of improvements, viz: Large Frame Dwelling, nearly new; Frame Barn, forty by eighty, with an eighteen foot shed in front; Sheep Houses, with all other improvements necessary to make it a choice farm; two good orchards of grafted fruit; fences good, together with an abundance of never-failing springs. The other half has erected thereon a two-storied Log House, with other improvements. Said land is situated sixteen miles from Allegheny City, and five minutes' walk from the Zelienople and Perrysville Plank Road. Enquire of DAVID ROBINSON, residing on the premises, or JOHN McCLUNG, Penn street, Pittsburgh.

IMPORTANT TO BUTCHERS.—For Sale, 75 LOTS, each having a front of 20 feet on Laurel and Juniper streets, and ranging in depth from 100 to 120 feet to Boundary street, where there is a fine stream of water, and near the line of the Pennsylvania railroad. The location is worthy the serious attention of those engaged in butchering, as it presents advantages not surpassed by any around the city. It is about midway between the city line and East Liberty, where the Pennsylvania Railroad Company are establishing their extensive cattle yards, and where the butchers will soon have to resort to obtain their supply of beef, &c., as the cattle yards within the city limits will soon have to yield their locations to rapidly increasing population, which now nearly surround them. Terms easy. Apply at the Real Estate and Insurance Office of O. S. BATES, Butler street, Lawrenceville.

TO GARDENERS AND VINE GROWERS.—The subscriber has sub divided his Farm, situate four miles down the Ohio river, on which the Accommodation Trains of the Pittsburgh, Fort & Chicago R. R. stop, into lots varying from 5 to 14 acres, which he offers for sale on accommodating terms. Some of the lots are level and well suited for gardening purposes and country seats, whilst others are partly hillside, and the very best sites in the county for vineyards. Never-failing springs on nearly every lot, a plan of which can be seen at the store of GRAHAM & THOMAS, 155 and 157 Liberty street, Pittsburgh, and on the premises, where persons wishing to purchase good property near the city will please call. JAMES GRAHAM.

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. M. BOLES, South Avenue, Allegheny City.

FOR SALE—A Beautiful Residence in Sharpsburg, situated on Main street. The house contains seven rooms and finished attic. A well of good water and an excellent cistern at the door, with pump in each. The lot is 77 feet 4 inches front and 200 feet deep, to a street. There is Fruit, Flowers and Shrubbery in abundance. Persons desirous of purchasing a beautiful residence, cannot find a more pleasant one in this vicinity. Enquire of the family of the subscriber, on the premises, or J. O. LEWIS, of the firm of Lewis, Dalzell & Co., at their mill in Sharpsburg. H. H. LEWIS.

THREE COTTAGE HOUSES FOR SALE, fronting on Bidwell street, (Bagaley's Lane.) Second Ward, Allegheny, on the line of Manchester Passenger Railway, nearly opposite the residence of Hon. Elisha Heath. Also, a CHOICE CORNER LOT, CHEAP, adjoining the above, situate on the corner of Allegheny avenue and Fayette street—67½ by 190½ feet deep. The location is one of the most desirable in the city. Terms easy. Apply to W. CARSON, No. 46 Ohio street, opposite the Mayor's Office, Allegheny.

VALUABLE RIVER PROPERTY FOR SALE, situated on the Monongahela River, above the first Lock, having a front on said river of 977 feet, and extending back to Braddock street, adjoining the Connellsville Railroad, containing 4 acres and 77 perches. This is an admirable location for manufacturing purposes, having the river in front and public street and railroad in the rear, and Saw Mill and buildings thereon erected. For terms, &c., apply to MARY ANN TUSTIN, on the premises, or to W. C. AUGHINBAUGH, No. 114 Diamond street, Pittsburgh.

LOTS AND HOUSE FOR SALE.—Will be sold at public Sale, on the premises, on MONDAY, the 28th day of March, instant, at 10 o'clock a. m., Lots Nos. 6 and 8 in Millersville, 2½ miles from Hulton Station, on the Allegheny Valley R. R.—Lot No. 6 containing 36⅛, and No. 8-72 square perches, on which is erected a two story Brick House, 52 by 21 feet, containing nine rooms and cellar under the whole; also a good Stable and other outbuildings. Title indisputable. Terms at sale. C. SNIVELY, Attorney in fact for the heirs of Michael Medaker, deceased.

FOR SALE—A valuable business property, consisting of a BRICK HOUSE AND STORE, 31x70 feet, two stories; a BRICK WAREHOUSE, detached from main building, 20x40, with or without a fine fruit garden, together with the stock and fixtures of a small Hardware business, on easy terms the proprietor wishing to retire from business. Enquire at THIS OFFICE. Also, a COTTON WARPER, new, never in use, and the Furniture and Fixtures of a DRUG STORE.

FOR SALE—Twenty-seven Acres of Land, part of the Lorenz farm, commanding a fine view of Pittsburgh and vicinity. 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, No. 92 Water street.

FOR SALE—A STEAM ENGINE, 13 foot stroke, 10 inch cylinder, 13 feet iron fly wheel, and of about 150 horse power. Also, one Elevator, two Dry Ovens, and Steam Glue Boilers, one upright Boring Machine, one Chain Back Saw, one machine for making Pump Beds for Oil Wells, one Dove Tail Machine, and about 100 feet 2½ and 3 inch Shafting. All of the above articles will be sold at a great bargain by applying at once at 42 FIFTH STREET.

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 enquire of A. D. SMITH, 63 Water street, Pittsburgh.

FOR SALE—At 347 Liberty street, opposite the Penna. R. R. Passenger Depot, one lot of large CASKS, suitable for Oil; RECTIFYING TUBS; GIN and BRANDY PIPES; one large MIXING TUB with a quantity of other articles pertaining to a Wholesale Liquor Store. These must be sold before the 1st of April, as the owner designs going West.

FOR SALE OR LEASE—A TRACT OF COAL in Elizabeth township, Allegheny county, Pa., situated in Pool No. 3, containing about 35 acres, with 8 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 166 Fourth street. G. H. TOWER, Real Estate Ag't.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE FOR CITY PROPERTY.—That LARGE DWELLING, with grounds attached, on Carson street, formerly occupied by Christian Ihmsen, late of East Birmingham. Stabling and outbuildings in the rear of the Dwelling House. FRED. L. IHMSEN, 109 Fourth street, Pittsburgh.

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, 343 Liberty 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, Masonic Hall, Fifth street.

FOR SALE OR RENT—A Farm of 52 Acres, good land, in Wilkins township, adjoining land of Peter Perchment, and within a short distance of the Pennsylvania Railroad. Terms reasonable. Enquire of WM. WARD, First door from Fifth, on Grant street.

FOR RENT—Six large and well lighted SHOPS, 80x100, suitable for Cabinet Makers or Machine Shops. Will be leased to one or [illegible]

GOLD PENS.

FAIRCHILD'S GOLD PENS. WARREN'S GOLD PENS.

These are the best in the market, which we can not only recommend, but fully warrant every pen sold. DAVIS, CLARKE & CO., 93 Wood street.

INDIA RUBBER BELTING, HOSE, STEAM PACKING and GASKETS—A large stock on hand and for sale at the India Rubber Depot of J. & H. PHILLIPS, Nos. 24 and 26 St. Clair street.

LAKE HERRING.—200 half barrels Lake Herring for sale by HENRY H. COLLINS.

COLT'S REVOLVERS for sale by JAMES BOWN, 136 Wood street.

100 KEGS NAILS, assorted sizes, at less than manufacturers prices, in store and for sale by PATTERSON & AMMON, No. 6 Wood street.

BUTTER AND EGGS.—Receiving daily per express, fresh Roll Butter and Eggs, in barrels and half barrels. L. H. VOIGT & CO.

CUTLERY.—A large assortment of Table and Pocket, for sale by JAMES BOWN, 136 Wood street.

COOPERS' AND CARPENTERS' TOOLS for sale by JAMES BOWN, 136 Wood street.

CALKING IRONS, Shugart's & Carver's make, for sale by JAMES BOWN, 136 Wood street.

FISH! FISH!—Nos. 1, 2 and 3 large and medium Mackerel; Lake Herring; White Fish, Labrador and Bay Island Herring, for sale by [illegible] LITTLE & TRIMBLE.


## 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 bushels 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, Brig. Gen. and Quartermaster.

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, 5,000 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 2,000 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.

ORDNANCE OFFICE, WAR DEPARTMENT, Washington, March 19, 1864.

The time for receiving the proposals under the above advertisement for Horse Equipments, is postponed until the 1st DAY OF APRIL, at 4 p. m. The rate of delivery per week will be one-tenth of the whole amount contracted for, and the time of first delivery is so amended as to allow each bidder to specify when he can make his first delivery. Samples of the equipments can be seen at the Frankfort Arsenal, Bridesburg, Pa., after the 24d inst.

GEO. D. RAMSAY, Brig. General, Chief of Ordnance.

OFFICE ARMY CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE, PHILADELPHIA, March 16, 1864.

Sealed Proposals are invited and will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., on MONDAY, the 28th inst., for supplying the Schuylkill Arsenal with GRAY WOOLEN BLANKETS, army standard, of domestic manufacture, in order that the present weekly deliveries may be largely increased.

Bidders must state in their proposals, which must be given in writing, as well as in figures, the quantity bid for, and time of delivery.

The ability of the bidder to fill the contract must be guaranteed by two responsible persons, whose signatures will be appended to the guaranty, and said guaranty accompany the bid; 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 reasonable bidder, or the person to whom the contract may be awarded.

Bidders, as well as their sureties, or guarantors, who may not be known at this office, will furnish a certificate from the United States District Attorney, Postmaster, or other public functionary, at the residence of the bidder, or guarantors, setting forth clearly the fact that the bidder and his sureties are responsible men, who will, if a contract is awarded them, act in good faith with the United States, and faithfully execute the same.

No bid will be entertained that does not fully comply with all of the above requirements, and which is not properly guaranteed by two responsible parties, as above described.

Bids from defaulting contractors will not be received.

Blank forms for proposals can be had upon application at this office.

Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for 'Army Blankets.'" G. H. CROSMAN, Assistant Q. M. General, U. S. A.

OFFICE ARMY CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE, TWELFTH AND GIRARD STREETS, Philadelphia, March 21, 1864.

Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m. on WEDNESDAY, the 30th inst., for supplying the Schuylkill Arsenal with the following articles:

Common Tents, of linen or cotton duck, to weigh not less than 10 ounces to the yard, of 28½ inches wide; sample of the material required.

Iron Pots, 6 gallons, 36 pounds, ¾ inch bail, army standard.

Petroleum and Tarred Paper for bailing purposes; samples required.

Bids from defaulting contractors will not be received.

Blank forms for proposals can be had upon application at this office.

Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for Army Supplies," stating the particular article bid for.

G. H. CROSMAN, Col and Asst. Q. M. General, U. S. A.

SUBSISTENCE OFFICE, U S ARMY, No. 20 SOUTH STREET, Baltimore, Md., March 21st, 1864.

Sealed Proposals, in duplicate, will be received at this office until 12 m., on FRIDAY, April 1st, 1864, for furnishing the United States Subsistence Department with—

FOUR THOUSAND (4,000) HEAD OF BEEF CATTLE, on the hoof, delivered at the State Cattle Scales, at Baltimore, Md., in lots of (1,000) one thousand each every (10) ten days; to be weighed within one-and-a half days after arrival, at the expense of the contractor. They must average about (1,300) thirteen hundred pounds gross weight; all falling short of (1,000) pounds gross weight, Bulls, Stags, Oxen, Cows, Heifers and Hornless Cattle will be rejected.

A deduction of ten (10) pounds will be made from the weight of each Steer accepted, under this contract, provided the animal does not stand in the pens two and one-half hours before being weighed, or is not weighed immediately after removal from the cars.

Blank forms for proposals can be had on application at this office, either in person, by mail, or telegraph.

The Government will claim the right of weighing any one animal separate, if its appearance indicates less weight than the minimum mentioned above; the expense of weighing will be paid by the party erring in judgment.

Each bid, to secure consideration, must contain a written guarantee of two responsible persons, as follows:

We ——, of the county of ——, State of ——, do hereby guarantee that —— is (or are) able to fulfill a contract in accordance with the terms of his (or their) proposition, and should his (or their) proposition be accepted, he (or they) will at once enter into a contract in accordance therewith, giving good and sufficient bonds for its fulfilment.

The responsibility of the guarantors must be shown by the official certificate of the Clerk of the nearest District Court, or of the United States District Attorney, to be enclosed with the bid.

The Government reserves to itself the right to reject any or all bids considered unreasonable.

Payments to be made after each delivery, in such funds as may be on hand; if none on hand, to be made as soon as received.

Proposals must be endorsed distinctly, "Proposals for Beef Cattle," and addressed to "Capt. THOS. C. SULLIVAN, C. S., Baltimore, Maryland."

If a bid is in the name of a firm, their names and their post office address must appear, or they will not be considered.

Each person or every member of a firm offering a proposal must accompany it by an oath of allegiance to the United States Government, if he has not already filed one in this office.

All bids not complying strictly with the terms of this advertisement will be rejected.

THOMAS C. SULLIVAN, Captain and C.S., U. S. A.

ORANGES AND LEMONS.

500 boxes Messina Oranges; 100 do do Lemons. Just received and for sale by REYMER & BROS., Nos. 126 and 128 Wood street.

NEW BOOKS! NEW BOOKS!

RISE AND PROGRESS OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS—A biography of Robt. Raikes and Wm. Fox. By John C. Power. 1 vol. Price $1 00.

A MANUAL ON EXTRACTING TEETH—Founded on the Anatomy of the parts involved in the operation; the kinds and proper construction of instruments, &c. 1 vol. [illegible]

HEAVEN OUR HOME. 1 vol. [illegible]

DARING AND SUFFERING.—By Lieut. Pittenger. A large supply of the latter work just received. J. L. READ, 78 Fourth street.


## BANKS.


DOLLAR SAVINGS BANK, NO. 65 FOURTH STREET.

CHARTERED IN 1855.

Open daily from 9 to 2 o'clock, also on Wednesday and Saturday evenings, from May 1st to November 1st, from 7 to 9 o'clock, and from November 1st to May 1st from 6 to 8 o'clock.

Deposits received of all sums not less than One Dollar, and a dividend of the profits declared twice a year, in June and December. Interest has been declared semi-annually, in June and December, since the Bank was organized, at the rate of six per cent. a year.

Interest, if not drawn out, is placed to the credit of the depositor as principal, and bears the same interest from the first days of June and December, compounding twice a year without troubling the depositor to call, or even to present his pass book. At this rate money will double in less than twelve years.

Books, containing the Charter, By-Laws, Rules and Regulations, furnished gratis, on application at the office.

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SECOND NATIONAL BANK, OF PITTSBURGH.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, Washington City, Feb. 13th, 1864.

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. [SS.] HUGH McCULLOCH, Comptroller of the Currency.

THE SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH, PA.,

(Formerly IRON CITY TRUST COMPANY.)

Capital, $300,000, with privilege to increase to $1,000,000.

The IRON CITY TRUST COMPANY having organized under the National Currency Act, offers its services for the transaction of a General Banking Business. Drafts bought and sold. Money received on Deposit, and Collections made on all parts of the country.

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JNO. E. PATTERSON, Cashier.

THIRD NATIONAL BANK, OF PITTSBURGH.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, Washington City, Feb. 27, 1864.

WHEREAS, By satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the THIRD 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 THIRD 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 27th day of February, 1864. [SS.] HUGH McCULLOCH, Comptroller of the Currency.

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Third Accommodation Train for Wall's Station leaves daily (except Sunday) at 3:50 p. m.

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| Philadelphia Express | 1:20 p. m. |
| Fast Line | 1:30 a. m. |
| Through Mail Train | 1:00 a. m. |
| Johnstown Accommodation | 10:05 a. m. |
| First Wall's Station Accommodation | 6:25 a. m. |
| Second Wall's Station Accommodation | 8:35 a. m. |
| Third Wall's Station Accommodation | 1:55 p. m. |
| Fourth Wall's Station Accommodation | 6:05 p. m. |

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| To Philadelphia | 10 50 | To Lancaster | 8 81 |
| To Harrisburg | 7 65 | To Altoona | 3 60 |

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