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WHEREAS, on the 17th day of November, 1864, William Price United States District Attorney for the District of Maryland, filed a libel in the United States District Court for the District aforesaid, against the schooner "Francis Hatch" and cargo, in a cause of condemnation and forfeiture.

And whereas, by virtue of process in due form of law to me directed, returnable December 21, 1864, I have seized and taken the said schooner and cargo and have the same in my custody.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a District Court will be held at the United States Court Room in the city of Baltimore, on the said 21 day of December next, for the trial of the said premises, and the owner or owners, and all persons who may have or claim any interest are hereby cited to be and appear at the time and place aforesaid, to show cause if any they have, why a final decree should not pass as prayed.

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DEPOT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, BALTIMORE, MD., November 18th, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS, *in duplicate*, will be received at this office until 12 M. on FRIDAY, November 25th, 1864, for furnishing to the Quartermaster's Department ONE HUNDRED AMBULANCES, of the "Wheeling Pattern."

Bidders are required to state definitely the earliest date at which the contract can be filled.

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 fulfil 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 fulfilment.

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.

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

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.

Proposals must be endorsed "Proposals for Ambulances," and addressed to R. M. NEWPORT, Colonel and Chief Q. M. Baltimore Depot.
n18-t26th

SUBSISTENCE OFFICE, U. S. ARMY, No. 20 SOUTH ST., BALTIMORE, MD., Nov 1st, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS, in duplicate, will be received at this office for furnishing the United States Subsistence Department with
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to be delivered at Waters' Wharf, in this city, free of wharfage to the contractors. The HAY to be GOOD MERCHANTABLE HAY, in bales, and the CORN IN THE EAR, to be in good stout sacks of about two and one-half bushels each.

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All the articles offered will be subject to a rigid inspection on the part of the Government before being accepted.

Proposals must be on blank forms, which are furnished at this office.

An oath of allegiance of all parties offering proposals will be required, if it has not already been filed in this office.

Payments to be made as soon as the articles are delivered, in such funds as may be on hand for disbursement; if none are on hand, payment will be made as soon as funds are received.

Proposals must be endorsed, "*Proposals for Forage,*" and addressed to the undersigned.

All proposals received under this advertisement will be opened and examined at this office on TUESDAY and FRIDAY of each week, at 12 M.

J. H. GILMAN,
no2-tf Capt. and C. S., U. S. A.

PROPOSALS FOR RATIONS.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, U. S. M. CORPS, WASHINGTON, 21st October, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office, until 2 o'clock P. M., of the 25th day of November next, for furnishing rations to the United States Marines, at the following stations, for the year 1865, viz:

Portsmouth, New Hampshire;
Charlestown, Massachusetts;
Brooklyn, New York;
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania;
Washington City, District of Columbia;
Gosport, near Norfolk, Virginia.

Each ration to consist of three-fourths of a pound of pork or bacon, or one and a fourth pound of fresh or salt beef, eighteen ounces of bread or flour, or twelve ounces of hard bread, or one and a fourth pound of corn meal; and at the rate of one hundred rations of eight quarts of beans; or, in lieu thereof, ten pounds of rice; or, in lieu thereof, twice per week, one hundred and fifty ounces of desiccated potatoes, and one hundred ounces of mixed vegetables; ten pounds of coffee; or, in lieu thereof, one and a half pound of tea; fifteen pounds of sugar; four quarts of vinegar; one pound of sperm candles, or one and one-fourth pound of adamantine candles, or one and a half pound of tallow; four pounds of soap, and two quarts of salt.

The rations to be delivered upon the order of the Commanding Officer of each station; the fresh beef, either in bulk or by the single ration, of good quality, with an equal proportion of the fore and hind quarters, necks and kidneys, tallow excluded; the pork, No. 1, prime mess pork; the flour, extra superfine; the coffee, good Rio; the sugar, good New Orleans or its equivalent; and the beans, vinegar, candles, soap, salt, &c., to be of good quality.

All subject to inspection.

All bids must be accompanied by the following guaranty:

FORM OF GUARANTY.

The undersigned, ——, of ——, in the State of ——, and ——, of ——, in the State of ——, hereby guarantee 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 between the offer of the said —— and that which may be accepted.

A B, Guarantor.
Witness: C D, Guarantor.
E F.
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I hereby certify that the above named —— are known to me as men of property, and able to make good their guaranty.

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 guaranty.

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 1865," and addressed to the undersigned.

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PROCLAMATION.

STATE OF MARYLAND,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Whereas, An Election was held in this State on the eighth day of November instant, for Electors to choose a President and Vice President of the United States, and for Members to represent the State in the Congress of the United States, and it is made the duty of the Governor in the case of such election, to ascertain the number of votes given for each person voted for, from the Returns of the Judges of Election certified to him, and thereupon to declare by Proclamation the result;

And whereas, By the said returns so certified, and an enumeration of the votes given for the several candidates for said offices respectively, it appears that William J. Albert, Henry H. Goldsborough, William H. W. Farrow, Wm. S. Reese, R. Stockett Matthews, Isaac Nesbitt and George W. Sands, have received the greatest number of votes for Electors of President and Vice President of the United States; and that in the First Congressional District Hiram McCullough had the greatest number of votes; in the Second Congressional District Edwin H. Webster had the greatest number of votes; in the Third Congressional District Charles E. Phelps had the greatest number of votes; in the Fourth Congressional District Francis Thomas had the greatest number of votes; and in the Fifth Congressional District Benjamin G. Harris had the greatest number of votes:

I do, therefore, by this my Proclamation, declare that the said William J. Albert, Henry H. Goldsborough, William H. W. Farrow, William S. Reese, R. Stockett Matthews, Isaac Nesbitt and George W. Sands are the duly elected Electors from this State for choosing a President and Vice President of the United States; and that the said Hiram McCullough, Edwin H. Webster, Charles E. Phelps, Francis Thomas and Benjamin G. Harris are duly elected members of the House of Representatives to represent this State in the Thirty-ninth Congress of the United States.

L. S. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State at the City of Annapolis, this 19th day of November, in the year 1864.

A. W. BRADFORD.

By the Governor:
WM. B. HILL, Secretary of State.

STATE OF MARYLAND,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ANNAPOLIS, November 11, 1864.

The time-honored custom of the past reminds us that we should app int a day of Thanksgiving and Prayer for the blessings which Almighty God has permitted us to enjoy.

We should prepare for its observance with unabated interest, for though deploring the necessity that still continues to save the life of the Nation by the vigorous use of its arms, we feel that this war, lamentable as in most of its aspects it is, surely as it at times afflicts our dearest individual interests and feelings, is still so qualified by other considerations as to prompt us to approach the Throne of Grace with even deeper devotion towards Him who has its issues in His keeping. He has suffered neither pestilence nor famine to aggravate its inflictions, but has blessed our whole country with abundant harvests and extraordinary health.

He has subjected the patriotism of our people to the severest trials, and made it all the brighter for the ordeal. He has given victory to our arms on sea and land in innumerable instances, demanding our earnest thanks for His favor, and our prayers for the gallant men that have suffered and bled therein. He has rescued our State from the ravages that have frequently threatened it with a merciful interposition that calls for our especial gratitude. He has crowned the labors of all our industrial classes with a success calculated to make us almost forget at times that a war of such magnitude is around us. And now as the year draws towards its close, a new era dawns upon us, unfolding brilliant prospects of future progress and prosperity.

For these and other unto! blessings let us offer up the praise and thanksgiving so justly due.

To this end, I, Augustus W. Bradford, Governor of Maryland, have appointed THURSDAY, the fifth day of November, instant, to be observed throughout the State as a day of General Thanksgiving and Prayer, recommending to its people to abstain upon that day from all secular pursuits, and assembling in their respective places of public worship, to unite with meek hearts and due reverence in thanking God for the blessings of the past and imploring their continuance in the future.

Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State, at the city of Annapolis, this 11th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-four, and of the independence of the United States the eighty-ninth.

A. W. BRADFORD.

By the Governor:
WM. B. HILL, Secretary of State. n14-2awtd

PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the Alms House until 12 o'clock M., FRIDAY, the 25th inst., for LATHING AND PLASTERING of centre building; also for the work of COUNTERCEILING. Parties intending to offer for above, can ascertain all information required by applying to the Superintendent at his office, City Hall, between 1 and 4 o'clock P. M. daily. The contract to be awarded to the best lowest responsible bidder. The Building Committee reserving the right to reject any or all proposals.

By order, JOHN EVANS,
n21-4t Secretary.

PROPOSALS FOR STATIONERY.

STATE LIBRARY, Annapolis Md., Nov. 2d, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS, with accompanying samples, will be received at this office until the 23d inst., for furnishing the STATIONERY, &c., named in the annexed list, for the use of the Executive and Legislative Departments of the State, viz:

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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, U. S. M. C., WASHINGTON, Oct. 27, 1864.

SEALED PROPOSALS for each class separately will be received at this office until 2 o'clock P. M., of the 3d day of December next, for furnishing to the United States Marine Corps, during the year 1865, the following supplies, to be delivered at the office of the Assistant Quartermaster of the Corps, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, free of expense to the United States, in such quantities as may from time to time be required.

CLASS NO. 1.

14,000 yards of Sky Blue Kersey, all wool, free from hair, 54 inches wide, to weigh 22 ounces to the yard, (indigo-wool dyed)
6,000 yards Dark Blue Kersey, all wool, free from hair, 54 inches wide, to weigh 22 ounces to the yard, (indigo wool-dyed)
3,500 yards Dark Blue Twilled Cloth, all wool, for uniform coats (indigo wool-dyed,) 54 inches wide, to weigh 16 ounces per yard.
150 yards of Scarlet Cloth, all wool (cochineal dyed), 54 inches wide, to weigh 16 ounces per yard.

CLASS NO. 2.

6,000 yards of 6-4 Dark Blue Flannel, for overcoats, all wool (indigo wool-dyed), 54 inches wide, to weigh 12 ounces per yard
18,000 yards of 3-4 Dark Blue Flannel, for shirts, all wool (indigo wool-dyed), 27 inches wide, to weigh 6½ ounces per yard
1,500 Gray Blankets, all wool, to weigh four pounds each, to be 7 feet long and 5 feet wide, and free from grease
7,500 pairs of Woollen Socks, three sizes, properly made of good fleece wool, with double and twisted yarn, to weigh three pounds per dozen pairs, free from grease

CLASS NO 3

7,500 yards White Linen for pants, 80 inches wide, to weigh 13 ounces per yard
11,000 yards White Linen for shirts, 80 inches wide, to weigh 11 ounces per yard
17,000 yards Canton Flannel for drawers, 27 inches wide, to weigh 7 ounces per yard
4,300 yards Cotton Ticking for bedsacks

CLASS NO. 4.

1,000 Uniform Caps, complete (except pompons)
1,300 Pompons, red worsted, ball shaped, 5 inches in circumference
4,500 Fatigue Caps (with covers), to be made of blue cloth, indigo wool dyed
1,400 Stocks

CLASS NO 5.

600 gross Coat Buttons (eagle)
250 gross Jacket Buttons (eagle)
100 gross Vest Buttons (eagle)
1,600 pairs Yellow Metal Crescents and Scale Straps
150 sets Epaulet Bullion for sergeants and corporals
1,100 sets Epaulet Bullion for privates
75 Red Worsted Sashes
6,000 yards Yellow Binding
9,000 yards of Red Cord
100 Swords for sergeants
50 Swords for musicians
40 Drums (tenor), complete
40 Drum Slings
150 Batter Drum Heads
100 Snare Drum Heads
100 Drum Cords
50 sets of Drum Snares
30 Boxwood "B" Fifes
80 pairs Drum Sticks

CLASS NO. 6.

10,000 Army Boots (infantry pattern)

CLASS NO 7.

1,200 Cartridge Boxes without magazine
1,800 Bayonet scabbards with frogs attached
1,200 Percussion Cap Pouches
1,200 Cartridge Box Belts
1,200 Waist Belts
1,200 Waist Plates
150 Sword Frogs

CLASS NO. 8

1,200 Tin Magazines for cartridge boxes, as per sample

CLASS No. 9.

1,400 Knapsacks
600 Haversacks
600 Canteens
500 Musket Slings

CLASS No. 10.

CLASS No. 11.

For making and trimming the following articles, viz:
Watch coats,
Uniform Coats for sergeants, corporals, musicians and privates,
Fatigue coats for sergeants, corporals, musicians and privates,
Woolen Pants for sergeants, corporals, musicians and privates;
Linen Pants for sergeants, corporals, musicians and privates;
Flannel shirts,
Linen shirts,
Drawers,
Red and blue jackets for boys,
Bedsacks

The above mentioned articles must conform, *in all respects*, to the sealed standard patterns in the office of the Quartermaster Marine Corps, Marine Barracks, Washington, D. C.; Assistant Quartermaster's Office Marine Corps, 1,224 spruce street, Philadelphia; and at the Marine Stations, Brooklyn, New York, and Boston, Massachusetts where they can be examined.

And whenever the articles named above, or any portion of them, shall be considered as not fully conforming to samples, they will be rejected, and the contractor will be bound to furnish other of the required kind at once, or the Quartermaster will supply the deficiency at the expense of the contractor.

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

Each proposal must be accompanied by the following guaranty:

FORM OF GUARANTY.

The undersigned, —— of ——, in the State of ——, and ——, in the state of ——, hereby guaranty 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 sureties; and in case the said —— shall fail to enter into contract as aforesaid, we guaranty to make good the difference between the offer of the said —— and that which may be accepted.

A. B., Guarantor.
C. D., Guarantor.
E. F., Witness. ——, 1864.

I hereby certify that the above-named —— are known to me as men of property, and able to make good their guaranty. G. H.

To be signed by the United States District Judge, United States District Attorney, or Collector.

No proposals will be considered unless accompanied by the above guaranty.

Newspapers authorized to publish the above will send the paper containing the first insertion to the office for examination.

The bidder's place of business, or manufacturing establishment, must be specifically stated in the proposal.

Proposals to be endorsed on the envelope "Proposals for Supplies for Marine Corps for 1865," and addressed to

Major WM. B. BLACK,
Quartermaster Marine Corps,
oc19-law1w Washington.

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SAM'L H. GOVER, Auctioneer.

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OF
ELEGANT ROSEWOOD, WALNUT AND MAHOGANY FURNITURE, SUPERIOR VELVET AND TAPESTRY BRUSSELS CARPETS, FRENCH PLATE PIER MIRROR, ROSEWOOD CASE PIANO, BROCATELLE WINDOW CURTAINS, RICH AND COSTLY PLATED WARE, FIFTY OUNCES SILVER, &c.,
AT
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AT AUCTION.

I shall sell on FRIDAY MORNING, Nov. 25, at 10 o'clock precisely, by order of the Orphans' Court of Baltimore city, all the Furniture contained in the Dwelling No. 64 Columbia street, near Green, consisting of Superior Velvet and Tapestry Brussels Carpets, Velvet Rugs to match; large Bordered Drugget, Elegant Rosewood Suite in Crimson and Maroon Brocatelle, large Arm Chair to match; elaborately carved Rosewood Centre Table, with Sienna Marble Top, 2 High Back Gothic Chairs, in richly flowered Velvet, Elegant Walnut Book Case, Mirror Front, Walnut Book Stand, Mahogany Rocking and Side Chairs, Cane Reception Chairs, Chiffonier, rich and costly China Vases, Venetian Blinds, Mantel Ornaments, &c.

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