

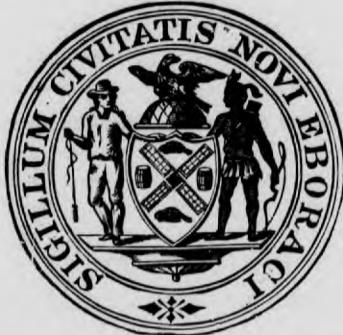
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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Report for Quarter ending December 30, 1876.

THE SANITARY BUREAU.

The following is a summary of the operations of the Sanitary Bureau, which is charged with the duty of inspecting and reporting, in proper form, all nuisances or causes of danger to the public health, with the exception of the orders of the Board, and with the care of contagious diseases:

The number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was as follows:

Mill.....	1	Other buildings.....	11
Markets and market places.....		Smoke-house.....	1
Slaughter-houses.....	723	Piers and docks.....	110
Manure dumps.....	67	Manufactories and workshops.....	113
Stock yards.....	3	Stores and warehouses.....	235
Public sewers and drains.....	8	Tenement-houses.....	2,269
Gut-cleaning establishment.....	1	Violations of Sanitary Code.....	8
Fat-rendering establishments.....	142	Other nuisances.....	128
Lard-rendering establishments.....	16	Visits of Inspectors to contagious diseases.....	68
Private dwellings.....	805	Yards, courts, and areas.....	683
Other dwellings.....	391	Privies and water-closets.....	1,328
Gas works.....	2	Cisterns and cesspools.....	4
Sunken and vacant lots.....	171	Streets, gutters, and sidewalks.....	458
Stables.....	555	Public buildings.....	38
Water pipes and drains.....	1,671	Breweries and distilleries.....	8
Cellars and basements.....	832	Roadways.....	2
Dangerous stairways.....	70	Bone and rag houses.....	6
Glycerine works.....	1	Dangerous and smoky chimneys.....	24
Soap works.....	2	Piggeries.....	8
Sausage factory.....	3		
Coal yards.....	4	Total inspections.....	18,087

The number of complaints received from citizens during the three months ending December 30, 1876, was 713, all of which were referred to the Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report. The Sanitary Superintendent, during the same period, granted, under instructions and authority of the Board, 1,674 permits to vessels to discharge cargoes upon proper vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port; 583 permits to scavengers to empty privies, their work being inspected by officers of this Board detailed for that purpose; 31 permits to remove and transport manure; 39 permits to land rags (in bulk) under bonds; and 102 miscellaneous permits were granted under the Sanitary Code.

The number of cases of contagious disease reported during the three months ending December 30, 1876, was—

Typhus fever.....	4
Typhoid fever.....	160
Scarlet fever.....	569
Cerebro-spinal meningitis.....	32
Measles.....	122
Diphtheria.....	645
Small-pox.....	20

The amount of meat, fish, dead animals, and offal received at the offal dock during the quarter ending December 30, 1876, was: cows, 38; calves, 35; sheep, 79; hogs, 3; sturgeon, 1; offal, 14,119 bbls.; fish, 827 bbls.; eggs, 602 bbls.; meat, 15,900 lbs.; poultry, 7,950 lbs.; cheese, 3,500 lbs.; turtle, 3,300 lbs.; horses, 1,012; elephants, 2; goats, 101; cats and dogs, 3,599; rats, 75.

The following statement gives the amount of work performed by the Vaccinating Corps, for the purpose of preventing the spread of small-pox, during the quarter ending December 30, 1876:

Number of primary vaccinations.....	2,940
Number of re-vaccinations.....	10,338
Total.....	13,278

The ages upon whom primary vaccinations were performed, as follows:

Under one year.....	1,669
Between one and two years.....	665
Between two and three years.....	239
Between three and four years.....	161
Over four years.....	216
	2,940

The amount received for the sale of vaccine virus, and deposited with City Chamberlain, was \$266.75.

The number of quill points gratuitously furnished to charitable institutions of the city, etc., was 807.

The number of vaccinations performed in public institutions was as follows:

Grammar Schools Nos. 12, 17, 22, 27, 28, 31, 36, 51, 58, 59.....	7,750
Primary Schools Nos. 5 and 10.....	814
Total.....	8,564

Complaints against premises.....

Premises visited where contagious diseases were found.....	391
Premises disinfected and fumigated where contagious diseases had prevailed.....	292
Patients removed to Riverside (small-pox) Hospital.....	21

The admissions, discharges, and deaths, at Riverside Hospital, from small-pox, for the quarter ending December 30, 1876, were as follows:

Admissions.													
	Health Department.	Quarantine.	Charity Hospital.	S. E. Refuge.	Total.	White.	Male.	Female.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Native.	Foreign.
October.....	11	1	1	12	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	7	7
November.....	10	..	1	32	10	10	..	..	..	..	..	10	21
December.....	17	..	..	17	7	7	..	..	..	..	..	11	7
Total.....	36	1	1	21	61	25	36	..	..	26	..	35	

Discharges.													
	Health Department.	Quarantine.	Charity Hospital.	S. E. Refuge.	Total.	White.	Male.	Female.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Native.	Foreign.
October.....	10	5	1	15	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	7	8
November.....	14	..	..	23	10	10	..	..	..	..	..	9	14
December.....	12	..	..	30	9	9	..	..	..	..	..	11	19
Total.....	36	5	1	68	23	23	45	..	..	27	..	41	

Deaths.												
	WHITE.		COLORED.		NATIVE.	FOREIGN.	TOTAL.					
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.								
October.....	2	1	..	..	2	..	3			
November.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
December.....	2	..	..	..	1	1	2		
Total.....	4	1	..	..	3	2	5			

BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

The number of deaths in the City of New York during the quarter ending December 31, 1876, was 5,817. During the corresponding period in 1875.....

1874.....

1873.....

1872.....

5,817

6,547

7,342

6,703

6,479

The deaths for the above period are classified as follows:

CLASSIFICATION OF DEATHS.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.
Zymotic Diseases.....	1,812	1,965	2,306	1,984	1,338
Constitutional Diseases.....	1,534	1,491	1,000	1,373	1,398
Local Diseases.....	2,381	2,524	2,617	2,520	2,437
Developmental Diseases.....	459	428	424	422	402
Deaths by Violence.....	293	295	305	248	242

The number of deaths from contagious diseases during the quarter ending December 31, 1876, was six hundred and fifteen (615), as follows:

DEATHS FROM CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.	1872.
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The statistics of marriage during the third and fourth quarters of the year 1876 compare as follows:

Total Marriages for the Quarter ending September 30, 1876.

COLOR.		NATIVITY.										TOTAL.
WHITE.	BLACK.	FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.				TOTAL.
Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	TOTAL.
1,535	1,537	37	35	963	800	575	733	1	3	33	36	1,572
Total Marriages for the Quarter ending December 31, 1876.												
1,837	1,840	44	41	1,053	875	779	963	1	...	48	43	1,881

The statistics of births during the third and fourth quarters of the year 1876 compare as follows:

Total Births for the Quarter ending September 30, 1876.

COLOR.		SEX.		NATIVITY.		FOREIGN.		NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY.		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY.		AT SEA.		TOTAL.		
White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Native.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Father.	Mother.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Male.	Female.	TOTAL.	
6,018	85	...	3,137	2,900	66	3,827	1,216	1	746	263	5	2	25	21	...	6,103
Total Births for the Quarter ending December 31, 1876.																5,985
5,878	107	...	3,047	2,937	1	3,712	1,253	6	698	269	7	...	17	23	...	5,985

Comparative Table of Mortality from the Principal Causes of Death in the Fourth Quarter of the Years 1875 and 1876.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	1875.		1876.		CAUSES OF DEATH.	1875.		1876.	
	1875.	1876.	1875.	1876.		1875.	1876.	1875.	1876.
Total Deaths from all Causes.....	6,547	5,817	5,984	5,338	Phthisis Pulmonalis.....	998	1,035	287	321
Total Zymotic Diseases.....	1,373	1,398	1,373	1,398	Bronchitis.....	653	587	256	273
Total Constitutional Diseases.....	2,526	2,437	2,526	2,437	Pneumonia.....	117	98	116	90
Total Local Diseases.....	422	402	422	402	Heart Diseases.....	116	116	128	138
Total Developmental Diseases.....	248	242	248	242	Marasmus—Tabes Mesenterica and Scrofula.....	141	138	141	138
Deaths by Violence.....	182	7	182	7	Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.....	...	...	...	...
Small-Pox.....	51	22	51	22	Meningitis and Encephalitis.....	...	...	...	...
Measles.....	104	198	104	198	Convulsions.....	...	...	...	...
Scarlatina.....	683	323	683	323	Direct Effect of Solar Heat.....	...	...	...	...
Diphtheria.....	239	161	239	161	Apoplexy.....	98	91	505	526
Membranous Croup.....	67	65	67	65	All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.....	291	260	25	30
Whooping Cough.....	6	2	6	2	Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....	25	30	10	25
Typhus Fever.....	96	76	96	76	Deaths by Suicide.....	1,041	981	415	446
Typhoid Fever.....	73	79	73	79	Deaths by Drowning.....	1,430	1,229	2,042	1,665
Puerperal Diseases.....	229	161	229	161	All Deaths in Institutions.....	...	...	...	...
Diarrhoeal Diseases of Children under 5 years of age.....	292	217	292	217	All Deaths of Persons 70 years old or more.....	...	...	...	...
Diarrhoeal Diseases of all ages.....	38	32	38	32	All Deaths of Children under 1 year of age.....	...	...	...	...
Alcoholism.....	88	125	88	125	All Deaths of Children under 2 years of age.....	...	...	...	...
Cancer.....					All Deaths of Children under 5 years of age.....	...	...	...	...

Deaths from Small-Pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Malarial Fevers, and Cerebro-Spinal Fever, Registered during the Quarter ending December 31, 1876.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and Under.	In Houses containing Over 3 Families.	AVERAGE AGE.										WARDS.										WARDS.										Total.			
			Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	Basement.	Top Floor.	First Floor.	Second Floor.	Third Floor.	Fourth Floor.	Fifth Floor.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	Twenty-first.	Twenty-second.	Twenty-third.	Twenty-fourth.
Small-pox.....	..	2	1	..	5	1	17	5	17	1	7
Measles.....	5	4	13	4	4	4	3	7	27	22	
Scarlatina.....	51	139	1	..	2	2	7	28	60	49	27	17	..	3	9	22	1	1	..	13	5	6	19	2	3	7	8	9	6	3	..	193				
Diphtheria.....	133	174	2	4	14	3	12	38	107	95	43	13	..	4	..	24	1	..	3	7	12	3	11	13	16	10	21	27	12	11	12	1	2	326		
Croup.....	55	103	1	..	4	2	3	24	23	4	5	..	2	2	9	14	5	4	2	2	4	7	3	12	22	11	7	6	16	14	5	65		
Whooping Cough.....	11	53	..	..	1	..	2	6	24	23	4	5	..	1	7	27	1	..	2	..	3	1	..	1	2	3	1	..	3	4	1	3	64	
Malarial Fevers.....	36	22	..	2	4	1	1	5	16	25	10	2	..	26	11	23	1	..	..	..	1	2	3	1	..	1	2	..	..	3	2	..	30
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....	4	43	..	1	2	..	3	1	6	12	4	2	..	10	2	4	..	..	1	..	2	4	..	1	..									

Nativity of Persons who Died in New York City during the Quarter ending December 31, 1876—Actual Mortality.

Nativity of Parents of Children Born in New York City, and reported to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, during the Fourth Quarter ending December 31, 1876.

Abstract of Births in New York City reported to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, during the Quarter ending December 30, 1876.

MONTHS, 1876.	TOTAL	COLOR.	SEX.	NATIVITY OF PARENTS.										NAME OF CHILD.	AGE OF PARENTS.																													
				FATHER.					MOTHER.						FATHER.					MOTHER.																								
				Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Native.	Foreign.																				
October ...	2,041	2,007	34	1,045	995	1	1,256	442	236	86	..	3	8	9	1	15 to 20 years.	10	192	534	471	30 to 35 years.	18	547	1,398	1,416	1,006	550	222	92	736	1	257	1,403	1,681	1,238	585	188	22	..	40 to 45 years.	57	5	..	198
November	1,954	1,918	36	994	960	..	1,227	392	237	84	..	2	8	4	..	20 to 25 years.	5	178	426	466	346	183	77	35	233	..	84	434	546	425	191	72	11	..	45 to 50 years.	59	6	..	221					
December..	1,990	1,953	37	1,008	982	..	1,229	419	225	99	..	2	7	4	5	25 to 30 years.	18	438	479	317	198	76	25	275	..	85	474	552	390	203	59	6	..	30 to 35 years.	423	191	57	191						
Total..	5,985	5,878	107	3,047	2,937	1	3,712	1,253	698	269	..	7	23	17	6	35 to 40 years.	18	547	1,398	1,416	1,006	550	222	92	736	1	257	1,403	1,681	1,238	585	188	22	..	40 to 45 years.	57	5	..	198					

Number of Children Borne by each Mother.

PARENTAGE.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	NOT STATED
Native.....	607	413	302	181	111	77	47	23	11	10	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	168
Foreign.....	744	629	577	466	340	260	177	121	89	38	29	10	11	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	527
Total.....	1,351	1,042	879	647	451	337	224	144	100	48	33	13	12	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	695

Total number of Births reported during the quarter ending December 31, 1876..... 5,985

" " " " " 31, 1875..... 5,989

Nativity of Persons Married in New York City, and reported to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, during the Fourth Quarter ending December 30, 1876.

	NATIVITY OF GROOM.																									
	NATIVITY OF BRIDE.												NATIVITY OF GROOM.													
	TOTAL.	Austria.	Belgium.	British America.	Bohemia.	Denmark.	England.	France.	Germany.	Holland.	Ireland.	Italy.	Norway.	Poland.	Russia.	Scotland.	Spain.	United States.	Unknown.	Wales.	West Indies.	Mexico.	Sea.	South America.	Turkey.	China.
Austria	37	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Belgium	5	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
British America	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bohemia .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Denmark	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
England	61	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
France	29	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Germany	436	9	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Holland	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ireland	202	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Italy	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Norway	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Poland	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Russia	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scotland	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sweden	12	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Switzerland	20	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Spain	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
United States	963	6	..	..	9	..	1	35	5	179	2	42	1	..	..	1	2	7	3	2	1	654	5	..	6	1
Unknown	43	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wales	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..
West Indies	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mexico .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sea .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
South America .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Turkey .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
China .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	1,881	45	5	15	..	8	64	40	582	3	171	15	7	15	9	29	10	17	1	779	48	..	12	2	1	1

Abstract of Marriages Solemnized in the City of New York, and reported to the Bureau of Vital Statistics, during the Fourth Quarter of 1876.

FOURTH QUARTER. MONTHS, 1876.	TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.						CONDITION.											
		WHITE.		BLACK.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.	
		Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
October.....	735	717	718	18	17	419	360	290	354	1	..	25	21	591	604	98	77	7	4	1	..	38	50
November.....	594	586	588	8	6	340	280	240	301	..	..	14	13	476	465	81	78	4	4	..	..	33	47
December.....	552	534	534	18	18	294	235	249	308	..	..	9	9	432	449	76	55	8	5	1	..	35	43
Total.....	1,881	1,837	1,840	44	41	1,053	875	779	963	1	..	48	43	1,499	1,518	255	210	19	13	2	..	106	140

Ages of Persons Married.

FOURTH QUARTER. MONTHS, 1876.	AGES.																										
	UNDER 20.		20 TO 25.		25 TO 30.		30 TO 35.		35 TO 40.		40 TO 45.		45 TO 50.		50 TO 55.		55 TO 60.		60 TO 65.		65 TO 70.		70 TO 80.		80 TO 90.		
	Male.	Female.																									
October	12	163	255	337	244	740	175	42	47	27	24	12	18	5	10	3	6	1	1	3	2	1	3	3	4
November	16	136	202	246	181	115	101	56	41	20	20	12	12	3	7	..	4	1	6	1	4	..	1	..	3	5	
December	7	154	189	214	179	94	77	49	39	20	26	11	16	3	5	1	6	1	4	..	1	10	13	
Total.....	35	453	646	797	604	349	293	147	127	67	70	35	46	11	22	4	16	3	7	2	4	..	1	..	3	5	

Still-Births in New York City, reported during the Quarter ending December 31, 1876.

NATIVITY OF MOTHER.			NATIVITY OF FATHER.																										
NATIVITY OF MOTHER.			NATIVITY OF FATHER.												NATIVITY OF FATHER.														
Austria.....	9	7	..	Austria.	..	Belgium.	..	British America.	..	Denmark.	..	England.	..	France.	..	Germany.	..	Holland.	..	Ireland.	..	Italy.	..	Norway.	..	Poland.	..	Russia.	..
Belgium .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
British America.....	4	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Denmark	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
England	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
France.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Germany.....	145	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Holland.....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ireland	173	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Italy.....	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Norway.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Poland.....	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Russia.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scotland.....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sweden	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Switzerland.....	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Spain.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
United States	159	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	26	..	14	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Unknown, or not stated.....	21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wales.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
West Indies.....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mexico.....	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	570	9	..	3	..	13	3	174	3	163	10	..	..	18	2	4	1	3	1	129	26	2	5	1	..	..	..

TOTAL.	SEX.			NATIVITY OF—			PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.													Not stated.		
	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.															
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.			
570	307	261	2	129	416	25	159	390	21	5	13	30	63	76						

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY AND COUNSEL.

During the quarter ending December 30, 1876, the number of actions commenced was,	385
Of which, for non-compliance with the orders of the Board,	366
For violation of the Sanitary Code,	19
Add 239 actions pending at commencement of quarter,	239
Total number of actions,	624
Discontinued for all causes,	274
Tried and judgments obtained,	101
Judgment of dismissal or non-suit,	35
Pending at close of quarter,	214
Total,	624

The amount realized in settlement of actions and deposited with City Chamberlain for the quarter ending December 30, 1877, is as follows:	
During the month of October,	\$486 58
" " November,	187 00
" " December,	302 00
Total,	\$975 58

Amount of fees received for searches and transcripts of the records of births, marriages, and deaths, and deposited with the City Chamberlain, was \$123.50.

Respectfully submitted,

By order of the Board,

C. F. CHANDLER, President.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

COMMON COUNCIL.

Names, Residences, and Places of Business of the Members of the Board of Aldermen.

NAMES.	RESIDENCE.	PLACE OF BUSINESS.
Henry D. Purroy,	Fordham.	261 Broadway.
Wm. L. Cole,	142 E. 62d st.	57 Murray st.
Kutus B. Cowing,	134 E. 75th st.	160 Broadway.
John De Vries,	112 Sullivan st.	114 Wooster st.
Ferd. Ehrhart,	137 E. Houston st.	137 E. Houston st.
John W. Gunzner,	50 ad ave.	146 E. 14th st.
George Hall,	54 Eldridge st.	51 Bowery.
Henry E. Howland,	300 Lexington av.	60 Wall st.
William Joyce,	445 W. 44th st.	445 W. 44th st.
Patrick Keenan,	610 E. 12th st.	216 Avenue B.
William Lamb,	108 W. 21st st.	100 W. 21st st.
Samuel A. Lewis,	314 W. 14th st.	59 University pl.
John J. Morris,	117 W. 21st st.	6 Pine st.
Lewis J. Phillips,	24 E. 74th st.	27 Stuyvesant st.
Jos. C. Pinckney,	27 Stuyvesant st.	73 Monroe st.
Bryan Reilly,	73 Monroe st.	Builder.
William Salmon,	305 W. 34th st.	362 4th ave.
William Sauer,	362 4th ave.	55 Pike st.
Thomas Sheils,	55 Pike st.	71 E. B'way.
Stephen N. Simonson,	307 W. 48th st.	304 W. 52d st.
James J. Slevin,	131 Mott st.	25 Spring st.
Michael Tuomey,	133 E. 43d st.	133 E. 43d st.

HENRY D. PURROY, President.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

Standing Committees, 1877.

ARTS, SCIENCES, AND EDUCATION.—Aldermen Salmon, Lamb, and Morris.

PUBLIC WORKS.—Aldermen Sheils, Joyce, Salmon, Simonson, and Pinckney.

FERRIES AND DOCK DEPARTMENT.—Aldermen Joyce, Sheils, and Phillips.

FINANCE AND DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.—Aldermen Keenan, Cole, Lewis, Morris, and Pinckney.

LAW DEPARTMENT.—Aldermen Lewis, Hall, and Howland.

PRINTING AND ADVERTISING.—Aldermen Tuomey, Sauer, and De Vries.

MARKETS.—Aldermen Hall, Sauer, and Ehrhart.

RAILROADS.—Aldermen Gunzner, Reilly, and Cowing.

REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES.—Aldermen Slevin, Lewis, and Ehrhart.

ROADS, BRIDGES, AND TUNNELS.—Aldermen Lamb, Sheils, and Simonson.

SALARIES AND OFFICES.—Aldermen Cole, Hall, and Cowing.

STREETS.—Aldermen Reilly, Slevin, and Phillips.

STREET PAVEMENTS.—Aldermen Hall, Joyce, and De Vries.

LANDS AND PLACES, AND PARK DEPARTMENT.—Aldermen Cole, Lamb, and Howland.

FIRE AND BUILDING DEPARTMENTS.—Aldermen Salmon, Lamb, and Cowing.

POLICE AND HEALTH DEPARTMENTS.—Aldermen Keenan, Gunzner, and Morris.

CHARITIES AND CORRECTION AND EXCISE DEPARTMENTS.—Aldermen Sauer, Slevin, and Ehrhart.

COUNTY AFFAIRS.—Aldermen Tuomey, Sauer, Gunzner, Howland, and Simonson.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH all the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which each Court regularly opens and adjourns, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
Mayor's Office, No. 6, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Mayor's Marshal, No. 7, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
License Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.
Board of Aldermen and Supervisors, No. 9, City Hall, office hours from A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Supervisors, No. 8, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, second floor, west end.
1. Bureau for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents, and interest on bonds and mortgages, and revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the City, first floor, west end.
2. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park.
3. Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and Water Rents, first floor, west end.
4. Auditing Bureau, second floor, west end.
5. Bureau of Licenses, first floor, west end.
6. Bureau of Markets, first floor, west end.
7. Bureau for the reception of all moneys paid into the Treasury in the City, and for the payment of money on warrants drawn by the Comptroller and countersigned by the Mayor, at the Office of Chamberlain and County Treasurer, second floor, west end.
8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, Rotunda, south side.

THE CITY RECORD.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, March 13, 1877.

ENCAUSTIC TILING FOR MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY BUILDING.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, 36 Union Square, New York City, until Wednesday, the 28th day of March, 1877, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department and read—

For the tiling work to be done in the building known as the Museum of Natural History, situate on Manhattan square, in Central Park, in the City of New York.

The work to be executed in accordance with the terms of the contract and specifications, and the plans prepared by said Department therefor.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be determined by the said Department after the contract is awarded.

Each proposal must state, both in figures and in writing, a gross sum for the whole work.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, their respective places of business or residence being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of ten thousand dollars, for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal, and that if the said person or persons making the proposal shall omit or refuse to execute said contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; 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, head of a Department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, 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 by affidavit.

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

The plans can also be seen at the office of the Department.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Tiling, Museum Natural History," and shall also be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation.

WM. R. MARTIN, President;
H. G. STEBBINS,
JAMES F. WENMAN,
WM. C. WETMORE,
Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN,
Secretary D. P. P.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, March 13, 1877.

CONSTRUCTION, REMODELLING, AND REMOVAL OF CASES FOR THE MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY BUILDING.

PROPOSALS, IN SEALED ENVELOPES, WILL be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, 36 Union Square, New York City, until Wednesday, the 28th day of March, 1877, at the hour of half-past nine o'clock A. M., when they will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department and read—

For the construction, remodelling, and removal of cases for the Museum of Natural History, situated on Manhattan Square, in the Central Park, in the City of New York.

The work to be executed in accordance with the terms of the contract, and specifications and the plans prepared by said Department therefor.

The time allowed for the completion of the work will be determined by the said Department after the contract is awarded.

Each proposal must state, both in figures and in writing, a gross sum for the whole work.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two responsible householders or freeholders of the City of New York, their respective places of business or residence being named, to the effect that they will become bound as sureties in the sum of ten thousand dollars, for the faithful performance of the contract, should it be awarded upon that proposal, and that if the said person or persons making the proposal shall omit or refuse to execute said contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting.

Each proposal must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same; 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, head of a Department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, 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 by affidavit.

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

The plans can also be seen at the office of the Department.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Department of Public Parks, and indorsed "Proposals for Construction, Remodelling, etc., of Cases, Museum of Natural History," and shall also be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation.

WM. R. MARTIN, President;
H. G. STEBBINS,
JAMES F. WENMAN,
WM. C. WETMORE,
Commissioners D. P. P.

WM. IRWIN,
Secretary D. P. P.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, March 1, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with—

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, March 1, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with—

Six hundred (600) feet of Telegraph Cable, and for laying the same across Little Hell Gate, from Randall's to Ward's Island, in accordance with the specifications for the same on file in this office, will be received until 9:30 o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, the 21st instant, when they will be publicly opened and read.

The form of contract may be seen on application at these Headquarters, where further information and blank proposals may also be obtained.

Two responsible sureties will be required on each proposal, who must each justify in one-half the amount thereof.

Proposals must be addressed upon the envelope to the Board of Commissioners of this Department, be indorsed "Proposals for furnishing and laying Telegraph Cable," and state the name of the bidder.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
ROSWELL D. HATCH,
VINCENT C. KING,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, March 1, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following named materials, supplies, etc., in the quantities specified, will be received at these Headquarters until 9:30 A. M. on Wednesday, the 21st instant, when they will be publicly opened and read:

CLASS NO. 1.

2,500 lbs. Atlantic white lead.....

1,000 " Atlantic white lead.....

50 " Dry white lead.....

100 " English vermilion, pale.....

75 " English vermilion, deep.....

25 " American vermilion.....

30 " Indian red.....

30 " Ultramarine blue (dry).....

50 " Spanish brown (dry).....

50 " Chrome green.....

25 " Chrome yellow.....

25 " Chinese blue.....

25 " Burnt umber.....

4 " Prussian blue.....</

3 gross 3x5-16 inch Wood screws.....	R.
70 " Matches.....	S.
12 " Lamp wicks.....	S.
250 quires Emory cloth (assorted).....	S.
4 Screw wrenches (15 inch).....	T.
3 2-inch Chisels.....	T.
3 20-inch Cross-cut saws.....	T.
3 Wall augers.....	T.
4 Small hammers.....	T.
2,000 yds. Towing.....	S.
4,000 lbs. Cotton waste.....	S.
4 coils 2 1/2 inch Manila rope (each coil to cut 8 lengths of 15 feet each).....	R.
1 coil of Flag halyard rope (150 lbs.).....	R.

CLASS NO. 5.

200 Oak felloes for tender wheels.....	R.
200 Oak felloes for hind wheels of engines.....	R.
200 Oak felloes for forward wheels of engines.....	R.
200 Oak spokes for tender wheels.....	R.
200 Oak spokes for hook and ladder wheels.....	R.
100 Hickory sledge handles.....	R.
100 Hickory hammer handles.....	R.
50 Hickory pick handles.....	R.
20 2 1/2 inch plank, planed both sides.....	R.
12 1 1/4 inch plank.....	R.
12 1 1/2 inch plank.....	R.
10 2 inch plank.....	R.
All the above plank to be of square edge, straight grain western ash, from 14 to 18 inches wide and 12 to 14 feet long, each.	
14 3 inch western ash plank, square edge, straight grain, 16 to 20 inches wide, 14 feet long.....	R.
6 1 1/2 inch white hickory plank, 12 to 14 inches wide, 12 to 14 feet long.....	R.
6 Each of 2 1/2, and 3 inch white hickory plank, 14 to 18 inches wide, 12 to 14 feet long.....	R.
200 Feet each of 1/2, 1/4, and 1 1/2 inch clear pine plank, 15 to 20 inches wide, planed both sides.....	R.
1,000 Feet 2 1/2 inch clear pine plank, 15 to 20 inches wide, planed both sides.....	R.
300 Feet 2 inch clear pine plank, 15 to 20 inches wide, planed both sides.....	R.
2 3 inch clear pine plank, 12 to 14 feet long, 20 to 24 inches wide (not planed).....	R.
4,000 Feet 3 1/4 by 4 1/2 inch clear white pine for telegraph cross arms.....	T.
12 1/2 inch plank.....	R.
4 2 inch plank.....	R.
To be of clear white wood, 18 to 20 inches wide, 12 to 14 feet long, and planed both sides.	
2 4 inch clear tough spruce plank, 12 inches wide, 20 feet long.....	R.
6 1/2 inch plank.....	R.
10 3/8 inch plank.....	R.
To be of clear black walnut, 16 to 18 inches wide, 12 to 14 feet long, planed both sides.	
3 1 1/2 inch clear black walnut plank, 16 to 18 inches wide, 12 to 14 feet long (not planed).....	R.

CLASS NO. 6.

36 bars, each of 3/4 and 5/8 inch round Ulster iron.....	R.
8 " of 1 1/2 inch round Ulster iron.....	R.
6 " of 1 1/4 inch round Ulster iron.....	R.
4 " of 1 3/4 inch round Ulster iron.....	R.
2 " of 2 inch round Ulster iron.....	R.
2 bars, each of 2 1/2 and 3 1/2 inch round Low Moor iron.....	R.
1 bar of 3 inch round Low Moor iron.....	R.
16 " of 5/8 inch square Ulster iron.....	R.
15 " of 1 inch square Ulster iron.....	R.
10 " of 1 1/4 inch square Ulster iron.....	R.
4 " of 1 1/2 inch square Ulster iron.....	R.
3 " each of 2 1/2 and 3 1/2 inch square Ulster iron.....	R.
2 " of 2 1/2 inch square Ulster iron.....	R.
15 " each of 1 1/4, 1 3/4, and 1 1/2 x 1/4 inch Ulster iron.....	R.
10 bars, each of 1 1/4 x 3/4, 1 3/4 x 1/4, and 2 1/2 x 1/4 inch Ulster iron.....	R.
6 bars, each of 1 1/4 x 3/4, and 2 1/2 x 1/4 inch Ulster iron.....	R.
3 " of 2 1/2 x 1/4 inch Ulster iron.....	R.
6 " of 2 1/2 x 1/4 inch Ulster iron.....	R.
2 " of 3 1/2 x 1/4 inch Ulster iron.....	R.
2 " of 4 1/2 x 2 1/2 inch Low Moor iron.....	R.
3 " of 3 1/2 x 3 1/2 Heavy angle iron.....	R.
All of the above to be not less than 14 feet long, each.	
20 bars of 3/4 inch square Norway iron.....	R.
20 " each of 1 1/2, 1 1/4 x 3/4, 1 3/4 x 3/4, 1 3/4 x 1/4, 1 1/2 x 1/4, 1 1/2 x 3/4, 2 1/2 x 3/4, 3x3/4, 3x1/4 inch Norway iron.....	R.
All of the above to be not less than 12 feet long, each.	
2 bundles of 5-16 inch round Ulster iron.....	R.
4 " of 3/8 inch round Ulster iron.....	R.
1 bundle, each of 2 1/2 x 1/4, 2 1/2 x 3/4, 2 1/2 x 1/2, and 3x3/4 inch Ulster iron.....	R.
12 bundles of 3x3-16 inch Ulster iron.....	R.
1 " of 3/4 inch Oval iron.....	R.
Each of the above bundles to weigh not less than 12 lbs.	
2 bars, each of 5/8 and 7/8 inch Octagon chisel steel.....	R.
12 " of 3/4 inch Octagon chisel steel.....	R.
4 " each of 1x3/4, and 1 1/2 inch tool steel.....	R.
1 " of 2 inch square Chrome steel.....	R.
The above to be Jessup steel, and each bar to be not less than 10 feet long.	
1 sheet of No. 19 Steel, to weigh not less than 20 lbs.....	R.
2 sheets of No. 11 Soft brass, 30x72 inches.....	R.
2 " of No. 10 Soft brass, 30x72 inches.....	R.
2 " of No. 20 Soft brass, 30x72 inches.....	R.
16 bundles of No. 27 Galvanized iron, 26x84 inches.....	R.
4 " of No. 18 Galvanized iron, 24x84 inches.....	R.
4 " of No. 18 Black iron, 24x84 inches.....	R.
16 Bundles of No. 26 charcoal stove-pipe iron, 24x84 inches.....	R.
Each of the above bundles to contain 12 sheets.	
20 lbs. No. 16 spring wire.....	R.
15 lbs. No. 13 brass escutcheon pins, 3/4-inch long.....	R.
13 lbs. " " " 5/8-inch long.....	R.
25 lbs. No. 1 solder.....	R.
24 Composition pipe tips (regulation size).....	R.
24 " " " heater cocks (way heavy).....	R.
80 " " " seamless boiler tubes, 24x1 1/4 ins, full outside.....	R.
250 Composition seamless boiler tubes, 24x1 1/4 ins, full outside.....	R.
500 Brass springs for main water pump.....	R.
24 King bolt lubricators.....	R.
24 Lignum vita link blocks, for second size engines.....	R.
24 " " " for self-propeller engines.....	R.
12 Samson jacks (large size).....	R.
1 1/2-inch hand bolt cutter.....	R.
1 1/2-inch ".....	R.
12 1/2-inch spring trip valves (brass).....	R.
24 3/4-inch vertical valves (brass).....	R.
24 3/4-inch brass steam cocks (heavy).....	R.

CLASS NO. 7.

8 doz. each of 8, 12, and 14-inch coarse, flat, bastard files.....	R.
2 doz. of 6-inch coarse, flat, bastard files.....	R.
2 " " " smooth, flat, bastard files.....	R.
8 doz. each of 8 and 12-inch flat, bastard files (smooth, safe edge).....	R.
8 doz. 12-inch coarse, half-round, bastard files.....	R.
8 " " " smooth, ".....	R.
2 doz. each of 6 and 8-inch coarse, half-round, bastard files.....	R.
2 doz. each of 6 and 8-inch smooth, half-round, bastard files.....	R.
2 doz. each of 6x3/4, 8x3/4, 8x5-16, 10x3/4, 12x3/4, and 14x3/4 inch coarse, round, bastard files.....	R.
2 doz. each of 6x3/4, 8x5-16, 10x3/4, 12x3/4, and 14x3/4 inch coarse, square, bastard files.....	R.
2 doz. 8x1/2 second cut round, bastard files.....	R.
2 doz. 8-inch flat mill files.....	R.
8 doz. 12-inch flat mill files.....	R.
2 doz. 5-inch saw files.....	R.
1,000 each of 3x3/4, 3 1/2x3/4, 3 1/2x1 1/4, 4x3/4, and 4 1/2x3/4 inch iron button-head rivets.....	R.
500 each of 1 1/4x3/4, 1 1/2x3/4, 1 3/4x3-16, 3 1/2x5-16, 4x5-16, and 5x5-16 inch iron button-head rivets.....	R.
5 gross each of 5/8x1/4 and 5/8x3-16 inch iron button-head wood screws.....	R.

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, February 28, 1877.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FRESH BURNT "PORTLAND" CEMENT.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS material, indorsed as above, and addressed to "Salem H. Wales, President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office, until 12 o'clock M., of Wednesday, 14th March, 1877, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department 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 known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of four thousand dollars.

The Cement required under the contract must be Fresh Burnt Portland Cement, 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 shall have been ground or burnt for a longer period than two months prior to the date of delivery; the manufacturers' 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 5,000 barrels, and the delivery is to commence within 15 days after the date of signing the contract; and the time allowed for the fulfillment of the contract will be three months from the date of its execution, and a penalty of fifty dollars per day, as liquidated damages, will be exacted for each day that the delivery of any part of the said 5,000 barrels may be delayed beyond the time stipulated for its delivery, or that the contract may be unfulfilled, after the said three months has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted.

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

Bidders will write out the price bid, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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 is accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the proposal shall distinctly state that fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making any estimate for the same material, and that it is in all respects, fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which proposals must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each proposal shall be 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 to the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to any higher bidder to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter VIII. of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered are to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the material, can be had upon application at the office of the Department, Room No. 6.

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 surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The right to decline all the proposals is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation.

SALEM H. WALES,
JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
HENRY F. DIMOCK,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Tuesday, the 20th day of March, 1877, and until 4 o'clock P.M., on said day, for alterations and repairs of Primary School-house No. 18, on Waverley place, near Bank street.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place for the furniture required for said school.

Plans and specifications may be seen and blanks for proposals 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.

The party submitting a proposal and the parties proposing to become sureties must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

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

CHARLES S. WRIGHT,
E. DENISON, M. D.,
HENRY DAYTON,
WILLIAM H. ELY,
DAVID M. EARL,Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.
Dated New York, March 5, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Tuesday, March 20, 1877, at 4 P.M., for supplying the coal and wood required for the public schools in this city, for the ensuing year—say ten thousand five hundred (10,500) tons of coal, more or less, and one thousand one hundred (1,100) cords of oak, and six hundred and fifty (650) cords of pine wood, more or less. The coal must be of the best quality of white ash, furnace, egg, stove, and nut sizes, clean and in good order, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, and must be delivered in the bins of the several school buildings at such times and in such quantities as required by the Committee on Supplies.

The proposals must state the mines from which it is proposed to supply the coal (to be furnished from the mines named, if accepted), and must state the price per ton of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds.

The quantity of the various sizes of coal required will be about as follows, viz.: Eight thousand five hundred (8,500) tons of furnace size, one

to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, 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.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
ISAAC H. BAILEY,
TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 1, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES,
HARDWARE.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Thursday, March 15, 1877, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering, at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department:

GROCERIES.

20,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
10,000 pounds Pearl Barley.
50 boxes Castile Soap.
1 barrel Tapioca.
500 pounds Smoked Halibut.
250 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds to the barrel net; to be delivered at Store-house Dock, Blackwell's Island.

HARDWARE.

1 keg 6d. Finishing Nails.
20 kegs rod. Cut Nails.
20 kegs Horse Shoes, each 4 and 5.

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 it, 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 to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, 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.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
ISAAC H. BAILEY,
TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 5, 1877.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or 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 Hart's Island Hospital, March 3, 1877—James McMahon; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted, brown coat, cassimere pants, check vest, felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 8, 1877.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or 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 Hart's Island Hospital, March 6, 1877—Peter Golden; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted plaid coat and vest, cassimere pants, buttoned shoes, derby hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC PARKS.

CENTRAL BRIDGE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT CENTRAL Bridge, over the Harlem river, is closed for all travel, except foot passengers, until further order, on account of its dangerous condition.

By order of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

January 24, 1877.

36 UNION SQUARE N. Y.

JURORS.

NOTICE
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1876.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines, received from those who, for business or other reasons, are unable to serve at the time selected, pay the expenses of this office, and unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absenteers, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer it. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner,
County Court-house (Chambers street entrance)

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 6, 1877.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the Assessment upon the Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1877, will be open for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 8, 1877, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1877, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners during the period above mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

By order of the Board,

ALBERT STORER,
Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, February 26, 1877.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property, now in his custody without claimants:

Boat, male and female clothing, gold and silver watches, revolvers, coffee, rope, brooms, and several small amounts of cash taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICES.

THE PROPERTY-OWNERS ON THE LINE OF Tenth avenue, from Eighty-second to Ninety-third street, and from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street, having claims for damage to buildings by the change of grade in the regulating and grading, etc., of said avenue, are requested to present the same to the Board of Assessors, within ten days from date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALY,
EDWARD NORTH,
WILLIAM L. WILEY,
Board of Assessors

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, March 3, 1877.

ALL PARTIES PRESENTING CLAIMS FOR DAMAGE to property by reason of closing the Bloomingdale road, are required in filing such claims, to produce their title deeds to said property.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALY,
EDWARD NORTH,
WILLIAM L. WILEY,
Board of Assessors

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, February 27, 1877.

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. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, Sixty-eighth street, from Third avenue to the East river, except between First and Third avenues.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, Avenue A, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, Forty-third street, from First avenue to the East river.

No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to St. Nicholas avenue.

No. 5. Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Second to Seventh avenue.

No. 6. Belgian pavement in Fifty-ninth street, from First avenue to Avenue A.

No. 7. Belgian pavement in Sixtieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 8. Belgian pavement in Fifthieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 9. Belgian pavement in Fifty-eighth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 10. Belgian pavement in Bogart street, from West street to Thirteenth avenue.

No. 11. Belgian pavement in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Third to Sixth avenue.

No. 12. Belgian pavement in Fifty-sixth street, from Second to Third avenue.

No. 13. Sewer in Tenth avenue, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-seventh streets, with branches.

No. 14. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.

No. 15. Sewer in One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 16. Laying crosswalks in Lexington avenue at the intersection of Seventy-eighth street.

No. 17. Laying crosswalks at each of the intersections of Madison avenue and Eighty-sixth, Eighty-seventh, Eighty-eighth, and Eighty-ninth streets.

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 Sixty-eighth street, from Third avenue to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Avenue A, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-seventh streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersections of Fifty-fourth, Fifty-fifth, and Fifty-seventh streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Forty-third street, from First avenue to the East river, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of First avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from Second to Seventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Fifty-ninth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Sixtieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of Fiftieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 9. Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 10. Both sides of Bogart street, from West street to Thirteenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of West street and Thirteenth avenue.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Third to Sixth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 12. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of Tenth avenue, from Seventy-fifth to Seventy-seventh street, and blocks bounded by Seventy-fifth and Seventy-seventh streets, Ninth avenue and the Boulevard.

No. 14. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and west side Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-third, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth, One Hundred and Twenty-sixth, One Hundred and Twenty-seventh, One Hundred and Twenty-eighth, One Hundred and Twenty-ninth, One Hundred and Thirtieth, One Hundred and Thirty-first, and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets.

No. 15. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 16. Both sides of Seventy-eighth street, extending half the block on either side of Lexington avenue.

No. 17. Both sides of Madison avenue, between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-ninth streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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 the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 19 Chatham street, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
JOHN MULLALY,
EDWARD NORTH,
WILLIAM L. WILEY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NEW YORK, March 1, 1877.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

REAL ESTATE BELONGING TO THE CORPORATION of the City of New York, to be leased at auction, on Friday, March 16, 1877.

The leases of the following described property belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, will be sold at public auction at the New County Court-house, on Friday, March 16, 1877, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the term of two years from May 1, 1877:

Rooms second floor Centre Market, part not occupied as an armory.

No. 160 Wooster street.
No. 53 Spring street.
No. 67 Chatham street.
No. 89 Chatham street.
No. 91 Chatham street.
No. 93 Chatham street.
No. 61 Thompson street.
No. 458 East Houston street.

Lots on south side Sixty-eighth street, between Third and Lexington avenues, Nos. 12 to 16.

Lots on east side Lexington avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, Nos. 22 to 25.

Lots on north side Sixty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, Nos. 26 to 30, 31 to 33.

Stables on Tompkins and Mangin streets, 79 ft. 6 in. x 200 ft. 123 feet north of Rivington street.

Stables on south side Twenty-fourth street, 300 feet west of Tenth avenue, 50 x 98.9, in accordance with the following

TERMS OF SALE.

Twenty per cent. on the yearly rent bid for each parcel to be paid to the Collector of City Revenue at the time and place of sale; and the successful bidder will be required, at the same time, to have an obligation executed by two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, for carrying into effect the terms of sale.

Twenty per cent., when paid, will be credited on the first quarter's rent; or forfeited, if the lessee does not execute the lease and bond within fifteen days after the sale; and the Comptroller shall be authorized, at his option, to resell the premises bid off by those failing to comply with the terms as above; and the party so failing to comply to be liable for any deficiency that may result from such resale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation. No bid will be accepted from 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. (See, 90 of Charter of 1873.)

The leases will contain the usual covenants and conditions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the lease whenever the premises may be required by them for public purposes.

All repairs will be made at the expense of the lessees, and no deduction whatever will be allowed for damage by reason of any sickness or epidemic that may prevail in the city during the continuance of the lease.

The lessees will be required to give a bond for double the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment of the rent quarter-yearly, and the fulfillment on their part of the covenants of the lease.

COMPTRROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, March 6, 1877.

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