BANKING.

U. S. 7.30 LOAN.

The Secretary of the Treasury gives notice that subscriptions will be received for Coupon Treasury Notes, payable three years from Aug. 15th, 1864, with semi-annual interest at the rate of seven and three-tenths per cent. per annum—principal and interest both to be paid in lawful money.

These notes will be convertible at the option of the holder at maturity, into six per cent gold bearing bonds, payable not less than five nor more than twenty years from their date, as the Government may elect. They will be issued in denominations of $50, $100, $500, $1,000 and $5,000, and all subscriptions must be for fifty dollars, or some multiple of fifty dollars.

As the notes draw interest from August 15, persons making deposits subsequent to that date must pay the interest accrued from date of note to date of deposit.

Parties depositing twenty-five thousand dollars and upwards for these notes at any one time will be allowed a commission of one-quarter of one per cent.

SPECIAL ADVANTAGES OF THIS LOAN

It is a National Savings Bank, offering a higher rate of interest than any other, and *the best security*. Any savings bank which pays its depositors in U. S. Notes considers that it is paying in the best circulating medium of the country, and it *cannot* pay in anything better, for its own assets are either in Government securities or in notes or bonds payable in Government paper.

Convertible into a Six per cent. 5-20 Gold Bond.

In addition to the very liberal interest on the notes for three years, this privilege of conversion is now worth about three per cent. per annum, for the current rate for 5-20 Bonds is not less than *nine per cent. premium*, and before the war the premium on six per cent. U. S. stocks was over twenty per cent. It will be seen that the actual profit on this loan, at the present market rate, is not less than ten per cent. per annum.

Its Exemption from State or Municipal Taxation.

But aside from all the advantages we have enumerated, a special Act of Congress *exempts all bonds and Treasury notes from local taxation*. On the average, this exemption is worth about two per cent. per annum, according to the rate of taxation in various parts of the country.

It is believed that no securities offer so great inducements to lenders as those issued by the government. In all other forms of indebtedness, the faith or ability of private parties, or stock companies, or separate communities, only, is pledged for payment, while the whole property of the country is held to secure the discharge of all the obligations of the United States.

Subscriptions will be received by the Treasurer of the United States, at Washington, the several Assistant Treasurers and designated Depositaries, and by the

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALTIMORE, MD,

SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF BALTIMORE, MD.

and by all National Banks which are depositaries of public money, and

ALL RESPECTABLE BANKS AND BANKERS throughout the country will give further information and AFFORD EVERY FACILITY TO SUBSCRIBERS. au29-d&W2w

UNITED STATES SEVEN-THIRTY LOAN

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALTIMORE is authorized by the Secretary of the Treasury to receive subscriptions to this new loan.

Parties subscribing for $25,000, and upwards, at one time, will be allowed a commission, of one-quarter of one per cent., which will be paid by the Treasury Department.

Full information can be obtained on application at the Bank. J. S. NORRIS, Cashier.
jy30-1m

UNITED STATES

10-40 BONDS.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALTIMORE

DESIGNATED DEPOSITORY AND FINANCIAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

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ap12-tf Cashier.

PROPOSALS.

CITY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Baltimore, August 25th, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until THE TENTH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, for grading and macadamizing the Harford Avenue from the junction of Central Avenue to the city line. Persons desiring to offer for the work, can obtain the requisite information by application to the undersigned. JNO GORSUCH,
au26-eot10S City Commissioner.

CITY PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

CITY REGISTER'S OFFICE,
Baltimore, August 27, 1864.

SEPARATE SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, M., SEPTEMBER 6TH, for furnishing such Printing and Stationery for the city as may be required by the Register for one year from October 1st, 1864. Samples and Specifications can be seen at this office, and all bids must accord with said specifications. Bond, with approved security, will be required for the faithful performance of the successful contracts. JNO. A. THOMPSON,
au27-td Register.

PRINTING.

BOOK AND JOB PRINTING.

JAMES YOUNG,
114 W. Baltimore street,
opposite Sun Office.

Every description promptly executed at short notice on moderate terms for cash. au8-1m

SUBSTITUTES.

500 WANTED IMMEDIATELY—Five Hundred VOLUNTEERS and SUBSTITUTES for the Army and Navy. Apply to OLIVER WOOD,
61 Second st.

N. B.—Substitutes furnished on Commissions.
au11-1M

CHEMICALS.

SUPER PHOSPHATE OF LIME, OIL OF VITRIOL, Muriatic, and Nitric acids, Sulphate of Zinc, Spanish Brown, Marble Dust, &c., manufactured and for sale by

JAMES H. STIMPSON,
Manufacturing Chemist,
370 W. Baltimore street,
au24-f East of Paca.

ICE CREAM.

ICE CREAM!
ICE CREAM!
AND WATER ICES!

35 CENTS PER QUART for Ice Cream and Water Ices, of the best quality, and of all the different flavors. J. FUSSEL & CO.,
oc2 Saratoga street, near Calvert.

MARTIN HEYN,
MERCHANT TAILOR.
NO. 20 SECOND STREET,
Opposite the
my23-tSeptst POST OFFICE.

PROPOSALS.

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Navy Department,
Bureau of Yards and Docks, August 22, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS for each class separately endorsed "Proposals for class No. (name the class) for the navy yard at (name the yard,)" will be received at this office until the 19th September next, at 1 o'clock, P. M., at which hour the opening of the bids will be commenced, for furnishing and delivering at the several navy yards named, the materials and articles embraced in printed schedules, which, with full instructions, will be furnished on application, and sent by mail, if so requested, to persons desiring to offer to contract for any or all of the classes named therein, by the commandants of the several navy yards, for the classes for the yards under their command, or by the navy agent nearest thereto, or by the Bureau for any or all of the yards.

To prevent confusion and mistakes in sealing the offers, no bid will be received which contains classes for more than one yard in one envelope; nor any bid which is not perfect and complete in size according to the forms of offer and guarantee, and each individual of a firm must sign the bid and contract.

Bidders are hereby cautioned and particularly notified that their offers must be in the form hereinafter prescribed, and be mailed in time to reach their destination before the time expires for receiving them; *no bid will be considered which shall be received after the period stated, and no allowance will be made for delays of the mail.* All offers must be accompanied by a certified copy of the bidders license.

To guard against offers being opened before the time appointed, bidders are requested to endorse on the envelope, above the address, and draw a line under the endorsement, thus:

"Proposals for Class No. (name the class) for the Navy Yard at (name the yard."

To the Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, Washington, D. C.

Instructions and forms of offer, with copies of the laws bearing on the subject, will be furnished by commandants of yards, navy agents, and the Bureau, on application to all or either of them.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

Class No 1, bricks; class No 2, stone; class No 5, Oak and hard wood; class No 6, White pine, spruce, juniper, and cypress; class No 7, Lime, hair, and plaster; class No 8, Cement; class No 9, Gravel and sand; class No 9½, Moulding and fire sand and fire clay; class No 10, State; class No 11, Iron, iron nails and spikes; class No 12, Steel; class No 13, Pig iron; class No 14, Files; class No 15, Paints, oils, and glass; class No 16, Ship chandlery; class No 17, Hardware; class No 18, Stationery; class No 19, Fire wood; class No 20, Hay and straw; class No 21, Provender; class No 22, Charcoal; class No 23, Belting, packing, and hose; class No 24, Sperm and lubricating oils; class No 25, Iron castings; class No 26, Augers; class No 27, Anthracite coal; class No 28, Bituminous Cumberland coal; class No 31, Copper and composition nails; class No 32, Machinery and tools; class A, Cement paint.

BOSTON.

Class No 1, Bricks; class No 2, Stone; class No 5, Oak and hard wood; class No 6, White pine, spruce, juniper, and cypress; class No 7, Lime, hair, and plaster; class No 8, Cement; class No 9, Gravel and sand; class No 9½, Moulding and fire sand and fire clay; class No 11, Iron, iron spikes and nails; class No 12, Steel; class No 13, Pig iron; class No 14, Files; class No 15, Paints, oils and glass; class No 16, Ship chandlery; class No 17, Hardware; class No 18, Stationery; class No 19, Fire wood; class No 20, Hay and straw; class No 21, Provender; class No 22, Charcoal; class No 23, Belting, packing, and hose; class No 24, Sperm and lubricating oils; class No 25, Iron castings; class No 26, Augers; class No 27, Anthracite coal; class No 28, Bituminous Cumberland coal; class No 31, Copper and composition nails; class No 32, Machinery and tools; class A, New joiner shop; class B, H B Smith's patent boring and mortising machine.

NEW YORK.

Class No 1, Bricks; class No 2, Stone; class No 2½, stone; class No 4, Yellow pine lumber; class No 5, Oak and hard wood; class No 6, White pine, spruce, juniper and cypress; class No 7, Lime, hair and plaster; class No 8, Cement; class No 9, Gravel and sand; class No 9½, Moulding and fire sand and fire clay; class No 10, State; class No 11, Iron, iron spikes and nails; class No 12 Steel; class No 13, Pig iron; class No 14, Files; class No 15, Paints, oils and glass; class No 16, Ship chandlery; class No 17, Hardware; class No 18, Stationery; class No 19, Fire wood; class No 20, Hay and straw; class No 21, Provender; class No 22, charcoal; class No 23, Belting, packing and hose; class No 24, sperm and lubricating oils; class No 25, Iron work, piping, &c.; class No 26, Augers; class No 27, Anthracite coal; class No 28, Semi-bituminous, broad-top coal; class No 31, Copper and composition nails; class A, Fire truck, &c.

PHILADELPHIA.

Class No 1, Bricks; class No 2, Stone; class No 4, Yellow pine timber; class No 5, Oak and hard wood; class No 6, White pine, spruce, juniper, and cypress; class No 7, Lime, hair and plaster; class No 9, Gravel and sand; class No. 11, Iron, iron spikes, and nails; class No 12, Steel; class No 14, Files; class No 15, Paints, oils, and glass; class No 16, Ship chandlery; class No 17, Hardware; class No 18, Stationery; class No 19, Firewood; class No 20, Hay and straw; class No 21, Provender; class No 22, Charcoal; class No 23, Belting, packing, and hose; class No 24, Sperm and lubricating oils; class No 25, Augers; class No 27, Anthracite coal; class No 31, Semi-bituminous broad-top coal; class No 32, Machinery and tools; class A, Bilge water indicators; class B, Spark arresters; class C, Pitch-house.

NAVAL ASYLUM.

Class No 1 Clothing; class No 2 hats, boots, shoes, &c.; class No 3 Provisions; class No 4 Groceries; class No 5 Dry Goods; class No 6 Bread, &c.; class No 7 Tobacco; class No 8 Coal; class No 9 Paints, oils, glass, &c.; class No 11 Lumber; class No 12 Firewood; class No 13 Provender; class No 14 Miscellaneous; class No 15 Hardware; class No 16 Stationery.

WASHINGTON.

Class No 1, Bricks; class No 2, Stone; class No 4, Yellow pine lumber; class No 5, Oak and hard wood; class No 6, White pine, spruce, juniper and cypress; class No 7, Lime, hair and plaster; class No 8, Cement; class No 9, Gravel and sand; class No 9½, Moulding and fire sand and fire clay; class No 11, Iron, iron nails and spikes; class No 12, Steel; class No 13, Pig-iron; class No 14, Files; class No 15, Paints, oils and glass; class No 16, Ship chandlery; class No 17, Hardware; class No 18, Stationery; class No 19, Firewood; class No 20, Hay and straw; class No 21, Provender; class No 22, Charcoal; class No 23, Belting, packing, and hose; class No 24, Sperm and lubricating oils; class No 26, Augers; class No 27, Anthracite coal; class No 28, Bituminous Cumberland coal; class No 32, Machinery and tools. au25-4w

NORFOLK.

Class No 1, Bricks; class No 3, Yellow pine timber; class No 4, Yellow pine lumber; class No 5, Oak and hardwood; class No 6, White pine, spruce, juniper and cypress; class No 7, Lime, hair and plaster; class No 8, Cement; class No 9½, Moulding and fire sand and fire clay; class No 10, Slate; class No 11, Iron, iron spikes and nails; class No 12, Steel; class No 13, Pig iron; class No 14, Files; class No 15, Paints, oils and glass; class No 16, Ship chandlery; class No 17, Hardware; class No 19, Firewood; class No 20, Hay and straw; class No 21, Provender; class No 22, Charcoal; class No 23, Belting, packing and hose; class No 24, Sperm and lubricating oils; class No 26, Augers; class No 27, Anthracite coal; class No 28, Bituminous Cumberland coal; class No 31, Semi-bituminous, broad-top coal, lump; class No 32, Copper and composition nails; class No 32, Machinery and tools; class A, Sashes, glazed.

PENSACOLA, FLA.

Class No 16, Ship chandlery; class No 17, Hardware; class No 18, Stationery; class No 19, Firewood; class No 20 Hay and straw; class No 21, Provender; class No 24 Sperm and lubricating oils; class No 26, Augers; class No 27, Anthracite coal; class No 28, Bituminous Cumberland coal; class No 32, Machinery and tools au25 4w

JEWELRY, ETC.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY,
LARMOUR & CO.,
LIGHT STREET,
Opposite the Fountain Hotel,

Invite the attention of purchasers to their new stock of Spring Styles of

FINE GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES,
RICH JEWELRY, DIAMOND JEWELRY,
WEDDING PRESENTS, SOLID SILVER WARE OF ALL KINDS,
SPECTACLES AND EYE GLASSES,
PATENT ICE PITCHERS,
OPERA GLASSES,
TABLE CUTLERY, &c.
CLOCKS AND FANCY GOODS.

☞WATCHES and JEWELRY repaired in best manner. ap 5-1stptf

A. B. MILLER,
(Successor to John H. Ham.)
DEALER IN
WATCHES, JEWELRY, &c.,
GOLD PENS AND PLATED WARE,
161 Baltimore Street,
Opposite Adams Express Company.
☞Watches and Jewelry carefully Repaired
fe6 m&tf

GOLD NECKLACES, GOLD CHAINS, SILVER SPOONS, forks, full setts, tea ware, Butter Dishes, waiters, cake baskets, Silver and Plated mugs, table knives, for sale at GABRIEL D. CLARK'S Jewelry Store, corner Calvert and Water streets. jy23-3m

PROPOSALS.

SUBSISTENCE OFFICE U. S. ARMY,
No. 83 South Street, Baltimore, Md.,
August 25, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS, *in duplicate*, will be received at this office until 12 M., on WEDNESDAY, August 31st, 1864, for furnishing the United States Subsistence Department, delivered in Baltimore, Maryland, with—

1,000 BARRELS FIRST QUALITY NEW MESS OR PRIME MESS PORK, (which to be stated,) to be full salted, 200 lbs. net, in full hooped oak barrels, with two iron hoops, meat to be free from rust or stain, and to be repacked within thirty days of delivery. To be delivered in five days from date of contract. Three barrels of Pork must be presented as a sample of the Pork to be delivered, which will be retained until the delivery is made.

1,000 BBLS. FRESH GROUND EXTRA FLOUR, of grade Nos. 1 and 2. The Flour must be fresh ground, and brands stated. Both heads to be fully head-lined. Flat-hooped and machine-made barrels will positively be rejected. To be delivered in 20 days from date of award.

500,000 LBS. OF FIRST QUALITY PILOT BREAD, to be made wholly of extra or superfine Flour, which shall be equal to the standard of "inspection" adopted and in use by the State Flour Inspectors in this city. The Flour and Bread will also be examined by the Inspector on the part of the Government, who will reject all that in the quality of the Flour or in any other respect is inferior to the standard samples. Bread to be packed in boxes of fifty (50) lbs bread to each box; boxes to be made of fully seasoned wood, of such kinds as will impart no taste or odor to the bread; pot on and top of single pieces or if two pieces, tongued and grooved together; boxes to be strapped with light green hickory straps, to be delivered in fifteen days from date of award.

75,000 POUNDS PRIME WHITE BEANS (60 lbs. to the bushel) well seasoned and dry; packed in good, strong barrels, fully head-lined. To be delivered in ten days from date of award.

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100,000 LBS. HIGH GRADE BROWN SUGAR—To be packed in barrels like samples to be seen in this office, fully head-lined, and to be delivered within eight days from date of award.

5,000 GALLONS OF THE BEST QUALITY OF PURE VINEGAR, made only from cider or whiskey; free from all foreign acids or injurious substances and of a uniform strength; the Whiskey Vinegar taking 40 grains bi-carbonate of potash to neutralize one ounce; the Cider Vinegar same or other same strength as may be to be put up in half barrels of 22 gallons capacity—to be made of white oak, like sample to be seen at this office.—Each delivery to be accompanied with a certificate of a competent Chemist that the Vinegar is of the required strength. To be delivered in fifteen days from date of award.

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Before you purchase. They are pronounced by all Professors equal, if not superior, to any made. Constantly on hand a large assortment, which will be sold at lower prices than any other house and guaranteed for 5 years.
AT STEIN'S, NO. 7 N. LIBERTY ST.,
fe2-1y above Baltimore street.

GOLD MEDAL PIANOS.
WM. KNABE & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS
GRAND AND SQUARE PIANOS,
Warerooms,
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Near Eutaw.
GOLD MEDALS
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FROM
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LEGAL NOTICES.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans' Court of Baltimore city letters of administration on the estate of THOMAS M. DUNGAN, late of said city, deceased.

All persons having claims against the said deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, on or before the 22d day of February, 1865, otherwise they may, by law, be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 22d day of August, 1864.

ABEL S. DUNGAN,
au23-law4w* Administrator.

GOLD PENS—Agent for the sale of Lev Brown's GOLD PENS—GABRIEL D. CLARK, corner of Calvert and Water sts. m24-tf

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SUBSISTENCE OFFICE, U. S. ARMY,
No. 20 SOUTH STREET,
Baltimore, Md., August 16th, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS, in *duplicate*, will be received at this office until 12 M. on WEDNESDAY, September 7th, 1864, for furnishing the United States Subsistence Department with—

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders must be present to respond to their bids, and be prepared to give bonds and sign the contract before leaving the office.

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

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

Proposals must be endorsed distinctly, PROPOSALS FOR BEEF CATTLE," and addressed to "Capt. J. H. GILMAN, C. S., Baltimore, Maryland."

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

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

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

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The undersigned Commissioners for Opening Streets in the city of Baltimore, hereby give notice that they will (in accordance with the 7th section of an ordinance of the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore, entitled an ordinance to provide for exercising certain powers vested in this Corporation, in relation to Streets in the city of Baltimore, approved June 4th, 1858,) sell at public auction on THURSDAY, the 8th day of September, at 10 o'clock, A. M., on the premises:

ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND not required for the opening of Holliday street, fronting on the south side of Baltimore street 33 feet 3 6-8 inches by 174 feet 2 11-12 inches deep, more or less, binding on the west side of Holliday street as contemplated to be opened, designated on the condemnation plat by No. 1.

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the three and one-half story Brick Building and two-story back buildings, Nos. 99 and 101 on the south side of Baltimore street, and No. 1 on the condemnation plat, (west party wall excepted.)

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the three-story Brick Building and back building, No. 97, on the south side of Baltimore street, and No. 2 on the condemnation plat.

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the three story Brick Building and back building, No. 95, on the south side of Baltimore street, and No. 3 on the condemnation plat, (east party wall and plate glass in show windows excepted.)

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the one-story Brick Building and Walls lying and being in the bed of Holliday street, as contemplated to be opened, and numbered No. 4 on the condemnation plat.

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the two-story Brick Building lying and being in the bed of Holliday street, as contemplated to be opened and numbered No. 5 in the condemnation plat.

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the three, one and two-story Brick Buildings lying and being in the bed of Holliday street, as contemplated to be opened and numbered No. 6 on the condemnation plat.

ALSO,

ALL THAT PIECE OR PARCEL OF GROUND, not required for the opening of Holliday street, fronting on the north side of Second street 17 feet 1 inches by 126 feet 11 inches deep, more or less, binding on the east side of Holliday street as contemplated to be opened, designated on the condemnation plat by No. 8.

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the two-story Brick Building and back building, No. 35, on the north side of Second street, and No. 9 on the condemnation plat.

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the one-story Brick Building, No. 31, on the north side of Second street, and No. 10 on the condemnation plat.

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the one-story Brick Building, No. 31, on the north side of Second street, and No. 11 on the condemnation plat.

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the three-story Brick Building and back building, No. 39, on the north side of Second street, and No. 12 on the condemnation plat.

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS of the one story Brick Building in the rear and west of the German Reformed Church, and No. 13 on the condemnation plat.

ALSO,

ALL THE MATERIALS (removable property excepted,) of the German Reformed Brick Church, designated on the condemnation plat No. 14.

The aforesaid pieces or parcels of ground will be sold subject to such assessments as may be assessed upon them for benefits for the opening of Holliday street.

The purchaser or purchasers will be required to give bond in double the amount of the purchase money, that said purchase money will be paid on the day the said Commissioners are prepared to give possession of said materials and ground so sold, and that said purchaser or purchasers, respectively, will remove within sixty days thereafter all such materials so sold and all rubbish occasioned thereby.

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