Notices.

INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24, 1857.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders will be held at the Company's Office, No. 4 EXCHANGE, on TUESDAY, January 5th, 1858, at 12 o'clock noon; and an Election for Thirteen Directors will be held at same place, on MONDAY, January 11, 1858, between the hours of 10 o'clock, A.M., and 1 o'clock P. M.

de22-3t11 WILLIAM HARPER, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of "THE NORTH PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY," will be held at the office of the Company, No. 123 WALNUT, above Fourth street, Philadelphia, on MONDAY, January 11, 1858, at 11 o'clock A.M., at which time and place an Election will be held for a President and Ten Directors, to serve for the ensuing year.

de25-d11t11 EDWARD ARMSTRONG, Secretary.

NOTICE.—Office of the Westmoreland Coal Company, Philadelphia, December 19th, 1857.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at their office, No. 230 South THIRD Street, on WEDNESDAY, the 6th of January, 1858, at 12 o'clock, at which time an Election will be held for Eleven Directors, and a Secretary and Treasurer, to serve for the ensuing year.

J. F. HJACKSON,
de22-14js Secretary.

NOTICE.—Office of the Beaver Meadow Railroad Company.

PHILADELPHIA, December 14, 1857.

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Beaver Meadow Railroad and Coal Company will be held at their office, No. 222 WALNUT Street, on MONDAY, the 18th of January next, at 12 o'clock, at which time an election will be held for President and 10 Directors for the ensuing year.

de15-d12t15w L. CHAMBERLAIN, Sec. and Treas.

NOTICE.—The members of the Pennsylvania Society for the Promotion of Internal Improvements of the Commonwealth," organized in 1824, are requested to meet at the office of J. G. CLARK, Jr., 606 ARCH Street, Philadelphia, on TUESDAY, the 5th of January, 1858, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing officers, and making distribution of the surplus funds of the Association.

J. G. JONES,
JONAH BANDALL,
JOHN G. CLARK,
de23,27,&ja4 STEPHEN DUNCAN.

OFFICE OF THE PHILADELPHIA AND DELAWARE RIVER RAILROAD CO., (City Passenger Road, via Fifth and Sixth streets,) Washington Building, Third street, above Spruce.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 26th, 1857.

NOTICE.—The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the above-named Company will be held on the second MONDAY in January ensuing, (the 11th,) at 12 M., as above, when and where an Election will be held for a President and Twelve Directors to serve for the ensuing year.

—Polls open from 1 to 4 P. M.

de26-mth12t11 N. P. CAMPION, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE WESTMORELAND COAL COMPANY, No. 230 South Third street, corner of Willing's alley.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 24th, 1857.

At a meeting of the Directors, held this day, a Dividend of EIGHT PER CENT. was declared on the Capital Stock, payable to the Stockholders at the Office of the Company on and after January 4th, 1858.

The Transfer Books will be closed until January 8th next.

de24-3t F. H. JACKSON, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE LOCUST MOUNTAIN COAL AND IRON CO.—PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 16, 1857.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company will be held at their office, No. 88 S. FOURTH Street, on MONDAY, the 18th January, at 11 o'clock A. M., at which time there will be an election of Directors to serve for the ensuing year.

de23-d3t13 WM. O'LUDWIG, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA—PHILADELPHIA, December 31st, 1857.—The annual meeting of the stockholders will be held at the office of the Company, No. 232 WALNUT Street, on MONDAY, January 11th, 1858, at 12 o'clock M., and on TUESDAY, the day following, January 12th, 1858; an Election will be held for Directors, to serve the ensuing year.

jal-d3t12 HENRY D. SHERRERD, Secretary.

DIVIDEND—NEW ORLEANS GAS LIGHT COMPANY.—FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' BANK, Philadelphia, December 31, 1857.—The Directors of the New Orleans Gas Light Company have declared a semi-annual Dividend of FIVE PER CENT., payable at this Bank, to the Philadelphia Stockholders, after the first day of January next.

jal-1w C. M. LEWIS, Cashier.

Publications.

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de21-1m D. N. BARNEY, Jr., Agent.

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E. S. SANDFORD,
aul-tf General Superintendent.

Attorneys at Law.

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DANIEL DOUGHERTY, ATTORNEY AT LAW, Southeast Corner of EIGHTH and LOCUST Streets, Philadelphia. aul-1y

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Proposals.

OFFICE OF ARMY CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE, PHILADELPHIA, December 4, 1857.

SEALED PROPOSALS are invited, and will be received at this office, until 10 o'clock A. M. of the 4th day of January next, for furnishing by contract the following Army Supplies and Materials deliverable at the United States Clothing and Equipage Depot, (Schuylkill Arsenal,) in quantities as required, viz:

6,000 yards	6-4 dark blue (indigo wool dyed) cloth for caps and bands, weighing about 14 ounces per yard.
63,000 do	6-4 dark blue (indigo wool dyed) twilled cloth, weighing 21 ounces per yard.
120,000 do	6-4 sky-blue (indigo wool dyed) twilled cloth, weighing 22 ounces per yard
10,000 do	¾ dark blue (indigo dyed) cotton and wool flannel, weighing 6½ ounces per yard.
210,000 do	7-8 white flannel (cotton and wool) to weigh 6½ ounces per yard.
10,000 do	6-4 dark blue flannel, wool (indigo dyed.)
10,000 do	47 inch alpaca, (black.)
100,000 do	¾ canton flannel, to weigh 7 ounces per yard.
175,000 do	¾ unbleached drilling, to weigh 6¾ ounces per yard.
25,000 do	¾ unbleached drilling, to weigh 7½ ounces per yard.
26,000 do	30 inch cotton duck, to weigh 22½ ounces per yard.
15,000 do	30 inch cotton duck, to weigh 15½ ounces per yard.
85,000 do	28½ inch cotton duck, to weigh 14½ ounces per yard.
25,000 do	28½ inch cotton duck, to weigh 10 ounces per yard.
3,000 do	22 inch cotton duck, to weigh 11 ounces per yard.
16,000 do	22 inch cotton duck, to weigh 9 ounces per yard.
25,000 do	22 inch cotton duck, to weigh 9¼ ounces per yard.
do	33 inch cotton duck, to weigh 9¾ ounces per yard.
12,000 army blankets	wool, gray, (with the letters U. S. in black, 4 inches in length, in the centre,) to be 7 feet long, and 5 feet 6 inches wide, each blanket to weigh 5 pounds.
7,500 dozen	pairs half stockings, 3 sizes, properly made, of good sound fleece wool, and with double and twisted yarn, to weigh 3 pounds per dozen.
10,500 pompons	for engineers, ordnance, medical department, dragoons, rifles, artillery, and infantry.
30,000 cap bodies.	
12,000 yards glazed silk for covers.	
240 N. C. S. brass scales, pairs.	
600 sergeant's do do do	
8,000 corporal's and privates' brass scales, pairs.	
6 N. C. S. bronzed	do do do
30 sergeant's do	do do
500 corporal's and privates' bronzed do	do
75,000 yards	¾ in worsted lace, yellow, scarlet, sky
5,000 do	¾ in do do blue, orange, green.
6,700 do	red bunting.
5,000 do	white do
2,000 do	blue do
2,500 gross	coat buttons.
3,500 do	vest do
3,500 do	suspender buttons, white metal.
4,500 do	shirt do do
45,000	tent buttons, wood, small.
12,000 do	slips, do do
5,000 do	buttons, do large.
1,000 do	slips, do do
100	hospital tent poles, sets.
500	well do do
500	common do do
4,000	galvanized iron wire rods, for tents.
10,000 do	staples, do
8,000	mess pans, iron
1,000	camp kettles, iron, three sizes.
12,000	tin canteens, (8 pints, weight 19½ ounces,) with stoppers.
1,000	pick axes, two sizes.
2,000 do	handles.
1,000	camp hatchets.
40	trumpet cords and tassels, orange.
40	trumpet cords and tassels, yellow.
20 do	do do green.
40	drums, artillery, complete.
70 do	infantry, do
1,100 do	heads, better
700 do	heads, inferior.
300	do snares, sets.
200	do sticks, pairs.
200	do carriages.

All the above mentioned articles must conform *in all respects* to the sealed standard patterns in this office, where they can be examined; and sample patterns will be sent by mail, with any additional information in regard to them, which may be requested by manufacturers or others wishing to offer proposals. It is desirable that all the articles be of domestic manufacture.

Deliveries to commence on the 15th day of February next, and one-half of the quantity contracted for to be delivered in equal monthly proportions, by or before the 30th April, 1858; the remainder within four months from that date, in monthly or greater proportions, as the contractor may find it convenient.

The privilege is reserved by the United States of increasing from one-third to one-half the quantity of all the supplies above mentioned, by giving the contractor one month's notice of such desired increase.

Payments will be made on each delivery, should Congress have made an appropriation to meet them, or so soon thereafter as an appropriation shall be made for that purpose. Ten per cent. of the amount of each delivery will be retained until the contract shall be completed, which will be forfeited to the United States in case of defalcation on the part of the contractor in fulfilling the contract.

Bids will be received from manufacturers or regular dealers, only, in the articles proposed to be furnished; and none will be considered in which the manufacturer's mill or dealer's place of business is not specifically set forth.

Contracts will be based on accepted proposals, for the fulfilment of which two or more sufficient securities will be required.

The names, address, and the responsibility of the persons proposed as securities, with the endorsement of said persons that they will be such security, or will see that good and sufficient security be furnished in case a contract is obtained, will be transmitted with the proposals.

It is to be distinctly understood by every person obtaining a contract, that said contract is not transferable without the consent of proper authority, and that any sale, assignment, or transfer of it, without such consent having been obtained, (except under a process of law,) will be regarded as an abandonment of the contract, and the contractor and his securities will be held responsible for all loss or damage to the United States which may arise from said abandonment.

Proposals will be addressed to the undersigned, and will be endorsed "Proposals for furnishing army supplies and materials."

HENRY C. WAYNE,
de4-fmw 1&ad Bt. Major, A. Q. Mr.

STEAM MACHINERY FOR SCREW PROPELLER SLOOP-OF-WAR.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
December 16, 1857.

SEALED PROPOSALS, endorsed "Proposals for Steam Machinery for Screw Propeller Sloop-of-War," will be received at this department until 3 o'clock, the 29th January, 1858; for the complete construction of the steam machinery and appendages, and placing it on board a screw propeller sloop-of-war building in the United States navy yard at Boston.

The offers must be for a specific sum for putting the whole in successful operation; must include all patent fees for any arrangements that may be proposed; state the time in which the work will be completed, and be accompanied by the usual guarantee required by law. The name of the establishment in which the work is to be executed must be stated.

The details of the design and arrangement of the machinery will be left with the party whose proposition may be accepted as combining the greatest number of advantages, keeping in view simplicity of construction, readiness of access for adjustment when in operation, and not being subject to derangement in the working parts; it being the object of the department to obtain the most speed and power with the most economical consumption of fuel, and the greatest stowage of coal which the space available for that purpose will admit.

The boilers to be of iron, with telescopic smoke pipe, which must be placed at the greatest practicable distance from the mainmast; the propeller, with the connections for hoisting to be of composition; the machinery for bailing, for pumps, apparatus for ventilating, and appurtenances of all kinds necessary for the perfect working of the whole, to be of the most approved kinds. The coal-bunkers, shaft tunnels, bearings, earth stuffing, bulkheads, a distilling apparatus for fresh water from which can be made not less than 800 gallons per day; all the tools and duplicate pieces necessary and satisfactory for an efficient cruising steamship of-war, must be included in the proposition, and a list of them must be furnished.

The wood and carpenter work (except the boring out the deadwood for the shaft) necessary to adapt the vessel for the reception of the machinery, boilers, and appendages, will be provided at the expense of the Navy Department, and it will permit the use of such facilities as it may have for hoisting the heavy machinery on board.

For the accommodation of the entire steam machinery and the fuel, there will be allowed in the body of the ship the entire space, under the berth deck, commencing at twenty feet abaft the mainmast, and thence extending forward a distance of 50 feet. Within this space it is expected to carry coal for 10 days' full steaming, the daily consumption of which the bidder will state in his specifications; and the weight of the machinery, water in boilers, shaft, propeller, bearings, appendages, with the tools and spare work, must not exceed 320 tons, of 2,240 pounds.

The distance from the after-side of the mainmast to the after-side of the forward stern-post, will be about 95 feet, and the distance between the forward and the after stern-post will be 7 feet; the depth from the load water line to the top of the keel under the propeller will be 14½ feet.

Steam-engine manufacturers who desire to bid can obtain a copy of the section of the vessel upon making application to the department.

The proposals must be accompanied by full specifications and general drawings, having the position of the centre of gravity of the machinery, boilers, &c., marked thereon; giving also the capacity of the steam cylinders and area of foot and delivery valves, bulk and air pump, and outboard delivering valves, space for steam above the water line in boilers, the fire and grate surface; also the diameter, pitch, surface, and kind of propeller, and other principal points, that comparisons can readily be made. There will also be given the estimate of the weight of engine, boilers, water, bunkers, appendages, tools, and spare work, in tons of 2,240 pounds.

The terms of payment will be that when one-fourth of the materials and labor provided for in the contract shall have been completed to the satisfaction of the department, there will be made a payment of one-fifth part of the whole amount of the contract; when one-half the work shall in like manner be completed, there will be a further payment of one-fifth; when three-fourths the work shall have been completed a further payment of one-fifth; when the whole shall have been completed, and have made a satisfactory trial of one week, then a further payment of one-fifth; and when the ship shall have performed satisfactorily at sea for a period of three months, then the remaining sum shall be paid.

The repairs necessary during this period from defective workmanship or materials will be at the expense of the contractor.

The proposals must be explicit, and no qualified or conditional offer will be considered.

ISAAC TOUCEY,
de21-mth tja20 Secretary of the Navy.

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Legal Notices.

IN THE SUPREME COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Benjamin B. Thomas vs. William Davis, and Henry B. Dolby. Venditioni Exponas, January Term, 1858, No. 86.

The Auditor appointed to make distribution of the fund raised under the above proceedings by Sheriff's sale, of all that large Lot of Ground, composed of ten contiguous lots, with the unfinished brick buildings thereon erected, situate on the southeasterly side of Almond street, 131 feet 9 inches northeasterwardly from Lehigh avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward of the city of Philadelphia, containing in front, on said Almond street, 144 feet, and extending in depth, southeastwardly, at right angles with said Almond street, 51 feet. Subject to a yearly ground rent of 144 dollars.

Will attend to his duties on TUESDAY, the 12th day of January, A. D. 1858, at 4 o'clock P. M., at his office, No. 204 South FIFTH Street, in the city of Philadelphia, when and where, all parties in interest are required to present their claims, or be debarred from coming in upon said fund

de30-10t GEORGE W. BIDDLE, Auditor.

MUNICIPAL CLAIMS.—NOTICE IS hereby given to the owners of premises mentioned in the appended memoranda of Claims for Paving, that write of *Scire Facias* will issue on said claims in three months from the date hereof, unless the same shall be paid at the office of the undersigned, 212 South FIFTH Street, below Walnut, at or before that time.

WILLIAM M. SMITH,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

November 21, 1857.

City of Philadelphia to the use of George W. Biddle vs. Charles Reynold. C. P., June T., 1857, No. 90. Claim $293.59. Paving southwest corner Twenty-second and Green streets.

Same vs. John P. Titus. C. P., September T., 1857, No. 69. Claim $10.17. Paving north side Clayton st. 153 feet west of Twenty-second.

Same vs. Jesse Coulston. C. P., September T., 1857, No. 68. Claim $42.63. Paving north side of Clayton street, 62 feet west of Twenty-second. no3-m-3m

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN WILLIAMS, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of JOHN WILLIAMS, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned.

All persons indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make payment, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same, without delay, to EMMOR S. LEEDOM, No. 253 MARKET st., ELIZABETH WILLIAMS, No. 419 South SIXTEENTH street, or DANIEL DOUGHERTY, Counsel, No. 5 S. E. corner EIGHTH and LOCUST streets.

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IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

The Auditor appointed to audit, settle and adjust the account of William Maroney and Sarah Ann Brown, Administrators of ROGER BROWN, deceased, and to make distribution of the balance in the hands of the accountants, will meet the parties interested as his office, No. 116 South FIFTH Street, below CHESTNUT, on THURSDAY, the 7th of January, 1858, at 4 o'clock P. M.

JAMES H. CASTLE.
de24-thmw5t*

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Estate of JOHN SAVAGE, deceased.

The Auditor appointed to audit, settle and adjust the accounts of GEORGE RUNDLE and WILLIAM GRIFFITHS, executors of the estate of JOHN SAVAGE, deceased, and to report distribution, will meet the parties interested at his office, No. 243 SOUTH FIFTH Street, below WALNUT, on MONDAY, the 28th day of December, 1857, at 5 o'clock P. M.

de16-wfm-5t LEON ABBETT, Auditor.

LOST OR MISLAID.—CERTIFICATE of number 230, for FIVE SHARES OF STOCK of the AMERICAN ACADEMY OF MUSIC. Notice is hereby given, that application will be made for re-issue of the same. de21-mf-2w*

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.—Estate of SUSAN RUNNER, deceased.

The Auditor appointed by the Court to audit, settle, and adjust the account of Joseph Runner, Executor of the last will and testament of the said decedent, and to report distribution, will meet the parties interested at his Office, No. 76 South SIXTH Street, above Walnut, on WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of January, 1858, at 4 o'clock P. M.

J. P. O'NEILL,
ja1 4 7 9 12-5t* Auditor.

IN THE ORPHANS' COURT FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.—Estate of WM. STEVENSON, deceased.

The Auditor appointed by the Court to audit, settle, and adjust the account of Samuel Grant, Executor of the last will and testament of the said decedent, and to report distribution, will meet the parties interested at his Office, No. 76 South SIXTH Street, above Walnut, on TUESDAY, the 12th day of January, 1858, at 4 o'clock P. M.

J. P. O'NEILL,
ja1 4 6 8 11-5t* Auditor.

Political.

THE CONSTITUTION AND THE UNION—*JEFFERSON AND JACKSON DEMOCRACY*—SHERIFF,

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