

Daily Telegraph

Forever float that standard sheet! Where breathes the foe but falls before us!

OUR PLATFORM. THE UNION—THE CONSTITUTION—AND THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE LAW.

HARRISBURG, PA. Monday Afternoon, October 14, 1861.

THE STRENGTH OF THE GOVERNMENT—OPINION OF HENRY CLAY.

Those who are whining about the tyranny and oppression of our General Government, in waging earnest war against the rebellious states...

"Now, Mr. President, I stand here in my place, meaning to be unswayed by any threats, whether they come from individuals or from states."

"I am for ascertaining whether we have a government or not, practical, efficient capable of maintaining its authority and upholding the powers and interests which belong to the government."

"This is a full and perfect endorsement of all that has been, or is proposed, in the present war. How it puts to shame the timid or traitorous ones who now, in the midst of just such a war, and for the same exalted purposes, raise the unpatriotic cry of 'peace and compromise!'"

"You ask me what is to be done if South Carolina secedes? I answer unhesitatingly, that the Constitution and laws of the United States must continue to be enforced there, with all the power of the United States, if necessary."

"So may it be! And so it will be, if the citizens of the United States continue to manifest a title of the patriotism and the manliness of Henry Clay."

THE LANCASTER EVENING EXPRESS contained an announcement, last week, of the death of John L. Keffer, who was well known to the craft and editorial fraternity of this state, as a man of rare ability and the most varied accomplishments.

A COSTLY REBELLION TO SLAVEHOLDERS.—A Leavenworth paper says it has information to the effect that one hundred slaves leave Missouri every day for Kansas.

THE ALLOTMENT ROLL.

We give below the form for an allotment roll, adopted by the Paymaster General, to be used by the officers and men of the army who desire to appropriate a portion of their pay to their families or relatives, while they are absent in the service of their country.

Table with columns: No., Name, Rank, Pay per month, Assignee, Signatures, Remarks. Includes names like John Smith and Mary Jones.

The order regulating the business of allotment provides as follows for its safe transmission and appropriation as designed by the soldier thus surrendering a portion or the whole of his pay for a specified object:

"The assignment of pay will be made on a separate roll, similar to the annexed form, to be executed under the supervision of the captain or immediate commander of the recruit at the time of enlistment, or of the soldier in camp."

THE VOTING IN CAMPS.

From all accounts, the voting in the various camps in the vicinity of Washington, by the Pennsylvania Volunteers, was not of the most improved or intelligent character.

JESSE KENNEDY.

The official returns from the Cumberland and Perry representative districts, gives the gratifying result of the election of Jesse Kennedy to the lower house of the Legislature, by a majority of one hundred and fifty-one, exclusive of the army vote, which will increase this majority very largely.

THE PENNSYLVANIAN POLITICIANS in Washington city, who, according to the Press, have been discussing the proposition to make John Cessna Speaker of our legislative House of Representatives, would have done well before they entered on their discussion to have ascertained whether John was elected or not, as an essential point in the probability of his Speakership.

GOING TO ST. LOUIS.—Hon. Messrs. Dawes of Massachusetts, Steele of New Jersey, and Holman of Indiana, of the Van Wyck investigating committee, have gone to St. Louis to see if they can find out anything wrong.

LEGAL DECISIONS.

The following legal decisions of Hon. John J. Pearson, are deemed of sufficient importance to be published for the benefit of the community at large. It will be observed that they are distinguished for the legal acumen and impartiality which have made Judge Pearson so eminent and successful on the bench.

Mr. Meredith, Attorney General, moved for an attachment against the Sheriff for failing to execute his writ according to law, and making an insufficient return thereto.

BY THE COURT. The suits in these cases were commenced and judgments obtained pursuant to the 12th Sect. of the act of 16th April, 1845, relative to defaulting public officers, and its various supplements.

On this decision being made, Mr. Rawl for the defendants moved for a rule to show cause why a stay of execution should not be ordered by this court under the act of the 21st of May, 1861, which was opposed by Mr. Meredith, Attorney General, on the ground that the Commonwealth was not embraced by the act of Assembly.

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in this country as in England, and although we might consider it more consonant with justice for the legislature to tie up the hands of the State from the collection of its debts than those of private individuals, as they are the direct representatives of the one, and have no right to interfere with the contracts of the others, yet we are constrained to say that not being named, nor referred to, in the act of assembly, the State process cannot be stayed in its effect, and its debtor cannot demand an arrest of execution.

The motion for a stay of execution is refused and the rules dismissed.

JOHN J. PEARSON

BY TELEGRAPH.

THE STEAMER RICHMOND. New York, Oct. 13.

The steamer Richmond was at Fort Jefferson on the 30th ult.—all well. She had been on a coral reef, but got off unscathed.

RE-ELECTION OF GOV. RAMSEY. WASHINGTON, Oct. 14.

Dispatches from St. Pauls, Minnesota, state that Gov. Alex. Ramsey has been re-elected Governor by an increased majority over last year's Republican majority.

GIBSON'S UTAH BATTERY. LEAVENWORTH, Oct. 11.

Gibson's battery, which recently came in from Utah, consisting of two twelve pound howitzers and four six pounders, has been attached to Gen. Lane's brigade by order of the War Department.

MOVEMENTS OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR. St. Louis, Oct. 14.

Gen. Cameron and Adjutant-General Thomas arrived from the West at a late hour last night. The Secretary of War reviewed the Eighth Wisconsin Regiment, Col. Murphy, which had just arrived by steamboat, before Barnum's Hotel this morning.

A REBEL DEFEAT IN WESTERN VIRGINIA! CINCINNATI, Oct. 13.

Yesterday afternoon, at a point 14 miles south of Gen. Rosecrans' advance, and 8 miles from the rebel encampment on Green river, a detachment of 40 men of the 39th Indiana regiment attacked 300 rebels, half of which were cavalry, without loss, killing five and wounding three. The whole rebel force was driven back beyond Bacon creek.

FROM FORTRESS MONROE. FORTRESS MONROE, Oct. 18.

Twelve members of the Eleventh New York Zouaves, were taken prisoners by the rebels at Breckinridge, when a short distance above Newport News.

FROM KENTUCKY. Breckinridge and Other Traitors Organizing a Rebel Camp.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 12.

The Evening News learns, upon unquestionable authority, that Breckinridge, Preston, Johnson, Desha, Williams, Evans, Moore and other secession notables, are organizing a large rebel camp near Prestonsburg, Floyd county. It says they have a force of 8,000 or 7,000 men now there, and are drilling them eight hours per day, and are circulating incredible stories as to the intentions of the government.

A Reception. A correspondent of the Times, writing from Jefferson City, under date of Oct. 2d, says:

The only event of importance yesterday was the arrival of Mrs. Fremont. She was received at the depot by Gen. Fremont and his body-guard and a regiment of infantry, and in the General's four-horse carriage, and thus attended, accompanied by a band of music, was after going through the main street, taken to the General's headquarters in camp. This was a pretty compliment to the fascinating and able lady of our general—one rarely if ever extended in this democratic country to ladies of any degree, and hence so much the more remarkable, and the more highly to be prized.

THE COW-BELL DODGE.—The rebels have resorted to an ingenious way of luring our men into their snares. It is known as the "cow-bell dodge," and it was very successful for a time, especially with newly arrived regiments and companies which were placed on picket for the first time.

ARMY CHAPLAINS.—At the solicitation of the Army Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association of Philadelphia, the War Department has issued an order for the discharge of "any person who has been mustered into service as a chaplain who is not a regularly ordained clergyman of a Christian denomination, without pay or allowance," and requiring that every one mustered in hereafter must be certified to be a regularly-ordained clergyman as above stated.

BAD PLACES FOR A SMOOTHER.—A "good one" is told of a Quaker volunteer who was in a Virginia skirmish. Coming into pretty close quarters with a rebel, he remarked—"Friend, if I am going to shoot," and, blowing away, down came the seceder.

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On the 12th inst., ANNA MARIA, wife of Henry Kammerer, aged fifty years.

New Advertisements.

FOR RENT, THE house on the corner of Third and North streets, having a large Room 21x13, suitable for a Store Room. Rent \$150 per annum. Possession given the 1st of November.

JOHN GENSCHLAGER. At Howell & Co., Shoe Store. oct14-d1t

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Honorable JOHN J. PEARSON, President of the Court of Common Pleas in the Twelfth Judicial District, consisting of the counties of Lebanon and Dauphin, and the Hon. A. O. Brier and Hon. Felix Nessel, Associate Judges in Dauphin county, having issued their process, bearing date the fourth day of June 1861, in the District, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace at Harrisburg, for the county of Dauphin, and to continue on the 23d day of November next, being the 18th of November, 1861, and to continue two weeks.

IMPROVEMENT IN DENTISTRY.

DR. P. H. ALLABACH, Surgeon Dentist, Manufacturer of Mineral Plate Teeth, the only method that obviates every objection to the use of artificial teeth, embracing partial, half and whole sets of one piece only, pure and natural in color, there is no need of the accumulation of small particles of metal and therefore, no offensive odor from the breath, as an metal is used in their construction, there can be no metallic action or morbid taste. Hence, the individual is accompanied with sore throat, headache, &c. Office No. 48 North Second street, Harrisburg. oct12-d1y

SEALED PROPOSALS.

ENDORSED "PROPOSALS FOR FORAGE," WILL be received until 3 p. m. Thursday, Oct. 17, 1861, for furnishing by contract

HAY AND OATS

for the United States troops at Camp Cameron on Globe near Leeburg, in such quantities as may be required from time to time, to be delivered free of cost to the United States at either of said camps. The proposals will state the price per ton for hay and per bushel (of 32 lbs.) for oats. The articles to be of the best quality, subject to such inspection as the U. S. Quartermaster may require. Should the proposal be for pressed or packed hay, the fact must be stated upon the same.

The right is reserved to reject any bid and any forage not of satisfactory quality. Proposals to be addressed to the undersigned at Harrisburg, Pa. W. B. SLACK, Captain & A. Q. M. Vol. U. S. A. oct12-d1d

PROPOSALS FOR RATIONS FOR 1862.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, U. S. MARINE CORPS, Washington, September 25, 1862. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until the 30th day of October next, at 12 o'clock m., for furnishing rations to the U. S. Marines, at the following stations, during the year 1862, viz:

- Potomouth, New Hampshire; Charlestown, Massachusetts; Brooklyn, Long Island, New York; Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; Washington, District of Columbia.

Each ration to consist of three quarters of a pound of mess pork, or bacon; or one-and-a-fourth pounds of fresh or salt beef; twenty-two ounces of bread, made of extra superfine flour, or in lieu thereof twenty-two ounces of extra superfine flour; or one pound of hard bread, at the option of the Government; and at the rate of eight quarts of best white beans, or in lieu thereof ten pounds of rice; ten pounds of good coffee, or in lieu thereof one-and-a-half pounds of tea; fifteen pounds of good New Orleans sugar; four quarts of vinegar; one pound of sperm candles, or one-and-a-half pounds of admantine candles, or one-and-a-half pounds of good hard-dipped tallow candles; four pounds of good, hard, brown soap; two quarts of salt; and one hundred and fifty-six pounds of potatoes, to each hundred rations.

The increased allowance of four ounces of flour or bread, and the allowance of potatoes, as above proved, will cease, at the termination of the present insurrection, and the ration be provided by law and regulations, on the 1st of July, 1861.

The beef shall be delivered on the order of the commanding officer of each station, either in bulk or by the single ration; and shall consist of the best and most choice pieces of the carcass; the pork to be No. 1 prime mess pork; and the groceries to be of the best quality of kinds named.

All bids must be accompanied by the following guarantee:

Form of Guarantee. The undersigned, of _____, in the State of _____, hereby guarantees that in case the foregoing bid of _____ for rations, as above described, be accepted, he or they will, within ten days after the receipt of the contract at the Post Office named, execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient securities; and in case the said _____ shall fail to enter into contract as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference the offer of the _____ and that which may be accepted.

Witness: E. F. 1862. I hereby certify that the above named _____ are known to me as men of property, and able to make good their guarantee. G. H. (To be signed by the United States District Judge, United States District Attorney, or Collector.) No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the above guarantee.

(Newspapers authorized to publish the above will send the paper containing the first insertion to this office for examination.) Proposals to be endorsed "Proposals for Rations for 1862," and addressed to the undersigned, W. B. SLACK, Major and Quartermaster. oct14-4t

Select Schools for Boys and Girls

FRONT STREET ABOVE LOCUST. THE Fall term of ROBERT M'ELWEE'S School for boys, will open the first Monday in September. The room is well ventilated, comfortably furnished, and in every respect adapted for school purposes.

MARIN M'ELWEE'S School for girls, located in the same building, will open for the Fall term at the same time. The room has been elegantly fitted up to promote the health and comfort of scholars. agc27t

COAL.

THE undersigned would respectfully inform the citizens of Harrisburg, that he is prepared to furnish in any part of the city, Levens Valley, Trevorton and Wilkesboro Coal as low as other dealers in the city. Please call and give me a trial. J. WALLACE, Jr., Agent, No. 5, Reading Railroad Depot, Harrisburg, Pa. sep-d1t

EMPTY BARRELS.

Two Hundred Empty Barrels, 20x30, 20x40, 20x50, 20x60, 20x70, 20x80, 20x90, 20x100, 20x110, 20x120, 20x130, 20x140, 20x150, 20x160, 20x170, 20x180, 20x190, 20x200, 20x210, 20x220, 20x230, 20x240, 20x250, 20x260, 20x270, 20x280, 20x290, 20x300, 20x310, 20x320, 20x330, 20x340, 20x350, 20x360, 20x370, 20x380, 20x390, 20x400, 20x410, 20x420, 20x430, 20x440, 20x450, 20x460, 20x470, 20x480, 20x490, 20x500, 20x510, 20x520, 20x530, 20x540, 20x550, 20x560, 20x570, 20x580, 20x590, 20x600, 20x610, 20x620, 20x630, 20x640, 20x650, 20x660, 20x670, 20x680, 20x690, 20x700, 20x710, 20x720, 20x730, 20x740, 20x750, 20x760, 20x770, 20x780, 20x790, 20x800, 20x810, 20x820, 20x830, 20x840, 20x850, 20x860, 20x870, 20x880, 20x890, 20x900, 20x910, 20x920, 20x930, 20x940, 20x950, 20x960, 20x970, 20x980, 20x990, 20x1000.

New Advertisements.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE U. S. MARINE CORPS.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, Washington, September 25, 1862.

SEALED PROPOSALS, for each class separately, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock m. of Wednesday, 20th of October next, for furnishing to the United States Marine Corps, during the year 1862, the following quantities, to be delivered at the office of the Quartermaster of the corps, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, free of expense to the United States, in such quantities as may from time to time be ordered, viz:

- 14,000 yards of Sky Blue Kersey, all wool, from hair, 54 inches wide, to weigh 12 ounces per yard. (Indigo washed.)
6,000 yards Dark Blue Kersey, all wool, from hair, 54 inches wide, to weigh 12 ounces per yard. (Indigo washed.)
8,000 yards Dark Blue Twilled Cloth, all wool, from hair, 54 inches wide, to weigh 22 ounces per yard.
150 yards of Scarlet Cloth, all wool, from hair, 54 inches wide, to weigh 16 ounces per yard.
8,000 yards of G-4 Dark Blue Flannel, all wool, from hair, 54 inches wide, to weigh 15 ounces per yard.

- 16,000 yards of 3-4 Dark Blue Flannel, all wool, from hair, 54 inches wide, to weigh 14 ounces per yard.
1,200 Gray Blankets, all wool, to weigh 12 ounces per yard.
10,000 yards White Linen for Shirts, 36 inches wide, to weigh 11 ounces per yard.
16,000 yards Canton Flannel, all wool, 36 inches wide, to weigh 7 ounces per yard.
6,000 pairs of Woolen Socks, three sizes, all made of good three ply yarn, to weigh double and twisted yarn, to weigh three pounds per dozen pair, free of grease.

- 6,000 yards White Linen for Pants, 36 inches wide, to weigh 13 ounces per yard.
10,000 yards White Linen for Shirts, 36 inches wide, to weigh 11 ounces per yard.
1,000 Uniform Caps, complete, except Pompons.
1,500 Pompons, red worsted, ball-shaped, inches in circumference.
3,000 Tapes Caps, (with covers, to be made of blue cloth, indigo washed.)
2,000 socks.

- 600 Gross Coat Buttons (English).
400 Gross Jacket Buttons (English).
100 Gross Vest Buttons (English).
1,500 Pairs Yellow Metal Cressants and Straps.
250 sets Epaulette Bullion for Sergeants and Corporals.
2,000 sets Epaulette Bullion for Private.
50 Red Worsted Sashes.
2,500 yards of Yellow Binding.
2,500 yards Red Cord.
100 Swords for Sergeants.
50 Swords for musicians.
50 Drums, (snare.) complete.
50 Drum Slings.
200 Snare Drum Heads.
50 Batter Drum Heads.
100 Drum Cords.
100 Sets of Drum Snare.
100 Boxwood "B" Files.

- 10,000 Pairs Army Boots, infantry pattern.
1,200 Cartridge Boxes.
1,200 Bayonet Scabbards.
1,200 Percussion Cap Pouches.
1,200 Cartridge Box Belts.
1,200 Bayonet Belts.
1,200 Waist Belts.
1,200 Waist Plates.
1,200 Braist Plates.
250 Sword Frogs.

For making and trimming the following articles, viz: Watch coats; sergeants', corporals', musicians', and privates' uniforms and fatigue caps; woolen and linen pants; shaned and knitted shirts; drawers; flannel sacks; and military jackets for boys.

The above-mentioned articles must be made in all respects, to the sealed standard pattern of the office of the Quartermaster Marine Corps, Marine Barracks, Washington, D. C. The Quartermaster, office Marine Corps, 1st St. Spruce street, Philadelphia; and at the Post Stations, Brooklyn, New York, and Boston, Massachusetts, where they can be examined. And when the articles named above are fully conforming to samples, they will be rejected, and the contractor will be bound to furnish others of the required kind at the expense of the contractor.

Payment will be made upon the acceptance and delivery of the whole quantity, which may from time to time be ordered, withholding the ten per cent from the payment of account rendered on the first order, until second order is filled, and ten per cent from the account rendered on the second order until third order is filled, and so on until the contract is completed.

Each proposal must be accompanied by the following guarantee:

Form of Guarantee. The undersigned, of _____, in the State of _____, hereby guarantees that in case the foregoing bid of _____ for supplies, as above described, be accepted, he or they will, within ten days after the receipt of the contract at the Post Office named, execute the contract for the same, with good and sufficient securities; and in case the said _____ shall fail to enter into contract as aforesaid, we guarantee to make good the difference between the offer of the said _____, and that which may be accepted.

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Quartermaster M. C. Washington, D. C.

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