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## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
New York, September 29, 1874.

The Board of Health met this day.

### Orders.

429 orders for the abatement of nuisances were made.

### Suits for Penalties.

The Attorney was directed to commence suits for penalties for non-compliance with the orders of the Board in 40 cases.

### Reports received.

From the Sanitary Superintendent—  
Weekly report on operations of the Sanitary Bureau.

Weekly report on slaughter-houses.  
Weekly report on contagious diseases.  
Weekly report on operations at receiving-dock.  
Weekly report on disinfection of streets, gutters, privies, etc.

Report on violation of the Sanitary Code in cases of small-pox, at 338 East Thirty-fifth street.  
Report on small-pox.

Report on applications for permits.  
Report on street pavements.  
Report on suspension of orders.  
Report on cellars in Fourth Ward.

From the Register of Records—  
Weekly letter.  
Weekly mortuary report.

### Communications from City Departments.

From the Police Department—  
Weekly report of the Sanitary Co. of Police.

From the Comptroller—  
Weekly statement, etc.

From his Honor the Mayor—  
In respect to third quarterly report of the Board.

From the Board of Education—  
In respect to condition of sinks in rear of Public School No. 28.

From the Commissioners of Emigration—  
For permission to establish cemetery on Ward's Island.

### Bills Audited.

Francis Swift, removing night-soil (for two weeks).....	\$1,269 24
Francis Swift, removing dead animals, offal, etc. (for two weeks).....	576 92
Stechert Wolff.....	3 25
D. Appleton & Co.....	20 00
Wm. H. Jenkins.....	8 50
F. B. Nichols.....	358 50
N. Y. Dispensary.....	17 85
J. E. Comfort.....	14 75
E. H. McGuire.....	40 00
C. Golderman.....	118 60
Pay-rolls.....	11,324 88

### Permits Granted.

To erect a five-story brick building at No. 230 West Sixteenth street.

To slaughter sheep at No. 694 Eleventh avenue.

### Permits Denied.

To keep 9 chickens at 412 West Thirty-ninth street.

To keep 12 chickens at 433 West Thirty-eighth street.

Permission to sell fish at No. 76 Bayard street was denied by the following vote:  
Aye—Commissioner Smith.

Nays—Commissioners Chandler and Vanderpoel.

### Reports referred to other Departments for the necessary action.

To the Department of Public Works—  
On street pavement in Fifty-fourth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

On street pavement in Forty-eighth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

On street pavement in Forty-eighth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

On street pavement in front of Nos. 327 and 329 Avenue A.

On sewer culvert in front of No. 15 Fulton street.

On street pavement in front of No. 63 William street.

On flue in chimney of Centre Market.

### Communications Received.

Application for appointment from Sigismund Davidson.

## BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

### CONDENSED STATEMENT OF MORTALITY.

REPORTED MORTALITY (week ending Sept. 26, 1874), AND THE ACTUAL MORTALITY (each day in the week, ending at noon, Sept. 19, 1874), WITH AN ENUMERATION OF THE CHIEF CAUSES OF DEATH.

E. HARRIS, M. D., Registrar.

Deaths in corresponding week, 1873.....	Deaths in corresponding week, 1874.....	Average Deaths in corresponding week for the past 5 years.....	Total Actual Mortality during the week ending September 19, 1874.....	Actual number of Deaths each day.							Deaths reported during the week ending September 26, 1874.....
				September 19.....	September 18.....	September 17.....	September 16.....	September 15.....	September 14.....	September 13.....	
27.00	546	503.4	540	75	84	75	83	79	74	70	Total Deaths from all Causes. 529
11.95	202	179.6	239	32	45	34	35	31	33	29	Total Zymotic Diseases. 217
5.15	137	122.8	103	15	14	11	18	12	15	18	Total Constitutional Diseases. 120
7.35	162	148.6	147	20	19	21	26	26	20	15	Total Local Diseases. 151
1.55	20	29.2	31	5	4	8	2	6	3	3	Total Developmental Diseases. 25
1.00	25	23.2	20	3	2	1	2	4	3	5	Deaths by Violence. 16
.20	—	1.0	4	2	—	—	1	—	—	1	Small-pox. 11
.05	—	1.8	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	Measles. 1
1.00	13	7.2	20	—	5	3	3	4	4	1	Scarlatina. 16
1.35	29	12.2	27	5	3	4	4	1	8	2	Diphtheria. 22
.25	9	6.6	5	1	2	—	—	1	1	—	Membranous Croup. 6
.55	6	8.0	11	—	3	1	2	4	1	—	Whooping Cough. 15
—	2	1.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Typhus Fever. —
.65	4	10.0	13	1	4	—	3	3	1	1	Typhoid Fever. 10
.35	1	3.8	7	—	—	2	1	3	—	1	Puerperal Diseases. 3
6.35	93	86.8	127	16	25	23	17	15	12	19	Under 5 years. } Diarrhoeal Diseases. 98
6.75	112	103.0	135	18	27	23	19	15	13	20	All ages. } 118
.10	6	6.2	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	Alcoholism. 2
.30	13	8.0	6	1	1	—	2	—	1	1	Cancer. 6
3.30	83	71.4	66	9	10	7	9	8	10	13	Phthisis Pulmonalis. 82
.70	11	13.0	14	—	3	2	2	4	2	1	Bronchitis. 16
1.25	22	22.2	25	1	5	3	7	6	2	1	Pneumonia. 28
.65	15	11.2	13	3	2	2	2	2	2	—	Heart Diseases. 14
.95	30	28.6	19	4	2	3	5	1	2	2	Marasmus—Tubes Mesenterica and Scrofula. 17
.35	8	11.4	7	1	—	1	1	1	2	1	Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis. 10
.50	14	11.6	10	3	1	2	—	2	—	2	Meningitis and Encephalitis. 14
.40	14	17.8	8	2	—	1	3	—	2	—	Convulsions. 10
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	Direct Effect of Solar Heat. —
1.80	51	46.2	36	9	2	7	5	4	5	4	All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System. 40
.90	15	13.8	18	1	1	1	4	2	4	5	Bright's Disease and Nephritis. 14
.20	1	2.2	4	—	—	—	1	2	—	1	Deaths by Suicide. 4
.05	2	3.4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	Deaths by Drowning. 2
4.20	96	83.8	84	17	13	10	16	13	5	10	Deaths in Institutions. 92
1.00	15	22.2	20	4	5	2	3	4	—	2	All Deaths of Persons 70 years old or more. 22
8.50	170	155.4	170	34	22	26	27	25	19	17	Under 1 year. } Total Deaths in Children. 169
11.15	233	220.8	243	39	36	35	37	38	29	29	Under 2 years. } 249
14.85	273	255.4	297	45	52	44	44	43	36	33	Under 5 years. } 210

Complaint from citizens in regard to annoyance from fowls kept in Bayard street.  
Application for appointment from J. Stothern.  
Application for leave of absence from Inspector Emerson.  
Application from James Price for modification of order.

### Resolutions.

That the pay-rolls of this Department for the month of September, 1874, when approved by the Chairman of the Finance Committee, shall be duly certified by the President and Secretary, and forwarded to the Comptroller for payment.

That the Attorney be directed to commence actions against all parties connected with or guilty of violation of the Code as reported by Sanitary Inspector Roberts.

That a copy of the report of the Sanitary Superintendent in respect to the admission of patients to the Small-pox Hospital be forwarded to the Commissioners of Charities and Correction.

That the salary of William A. Smalley be fixed at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, from and after

October 1, 1874, and that this salary shall be in full for services rendered to this Board as Notary Public before, during, and after office hours.

That Dr. J. B. Taylor be appointed Inspector of Vaccination, with salary, at the rate of \$2,500 per annum, from October 1 to report to the Sanitary Superintendent.

That the following named persons be appointed Assistant Sanitary Inspectors, with salary at the rate of \$1,500 per annum, from October 1 to report to the Inspector of Vaccination for assignment to duty:

Dr. R. D. Nesmith.  
Dr. M. J. Fleming.  
Dr. A. B. De Luna.  
Dr. E. S. Pardu.  
Dr. P. M. Wyckoff.  
Dr. F. Livermore.  
Dr. E. H. Post.  
Dr. Henry Rockwell.  
Dr. H. R. Williams.  
Dr. J. E. Tucker.  
Dr. Y. W. P. Flynn.

That the following named persons be appointed Clerks in this Department, and be assigned to the Bureau of Vaccination, with salaries at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, from October 1:

S. B. Ellis.  
W. W. Post.  
Louis T. Brennan.  
Allott Lodge.

That John Schnell be appointed as Messenger to the Bureau of Vaccination, with salary at the rate of \$600 per annum.

That the Sanitary Superintendent be directed to report to this Board, at its next meeting, a detailed plan for the organization of the Bureau of Vaccination, and the execution of the provisions of chapter 635, Laws of 1874.

That the Sanitary Superintendent be directed to discontinue the disinfection of streets, privies, etc., from and after the 30th of September, and that the services of the foremen and laborers be dispensed with from and after that date.

That the Sanitary Superintendent be authorized to employ for one week, from October 1, such assistance as may be required at the Disinfecting Depot.

That the Commissioners of Charities and Correction be requested to appoint a time and place for a conference with this Board in respect to the care of contagious diseases.

### Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending Sept. 26, 1874:

The number of inspections made by the Inspectors was 2,194, as follows: 5 public buildings, 959 tenement houses, 16 private dwellings, 190 other dwellings, 18 manufactories and workshops, 60 stores and warehouses, 105 stables, 2 markets, 47 slaughter-houses, 2 public sewers and drains, 2 gut-cleaning establishments, 10 fat-rendering establishments, 3 manure dumps, 60 sunken and vacant lots, 5 dumping-ground 2 piggeries, 66 yards, courts, and areas, 169 cellars and basements, 59 waste-pipes and drains, 148 privies and water-closets, 57 street-gutters and sidewalks, 4 dangerous stairways, 2 cisterns and cesspools, 41 other nuisances, together with 34 visits of the Inspectors to cases of contagious diseases.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 676.

During the past week 68 complaints have been received from citizens, and referred to the Inspectors for investigation and report.

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 69 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 58 houses, 58 privies, together with clothing, bedding, etc. They have disinfected 142½ miles of street-gutters in the following Wards, viz.: First, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Sixteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, and Twentieth. They have also disinfected 3,994 privies and water-closets, 209 yards, courts, and areas, and 89 cellars and basements.

26 cases of small-pox were removed to the hospital and 1 dead body to the morgue by the Ambulance Corps.

Permits have been granted consignees of 76 vessels to discharge cargoes on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.

105 permits were granted scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy vaults.

The following number of cases of contagious disease were reported for the week ending September 26, 1874: Typhoid fever, 14; scarlet fever, 22; diphtheria, 38; small-pox, 43; and cerebro-spinal meningitis, 1.

333 loads of night-soil were removed by the Scavengers from the privy vaults of the city.

The following amount of meat and fish was condemned by the officers as unfit for human food: Cattle, 2 carcasses; Calves, 15 carcasses; sheep, 2 carcasses; beef, 160 pounds; poultry, 38 pounds; antelope, 270 pounds; fish, 3,375 pounds.

### Bureau of Vital Statistics.

During the week ending September 26, 1874, there were issued from this Bureau 529 burial permits for city deaths, 27 for bodies in transitu, and 34 for the interment of still-born infants. There were recorded 529 deaths, 139 marriages, 498 births, 34 still-births, 27 applications for transit permits, and 40 returns from Coroners. There were 24 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths, and 7 transcripts of birth record, 5 of marriage, and 25 of death were issued from this Bureau; 2 cases of death were referred to the Coroners.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK,  
Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE  
CITY OF NEW YORK,  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS,  
September 29, 1874.

### To the Secretary of the Board of Health:

SIR—In the week ending on Saturday, the 26th inst., there were 529 deaths reported in this city, against 540 which were verified in the previous week. There was a decrease of 17 deaths from diarrhoeal diseases, and a still greater decrease of



## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE MUNICIPAL POLICE,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROOM 39,  
NEW YORK, September 24, 1874.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY**  
Clerk, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property, now in his custody without claimants: Eight cans salad oil; three black bags and contents; case sugar-paper; two trunks and contents; lot furniture; rope; locket; thirty-six pair shoes; two skiffs; thirteen revolvers, etc.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk

POLICE DEPARTMENT NEW YORK CITY,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, ROOM 39,  
NEW YORK, Sept. 2, 1874.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY**  
Clerk, 300 Mulberry street, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants:—Seven revolvers, two silver and one gold watch, male and female clothing, two loads furniture, segars, mats, child's carriage trunk and contents, and small amount of money.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 10, 1874.

**OWNER WANTED BY THE PROPERTY**  
Clerk, room 39, 300 Mulberry street, for two cases of cloth, found in front of No. 174 Church street, by officer of Fifth Precinct. Said cloth, unless claimed, will be sold at the next auction sale of Unclaimed Property, according to law.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY**  
the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, October 6, 1874, for the repairs and alterations to be made on the premises corner of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street—Grammar School No. 43.

DAVID H. KNAPP,  
Chairman.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, at the same place, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, October 6, 1874, for New Seats, etc., for Primary Department of Grammar School No. 4, on Rivington street, near Ridge street.

FREDERICK GERMANN,  
Chairman.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, October 6, 1874, for additions to Steam heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 33, on West Twenty-eighth street, near Tenth avenue.

H. D. RANNEY, M. D.,  
Chairman.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, October 6, 1874, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, for new Stoves, etc., for Grammar School No. 9, on Eighty-second street, near the Boulevard.

JOEL W. MASON,  
Chairman.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward at the same place, until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, October 7, 1874, for repairing the Steam-heating Apparatus of Grammar School No. 65, at West Farms.

MORRIS WILKINS,  
Chairman.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, first floor.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, will be required from each successful bidder; proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The name of the party submitting a proposal must be indorsed on the outside of the envelope containing the proposal.

Dated New York, September 23, 1874.

L. D. KIERNAN,  
Clerk.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY**  
the Committee on Normal Schools, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 5th day of October, 1874, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for furnishing the Normal College Buildings with Lightning Rods.

Sealed proposals will also be received by said Committee, at the same time and place, for Iron Railings, etc., for inclosing the site of said buildings.

Sealed proposals will also be received by said Committee, at the same time and place, for the flagging, curbing, etc., required for walks and yards around said buildings.

Specifications and drawings may be seen, and all necessary information obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, will be required from each successful bidder. Proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named.

The names of parties submitting proposals must be indorsed on the outside of the envelope containing a proposal.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

JAMES W. FARR,  
JOHN CROSEY BROWN,  
ALBERT KLAMROTH,  
RAN'W. TOWNSEND,  
JAMES M. HALSTEAD,  
Committee on Normal Schools

Dated New York, Sept. 19, 1874.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, September 20, 1874.

**IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE**  
of the Common Council "In relation to the burial of strangers and unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Charity Hospital, September 25, 1874—Unknown man, aged 40 years; 5 feet 6½ inches high; light complexion; full sandy beard; gray eyes. His name is supposed to be John Clark, formerly a soldier in the United States army. Had a cross tattooed with India ink on the upper part of his left arm and a basket with flowers on upper part of his right arm. Had on brown jean jacket, dark brown vest, light pants with brown stripes, gray cotton shirt, leather gaiters. No information could be obtained of his name, residence or friends.

At Randall's Island Hospital, September 28, 1874—Jerry Howe, transferred from School-ship Mercury, August 12, 1874. Father and mother unknown.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
COR. THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.  
NEW YORK, September 25, 1874.

## PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF, MUTTON, AND VEAL.

**PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS**  
above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction until 10 o'clock A. M. of the seventh day of October next, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering daily, at the foot of 26th street, East river, and at such other places as may be required, free of all expense, Fresh Beef, Mutton, Veal, or any other meats deemed necessary from time to time as ordered. To be of quality satisfactory to the Board, commencing as soon as contract is awarded.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of 50 per cent. each for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,  
JAMES BOWEN,  
MYER STERN,  
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, September 21, 1874.

## PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, ETC.

**PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS**  
above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock A. M., of the first day of October next, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense—

15,000 yards of brown sheeting.  
5,000 do black cotton kersey.  
5,000 do grey meltons.  
6,000 do bed-tickings.  
2,500 do gingham.  
1,200 pairs blankets.  
1,500 do men's brogans.  
1,500 do women's balmorals.  
200 dozen women's cotton hose.  
500 do men's woolen socks.  
1,000 yards red twilled flannel.  
400 do unbleached cotton flannel.  
1,000 do cottonades.  
1,250 do satinets (gray).

Samples of the above can be seen at this office.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent in writing of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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WILLIAM LAIMBEER,  
JAMES BOWEN,  
MYER STERN,  
Commissioners.

The following named articles in above proposal are withdrawn, the samples exhibited not being deemed suitable for the use of the Department, and readvertised. See advertisement below.

Blankets.  
Women's cotton hose.  
Men's woolen socks.  
Cottonades.  
Satinets.

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,  
JAMES BOWEN,  
MYER STERN,  
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
COR. THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, Sept. 25, 1874.

## IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

"In relation to the burial of strangers and unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions in the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, from Pier 50, East river, Sept. 24, 1874—Unknown man, aged about 45 years, 5 feet 8 inches high, dark hair and moustache. Had on blue flannel coat, pepper and salt mixed vest, gray pants, hickory shirt, and new elastic gaiters.

At Work-house, September 24, 1874—Thomas Hardy, aged 28 years, native of United States, 5 feet 9 inches high, light complexion, sandy hair and whiskers. A stage driver. Died of tetanus. No property, and clothes very indifferent.

At New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island, September 24, 1874—Daniel Hanegan, aged 20, born in United States, 5 feet 6 inches high, black hair, blue eyes. Admitted August 21, 1872. No person has been to see him, nor could any information be obtained as to relatives or friends. No effects.

By Order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, September 28, 1874.

## IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

"In relation to the burial of strangers and unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, from Pier 47, East river, September 26, 1874—Unknown man, aged about 40 years; 5 feet, 8 inches high; black hair; no beard. Had on dark coat, with white stripes (short skirts), black cloth pants, check shirt, brown cotton socks, brogan shoes. No effects.

At N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island, September 25, 1874—Anton Bodnutt, aged 40 years, 5 feet 10 inches high; black hair; hazel eyes. Had on black sack coat, light mixed pants and vest, white shirt. No person has been to visit him nor could any information be obtained as to his relatives or friends. No effects.

By order,  
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
COR. THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, Sept. 24, 1874.

## PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, ETC.

**PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS**  
above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock A. M. of the sixth day of October next, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering, at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense:

20 hhds. molasses.  
200 bushels peas.  
200 do rye.  
50 bbls. oatmeal.  
125 bags coarse meal.  
50 do fine meal.  
320 bbls. potatoes.  
3,200 lbs. butter.  
5,000 eggs.  
2 boxes corn starch.  
5 do farina.  
100 bbls. salt beef.  
50 do hominy.  
25 do crackers.  
100 quintals codfish.  
20 bbls. vinegar.  
2,000 lbs. coffee.  
100 bags shorts.  
2,000 lbs. tobacco.  
600 do cocoa.  
50,000 do brown sugar.  
15 gallons polishing oil.  
100 bath brick.  
50 sides sole leather.  
50 lbs. each 5-8 and 6-8 shoe nails.  
1,000 yards bleached muslin.  
500 do calico.

Samples of the above can be seen at this office.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound, as sureties, in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals, if deemed to be for the public interest, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department.

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,  
JAMES BOWEN,  
MYER STERN,  
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
COR. THIRD AV. AND ELEVENTH ST.,  
NEW YORK, Sept. 28, 1874.

## PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, ETC.

**PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED, AS**  
above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, until 10 o'clock A. M., of the 9th day of October next, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense—

1,200 pairs colored woolen blankets, to weigh seven pounds each.  
200 dozen woman's cotton hose.  
500 dozen men's woolen socks.  
1,000 yards cottonades.  
1,250 yards satinets.

Samples of the above can be seen at this office.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department.

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,  
JAMES BOWEN,  
MYER STERN,  
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF  
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, Sept. 19, 1874.

## PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

**PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS**  
above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 10 o'clock A. M., of October 1, 1874, at which time they will be publicly opened, for furnishing and delivering, at the Bake-house, Blackwell's Island, two thousand barrels of flour, and not below the grades now used by the Department, as per sample at this office. To be delivered in quantities of one hundred to five hundred barrels as may be required, free of expense to the Department.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is defaulter as security or otherwise upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department.

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,  
JAMES BOWEN,  
MYER STERN,  
Commissioners.

## DEPARTMENT PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE, NEW YORK, Sept. 28, 1874.

## SLATING.

**PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL BE**  
received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, as above, until Friday, the 9th day of October, 1874, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock, A. M., when they will be publicly opened, for the slating of all that portion of the building now being erected on Manhattan Square (Central Park), in the City of New York, and known as the Museum of Natural History.

All said work to be executed in accordance with the plans and specifications for the same, which may now be seen at the office of C. Vaux, Architect, 110 Broadway, New York, and to be finished complete on or before the 15th day of December, 1874.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of two thousand dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; the names of all persons interested with him therein; that it is made without collusion with any other person making an estimate for the same work; and that no member of the Common Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent before a Judge of a Court of Record in the County of New York.

Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of the contract (settled as required by law), seen at the office of the Secretary, as above.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Slating, Museum of Natural History."

H. G. STEBBINS, President,  
PHILIP BISSINGER,  
D. B. WILLIAMSON,  
THOMAS E. STEWART,  
Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN,  
Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE, NEW YORK, Sept. 28, 1874.

## GRANITE, STONE, AND MASON WORK.

**PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL**  
be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, as above, until Friday, the 9th day of October, 1874, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock, A. M., when they will be publicly opened, for the erection and completion of all the granite, stone, and mason work of a fountain to be erected on Madison Square in the City of New York.

All said works to be finished and completed in accordance with the plans for the same (which can now be seen at the office of the Architect, at the above address), on or before the 15th day of April, 1875.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal, in the sum of three thousand dollars.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; the names of all persons interested with him therein; that it is made without collusion with any other person making an estimate for the same work; and that no member of the Common Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent before a Judge of a Court of Record in the County of New York.

Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of the contract (settled as required by law) seen at the office of the Secretary, as above.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Fountain, Madison Square."

H. G. STEBBINS, President,  
PHILIP BISSINGER,  
D. B. WILLIAMSON,  
THOMAS E. STEWART,  
Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN,  
Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE, NEW YORK, September 28, 1874.

## CONCRETE FLAGGING, ON THE PLAZA, SITUATE AT FIFTH AVENUE, FIFTY-EIGHTH AND FIFTY-NINTH STREETS, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

**PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, FOR**  
laying Concrete Flagging on the Plaza, situate at Fifth Avenue, Fifty-eighth and Fifty-ninth streets, in the City of New York, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, as above, until Friday, the 9th day of October, 1874, at the hour of 9:30 o'clock, A. M., when they will be opened.

The said flagging is to be laid and completed in accordance with the specifications contained in the contract, on or before the 15th day of November, 1874.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residences being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; the names of all persons interested with him therein; that it is made without collusion with any other person making an estimate for the same work; and that no member of the Common Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

In addition to the above-mentioned security, the party to whom the award is made will be required to furnish security, to be approved of by the Department of Public Parks, that the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, as well as said Department of Public Parks, will be held harmless and free from any liability on account of any patented article or process used by the contractor in the execution of said work.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Proposed sureties must verify their consent before a Judge of a Court of Record in the County of New York.

Forms of proposals may be obtained, and the terms of the contract (settled as required by law) seen at the office of the Secretary, as above.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Concrete Flagging Plaza, Fifth Avenue."

H. G. STEBBINS, President,  
PHILIP BISSINGER,  
D. B. WILLIAMSON,  
THOMAS E. STEWART,  
Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN,  
Secretary D. P. P.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
346 and 348 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, October 1, 1874.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

### PROPOSALS FOR MAKING REPAIRS TO STEAM DREDGE, NO. 1, NOW LYING AT THE FOOT OF GANSEVOORT STREET, NORTH RIVER.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR THIS WORK, indorsed as above, and addressed to "Jacob A. Westervelt, President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 11 o'clock, A. M., of Thursday, October 1, 1874, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be well prepared for the business, and shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance.

The repairs to be made and the work to be done under the contract are stated and set forth in detail in the specifications contained in the agreement annexed to the blank form of proposals.

The time allowed for the completion of the repairs is one month from the date of the signing of the contract.

The Dredge is to be taken from her present moorings, and after the completion of the repairs, returned to such point on the North river water front of the city, as may be designated by the President, at the cost and expense of the contractor for doing this work.

NOTE.—In case the repairs to the Dredge are not made in New York city, an inspector will be appointed by the Board of Docks at the cost and expense of the person or persons doing the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in the proposals the price for the work to be done, by which the bids will be tested. The price is to cover all expenses necessary for the complete fulfillment of the contract.

Should the lowest bidder or bidders neglect or refuse to accept this contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on, until it be accepted and executed.

No proposals will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that, if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of security required.

No proposal will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application at the office of the Department, and the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, is annexed thereto.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT,  
WILLIAM GARDNER,  
WILLIAM BUDD,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
346 and 348 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, September 29, 1874.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

### PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FRESH BURNT ENGLISH PORTLAND CEMENT.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS material, indorsed as above, and addressed to "Jacob A. Westervelt, President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 11 o'clock, A. M., of Wednesday, October 1, 1874, at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be well prepared for the business, and shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance.

The Cement required under the contract must be Fresh Burnt English Portland Cement, and fully up to the standard of the best brands imported, and average at least 400 pounds gross weight to the barrel. No Cement will be received that does not conform to the requirements of the specifications stated in the printed form of contract, or that shall have been ground or burnt for a longer period than one month prior to the date of the sailing of the vessel on which it is shipped, and the Manufacturer's Certificate of date of manufacture will be required with each delivery, and said date must be marked on each barrel with a stencil plate.

The quantity to be delivered under the contract is 7,000 barrels, of which quantity at least one-fourth will be required to be delivered to the Department each and every 30 days, after the date of signing the contract; and the time allowed for the fulfillment of the contract will be four months from the date of its execution, and a penalty of fifty dollars per day, as liquidated damages, will be exacted for each day the contract may be unfulfilled after the said time has expired, Sundays and holidays only to be excepted.

Bidders will state in the proposals the price for each barrel of cement by which the bids will be tested. The price is to cover all expenses necessary for the complete fulfillment of the contract.

Should the lowest bidder or bidders neglect or refuse to accept this contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on, until it be accepted and executed.

No proposals will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that, if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of security required.

No proposal will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained by application at the office of the Department, and the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the material, is annexed thereto.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT,  
WILLIAM GARDNER,  
WILLIAM BUDD,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

## CORPORATION NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works:

Persons interested are requested to call and examine the same.

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to East river.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Ninety-second street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging One Hundred and Sixth street, from Third avenue to East river.

No. 4. Flagging Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

The limits to be assessed are embraced as follows, viz.:  
No. 1. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, from Third avenue to East river, to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Ninety-second street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard, to the extent of one-half the block at intersection of Tenth avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Third avenue to East river, to the extent of one-half the block at intersections of First avenue and Avenue A.

No. 4. Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,  
Chairman.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 19 CHATHAM STREET,  
NEW YORK, Sept. 19, 1874.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands, affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

No. 1. For building sewers in Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, with branches.

No. 2. For building sewer in Eleventh avenue, between Fifth and Fifty-first streets, and in Fifth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 3. For building underground drains between Sixty-second and Sixty-ninth streets, and between Boulevard and Hudson river.

No. 4. For regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Twenty-fourth street, from Eleventh avenue to Hudson river.

No. 5. For regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging Eighty-fourth street, from Boulevard to River Drive.

No. 6. For curbing and flagging, west side, Tenth avenue, between Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets.

No. 7. For flagging Fifty-fifth street, south side, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 8. For laying Belgian pavement in Sixty-fifth street, from Third to Fifth avenue.

No. 9. For fencing vacant lots on Madison avenue, from Sixty-ninth to Seventieth street, and on Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

No. 10. For fencing vacant lots on west side of Boulevard, between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets, and on north side of Sixtieth street, one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Boulevard, and south side of Sixty-first street, one hundred feet west of Boulevard.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land, situated on

No. 1. Both sides of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, and portions of both sides of the intersecting streets, from One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Fifteenth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, and east side of Eleventh avenue, between Fifteenth and Fifty-first streets.

No. 3. The blocks bounded by Sixty-sixth and Sixty-ninth streets, and Eleventh avenue and Hudson River Railroad; the block bounded by Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets and Tenth and Eleventh avenues; the blocks bounded by Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets, and Ninth and Tenth avenues; and the block bounded by Sixty-second and Sixty-third streets, and Broadway and Ninth avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of Twenty-fourth street, from Eleventh avenue to Hudson river, to the extent of half the block at intersections of Eleventh and Thirteenth avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Eighty-fourth street, from Boulevard to River Drive, to the extent of one-half the block at intersections of Eleventh avenue and River Drive.

No. 6. The property known as Ward No. 32.

No. 7. The property known as Ward Nos. 36, 41 to 43, and 49 to 59 inclusive.

No. 8. Both sides of Sixty-fifth street, from Third to Fifth avenue, to the extent of one-half the block at intersections of Lexington, Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 9. The block bounded by Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets and Fourth and Madison avenues; and the property known as Ward Nos. 8 to 10, 12 to 14, 16, 17, 57 to 61, and 63 to 65, inclusive.

No. 10. The property known as Ward Nos. 18 to 21, 46 to 49, and 51.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to Thomas B. Asten, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,  
JOHN MCHARG,  
MUNSON H. TREADWELL,  
VALENTINE S. WOODRUFF,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE, BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
NEW YORK, Sept. 19, 1874.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,  
No. 8 CITY HALL.

THE STATED SESSIONS OF THE BOARD OF Aldermen will be held in their Chamber, room No. 15, City Hall, on Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,  
Clerk

## THE CITY RECORD.

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE OBTAINED at No. 2 City Hall (northwest corner) basement. Price three cents each.

## DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
Commissioner's Office, Room 19, City Hall,  
NEW YORK, September 21, 1874.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until the 2d day of October, 1874, at 12 o'clock M., at which time they will be publicly opened, for the following work:

The Carpenter Work,  
The Slatting and Roofing Work,  
The Plastering.

Required for constructing a new roof on Tompkins Market, a building situate on Third avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets, in the City of New York.

Bidders must be practical mechanics, regularly engaged in the business of performing the special work they propose to do, by their own employees, under their own personal superintendence (without the intervention of a sub-contractor), setting forth the sum of money for which they will furnish all the materials and labor, scaffolding, cartage requisite to perform the work, as shown on the plans, sections, and working drawing, and described in the specifications bearing even date herewith, and now on file in the office of the Contract Clerk, Room 21, City Hall, and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works and his Superintendent.

Sureties will be required for the separate contracts, as follows:

Carpenter Work, \$8,000.  
Slatting and Roofing Work, \$2,000.  
Plastering, \$1,000.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if, in his judgment, the same may be for the best interest of the city.

GEO. M. VAN NORT,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
Commissioner's Office, 19 City Hall.

CONSUMERS OF CROTON WATER ARE hereby notified that the water rents for 1874 are now due, and are payable at the office of the Water Register, Room No. 10, City Hall, from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M. each day. A penalty will be added to all water rents remaining unpaid on the 1st of August.

GEO. M. VAN NORT,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1874, will be paid on that day, by the Chamberlain, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from September 25 to November 1, 1874.

ANDREW H. GREEN,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
September 19, 1874.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, September 18, 1874.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 11, 1874.  
Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Fourth to Eighth avenue, except between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Seventy-fifth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.

Flagging, and curb and gutter East Seventy-eighth street, between Third and Fifth avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 17th day of November, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,  
Collector of Assessments.

BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, July 29, 1874.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED JULY 21, 1874.

Paving with stone-blocks, Seventy-seventh street, from Third to Madison avenue.

Paving with stone-blocks, Seventy-fourth street, from Third to Fifth avenue.

Paving with stone-blocks, Eighty-sixth street, from Third to Fifth avenue.

Paving with stone-blocks, Sixty-ninth street, from Third to Fifth avenue.

Regulating and grading Seventy-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

Regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Second avenue to Harlem river.

Basin on the southwest corner of Beekman and South streets.

Basin on the northwest corner of Fifty-first street and Sixth avenue.

Basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Third avenue.

Underground drains between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, and between Fifth and Madison avenues.

Underground drains between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets, and between Ninth avenue and Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 28th day of September, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, August 20, 1874.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED AUGUST 11, 1874.

Sewer in Washington street, between Christopher and West Tenth streets.

Sewer in Washington street, between West Eleventh and Bank streets.

Sewer in Greenwich street, between West Twelfth and Jane streets.

Sewer in Fifty-sixth street, between Eleventh avenue and Hudson river.

Sewer in Seventy-fifth street, between First and Second avenues.

Basin on the north side of Sixtieth street, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue.

Flagging Sixty-ninth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging Lexington avenue, from Sixty-sixth to Ninety-sixth street.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging One Hundred and Fourth, One Hundred and Fifth, and One Hundred and Sixth streets, from Eighth avenue to the Public Drive.

Regulating and grading One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before October 19, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,  
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
ROTUNDA, COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, Sept. 17, 1874.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment lists were received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED AUGUST 31, 1874.

Underground drains, between Sixty-second and Sixty-eighth streets, and between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Sewer in Sixty-seventh street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

Paving One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Harlem river to Manhattan street, and Manhattan street, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to North river.

CONFIRMED SEPTEMBER 3, 1874.

Regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter, and flagging Sixty-eighth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

Curb and gutter Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue to North river.

Flagging Fifty-seventh street, from Eleventh avenue to North river.

Flagging sidewalks in Fifty-seventh street, from Sixth to Eighth avenue.

Sewer in Montgomery street, between Henry street and East Broadway.

Sewer in Mangin street, between Stanton and Houston streets.

Basin on the northwest corner of Manhattan street and Broadway.

Underground drains between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets, and between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before the 16th day of November, 1874, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the dates of confirmation.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 5 P. M. for general information.

SPENCER KIRBY,  
Collector of Assessments.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU OF ARREARS,  
September 1, 1874.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS for Unpaid Assessments for Streets, Avenues, and Park Openings, Widening, and Extensions.

Under the direction of Andrew H. Green, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the collection of taxes, assessments, and Croton water rents in the City of New York, and to amend the several acts in relation thereto, passed April 8, 1871," that the respective owners of all the lands and tenements on which assessments have been laid and confirmed, and are now due and unpaid, and have remained due and unpaid since the confirmation of said assessments for streets, avenues, and park openings, widenings, and extensions, confirmed prior to January 1, 1871, are required to pay the amount of the assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Clerk of Arrears, at his office, in the Finance Department, in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction at the New Court-house in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Tuesday, December 15, 1874, at 12 o'clock noon, for the lowest term of years, at which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of the sale, and together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon.

And that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements here advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the assessments, the ownership of the property assessed, and on which the assessments are due and unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Clerk of Arrears in the Finance Department, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

A. S. CADY,  
Clerk of Arrears.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
COURT-HOUSE, PARK, No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,  
September 4, 1874.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS—NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the Assessment Rolls, or Tax Books on Real Estate, for the year 1874, will be opened for payment at this office on Thursday next, September 10, 1874.

Payment can be made between the hours of 8 A. M. and 2 P. M.

A deduction at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, calculated from the date of payment to the first day of December, will be made on all taxes paid previous to the first of November.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,  
Receiver of Taxes.