

GREAT CENTRAL FAIR FOR THE U. S. SANITARY COMMISSION.



OFFICE OF THE COMMITTEE ON **Labor, Income and Revenue,**

No. 118 South Seventh Street.

PHILADELPHIA, April 22, 1864.

COMMITTEE ON DRUGS, CHEMICALS, DRY SALTERIES AND PAINTS.

The undersigned, Committee, appointed in behalf of sick and wounded soldiers in the camp, hospital and on the battle-field, appeal to Druggists, Chemists, Dry Salters and Paint Manufacturers, and to each and every employee engaged in their respective establishments, to lend their aid to the GREAT CENTRAL FAIR of the Sanitary Commission, to be held in Philadelphia the first week in June next.

You are, no doubt, well informed as to the objects and the work already accomplished by this great *national organization*. Much has been done, and much more remains to be done. Whilst *we* are *at home*, peacefully and *prosperously* pursuing our avocations, thousands of our *Brothers* have gone forth to the battle-field, leaving dear and dependent ones behind, taken their lives in their hands, submitting to the greatest dangers and privations, in order that *we* may be protected in our properties and homes. Shall we not gratefully remember these brave Patriots who have made these great sacrifices for us.

We confidently appeal to you, with the conviction that you will feel it to be, not only your *duty*, but a privilege to contribute either

ONE DAY'S LABOR, ONE DAY'S INCOME, OR ONE DAY'S REVENUE,

for the relief and comfort of those who are thus, so nobly, so bravely, sacrificing *all* for their country.

We believe none will hesitate to favor an object so *humane*, so *grand*—it is therefore suggested that you collect "One Day's Labor" (or Salary,) when your employees are paid, and send the amount, with your own subscription, or one day's revenue, to our Chairman, Secretary, or any one of the undersigned Committee. The Secretary and Treasurer will be in attendance at the Drug Exchange, each day at 12½ o'clock. Subscriptions will be duly acknowledged in the Philadelphia newspapers.

Very Respectfully,

ROBERT SHOEMAKER, *Chairman*,

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