



Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

Washington, D. C., July 9th., 1894.

Eugene Townsend, Esq.,

Superintendent, U.S. Mint,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Sir:-

The following awards made by you for supplies for the use of your Mint during the fiscal year 1895, are hereby approved:-

Acid, Muriatic, C.P.,	\$0.07, 7/8 per lb.	✓
" " 21 ^o B., .....	.01 per lb.	✓
" Nitric, C.P., .....	.07, 7/8 per lb.	✓
" " 40 ^o B., .....	.02, 3/4 " "	✓
" Sulphuric (Oil Vitriol) 66 B., .....	.79 per 100 lbs.	✓
" Tartaric, .....	.22, 1/2 per lb.	✓
Alcohol, 95%,	2.40 per gall.	✓
" Methylc, .....	.79 " "	✓
Barrels (whiskey) for sweeps,	1.15 each.	✓
Bar sand,	1.10 per load.	✓
Baskets (Charcoal),	21.50 per doz.	✓
" " (2 Bu.),	15.75 " "	✓
Belting, single, 2 inch, .....	.0782 per foot.	✓
" " 2, 1/2 inch, .....	.1020 " "	✓

Belting, single, 3 inch,	\$0.122	per foot.	✓
" " 4 inch, .....	.17	" "	✓
" " 4, 1/2 inch, .....	.1904	" "	✓
" " 5 inch, .....	.2142	" "	✓
" " 5, 1/2 inch, .....	.238	" "	✓
" " 6 inch, .....	.2584	" "	✓
" " 7 " .....	.3080	" "	✓
" " 8 " .....	.3468	" "	✓
" Double, 2, 1/2 inch, .....	.1944	" "	✓
" " 4 inch, .....	.3244	" "	✓
" " 5 " .....	.4082	" "	✓
" " 6 " .....	.4925	" "	✓
" " 7 " .....	.5832	" "	✓
" " 10 " .....	.8359	" "	✓
" " 12 "	1.0044	per foot.	✓
" " 16 "	2.08	per foot.	✓
" Coupling, 1/2 inch,	1.60	per doz.	✓
" " 3/4 "	3.60	" "	✓
" Lacers, 1/2 inch, 7 & 4 feet long, ...	.80	per 100 feet.	✓
Benzine,13, 1/2	gall.	✓
Bone Ash,05, 3/4	per lb.	✓
Bone black,06	per lb.	✓
Borax, fused,27	" "	✓

Double Refined

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Brass sheets,	\$0.13 per lb.	✓	
" Roll,13 " "	✓	
" Pipe,17 " "	✓	
" Oilers,	2.10 to \$2.55 per Doz.	✓	
Bricks (Fire), No. 1 & 1/2,	26.00 & 23.50 per M.	✓	
" Paving,	15.00 per M.	✓	
" Stretcher,	15.00 per M.	✓	
Brooms, Corn, ass't'd.,	2.62 per Doz.	✓	
Brushes, Hand dusters, No. 3,	3.49 " "	✓	S + B
" " " No. 5,	3.95 " "	✓	Nelms
" Flue sweeps, 12 inch,	8.25 " "	✓	Nelms
" Feather dusters, 12 inch,	6.50 " "	✓	Nelms
" Paint fitches and pencils, .....	.78 " "	✓	S + B
" Painters dusters,	6.24 " "	✓	S + B
" Scrub, No. 25 W.G., .....	.90 " "	✓	Nelms
" Varnish, Ex. XX No. 3,	5.45 " "	✓	S + B
" Whitewash, Ex. No. 10,	8.50 " "	✓	Nelms
Buckets, Gal. iron, 3 galls.,	2.50 " "	✓	
" Plain, 3 galls.,	2.23 " "	✓	
Candles, Stearic, .....	.11, 1/4 per lb.	✓	
Cement, Portland,	3.00 per bbl.	✓	
Clay, Fire, No. 1,	1.65 " "	✓	
Coal, Hand-picked and screened,	4.60 per Ton (2240 lbs)	✓	<i>Broken</i>
" Stove,	4.70 " "	✓	

Coal, Pea,	\$ 3.00 per Ton. ✓
Charcoal, Pine, .....	.20 per bu. of 28 lbs. ✓
" Oak, .....	.02 per lb. ✓
" Pulverized, .....	.01, 1/2 per lb. ✓
Copper, sheets, rolled, .....	.139 " " ✓
" Bars, .....	.139 " " ✓
" Oilers,	3.95 per Doz. ✓
" Rivets, .....	.49 to \$0.58 per 100, ✓ 60% off.
" Belt-hooks, .....	.50 to \$1.60 per 100, ✓ 75% off.
" Wire, .....	.14 per lb. ✓
Crucibles, B.L., .....	.02, 1/4 per No. ✓
Crucible covers, .....	.01 per No. ✓
" dipping cups, .....	.50 each. ✓
" stirrers, .....	.50 " ✓
" stools, .....	.60 " ✓
" rings, .....	.85 " ✓
Dry Goods, Duck, ^{44"} 36" ¹² / ₁₀₀ oz, .....	.11 per yd. ✓
" " Muslin,	0.04, 3/4 to \$0.05, 4/10 ✓ per yd.
" " ^{Conestoga 10/} " ^{1/4} unbleached,	\$.06 per yd. ✓
" " Ticking, .....	.08, 1/10 to \$0.0698 ✓ per yd.
" " Gingham,	0.04, 7/10 per yd. ✓
" " Crash, .....	.08 per yd. ✓

Dry Goods, Sponge cloths,	\$0.15 ^{4.00} per gross. ✓
" " Blankets,	2.25 per pair. ✓
" " Linen, Grey, .....	.17 to \$0.18, 1/2 per yd. ✓
" " Huckaback, .....	.09, 5 ⁵ /8 per yd. ✓
" " White stay binding, .....	.30 per box. ✓
" " Thread, Raliegh's white,	0.75 per lb. ✓
" " " Spool, black, .....	.38 per Doz. ✓
" " Twine, Hank & Ball, .....	.20 per lb. ✓
" " Cotton Cord, 1/4 inch, .....	.19 " " ✓
" " Cotton laps,	1.15 per Doz. ✓
" " Needles, Sharps, <i>No. 4</i> ,	1.32 per 1000. ✓
Filtering paper,	5.75 per ream. ✓
Gasoline, .....	.17 per gall. ✓
Gloves, Men's No. 2,	5.50 per Doz. ✓
" Women's, No. 2,	3.74 " " ✓
Hardware, Axes, .....	.60 to \$1.00 each. ✓
" <i>Rules</i> Boxwood riders , 2 ft.,	1.80 to \$2.25 per Doz. ✓
" Brads, wire, .....	.03 to \$0.07 per lb. ✓
" Bolts, ass't'd., .....	.75 to \$8.75 per 100. ✓
" Blank keys for Mortice locks, ....	.75 to \$0.85 per Doz. ✓
" Butts, ass't'd. (Loose joint), .....	.05 to \$0.14 per pair. ✓
" " " (Fast joints), ....	.07 to .11 " " ✓
" and Brass, Malleable Iron fittings, ...	.20 per lb. 55% off. ✓

Hardware, Castors, Philadelphia sets, \$0.07 to \$0.15 per set. ✓

" Cloth, Emory,39 per Quire. ✓

" " Crocus,39 " " ✓

" Drills ass't'd. (List price), 60% discount. ✓

" Emory paper, No. 00, \$0.13, 1/2 per Quire. ✓

" Files stub, 6 inch, 1.30 per Doz. ✓

" " saw, ass't'd., 1.00 to \$2.00 per Doz. ✓

" " mill saw,60 to 1.65 per Doz. ✓

" " ⁷Hard Bastard, 14 inch, 3.50 per Doz. ✓

" Handles (File) for stubs, 6 inch,- 2.75 per Gross, ✓

" " (Tool) ass't'd.,23 to \$1.75 per Doz. ✓

" Hammers ass't'd.,25 to \$0.75 each. ✓

" Hatchets, half, No. 2,35, 1/2 each. ✓

" " " Lathing,35, 1/2 " ✓

" Hinges, strap & T.,20 to \$1.75 per Doz. ✓

" Hooks, Hat & Coat,06, 1/2 to \$5.50 per Doz. ✓

" Knobs, Walnut wood, 1.40 per Doz. ✓

" " Door, 1.35 " " ✓

" Keys, Yale Lock,18 each. ✓

" Locks, Yale Drawer, 6.95 per Doz. ✓

" " " Closet, 6.65 " " ✓

" " " ass't'd. Closet &
Drawer,36 to \$3.00 per Doz. ✓

" " " ass't'd. for Doors,- \$1.25 to \$4.50 per Doz. ✓

Hardware, Nails, cut,	\$1.25 to \$2.15 per Keg.	✓
" Rasps, ass't'd.,	1.26 to \$5.07 per Doz.	✓
" Rings, <i>do</i> .....	.20 per lb., 50% off.	✓
" Rope, Copper wire, ass't'd., .....	.07 to \$0.11 per foot.	✓
" Seives, Iron & Brass,	6.60 to \$12.00 per Doz.	✓
" Shovels, Fire & Scoop, Nos. 4 & 6,	5.40 to \$8.00 per Doz.	✓
" Steam & Gas pipe, Large,	List price, 70% off.	✓
" " " " Small,	" " 60% off.	✓
" Screws, ass't'd. Iron & Brass,-	\$0.08 to \$0.75 per Gross.	✓
" Tacks, ass't'd., .....	.17 to 1.00 per Doz.	✓
" Trowels, Bricklayer's, .....	.75 to \$0.85 each.	Boxes. ✓
" Washers,	\$0.03, ^{two} 1/2 per lb.	✓
" Wire, Cast steel, .....	.15 to \$0.28 per lb.	✓
" " Copper, No. 6, .....	.19, 1/2 per lb.	✓
Hauling, .....	.50 per Load.	✓
Ice, Best quality, .....	.30 per 100 lbs.	✓
" Machine made, .....	.25 " 100 lbs.	
Iron & Steel, Machine steel, .....	.02, 1/2 per lb.	✓
" " " American Bar, .....	.0249 per lb.	✓
" " " Bar steel, 3/16, 1/4 & 1 inch, .....	.11, 1/4 per lb.	✓
" " " Castings, 3/8, 5/10 & 5/8 in., .....	.02, 1/4 " "	✓
Kegs,- Specie, .....	.80 each.	✓

Samp Chimney

.20 " ✓
2.75 - 2000 ✓

Lumber,- Laths,\$ 0.24 bundle. ✓

" Redwood, 1, 1 1/2, & 2 inch,\$56.25 per M. ✗ 1 in left out.

" White Pine, Panel, 1, 1, 1/4, ^{1/2 cut} 2 inch,56.25 per M. ✓

" White Pine Plank, 1, 1/4, 1, 1/2, 2 & 3 inch, No. 1,\$51.50 & \$59.50 per M. ✓

" White Pine, ^{Boards} 1 inch, No. 1, 46.25 per M. ✗

" " 1 inch, No. 2, 23.00 per M. ✓

" " 1 inch, No. 3, 17.25 per M. ✓

" Hemlock joists & scantling, 2 & 3 inch, planed, 13.00 per M. ✓

" Ash, 1 & 2 inch, No.1, planed,.....51.25 & \$53.25 ✓

" Ash, 3 & 4 inch, No.1, 20 inches wide,84.25 per M. ✓

" Walnut, 1/2 & 1/4 inch, (planed) \$115.00 & \$145.00 per M. ✓

" " 1 & 1, 1/2 inch, No.1.....143.25 per M. ✓

" Cherry, 1, 1, 1/2, & 2 inch, No.1, \$137.25 & \$140.00 per M. ✓

" Poplar, 1/2, 1, 2 & 3 inch, No.1, \$ 27.00, \$42.25 & \$47.25 per M. ✓

" Double Fencing, White Pine, Nos. 1 & 2, \$44.25 & \$19.25 per M. ✓

" Flooring, Va. Pine, 1, 1, 1/4, & 1, 1/2 inch, 20.00 & \$18.00 per M. ✓

" Basswood, 21.25 per M. ✓

" Yellow Pine, 2 X 3 & 4 X 4, No.1,- 21.93 " M. ✓

" " " Flooring, No. 1, 25.50 per M. ✓

" " " Fencing, No.1, 23.25 " " ✓

Lard, best kettle, rendered,	\$0.07, 3/4 per lb. ✓
Lead, Pig, C.P., .....	.05 per lb. ✓
" sheet, .....	.0519 per lb. ✓
Lime, .....	.25 per Bu. ✓
Lye, Concentrated, .....	.08 per lb. ✓
Matches, Safety,	1.75 per Gross. ✓
" Parlor, .....	.70 " " ✓
Mitts, No. 1,	7.40 per Doz. ✓
" No. 2,	5.42 " " ✓
" Furnace, .....	.38 pair, ✓
" Fire, .....	.28 " ✓
Oils, Mount Farm, .....	.14 per Gall. ✓
" Crescent cylinder, .....	.60 " " ✓
" Vacuoline, .....	.40 " " ✓
" " Red, .....	.30 " " ✓
" Cosmo, Lubric, .....	.30 " " ✓
" Headlight, .....	.07 " " ✓
" Lard, .....	.65 " " ✓
Oilers, Quarts,	\$2.40 per Doz. ✓
" Pints,	1.97 " " ✓
Paints & Painters' Materials:-	
Bronze green, .....	.06, 1/2 per lb. ✓
Copal Varnish, .....	.68 per Gall. ✓

Paints, Chrome Yellow,	\$0.08 per lb. ✓
" " Green,	0.08, 7/8 per lb. ✓
" Linseed oil,	0.50 per Gall. ✓
" Outside Varnish,	1.10 per Gall. ✓
" Paint Pots,	2.44 per Doz. ✓
" Putty, .....	.01, 1/2 per lb. ✓
" Sand paper, ass't'd.,	1.84 per ream. ✓
" Turpentine, .....	.33, 1/2 per Gall. ✓
" White Lead, .....	.0498 per lb. ✓
" White Zinc, .....	.05, 3/8 per lb. ✓
" Yellow Ochre in oil, .....	.03, 7/8 " " ✓
Pearl Ash, .....	.07 per lb. ✓
Pomade, Butz' .....	.23, 3/4 per lb. ✓
Rubber Goods:-	
Gaskets, 1/4 & 3/8 guage washers, .....	.13, 1/4 per Doz. ✓
Gloves, long, right hand, .....	.64, 1/2 apiece. ✓
" short, left hand, .....	.46 " ✓
Matts, Corrugated, 36 x 18 inch,	12.60 per Doz. ✓
Mitts, double thumb & pads,	10.55 " " ✓
Packing by the roll, .....	.10, 1/5 per lb. ✓
Spittoons,	5.82 per Doz. ✓
Stoppers, .....	.17 " " ✓
Salt, Turk's Island, .....	.26, 1/2 Bu. ✓
Saltpetre (double refined Nitre), .....	.0495 per lb. ✓

Skins, Chamois, (yellow),	\$2.40 per Doz. ✓
Soda-ash, best, .....	.01, 1/4 per lb. ✓
" Nitrate of, .....	.02, 1/2 " " ✓
Soap, - Borax, .....	.07 per lb. ✓
" Castile, .....	.10, 7/8 per lb. ✓
" Detersive, .....	.05 per lb. ✓
" Sapolio, .....	.75 per Doz. ✓
" Sand, .....	.03 per lb. ✓
" Powder, 1776, Babbitts, .....	.05, 3/4 per lb. ✓
Tallow, cylinder, double refined, .....	.06 per lb. ✓
Tin-ware, Cups, Pints, .....	.40 to \$0.50 per Doz. ✓
" " " 1/2-pints, .....	.25 per Doz. ✓
" " Dust pans, .....	.75 " " ✓
" " Square pans,	10.00 " " ✓
" " Pans, large, round,	7.50 " " ✓
" " " small "	4.50 " " ✓
" " Boxes & lids,	3.50 per Gross. ✓
White rags, .....	.07 per lb. ✓
" Cotton waste, .....	.07 " " ✓
Wood, Oak,	5.23 per Cord. ✓
Zinc (Bertha Spelter), .....	.07, 1/2 per lb. ✓

Very respectfully,

Approved
M. J. Huber
 Director

R. O. Brewster
 Director of the Mint.

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Superintendent Mint U.S.,
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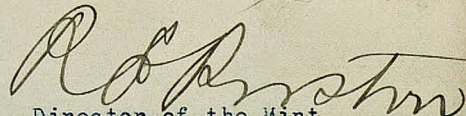
As requested in your letter of the 13th instant, the following awards for supplies for your Mint during 1895 are hereby changed and corrected, and so much of my letter of approval of the 9th instant as is inconsistent herewith is hereby revoked:

Bid for Buckskin Mittens, by James Robertson, at \$7.72 per dozen is substituted for bid previously approved.

The bid of Thos.G.Hood for sponge cloths is approved at \$4.00 per gross, instead of 40 cents per gross, as originally submitted. To take the place of bid for duck 8 ounces, the bid of the same person for duck 44 inches and 12 and 14-100 ounces in weight is hereby approved, without change of price.

The error in redwood lumber has been changed to conform to sizes mentioned in your letter, as has also the price of 1 inch pine boards, No.1, both of which were clerical errors.

Respectfully yours,


Director of the Mint.

Treasury Department,

BUREAU OF THE MINT,

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Director of the Mint.

SUBJECT:

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No. of Inclosures,

NARA RG104, Entry 1, Box 186

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Dry Goods,

Sponge cloths	\$4.00 per gross.
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“ Blank keys for Mortice locks	.75 to \$0.85 per Doz.
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“ Brass and Malleable Iron fittings	.20 per lb. 55% off.

Hardware,

Castors, Philadelphia sets	\$0.07 to \$0.15 per set.
“ Cloth, Emory	.39 per Quire.
“ “ Crocus	.39 “ “
“ Drills ass't'd. (List price)	60% discount.
“ Emory paper, No. 00	\$0.13, ½ per Quire.
“ Files stub, 6 inch	1.30 per Doz.
“ “ saw, ass't'd.	1.00 to \$2.00 per Doz.
“ “ mill saw	.60 to 1.65 per Doz.
“ “ Hand Bastard, 14 inch	3.50 per Doz.
“ Handles (File) for stubs, 6 inch	- 2.75 per Gross.
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“ Hatchets, half, No. 2	.35, ½ each.
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“ Hinges, strap & T.	.20 to \$1.75 per Doz.
“ Hooks, Hat & Coat	.06, ½ to \$5.50 per Doz.
“ Knobs, Walnut wood	1.40 per Doz.
“ “ Door	1.35 “ “
“ Keys, Yale Lock	.18 each.
“ Locks, Yale Drawer	6.95 per Doz.
“ “ “ Closet	6.65 “ “
“ “ “ ass't'd. Closet & Drawer	.36 to \$3.00 per Doz.
“ “ “ ass't'd. for Doors	- \$1.25 to \$4.50 per Doz.

Hardware,

Nails, cut	\$1.25 to \$2.15 per Keg.
“ Rasps, ass't'd.	1.26 to \$5.07 per Doz.
“ Rings, do	.20 per lb., 50% off.
“ Rope, Copper wire, ass't'd.	.07 to \$0.11 per foot.
“ Seives, Iron & Brass	6.60 to \$12.00 per Doz.
“ Shovels, Fire & Scoop, Nos. 4 & 6	5.40 to \$8.00 per Doz.
“ Steam & Gas pipe, Large	List price, 70% off.
“ “ “ “ Small	“ “ 60% off.
“ Screws, ass't'd. Iron & Brass	- \$0.08 to \$0.75 per Gross.
“ Tacks, ass't'd.	.17 to 1.00 per Doz. Boxes.
“ Trowels, Bricklayer's	.75 to \$0.85 each.
“ Washers	\$0.03, ½ to 10 cents per lb.
“ Wire, Cast steel	.15 to \$0.28 per lb.
“ “ Copper, No. 6	.19, ½ per lb.
Hauling	.50 per Load.
Ice, Best quality	.30 per 100 lbs.
“ Machine made	.25 “ 100 lbs.
Iron & Steel, Machine steel	.02, ½ per lb.
“ “ “ American Bar	.0249 per lb.

“ “ “ Bar steel, 3/16, ¼ & 1 inch	.11, ¼ per lb.
“ “ “ Castings, 3/8, 5/10 & 5/8 in.	.02, ¼ “ “

Kegs, - Specie	.80 each.
“ “ Heads	.12 “
Lamp Chimneys	2.75 “ Doz.

Lumber,

Laths	\$0.24 bundle.
“ Redwood, 1, 1 + 1/2 , & 2 inch	\$56.25 per M. * 1 in left out.
“ White Pine, Panel, 1, 1, 1/4 , 1 ½ and 2 inch	56.25 per M.
“ White Pine Plank, 1, ¼, 1, ½, 2 & 3 inch, No. 1	\$51.50 & \$59.50 per M.
“ White Pine Boards, 1 inch, No. 1	46.25 per M.
“ “ “ 1 inch, No. 2	23.00 per M.
“ “ “ 1 inch, No. 3	17.25 per M.
“ Hemlock joists & scantling, 2 & 3 inch, planed	13.00 per M.
“ Ash, 1 & 2 inch, No. 1, planed	51.25 & \$53.25
“ Ash, 3 & 4 inch, No. 1, 20 inches wide	84.25 per M.
“ Walnut, ½ & 1 ¼ inch, (planed)	\$115.00 & \$145.00 per M.
“ “ 1 & 1, ½ inch, No. 1	143.25 per M.
“ Cherry, 1, 1, 1/2 , & 2 inch, No.1	\$137.25 & \$140.00 per M.
“ Poplar, 1/2, 1, 2 & 3 inch, No. 1	\$27.00, \$42.25 & \$47.25 per M.
“ Double Fencing, White Pine, Nos. 1 & 2	\$44.25 & \$19.25 per M.
“ Flooring, Va. Pine, 1, 1, 1/4, & 1, ½ inch	20.00 & \$18.00 per M.
“ Basswood	21.25 per M.
“ Yellow Pine, 2 x 3 & 4 x 4, No. 1	- 21.93 “ M.
“ “ “ Flooring, No. 1	25.50 per M.
“ “ “ Fencing, No. 1	23.25 “ “

Lard, best kettle, rendered	\$0.07, ¾ per lb.
Lead, Pig, C.P.	.05 per lb.
“ sheet	.0519 per lb.
Lime	.25 per Bu.
Lye, Concentrated	.08 per lb.
Matches, Safety	1.75 per Gross.
“ Parlor	.70 “ “
Mitts, No. 1	7.40 per Doz.
“ No. 2	5.42 “ “
“ Furnace	.38 pair.
“ Fire	.28 “
Oils, Mount Farm	.14 per Gall.
“ Crescent cylinder	.60 “ “
“ Vacuoline	.40 “ “
“ “ Red	.30 “ “
“ Cosmo, Lubric	.30 “ “

“ Headlight	.07 “ “
“ Lard	.65 “ “
Oilers, Quarts	\$2.40 per Doz.
“ Pints	1.97 “ “

Paints & Painters' Materials:

Bronze green	.06, ½ per lb.
Copal Varnish	.68 per Gall.
Paints, Chrome Yellow	\$0.08 per lb.
“ “ Green	0.08, 7/8 per lb.
“ Linseed oil	0.50 per Gall.
“ Outside Varnish	1.10 per Gall.
“ Paint Pots	2.44 per Doz.
“ Putty	.01, ½ per lb.
“ Sand paper, ass't'd.	1.84 per ream.
“ Turpentine	.33, ½ per Gall.
“ White Lead	.0498 per lb.
“ White Zinc	.05, 3/8 per lb.
“ Yellow Ochre in oil	.03, 7/8 “ “
Pearl Ash	.07 per lb.
Pomade, Butz'	.23, ¾ per lb.

Rubber Goods: -

Gaskets, ¼ & 3/8 guage washers	.13, ¼ per Doz.
Gloves, long, right hand	.64, ½ apiece.
“ short, left hand	.46 “
Matts, Corrugated, 36 x 18 inch	12.60 per Doz.
Mitts, double thumb & pads	10.55 “ “
Packing by the roll	.10, 1/5 per lb.
Spittoons	5.82 per Doz.
Stoppers	.17 “ “

Salt, Turk's Island	.26, ½ Bu.
Saltpetre (double refined Nitre)	.0495 per lb.

Skins, Chamois, (yellow)	\$2.40 per Doz.
Soda-ash, best	.01, ¼ per lb.
“ Nitrate of	.02, ½ “ “

Soap

Soap, - Borax	.07 per lb.
“ Castile	.10, 7/8 per lb.
“ Detersive	.05 per lb.
“ Sapolio	.75 per Doz.
“ Sand	.03 per lb.
“ Powder, 1776, Babbitts	.05, 3/4 per lb.
Tallow, cylinder, double refined	.06 per lb.

Tin-ware

Tin-ware, Cups, Pints	.40 to \$0.50 per Doz.
“ “ “ 1/2 pints	.25 per Doz.
“ “ Dust pans	.75 “ “
“ “ Square pans	10.00 “ “
“ “ Pans, large, round	7.50 “ “
“ “ “ small “	4.50 “ “
“ “ Boxes & lids	3.50 per Gross.

White rags	.07 per lb.
“ Cotton waste	.07 “ “
Wood, Oak	5.23 per Cord.
Zinc (Bertha Spelter)	.07, 1/2 per lb.

Very respectfully,
 R.E. Preston
 Director of the Mint.

Approved
 N.S. Steel
 Coiner

NARA RG104, Entry 1, Box 186

Treasury Department,
Bureau of the Mint,
Washington, D.C.,
July 14, 1894

Superintendent Mint U.S.,
Philadelphia, Penna.

Sir:

As requested in your letter of the 13th instant, the following awards for supplies for your Mint during 1895 are hereby changed and corrected, and so much of my letter of approval of the 9th instant as is inconsistent here-with is hereby revoked:

Bid for Buckskin Mittens, by James Robertson, at \$7.72 per dozen is substituted for bid previously approved.

The bid of Thos. G. Hood for sponge cloths is approved at \$4.00 per gross, instead of 40 cents per gross, as originally submitted. To take the place of bid for duck 8 ounces, the bid of the same person for duck 44 inches and 12 and 14-100 ounces in weight is hereby approved, without change of price.

The error in redwood lumber has been changed to conform to sizes mentioned in your letter, as has also the price of 1inch pine boards, No. 1, both of which were clerical errors.

Respectfully yours,
R.E. Preston
Director of the Mint.