

Memorandum of an agreement entered into this
ninth - day of July 1856 between J. N. Bolles of the City
of Baltimore of the one part and John McKenney, Edward
Hamilton, Joseph C. Talbot, William J. Hopper, John H.
Roulinson and Lloyd Tilghman all of the town of
Centerville in Queen Anns County State of Maryland
of the other part

The said J. N. Bolles covenants and agrees to
and with the parties hereto of the second part and for
the consideration hereinafter expressed to bore an
Artesian Well on such site in the Public Grounds in
the aforesaid town of Centerville as the parties hereto
of the second part shall select; to insert into said
well flush pipes of cast iron eight inches in diameter
clear of the iron; to joint the sections of said pipe with
heated wrought iron bands; to sink said well to any
depth, not exceeding two hundred feet, which shall
be required by the parties hereto of the second part;
to furnish all the tools, pipes ~~and other~~ materials ^{and labor} for
boring said well; ~~and to provide all the labor neces-~~
~~sary therefor~~ and to perform all the work hereby con-
tracted by him to be done in an artistic and work-
man like manner beginning the same on or before
the 22^d day of July Instant; and continuing said
work without delay until the said well shall be
completed.

The parties hereto of the second part covenant
and agree to and with the said J. N. Bolles in consi-
deration of the aforesaid agreement on his part, to
transport from the city of Baltimore to the said
town of Centerville, such workmen, tools and materi-
als as the said J. N. Bolles shall provide and as may be
necessary
for boring the well aforesaid and to pay to the said