The Pittsburgh Gazette.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 1864.

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Homes for Disabled Soldiers and Soldiers' Orphans.

In several of the loyal States the proposition has been considered to establish homes for the disabled soldiers of this war, and for such orphans of soldiers as may be in need of charitable assistance. Generally, the proposition has been confined to the establishment of homes by the individual liberality of the people, without resort to State aid. In our own State, it will be remembered, the suggestion for the establishment of homes for soldiers' orphans came originally from Governor CURTIN in his last annual message. About the time that suggestion was made, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, with most praiseworthy liberality, had donated fifty thousand dollars for the education and maintenance of the orphans of Pennsylvania soldiers. Hon. THOMAS H. BURROWES, the State agent appointed by Governor CURTIN to disburse this sum, has devised a plan which has been published and which meets the approbation of the Governor. It provides for the *distribution* of these orphans in suitable institutions now established throughout the State, where their intellectual and moral culture as well as their physical support will be properly cared for. The fund now on hand is believed to be sufficient to commence this humane undertaking, but the plan recommended cannot be kept long enough in operation to produce any useful result, unless sufficient additions be made to it by public and private donations. We presume that the next Legislature will be called upon to add to this fund, and if there is a sufficient guarantee that the benevolent institutions of the State will receive the orphans, it is probable that the amount asked for will be appropriated. And when the scheme is fairly inaugurated, the uniform liberality and the patriotic spirit of our people fully warrant the belief that private donations to a large amount will annually be poured into the orphans' fund.

It will be observed that the suggestion of the Governor and the donation of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company have no reference to the establishment of homes for disabled soldiers. So far as our observation has extended, the only tangible proposition looking to the relief of those soldiers from our State who have been unfitted to earn their own support has come from the Sanitary Committee of this city. At a meeting of the Committee on the 20th day of May, it was

Resolved, That out of the funds now in their hands to be received from the Sanitary Keystone Fair, there be appropriate at least ten per cent. of the net receipts to be placed in the Pittsburgh Subsistence Committee in aid of the Soldiers' Home for sick and wounded soldiers.

Resolved, also, that 25 per cent. of the net proceeds be set aside for a home for disabled soldiers, or for orphans of soldiers, unless the agencies of the war shall require the expenditure for that object and wanted of the entire fund.

At the time these resolutions were adopted, the Committee deemed it proper to say to the public that the above named disposition of a portion of the funds arising from the Sanitary Fair met with the unanimous approval of the Executive Committee of that Fair. We are informed that over ninety thousand dollars now on deposit in accordance with the above appropriations, the Subsistence Committee not having found it necessary to draw upon that portion of the proceeds of the Fair, and the Sanitary Committee having sufficient funds for the relief of the soldiers in the field, without diminishing the fund contingently set aside for disabled soldiers and soldiers' orphans. We are further informed that the Subsistence Committee hope to be able to appropriate their ten per cent. fund, amounting to about twenty five thousand dollars, to aid in the establishment of the home contemplated by the larger appropriation of twenty-five per cent. [illegible]

We believe it has been determined that, if the Sanitary Commission and the Subsistence Committee shall be enabled to adhere to their present purpose respecting the disposition of the above mentioned ninety thousand dollars, they will, as soon as the fact shall be ascertained, make application for an act of incorporation for a Soldiers' Home for Western Pennsylvania, to be exclusively for disabled soldiers, and not for soldiers' orphans. We understand that the gentlemen who are connected in an official way with the Sanitary and Subsistence Committees are of the opinion that, in view of the action already taken by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and Governor CURTIN with regard to the care of soldiers' orphans, and in view also of the extensive facilities afforded to these orphans by institutions already organized in our midst, it is only necessary to make provision for disabled soldiers. In this opinion, we doubt not the honest judgment of this community, and of all who contributed to the success of our Sanitary Fair, will heartily concur. And now the war end soon, so that there may be no need to divert our magnificent deposit of ninety thousand dollars from the noble purpose to which it is proposed to devote it.

PITTSBURGH ALLEGHENY.—The city of Pittsburgh must have a nice set of "city fathers." Two of her aldermen have been just convicted, one of receiving stolen goods, for which he was sentenced to the Penitentiary for twenty months, and the other of misdemeanor in office, for which he was fined a small sum, and after the commission of the offence he had enlisted in the army.

We find the above paragraph going the rounds. It is all true, every word of it. We have a nice set of "city fathers," with a few exceptions, the two above noted included. And the reason we have such a respectable body of "city fathers," we assure our complimentary contemporaries, is entirely owing to the fact that, when we catch a rogue in office here, we not only cause him to make room for an honest man, but we likewise look him up a while and otherwise treat him as a common felon. Other cities keep their rogues in office, and hence it cannot be said with truth that *their* "fathers" are as "nice" as they might be.

GENERAL BURNSIDE.—It turns out that this officer has not been relieved of his command, as reported. A dispatch from Providence, Rhode Island, dated on Tuesday, says that the General is in that town on *leave of absence* and adds positively that he has not been relieved. The Court of Inquiry into the causes of the late failure at Petersburg, in which General BURNSIDE is implicated, adjourned on account of the necessary absence of some of its members. The investigation has therefore not been concluded.

Thanks to Admiral Farragut—Letter of Secretary Welles.

WASHINGTON, August 16.—The Secretary of the Navy has addressed the following to Admiral Farragut:

NAVY DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., August 16—Sir: Your dispatch of the 5th instant, stating that you had on the morning of that day entered Mobile Bay, passing between Forts Morgan and Gaines, and encountering and overcoming the rebel fleet, I had the satisfaction to receive this day. Some preliminary account of your operations had reached us through the rebel channels.

Again it is my pleasure and my duty to congratulate you and your brave associates on an achievement unequaled in our service by any other commander, and only surpassed by that unparalleled naval triumph of the squadron under your command in the spring of 1862, when you led up the Mississippi, and passed Forts Jackson and St. Phillip, and overcoming all obstructions, captured New Orleans and restored unobstructed navigation to the commercial emporium of the great central valley of the Union. The bay of Mobile was not only fortified and guarded by forts and batteries on the shore, and by submerged obstructions, but the rebels had also collected there a formidable fleet, commanded by their highest naval officer, a former captain in the Union navy, who, false to the government and the Union, had deserted his country in the hour of peril and leveled his guns against the flag which it was his duty to have defended.

"The possession of Mobile Bay, which you have acquired, will close the illicit traffic which has been carried on by running the blockade in that part of the Gulf, and gives point and value to the success you have achieved. Great results in war are seldom achieved without great risks; and it was not to be expected that the harbor of Mobile would be secured without disaster. The loss of the gallant Craven and his brave companions, with the Tecumseh, a vessel that was impenetrable to the guns of Fort Morgan, by a concealed torpedo, was a casualty against which no human foresight could guard. While the nation awards cheerful honors to the living, she will ever hold in grateful remembrance the lamented dead who perished their lives for their country and died in her cause.

"To you and the brave officers and sailors of your squadron who participated in this great achievement, the Department tenders its thanks, and those of the government and country. Very respectfully, &c.

"GIDEON WELLES, Secretary of the Navy.

"Rear-Admiral David G. Farragut, commanding, &c."

A Land Attack on Mobile.

We think it probable, from information received from a private correspondent in New Orleans, that a land attack upon the rear of Mobile formed a part of the plan of operations against the city and bay; and that if it succeeded our forces will be able to capture not only the city but all of the troops defending it.

The latest mail from New Orleans is only to the 7th, and the result of such a land movement could not at that time be known. The news from rebel sources is not any later, the latest Mobile dispatch in the Richmond journals which have come to hand being dated the 4th. We must therefore wait a few days to know what the army has done.

It will be remembered that some weeks ago a force was sent to Pensacola, from which point it marched inland, for the purpose, as we think, of meeting and succoring if necessary, one of General Sherman's cavalry expeditions. Now we have reason to believe that REYNOLDS at Pensacola was strongly and suddenly reinforced in the first days of August, and was prepared for a movement against the rear of Mobile, to cooperate with another force, which went from New Orleans by way of Lake Pontchartrain not many hours before Farragut began his attack. This latter body would of course approach Mobile from the west.

The city is also thus threatened less about midway between Pensacola and Mississippi City, the two points of departure for the cooperative land troops. These two points are each less than fifty miles by sea from the entrance to Mobile Bay, while the overland march to the rear of the city cannot be less than one hundred miles, through a difficult country. We need not expect to hear of land operations, therefore, for some days to come, and, as is not improbable, General Canby should strike the railroad and river some distance north of Mobile, in order to destroy the one and command the other, and thus cut off the city from relief, then we may not hear of decisive operations for a week, or even a fortnight to come.

The rebel force defending Mobile cannot be spared from the whole country, has been swept clean of soldiers to reinforce Hood; and it is a notorious fact that General Canby did not venture to order operations against Mobile until the rebels had fully committed themselves to the defense of Atlanta. It is impossible now for Hood to send away a part of his army to defend Mobile; and, unless some unforeseen obstacle interferes, the city is likely to be ours within a few days.—*N. Y. Post.*

The Tallahassee's Pirates—Statement of the Captain of the Brig Billow.

Captain Reed, of the brig Billow, before recently captured by the Tallahassee, gives a title following par iculars of his interview with the pirate captain:

I was two hours and a half on board of the Tallahassee. She had one pivot gun, three forward guns, and one broadside gun of large caliber on the assistant deck. She had also several score guns. Her captain—John Taylor Wood—was quite free and unreserved in his talk with me. He said that he could steam seven knots an hour, and that he had crossed the British Channel, twenty one miles, in seventy-two minutes. He would not say, however, unless compelled to do so. He preferred to consider his vessel was fast. He also stated that within one week he had destroyed twenty fire vessels. Within thirty hours of my capture, he said, he had destroyed eighteen sail, principally: Three ships, two barks, and the rest hermaphrodite brigs and schooners.

He added that he would slacken up the cruising trade, so that 'Uncle Abe' would be glad to make peace. He asked me about the Nantucket light-boat, and afterwards said, referring to its designs, that there were more sail at than the Florida and the Tallahassee. Of course, Confederate ships of a similar character to his own, and that 'Uncle Abe' had better look out.

Captain Wood appeared to be very affable man and said he was doing what it was not unpleasant for him to do. The Tallahassee is a fine vessel, of Clyde build, schooner-rigged, and has no yards or topmasts, and lost her mainmast in collision with the Adriatic. She is a very long and narrow vessel, burns a fine coal, and has about a hundred men aboard, who are subject to the discipline and order of a man of war. Captain Wood allowed no swearing on board. All of the officers were southerners. She had three or four negroes on board, who did not appear to be very jolly."

The Claims of McClellan.

The strong probability is that McClellan will be the Copperhead candidate for President. A cotemporary thus correctly states his claims and chances of election: If we were to say to an average Democrat—what we undoubtingly believe—that two thirds of those now noisily for McClellan would rather vote directly for the rebel General Lee, he would probably resist the statement as the assertion; but no candid McClellanite will deny that Lee's generalship has done more for McClellan than McClellan's own. We appeal to every candid observer for the truth and pertinence of our averment that Union failures and Union discouragement are the chief grounds of hope for McClellan's success. Here is a Union General aspiring to be President of the Union, who is to be selected, if at all, not on the strength of his own achievements, but on that of his antagonists! Suppose Burnside had triumphed at Fredericksburg, taken Richmond, broken the rebel power, and re-established the authority of the Union over the South, does any man believe that McClellan would have been a formidable competitor for the Presidency? Dilly, as to Hooker's Chancellorsville efforts? Or suppose Gen. Grant had routed Lee's army at Spottsylvania, and run him thence heading into North Carolina, who would to-day be talking stock in General McClellan as a Presidential aspirant? Suppose it were now morally certain that the rebellion would finally collapse in September, who would give a button for McClellan's chance of election in November? Who does not see that his fortunes rise as the country sinks, and that his chances would be brightened by his country's ruin?

THE INDIAN WAR.—We have received a visit from Dr. J. J. BURRY, Indian Agent in Dakota Territory, who informs us that the dispatch from Chicago, concerning a defeat of Gen SULLY's forces sent against the hostile Indians on the Upper Missouri, is untrue. The Doctor left Yankton on the 11th inst, two days later than the date of the intelligence of the reported disaster, which is telegraphed from Chicago, up to which time no news of a battle had been received, nor was such an event anticipated.

Personal and News Items.

THE leading article of a London journal of large weekly circulation makes the following confession, while maintaining that England can fight as well as ever:

"This nation of shopkeepers is that of the Nile, of Balaklava, of Aliwal—*that built the Alabama*, that *manned her*, that *carried her into action* with the Kearsarge. The men that fought against such odds—the surgeon that sank with the ship rather than desert his post—*the gunner that loaded and fired* till the sinking of the ship drowned out the fires of her engines—*these men were Englishmen*—as true hearts of oak, as seasoned chips of the old block, as ever swept the seas with Blake, or with Rodney, Howe or Duncan."

THE Union men of Knox county, Illinois, having nominated John Aberdeen, a Scotchman, for Clerk of the Circuit Court, the copperheads declared him ineligible. His friends came to Chicago, and Mr. Arnold furnished them a copy of the law (stat. at large, 27th Cong. page 679), introduced by him, under which he can be immediately naturalized and made eligible. All soldiers of foreign birth honorably discharged, who have resided in the United States one year, may be immediately naturalized.

A PRIVATE letter says: Hooker is a fine looking man. Dress him in a citizen's suit and you would pick him out for a general. Sherman (great as he is) you would not select for a good second lieutenant. General Thomas you would think a well-to-do farmer, were he not in uniform. Old Safety is his nickname. The men and officers have unbounded confidence in him.

It has been intimated that Gen. Sheridan is only a cavalry officer, and as such not accustomed to command a column of all arms in the field. This impression has arisen probably from the position he has been holding in the Army of the Potomac. But at the West General Sheridan had charge of a corps, and proved himself a most efficient leader in every respect.

The Fulton *Patriot* says that Mr. Martin Osborn, of the town of Granby, Orange county, has on his premises a pear tree which has just bloomed for the first time. The tree looks thrifty, and the blossoms are as fresh as though they had opened under the influence of the genial showers of spring rather than the scorching sun of August.

The American Dental Association, at its meeting at Niagara Falls last week, protested against Dr Morton's claim as the introducer of anæsthetics into this country, asserting that the honor rightly belonged to the late Dr. Horace Wells, of Hartford.

THE first meeting at Chicago will be held on Saturday, the 27th of this month. This gathering will be a mass meeting to nominate General McClellan for President. The Democratic Convention will meet on the Monday following.

SIDNEY SMITH, one day observing Lord Brougham's one-horse carriage, on the panel of which appeared a "B" surmounted by a coronet, said to a friend, "There goes a carriage with a bee coronet and a wasp within!"

DAVID PAUL BROWN has been invited by the citizens of Indianapolis to deliver a discourse upon the Women of the War—a great subject, and destined to illustrate the proudest pages of our national history.

Our tax bill levies imposts on 3,450 articles, while England taxes only 24 articles and gets a revenue from them of $210,000,000. From wines, liquors, tobacco and the license to sell them she gets $185,000,000.

By a recent law of Congress, parties purchasing one hundred dollars worth of postage stamps or five hundred stamped envelopes will be allowed a discount of five per cent from the usual price.

CHILD MURDER is almost as common in London as in China—so says a leading London journal.

In Massachusetts, the other day, while assorting rags, a young lady found a $100 bill.

A ROMAN CATHOLIC female seminary is to be built in Wheeling, Va.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NOTICE.—THE UNION COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE will hold a special session SATURDAY, 20 inst., at 10 o'clock, at Central Brown's office, Fifth street. Business of the utmost importance will come up for transaction, so that full attendance is requested. By order,

D. O'NEIL, Secretary pro tem.

NOTICE—SIXTH WARD C of the N. U. will meet on THURSDAY EVENING, August 18th, at 7½ o'clock, corner of Fifth street and Market, when and where a full attendance of the committee will be in order, and a full attendance of other Councils are invited to attend.

THE DRAFT—THE THIRD WARD Pittsburgh, will pay

CASH BOUNTY TO ALL VOLUNTEERS

mustered into the United States service and credited upon the quota of the Ward.

Those desiring to enlist will call at No. 89 GRANT STREET, opposite the Court House, where the Recruiting Committee will be found at all reasonable hours.

Volunteers and those expecting draft.

WM. MASON,
JOHN A. STRAIN,
Recruiting Committee.

THE FIRST COMPANY FOR ONE YEAR—Large inducements offered to One Year men. Captain Hall having recruited a company for 100 days and the greater portion of which have already arrived to complete for one year, to enable the balance of enlisting for the full period in his company a bounty of THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS—TWO HUNDRED AND THIRTY DOLLARS AND SIX CASH IN HAND

Are offered by George W. Lemont, formerly Chief Engineer of the City Fire Department, in the Commercial Company, which is located only at MILKINS HALL, from which a dressed uniform can now be obtained.

C. E. HALL,
Capt. Comd'g Co. A, One Years' Men.

THIRD WARD, ALLEGHENY.—The enrolled men and citizens of this ward are earnestly requested to pay their subscriptions to the Committee of Twenty, Mr. JAS. McELHENY, Sandusky street, and then on to the Executive Committee to receive credit for the same; for fill the quota of the subscription will be required in Sabbath Bounty, as soon as prepared.

A. COLVIN.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SUBSTITUTE.—A Veteran belonging to the 2d Reserves wishes a SUBSTITUTE FOR THREE YEARS. Apply at No. 10, Virgin alley.

STEPHEN McCLURE.

COUNTRY SEAT FOR SALE.—At Pewickley, a SMALL FARM, on which is a comfortable dwelling, eight rooms, outbuildings, all kinds of fruit and never failing springs. Enquire of THOMPSON & ALLEN, No. 118 Fifth street.

PAPER AND RAGS.—We are paying one cent per pound more for Rags than any others, and the highest price for OLD NEWSPAPERS, OLD BOOKS and MANILA NEWS. At the Book and Wall Paper Store, 59 Federal street, Allegheny.

T. E. WAKEHAM.

DENN LITE BARY SOCIETY PIC NIC, to have taken place to-day, is postponed until

Tuesday, August 23d,

owing to the inclemency of the weather. By order of COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

A SUBSTITUTE WANTED.

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A liberal bounty will be paid. Enquire at 77 Liberty street, Pittsburgh, or 69 Federal street, Allegheny.

GOLD PENS! GOLD PENS!—WAR AWARD 16 CARATS FINE. C. P. Newton & Co's. Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7, with or without holder.

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All instruments sold at cost price for cash.

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LEON F. H. WHITE, Mustering Officer.

STRAY HOGS.—Came to the premises of the subscriber, on Saturday morning, August 13, 1864, in the borough of Lawrenceville, Allegheny Co., Pa., TWO LARGE BLACK AND WHITE HOGS, THREE LARGE WHITE HOGS, and ONE SMALL WHITE HOG. The owner is hereby notified to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take them away, or they will be sold according to law.

JEO. J. HUNTER,
at 6:3d. Lawrenceville.

LOST.—On Friday, the 12th inst., between Lee's Hotel and Grant street, and the Citizens' Bank, a pocket book containing some ten or twelve dollars in money, and a check on the Citizens' Bank for $100, drawn by J. GRIFFITH, Jr., and payable to the order of WM. SIMBY. All persons are cautioned against negotiating said check, as payment has been stopped. A liberal reward will be paid for the return of said pocket book with the contents, to be left at this office. aug18:2t

$50 REWARD.—LOST—A POCKET BOOK, containing over $200, individually on Pittsburgh Banks; also a note for $25, drawn by Franklin Waters, and payable to J. G. & W. H. Carson. The finder will receive the above reward by leaving the same at HAUPT & RIDDLE'S Grocery, Diamond, Allegheny, or at

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It eradicates scurf and dandruff.
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promotes its growth, prevents its falling off, eradicates dandruff, and imparts health and pleasantness to the head. It has stood the test of time, being the original Hair Coloring, and is constantly increasing in favor. Used by both gentlemen and ladies. It is sold by all respectable dealers, or can be procured by them of the commercial agents, D. S. BARNES & CO., 302 Broadway, New York. Price, 50 cents and one dollar.

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NATHANIEL MAYFAIR, Esq.,
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TO NERVOUS SUFFERERS OF BOTH SEXES.—A reverend gentleman having been restored to health in a few days, after undergoing all the usual routine and irregular expensive mode of treatment, without success, considers it his sacred duty to communicate to his afflicted fellow creatures the means of cure. Hence, on the receipt of an addressed envelope, he will send, *free*, a copy of the prescription. Direct to Dr. JOHN H. DAGNALL, 186 Fulton street, N. Y.

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NEW YORK PAPERS FORWARDED from New York daily at greatly reduced prices. Terms for one year, payable in advance, for the Sun, Herald, Times, World and Daily News, SIX DOLLARS. Address A. JOYCE,
aug18:3m 12 West Thirty-sixth st., New York.

THE FIRM OF O'NEIL & STONEMAN was dissolved this day by mutual consent. The business will be continued as heretofore by J. H. O'NEIL, who will settle the accounts of the late firm.

J. H. O'NEIL,
W. S. STONEMAN.

Pittsburgh, August 17, 1864. aug18:3t

COUNTRY PLACE FOR SALE.—Containing over six acres, one and a half miles from Allerheny City, near the Perrysville Plank Road, with a small frame house on it.

S. S. BRYAN,
Broker and Insurance Agent,
69 Fourth street, Burke's Building.

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY CO., Pittsburgh, August 16th, 1864.

TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 30th inst. inclusive, for the erection of a NEW WOODEN STRUCTURE at the bridge across Robinson's Run, on the Noblestown Road in Robinson and Stowe Townships. Particulars and specifications can be obtained on application at the office of County Commissioners.

HENRY LAMBERT, Controller.
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CIVIL ENGINEERING AND SURVEYING CADETS.—Prepared to propose to open an ACADEMY, September 1st, 1864, in the upper rooms of the COMMERCIAL BUILDING, 74 Fifth st., for instruction in the following branches, viz: Civil Engineering, Theoretical and Practical, Mathematics, Topography, Higher Branches, Surveying, Drawing, Land Surveying, Theoretical and Practical, Mathematics, Topography, Higher Branches, Surveying, Drawing, Land Surveying. Further particulars enquire of JAS. H. REED & CO., 68 Fifth street.

ISAAC MILLER.

INFORMATION CONCERNING THE DRAFT.—The enrolled men of the 23d District, and all others interested, are respectfully informed that all inquiries on a single subject, connected with the ENROLLMENT, DRAFT, EXEMPTIONS, LIABILITIES TO DRAFT, EXEMPTIONS, &c., will be furnished free of charge, by the undersigned, in the 23d District, the desired information, in the prompt manner.

By order of the Provost Marshal General.

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CITIES, DEPOT COMMISSARY OF SUBSISTENCE, WASHINGTON, D. C., August 15, 1864.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.—Sealed Proposals are invited till August 25th at 12 o'clock M., for furnishing the Subsistence Department with TWO THOUSAND (2,000) BARRELS OF FLOUR.

The proposals will be for what is known at this depot as No. 1, 2 and 3, and bids will be entertained for any quantity less than the whole.

Bids must be in duplicate, and for each grade on separate sheets of paper.

The delivery of the flour to commence within five days from the opening of the bids, and to be completed, daily, as the Government may direct, delivered either at the Government warehouse in Georgetown, at the wharves, or at the railroad depot, Washington, D. C.

The delivery of all Flour awarded to be completed within twenty days from the opening of the bids.

Payment will be made in certificates of indebtedness, or such other funds as the Government may have for disbursement.

The usual Government inspection will be made just before the flour is received, and none will be accepted which is not fresh ground and sound, from wheat grown in the vicinity where manufactured, unless of a very superior quality.

The flour to be delivered in new oak barrels, hoop iron.

An oath of allegiance must accompany the bid of each bidder, who has not the oath on file in this office, and will be entertained from parties who have previously failed to comply with their bids, or from bidders not present to respond.

Government reserves the right to reject any bid for any flour.

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25 do do Extra Family Flour;
20 cases Pale Hams;
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10 do do Apples, in store and for sale at
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