

War Department,
March 5, 1865.

Notice is hereby given,

THAT separate proposals will be received at the office of the Secretary for the Department of War, until 12 o'clock at noon of the first Wednesday in June next, for the supply of all rations that may be required for the use of the United States, from the 1st day of October 1865, until the 30th day of September 1866, both days inclusive, at the following places, viz:

First, At Niagara, Detroit, Michilimackinac, Fort Wayne, Chicago, Swan Creek, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the state of Ohio, and territory of Michigan, and at any place or places within the Indiana territory north of the 41st degree of north latitude.

Second, At South West Point, Tellico, Knoxville, Nashville, and within the Cherokee nation between Tennessee and Georgia, and on the Tennessee river, and on the bank between said river and Nashville, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the states of Kentucky and Tennessee.

Third, At the Garrison near Vincennes on the river Wabash, at Fort Massac, New Madrid, Chickasaw Bluffs, Arkansas, Natchez and Fort Adams, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited in the Mississippi territory, except the county of Washington, and at any place or places in the Indiana territory south of the 41st degree of north latitude and fifty miles east of the Mississippi river.

Fourth, At St. Louis, St. Charles, Kaskaskia, Cahokia, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the territory of Louisiana north of New Madrid, and at any place or places in the Indiana territory within fifty miles east of the Mississippi river and south of the 41st degree of north latitude, Fort Massac excepted.

Fifth, At New Orleans, Plaquemines, Point Coupee, Oacheta, Natchitoches, Appal usas, Attakapa, Fort Stoddard, Fort St. Stephens, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the territory of Orleans, or in the county of Washington in the Mississippi Territory, and at any place or places on the west side of the Mississippi river below Arkansas.

Sixth, At Fort Wilkerson, Cockspur Island, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited, within the state of Georgia, and on the Indian boundary between Georgia and the Creek nation.

Seventh, At Charlston, Rocky Mount, on the head waters of the Santee, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited, within the states of North and South Carolina.

Eighth, At Norfolk, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited, within the state of Virginia.

Ninth, At Fort M'Henry, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited, within the state of Maryland and the district of Columbia.

Tenth, At Fort Mifflin, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the state of Pennsylvania, east of the river Susquehanna, and within the states of New Jersey, and Delaware.

Eleventh, at Pittsburg, Carlisle, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited, within the state of Pennsylvania, west of the river Susquehanna.

Twelfth, At Fort Jay, West Point, Albany, Sherburne, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the state of New York, Niagara and its dependencies excepted.

Thirteenth, At Fort Trumbull, Fort Wolfert, and at any place or places where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited, within the states of Connecticut, Rhode Island and Vermont.

Fourteenth, At Fort Independence, (Boston harbor) and at any place or places, where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the state of Massachusetts, the town of Springfield, and the district of Maine excepted.

Fifteenth, At Portsmouth, Portland, and at any place or places, where troops are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the state of New Hampshire and the district of Maine.

Sixteenth, Proposals will also be received as aforesaid, for the supply of all rations, which may be required by the U. States, for the troops which are or may be stationed, marched or recruited within the town of Springfield in the state of Massachusetts, and for the armorer and other persons employed in the United States' armoury at that place from the 1st day of January 1865 to the 31st day of December in the same year, both days inclusive.

A ration to consist of one pound and one quarter of beef, or three quarters of a pound of pork, eighteen ounces of bread or flour, one gill of rum, whiskey or brandy, and at the rate of two quarts of salt, four quarts of vinegar, four pounds of soap, and one pound and a half of candles, to every hundred returns. The prices of the several component parts of the ration shall be specified: but the United States reserve the right of making such alterations in the price of the component parts of the ration as shall make the price of each part thereof bear a just proportion to the proposed price of the whole ration. The rations are to be furnished in such quantities, that there shall at all times, during the term of the proposed contract, be sufficient for the consumption of the troops at Michilimackinac, Detroit and Chicago, for six months in advance; and at each of the other posts on the western waters, for at least three months in advance of good and wholesome provisions, if the same shall be required. It is also to be permitted to all and every of the commandants of fortified places or posts, to call for, at seasons when the same can be transported, or at any time in case of urgency, such supplies of like provisions in advance, as in the discretion of the commandant shall be deemed proper.

It is understood that the contractor is to be at the expense and risk of issuing the supplies to the troops, and that all losses sustained by the depositions of an enemy, or by means of the troops of the United States, shall be paid by the United States at the price of the articles captured or destroyed as aforesaid, on the deposition of two or more persons of creditable character, and the certificate of a commissioned officer, stating the circumstances of the loss, and the amount of the articles for which compensation shall be claimed.

The privilege is understood to be reserved to the United States of requiring that none of the supplies, which may be furnished under any of the proposed contracts, shall be issued until the supplies, which have been or may be furnished under contracts now in force, have been consumed; and that a supply in advance may be always required at any of the fixed posts on the seaboard, or Indian frontiers not exceeding three months.

H. DEARBORN,
Secretary of War.

March 14.

Wants Employ,
A Middle aged man, either to assist in a store, or take charge of a Warehouse, collect debts, or any similar situation, can write and understand common accounts; he can be sufficiently recommended. Please direct to A. B. to be left with the printers.

Vaccine Inoculation.

TICKETS at one Dollar each, entitling the purchaser or bearer to be inoculated, free of every other expense, may be had on application at my INOCULATING ROOM, (Chatham-street between the court house and St. Paul's-lane) or at any of the principal apothecaries' shops in this city.

JAMES SMITH Physician.
N. B. Attendance is given every morning throughout the year to inoculate those who have tickets. But in every case where no ticket is held or bought at the time of inoculation, as well as for every inoculation where he attends for that purpose, at the residence of the patient, Dr. S. will charge customary prices.

For Sale,
AT PRIVATE SALE,
A TRACT of 40 Acre, lying in Cecil county, about two miles from Elkton, on the post road from Elkton to Baltimore, and bordering also on the road leading from Nottingham to Elkton, containing in all 63 acres. There is a stream of water called Mill Creek, runs through the land. For particulars a copy of the subscription, in the City of Baltimore, by whom the plot may be viewed, and who will give an indisputable title to the purchaser.

JOHN VRAZEV,
Cochmaster, the above street, City of Baltimore.

Wm. Bromme & Co.
Manufacturers and sell the following articles, viz:—Feathers, with latest additions and improvements, of a superior quality, for cleaning all kinds of garments, of various sizes; standing and rolling in cones; shaves for meal; waxes for collars and milk house windows; together with all kinds of wire sieves—such as for corn, wheat, rye, oats, barley, timothy, flax and clover seed; coal, lime, sand, brick dust, &c. &c. Also cutting boxes on a new construction, made to feed themselves by the motion of the knife. It is presumed they will answer the purpose well, as they cut with remarkable facility; the construction simple and practical.

This is to give Notice,
THAT the Subscribers, of the City of Baltimore, have obtained from the Ophiuchus Court, letters to come on the personal estate of HUGH MCCOY, late of the said City, Mercantile, deceased—all persons having claims against the said estate, are hereby notified to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereon, to the subscribers, on or before the 31st day of June next, they may otherwise be lawfully excluded from all benefit of said estate—and all those indebted to said estate are desired to make payment, without delay, or suits will be commenced against them without respect to persons.

GRACE M'CURDY, Exec'x,
THOMAS M'LEDERY, Exec'x.
N. B. The books remain at the old stand, sign of the Star, Calvert-street.

Worthy of Attention,
FIVE Patented tracts of improved LAND or Plantations of four hundred acres each, situated in the county of Berks, in the state of Pennsylvania, and within about ninety miles of Philadelphia in the neighbourhood of which are a great number of respectable German families. The tracts are contiguous to the waters of the Susquehanna, that bring produce & lumber to Eery kind of Baltimore. It will be sold cheap, and in generous terms, the title indisputable. Enquire of the Printers.

In the matter of Thomas Yates.
A BANKRUPT.
THE Creditors who have proved their debts, under a commission of bankruptcy awarded and issued by the Court of the City of Baltimore, in the case of Thomas Yates, of the city of Baltimore, merchant and trader, are desired to meet at the assignees of the said bank at his estate and filed on Wednesday, the 14th day of April, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of John Caldwell, Esq. No. 18 North Silver-street, to assemble and do business, for recovering of any, or of the said bankrupt's estate and effects; or to the compound or submitting to liquidation; or to the carrying any matter or thing depending between the said assignees and Jonathan Huddins, Michael Terman and Company, George D. Topp, Jacob Walsh junior, William Taylor, and El in Solomon all of the city of Baltimore; and William S. Moore, James Wilson, and John Kennedy, all of the city of Alexandria; and also to assent to or dissent from a proposal for selling on a credit the real estate of the said bankrupt.

FOR SALE BY
Isaac M'Pherson,
At the manufactory formerly owned by James Hickley No. 30, F. street, street,
BURR MILL STONES, of different sizes, and hands to make any other sizes that may be wanted.

PLASTER OF PARIS in the stone and prepared for Stone Work.
Also just imported,
A good assortment of BOLTING CLOTHS of the first quality.
I wish to engage one or two good hands to cut Free Stone and Marble, for which good wages will be given.

St. Paul's Parish Lottery.
THE Subscribers having been appointed by the vestry of St. Paul's Parish, managers of a lottery authorized by the general assembly of Maryland and the corporation of the city of Baltimore, intended to raise a sum of money for the erection of a parsonage house, and for other purposes, offer to the public the following

SCHEME.

Prize of	Dollars,	10000
1	-	5000
2	-	4000
3	-	3000
8	-	4000
15	-	3000
30	-	5000
60	-	5000
120	-	2400
700	-	7000
5100	-	30600

6040 Prizes. } 75000
11960 Blanks.—Sum raised, } 15000
including expence, }

18,000 Tickets at 5 dollars each, 90000
OF the above prizes,
1 of 500 dols. is allotted to the 1st drawn ticket
1 200 - - - - after 2000
1 200 - - - - 4000
1 200 - - - - 6000
1 200 - - - - 8000
1 200 - - - - 10000
1 500 - - - - 12000
1 500 - - - - 14000
1 500 - - - - 16000
1 1000 - - - - 17000
1 2000 - - - - last drawn ticket.

From the above Scheme, it appears that there are not two blanks to a prize; and that the prizes are to be paid without deduction. The advantages offered to adventurers, and the object to which the money is principally to be applied, the more good hope will be such a speedy sale of the tickets as may enable them to commence drawing an early day. All prizes will be paid within six days from the completion of the drawing; and such as may not be demanded within twelve months after, will be considered as generous donations to the objects of the lottery. Good has been given to the amount of \$500000 to the Mayor and City Council, for the faithful performance of its conditions. Tickets may be had of the managers, and of such other persons as they may appoint; and prizes in the Cathedral Lottery will be received in payment.

JOHN MERRYMAN,
MARK PRINGLE,
JAMES CARROLL,
WILLIAM LORMAN,
GEORGE GRUNDY,
JOHN MUNSICKHUYSEN,
GEORGE HOFFMAN,
GOBERT HASKINS,
April 3
w.m.—2aw

Will be Sold,
AT Public Auction, on Monday, the 29th day of April next, in the premises, a valuable LOT OF GROUND and improvements on York street, a continuation of Baltimore street, east of Jones's Falls and near the new Presbyterian Church. It fronts 25 feet on York street, and runs back to Salisbury street about 160 feet. The improvements are a new brick back building of about 30 by 16 feet, covered with slate and finished in a substantial and neat manner. The cellar for a iron house of 25 by 53 feet is well dug up and the joint level on the window frames and sash are on hand, also stone gills and arches a small quantity of lumber. This is inclined to purchase are invited to view the property, and can obtain further information on application to Matthew Johnston, living in the house, or to James Moser, New Church street, who will give the purchaser an indisputable title in fee simple.

Notice is hereby given,
THAT the Commissioners of the Tax for Baltimore county, will meet at No. 44 North Gay street, on WEDNESDAY, the 22d day of May next, and continue to sit every day, until the 31st day of June following. Sunday's excepted. For the purpose of hearing appeals and making transfers from persons residing in said county and precincts, agreeably to act of Assembly, passed November session, 1833, sec 23 and 24, of which the following is an extract: "Provided that no person shall have any allowance or deduction on account of any Negro, or other property, lost by death or destruction unless a report of the same is made to the Commissioners supported by satisfactory evidence to the Commissioners, on or before the 1st Monday in June, in any year."

By order,
S. VINCENT, Clerk.
April 10
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Notice.
In pursuance of the Last Will and Testament, of the late William Spalding, deceased, will be sold by auction on Friday the 19th April next, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises.

A THREE story Brick House, with good back buildings and yard, late the residence of the deceased, in Fayette street. The terms of payment will be one fourth cash, the other three fourths in 2, 4 and 6 months—This given on the last payment being made. For any information, previous to the sale, apply at the store of Spalding & Elder.

BASIL S. ELDER,
EDWARD JENKINS, } ex'ors.
march 21
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French Night School—
Ecole Francaise.
NOTICE is hereby given, That I, the subscriber, Teacher and Translator of the French and English Languages, intend to open the FRENCH SCHOOL, in my common dwelling, on the 25th instant, and if 43 years experience, in giving tuition in this language, in different parts of the United States, with success, are not sufficient to excite me to a share of encouragement, I beg those promising youths, who have a desire to become scholars, to apply to friend Philip Thomas, at the sign of the golden key, Baltimore-street, where they can be acquainted with my short, yet grammatical manner of Teaching.

AS I can devote some leisure hours in the daytime, to the instruction of a few scholars, I should be happy to make an engagement with
JOSEPH FALLOTTE,
South Charles-street.
October 26.
6m—1

A Stolen Horse.
A man was attempting to steal one or more of my horses out of my stable, on Monday night last; he was discovered, and made his escape, leaving a grey horse (with white and blue) which he had not time to mount being badly maimed. The owner can see him again by applying to Mr. M. near Baltimore, to ISAAC VAN BIBBER, April 16.

A handsome reward
Will be given to any person or persons who will lodge such information, his office, as may prove the means of putting a certain DANIEL GOLD-LAND in the power of the officers of justice, from whom he has escaped a few days since—said GOLD-LAND is supposed to be now lurking in the woods, in the neighbourhood of the York road turnpike gate.
April 16.

Thirty Dollar Reward.
ABSCONDED from the subscribers, on Monday, the 8th instant, a Mulatto man named WILL. He is about 5 feet 8 or 10 inches high; thin features are coarse; has a large flat nose, thick and prominent lips, and has some freckles on his forehead; is marked with the small pox, particularly on his nose; his hair has been lately cut; his legs and thighs are larger than usual for the size of his body and shoulders. He carries with him a variety of clothing. He is a good writer and understands driving a carriage. He was met on the road on Wednesday, the 10th instant, about 3 miles from Baltimore; at which place there is a woman, the property of Mr. John Gill, whom he has claimed as a wife, and who, no doubt, will endeavor to conceal him.—I will give the above reward if he is secured in any jail, so that I get him again; and if delivered here, I will pay all reasonable charges.
HENRY ROSE.
Alexander, April 15.

To Merchants.
A gentleman whose qualifications are unquestionable, wishes for the situation of first clerk, in a mercantile house; he possesses a thorough knowledge of business, and is perfect master of the most required languages.

Undeniable vouchers of character and reference may be had by application by letter to H. G. to be left at the office of the American.

Merchants, Lawyers or Ship Brokers, who may have papers or writings of any kind translated, in French, English, German or Dutch, are respectfully invited to apply at Keating's Book Store, 61, Market street, they will be attended to, and their business transacted with perfect readiness, secrecy and dispatch.
April 16.

In Cecil County Court,
NOTICE is hereby given that the County Court will meet at the Court house of said county, on the first Monday of August next, at 12 o'clock, and will then proceed on the petition of ROBERT WILLIAMS, an insolvent debtor, who has petitioned the said court for his discharge, at which time and place the creditors of the said Robert Williams are requested to appear, for the purpose of proposing interrogatories, to be answered by the said Robert Williams, according to the provisions of the act of Assembly of the state of Maryland, entitled, "An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," passed at November session, eighteen hundred and four.

By order,
JAMES SEWALL, Ck.
April 16
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Notice is hereby given,
THAT Baltimore county court will meet, at the court house of said county on Thursday, the 18th instant, at four o'clock, P. M. to hear and determine on the petition of Alexander Davidson, now in custody. The court will then proceed agreeably to the provisions of the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors," at the last session of the General Assembly, to discharge the person of said Davidson, without requiring bond for his personal appearance at the final hearing, unless cause be shown to the contrary, of which the creditors are hereby warned.

Signed by order,
WM. GIBSON, Ck.
April 16
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Frederick Konig,
No. 225 1-2, Market street, has imported, and offers for sale, by the package or smaller quantity,
An extensive assortment of
German and English Goods,
CONSISTING OF,
LOOKING GLASSES of all sizes; do. plates from 40 to 24 to 10 by 8 inches; snuff boxes, violins and do. strings toys, and a great variety of other Nuremberg wares; slates and slate pencils, colored paper, wafers; quills, pocket books of all sorts, lead pencils, beads of every description; phials, pill boxes; spring lancets and other surgical instruments; scythes, straw knives, whet-stones, coffee mills, frying pans, shovels, spades and other ironmongery; tapes, bobbins, ferretting, galleons, sewing thread, shoe-binding, velvet ribbons, hair-ribbons, an assortment of lace and edging, among which are a few pieces elegant inserting lace; a sets of handsome French china; alabaster and glass chimney ornaments; a large assortment of hollow glass ware, cut and plain; guns, pistols, flints; horsemen's swords, home made linens, diapers, silk velvet, wadding, furniture fringe, embroidery chissels, spangles and ballion; cambric, Turkey yarn, bird cages, Canary seed, baskets, twine, brushes and combs, assorted japanned and plated wares, brass foundry, optical instruments, jewellery, and many articles of hardware and cutlery.

F. Konig having selected the greatest part of his goods himself in Europe, and purchased them on advantageous terms, will dispose of them at reduced prices.
march 30
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Columbian Inn—continued.
ISAAC CAUSTEN.
Respectfully informs his friends and the public, that he has leased for a term of years, commencing the 11th day of December next, the extensive well known house, the Columbian Inn, one door above the corner of Howard in Baltimore-street.

To those acquainted with the superior convenience and situation of this valuable property, nothing need be said. To strangers it may be necessary to observe, that it is situated in the most pleasant and healthy part of the city, and surrounded with respectable mercantile houses, therefore obvious to the convenience of country merchants, travellers, &c.

To this extensive establishment, I earnestly solicit the patronage of his friends and a generous public, and begs leave to assure every thing on his part shall be exerted to merit and secure their approbation.
november 27
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Peter Michel,
Gen. and Steward of the late Sup House,
PROPOSES to continue the institution throughout the summer, so as to be enabled to deliver Soup to the industrious Poor and others at a moderate price. They also propose to add to the establishment, a Cook-shop and eating room, in which is to be served up, Turtle Soup, &c. In the fall or the next winter, the Soup house is to be again in the hands of the public, or under such regulations and government as the public may order. They now require a small advance of money from their friends, which they promise to repay in Soup Tickets, Turtle &c. &c.

Turtle and other Soups will be ready for delivering THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock, at No. 5, South Gay street.

WE the late committee of general superintendance of the Soup house, at prove of the plan proposed by Peter Michel & Peter Dolany, and take the liberty to recommend them to the public patronage.

RICHARDSON STUART,
GEO. P. KEEPORTS,
JAMES MOSHER.
march 18

The Managers
OF the Second Presbyterian Church Lottery, will commence drawing on the first Monday in May next.—In the mean time tickets may be had at the original price; and prizes in the Cathedral Church Lottery will be received in payment.

THOMAS M'LEDERY,
JAMES BLAYS,
JAMES ARMSTRONG,
JAMES LEAN,
JOHN ALLEN, junr.
THOMAS DICKSON,
KENNEDY LONG,
march 11 (20)

Notice.
THE Managers of the Market House Lottery for building and finishing the same, notify the public, that they intend to commence drawing the lottery on the 2d Tuesday in June next. Such persons as are not yet supplied with tickets, may be furnished by applying to any of the subscribers, at their original price.

Prizes in the Catholic Cathedral Church Lottery, will be received in payment.
E. FINLEY,
D. LAMMOT,
C. JOHNSTON,
L. PASCAULT,
J. KENNEDY,
I. S. HORNE.
march 13

To Lease for a term of years,
A LOT OF GROUND on Fish street, opposite the German Lutheran church, fronting 20 feet on said street, and 150 deep, with the additional advantage of a 3 foot alley. There is a frame house on said lot, which may be made habitable at a small expence.

Several Lots on the Reister's town turnpike road, one mile from this city.
Any person inclining to rent, may have possession of a commodious two story frame house in Fish street, on the first of April, on moderate terms. The back buildings are extensive and convenient. Apply to
E. LAWSON, Pratt street.
march 20

Medoc Claret.
IMPORTED last fall, and kept since in a good vault, 18 cases, containing 24 bottles each of the above WINE, from Bordeaux. It is well adapted for exportation, being entitled to drawback, or would suit for private family use. Apply to
RUGH THOMPSON.
Also on Hand,
A few cases Irish linen (real Coleraine)
Antique Rum, last year's, nice flavor and high proof,
St. Vincent's do. do.
Teneriffe wine, London particular and cargo quality.
Ground Alum Salt,
And a few boxes white Havana sugars, to close sales, would be sold at a low valuation.
H. T.

LOST,
ON the evening of the 11th, a Red Morocco Pocket Book, about half worn. It is supposed to have been dropped some where between the lot of M'Elroy's dock and Market street. As there was nothing in it, but a few cents, and a bill of 5 dollars, it can be of no use to any one but the owner; if a finder is requested to have it at this office, and he shall be welcome to the money, and no questions asked.
April 15

To be Let,
A handsome Two Story Brick Dwelling HOUSE, with back buildings, in Union at cert, near the new Market, and a few doors from Mr. David Hammet's. Possession may be had immediately.

Also,
One new Two Story Brick WARE HOUSE at the intersection of Howard & Liberty streets For particulars enquire of
W. LUAM JONES.
Living in Eutaw street.
APR 15

Harrison-street Academy.
WILLIAM C. COCHRAN,
Formerly Principal of the Old-Town Academy, having resumed the business of Education, cannot but express his gratitude for the almost unexampled proof of parental confidence, which he has received; and is happy to inform his friends and the public, that he has at length been able to procure men of the first integrity, and best talents, as assistants, in all the various departments of youthful Education. He has also introduced a new department to his school, by engaging Mr. GILBERT, whose talents as a vocal reformer, are well known; who, on every Saturday, will give to a select class, lessons in Psalmody.—Parents disposed to send their children, are invited to take an inside view of the Academy.
April 6

For Sale,
THE STOCK in TRADE, of a Retail store situated in Market street, amounting to Eight Thousand Dollars, in well assorted goods, in good order.—A credit of one, two or three years, if required, will be given upon sufficient security.—The purchaser will have the benefit of an excellent stand and store, at a very low rate.—Apply, for particulars, to the Printers.
April 2