

The Auxiliary Force.

WASHINGTON, April 27.—The following letter accompanied the joint resolution appropriating twenty-five millions of dollars, which was passed by the House to-day.

WAR DEPARTMENT, April 16.—Sir: The Governors of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin, have tendered to the President on the 23d inst. a large number of volunteers from their respective States, for service during the present campaign. They are expected to number from eighty to one hundred thousand men, their term of service to be one hundred days from mustering.

It is believed they can render useful service. They are to be paid no bounty, and are not to discharge or delay the draft for three years' men in the States where the quota of the pending draft is not filled up. The quota is filled up in Indiana, Illinois, Iowa and Wisconsin, and less than two thousand are due from Ohio.—The expense of these troops is not provided for in the war estimates heretofore submitted. It is estimated that \$25,000,000 will meet the cost of a hundred thousand of these extra volunteers. I respectfully recommend a special appropriation for that purpose and submit a joint resolution for that purpose. The impending operations render it expedient that there should be early action by Congress on the proposition, so that it sanctioned all needful provision may be made in due season.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully,
your obt. ser'vt. **EDWIN M. STANTON.**

COATING SHIPS WITH GLASS.—By direction of the British Admiralty, experiments, which are stated to be highly satisfactory, have been carried out in a Woolwich dock yard to ascertain the practicability of coating the bottom of iron ships with the fragile substance of glass. The iron surface of the vessel is first covered with gutta-percha or other cement, and on this soft material is fastened sheets of glass about a quarter of an inch thick. The glass is previously bent in the shape of the ship, and pierced for the reception of the screw or bolts, the apertures being lined with a soft adhesive composition, which prevents the fastenings from coming into immediate contact with the glass.

JAMES MOLAN,

No. 15, King Street,

DEALER IN

CHAMPAGNE, SHERRY, PORT WINE,

BRANDY, WHISKEY, &c.

SUTLERS' SUPPLIES.

ap 27—1m

FOR RENT.—A COMFORTABLE ROOM, on the second floor of the frame dwelling, corner of Fairfax and Franklin streets, opposite the new government buildings there.—The room can be furnished with bed, bedding, &c. for one or two single gentlemen. Apply to Mrs. Sullivan, on the premises. ap 26—3t

NOTICE.—On Saturday next, the 30th, inst. the VEGETABLE STANDS in the city market will be rented for one year to the highest bidder. Terms Cash.
J. P. WHITEMORE,
Clerk of Market.

ap 27—3t*

COAL! COAL!!

A CARGO of Pure Schuykill RED and WHITE ASH COAL, to arrive from Philadelphia, per Schr. Wm. Frazier.

JNO. LEATHERLAND,
No. 26, King St.

ap 27—1w*

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—The undersigned, having taken out letters of Administration on the estate of JOHN E. HENDERSON, dec'd. hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the estate will present them properly authenticated for settlement. **WILLIS HENDERSON.**
ap 6—1m

FOUND.—On the 25th inst., near the foot of King street, A SMALL AMOUNT OF MONEY, which the owner can have by applying at No. 121, Queen street. ap 25—3t



GROVER & BAKER'S SEWING MACHINES with all the late improvements, for sale at New York prices.

We have been selling these superior machines for upwards of five years, and they have given great satisfaction. Prices from \$50 to \$125. Specimen machines and samples of sewing can be seen at our store.
4 mo 22—1w **LEADBEATER & CO.**

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FOR SALE AND FURNISHED HOUSE FOR RENT.

SIXTY ACRES OF LAND on the Potomac River, half a mile below the Alexandria Ferry, well known as Rozier's Ferry, a portion Meadow and the residue well adapted to Gardening.

Also, one hundred and fifty acres of Prime Land on Hanson's Branch, about two miles east of Alexandria Ferry, six miles from Washington. Abundant Timber, excellent Water, healthy situation, excellent exposure for Garden now in successful operation. Three tenement houses on the premises.

FOR RENT.

A ready furnished Cottage dwelling, adjoining the last-named premises, containing five rooms on the first floor, three chambers, two attic rooms, and spacious cellar; basement kitchen and laundry; fixtures for hot and cold water; well shaded lawn of two acres; stable for six horses; cow and carriage houses; pump of excellent water in yard. Twelve acres of early garden land and twenty-five acres low land pasture to be rented with the House, if required. Possession given at any time after 1st of May. Rent, \$60 per month, payable monthly in advance. Situation high, dry, healthy, and extremely picturesque.

Apply in person to **J. CARROLL BRENT,** Esq., City Hall, Washington, or to the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette, at Alexandria, or in person or by letter to the subscriber, (residing near the premises.) and addressed to
WM. HENRY DAINGERFIELD,
Wood Cot, near Washington city.

ap 18—1m

POTOMAC PROVISION STORE.

No. 11, Fairfax Street,
(Next Door to Leadbeater's.)

JUST RECEIVED,
FINE FRESH MUTTON,
PRINT ROLL AND
GOSIEN BUTTER.

Potatoes, Vegetables, Dried Fruit, Mackerel and

GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS.

FRESH SUPPLIES received weekly and for sale on the most reasonable terms.
ap 18—tf **HEISLEY & CO.**

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HATS, CAPS, AND STRAW GOODS!

CHEAP FOR CASH, AT

J. HOWELL'S,
No. 74, King-street,

WHO WILL OPEN THIS DAY, a large Stock of HATS and CAPS, to which he invites the attention of purchasers. Also, **MILITARY HATS, AND CAPS,** in every style and variety. ap 15—1m

ICE! ICE!! ICE!!!

The subscriber has rented the large Ice House, of Mr. G. Appich, and has filled it with the best quality of BOSTON ICE, which will be delivered at the lowest rates. Orders can be left at G. Appich's Confectionary Store, King street. [ap 18—tf] **M. MAKELY.**

SHAWLS.—If you wish a nice real all wool Palm Leaf SHAWL for \$2.50, call on
ap 25—tf **E. SCHWARZ.**

1864 1864

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"15 years established in N. Y. City."
"Only infallible remedies known."
"Free from Poisons."
"Not dangerous to the Human Family."
"It is come out of their holes to die."

ap 2—1f Sold by all Druggists everywhere.
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ap 2—1f "Costly" Depot, No. 482 Broadway, N. Y.
ap 2—1f Sold by **LEADBEATER & CO.,**
Wholesale and Retail Agents, Alex'd, Va.

A VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE, five miles from Washington City, and two from Alexandria Ferry, situated in Prince George's County, Md., near Grimesville—**ONE HUNDRED AND TWO ACRES,** with a fine and commodious **DWELLING HOUSE,** all the necessary out houses, and a splendid **ORCHARD**—Well wooded and watered. The soil is adapted for a Market Garden, Wheat, Corn, Tobacco, &c. The subscriber, residing thereon, will show the premises to persons wishing to purchase. **G. M. PINOTTI,**
Washington, Post Office.
mh 9—2m

HATS. SPRING STYLES! CAPS.

JUST received, a large and well selected stock of the latest styles of **SILK, SLOUCH AND WOOL HATS,** of all quality and kind, which I offer on the most reasonable terms, for cash. Also a large and varied assortment of Children's Hats and Caps. **JOHN HOWELL,**
No. 156 King street.

A CARD.

The undersigned, having purchased the stock, good will and fixtures of the well-known Grocery and Provision Store of the late John E. Henderson, begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally that he is now in receipt of a fresh supply of **CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES,** and most respectfully solicits a share of public patronage.
W. F. HENDERSON,
ap 15—tf No. 226, King st., cor. Alfred.

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FEED,**

**WINES,
and LIQUORS,**

Sole Agents for **WASHINGTON BREWERY ALE.** ap 2—1m

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Sole Agents for the Sale of
**J. B. VALENTINE & SONS
CELEBRATED NEWARK ALE,**
To which they invite attention.

mh 17—tf

NOTICE.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, April 23d 1864.
MY attention having been repeatedly called to the violation of the law against fast driving and riding through the streets of this corporation; notice is hereby given to all parties violating the said law that they will be arrested and punished as the law directs without respects to persons civil or military.
ap 2—1w **C. A. WAKE,** Mayor.

ICE! ICE!! ICE!!!

The subscriber has a large supply of ICE of the best quality, which will be served to the public at the lowest rates. Office, No. 202, King st. [ap 19—1m*] **A BIRCH.**

FRESH HOMINY.—Just received 5 bbls. of **FRESH HOMINY.**
W. F. HENDERSON,
ap 19—1w No. 226, King st., cor. Alfred