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APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending October 21, 1882.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be respectfully requested to place an air-tight cast-iron garbage-box on the north side of the City Hall.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 3, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 17, 1882.

Whereas, The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by certain grants made in or about the year 1858, conveyed the land under water, lying to the west of the Eleventh avenue, between the centre of West Twenty-fifth street and the centre of West Twenty-seventh street, and extending to the water front, to certain persons whose grantees now hold and occupy the said premises; and

Whereas, The Thirteenth avenue runs through said premises, and has been made and filled in under the direction of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty, by said grantees and their successors in interest under said grant, but has never been opened for public use; and

Whereas, Said grants obligate the grantees therein named to open and pave the streets comprised within the boundaries of the premises conveyed without any expense to the city whenever the same are required by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty to be opened and paved by said owners; and

Whereas, It is for the general interest of the public that said Thirteenth avenue should be opened and paved, and that West Twenty-fifth and West Twenty-sixth streets, between Eleventh avenue and the water front, should be graded and paved without delay; therefore

Resolved, That the owners of the land made out of the waters of the Hudson river, lying to the west of the Eleventh avenue, between West Twenty-fifth street and West Twenty-seventh street, and extending to the water front, be and they hereby are required, under, and in accordance with the terms of the respective grants through which they or their grantees acquired title to said premises from the city, to open Thirteenth avenue to public use, to regulate and grade and pave the same, and also to grade and pave West Twenty-fifth and West Twenty-sixth streets, from Eleventh avenue to the water front, as required in said grants; and that said work be proceeded with immediately upon the completion of the work now under contract, as to laying sewers in said streets and said avenue; and that said work be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 3, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 17, 1882.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen September 26, and approved by the Mayor October 9, 1882, giving permission to Heim Brothers to retain awning, awning-posts, etc., etc., in front of his premises, be amended by striking out the figures "63" before the words North Moore and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "62."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 17, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Charles G. Curtis to place a canvas sign across the sidewalk, from the house front No. 749 Sixth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 3, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 17, 1882, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles F. Wellstead to retain awning in front of Nos. 38 and 40 Madison street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 3, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 17, 1882, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the ordinance hereto and on the 12th day of September passed by this Board, giving to Edward P. Beach the permission to erect two bay-windows on the building covering lots Nos. 119, 121, 123 and 125 Madison avenue, be and the same hereby is amended as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward P. Beach and others, on behalf of the corporation, No. 121 Madison avenue, to erect two bay-windows and one oriel window, in accordance with the diagram accompanying said ordinance, on the building to be erected by it on lots Nos. 119, 121, 123 and 125 Madison avenue, the work to be done at his own expense.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 16, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 3, 1882, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thos. Kirkpatrick to place a bay or show window on his premises, situated corner Broadway and Nineteenth street, in accordance with diagram hereto attached, said window to be on the Nineteenth street side of his building; the same to be done under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department, and to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 16, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 3, 1882, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Fred. Bach to retain and keep a small frame in front of his place of business, near the curb, No. 507 Eighth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 16, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 3, 1882, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George White to flag the sidewalk and set the curb and gutter stones in front of his premises, situated on the easterly side of Madison avenue, commencing one hundred feet northerly from East One Hundred and Seventy-third street and extending southerly twenty-five feet, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 18, 1882.

That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Schoen to place and erect a door at the Thirtieth street entrance to the building corner of Thirtieth street and Third avenue; the same to remain during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Knickerbocker Gas-light Company to erect and keep a storm-door within the stoop-line in front of their premises, No. 2008 Third avenue; the same to remain during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. C. F. Koch to erect and keep two storm-doors, one in front of the entrance to his store at No. 319 Sixth avenue, and one in front of the side entrance on Twentieth street, about 100 feet west of Sixth avenue, both to be constructed within the stoop-line, and to remain during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the New York and Harlem Railroad to keep and retain the flagman's box at the northeast corner of Centre and Grand streets, said box to be placed against the west end of the south wall of Centre Market Building, the work done at their own expense, under the direction of Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Smith to erect a storm-door within the stoop-line in front of his premises, No. 501 West Fiftieth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Gilhooley to erect and maintain a storm-door in front of No. 1 Barclay street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph A. Bluxome to erect a storm-door at Nos. 339 and 341 Sixth avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of Louis Kneisl, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Louis Kneisl.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That the resolution approved October 5, 1882, reappointing Henry E. Zittel a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That Henry E. Zittel be and is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Henry Zittel, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of Charles S. Simms, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Charles E. Simms.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of Daniel De Venny, who was recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected so as to read David De Venny.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That John F. Carroll be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John F. Carroll, whose term of office expired October 13, 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of those whose names appear opposite, whose terms of office have expired:

Michael W. Bowen, in place of	George N. Veritzan.
Michael J. Costello, " "	James Woods.
Warren S. Wilkey, " "	Warren S. Wilkey.
Stephen Whitehorne, " "	Aaron Bennett.
Simon Steingut, " "	M. H. Coyle.
Charles Dexheimer, " "	Samuel J. Cohen.
John Fennel, " "	Hartwig A. Cohen.
Robert Curren, " "	John F. Gray.
John C. Rhodes, " "	John C. Rhodes.
Robert H. Shannon, " "	Francis A. Hall.
William H. Gouldsbury, " "	Mansfield L. Hilbourns.
James Muldowney, " "	Charles P. Kearney.
Oscar J. Hochstadter, " "	Joseph A. Levy.
James B. Kewan, " "	James B. Kewan.
Andrew Maurer, " "	Willis P. Miner.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of John Alpennte, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read John H. Alpuente.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That the resolution recently passed appointing Edwin C. Donnell Commissioner of Deeds, in place of "Geo. W. Leimon," be corrected so as to read "in place of Geo. W. Seimon."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk of the Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 12, 1882.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending October 7, 1882:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents.....	\$20,167 81
For penalties on Croton water rents.....	389 10
For tapping Croton pipes.....	190 50
For sewer permits.....	667 80
For vault permits.....	1,306 47
For restoring and repaving—"Special Fund".....	918 00
Total.....	\$23,639 68

Public Lamps.

- 3 new lamps lighted.
- 1 lamp discontinued.
- 1 lamp-post removed.
- 17 lamp-posts straightened.
- 3 columns refitted.
- 2 columns released.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending October 7, 1882, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Gas, per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	Observed.	Corrected.
Oct. 2	5 P.M.	75	30.19	Manhattan	Empire 5 ft.	.88	5.00	118.8	17.96	17.78	
" 3	1.10 P.M.	74	30.30	"	"	.89	5.00	114.0	19.02	18.07	
" 4	8.20 A.M.	68	30.28	"	"	.87	5.00	114.0	18.88	17.94	
" 5	3 P.M.	72	30.28	"	"	.87	5.00	120.0	18.23	18.23	
" 6	5 P.M.	75	30.35	"	"	.88	5.00	120.0	18.16	18.16	
" 7	1 P.M.	73	30.17	"	"	.88	5.00	123.0	17.46	17.90	
Average.										18.01	
Oct. 2	6 P.M.	75	30.20	Harlem	"	.91	5.00	126.0	17.42	18.29	
" 3	12.30 P.M.	74	30.33	"	"	.91	5.00	120.6	17.03	17.12	
" 4	9 A.M.	68	30.30	"	"	.91	5.00	120.0	17.28	17.28	
" 5	6 P.M.	72	30.33	"	"	.91	5.00	123.0	17.02	17.44	
" 6	6.30 P.M.	74	30.37	"	"	.95	5.00	117.0	19.18	18.70	
" 7	11 A.M.	73	30.28	"	"	.92	5.00	121.8	18.04	18.31	
Average.										17.85	
Oct. 2	3.30 P.M.	73	30.19	New York	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.83	5.00	114.0	27.80	26.41	
" 3	1.40 P.M.	70	30.30	"	"	.81	5.00	114.0	26.20	24.90	
" 4	7.50 A.M.	68	30.28	"	"	.83	5.00	120.0	24.36	24.36	
" 5	5 P.M.	74	30.28	"	"	.81	5.00	117.6	25.80	25.28	
" 6	3 P.M.	74	30.35	"	"	.82	5.00	115.2	24.38	23.40	
" 7	2 P.M.	73	30.17	"	"	.82	5.00	118.2	24.80	24.43	
Average.										24.79	
Oct. 2	4 P.M.	75	30.19	N. Y. Mutual	"	.88	5.00	115.8	28.02	27.04	
" 3	2.40 P.M.	71	30.30	"	"	.87	5.00	114.0	27.49	26.12	
" 4	6.50 A.M.	67	30.28	"	"	.88	5.00	115.8	27.30	26.35	
" 5	3.30 P.M.	73	30.28	"	"	.88	5.00	121.2	25.06	25.31	
" 6	4 P.M.	75	30.35	"	"	.88	5.00	117.0	27.30	26.62	
" 7	4 P.M.	74	30.17	"	"	.88	5.00	120.0	26.14	26.14	
Average.										26.26	
Oct. 2	3 P.M.	73	30.19	Municipal	"	.79	5.00	120.0	28.07	28.07	
" 3	2.10 P.M.	70	30.30	"	"	.77	5.00	115.2	28.59	27.44	
" 4	7.20 A.M.	67	30.28	"	"	.79	5.00	126.0	27.36	28.72	
" 5	4 P.M.	74	30.28	"	"	.81	5.00	123.0	28.22	28.92	
" 6	3.30 P.M.	74	30.35	"	"	.82	5.00	120.0	29.05	29.05	
" 7	5 P.M.	75	30.17	"	"	.81	5.00	121.2	28.52	28.80	
Average.										28.50	
Oct. 2	6.30 P.M.	76	30.20	Metropolitan	No. 6	.67	5.00	121.2	22.34	22.56	
" 3	12 M.	73	30.33	"	"	.69	5.00	120.0	22.59	22.59	
" 4	9.30 A.M.	68	30.30	"	"	.69	5.00	117.9	23.00	22.58	
" 5	6.30 P.M.	73	30.33	"	"	.69	5.00	121.2	21.96	22.18	
" 6	6 P.M.	73	30.37	"	"	.70	5.00	125.4	21.16	22.11	
" 7	11.30 A.M.	74	30.28	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	22.34	22.34	
Average.										22.39	

E. G. LOVE, PH. D., Gas Examiner.

Permits Issued.

- 56 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 79 permits to open streets.
- 27 permits to make sewer connections.
- 25 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 4 permits to construct street vaults.
- 173 permits to place building material on streets.

Obstructions Removed.

- Dry goods, from 29, 31, 37, 45, 55, and 57 Catharine street.
- Boxes, from southeast corner West Broadway and Reade street.
- Boxes, from Hudson and Duane streets.
- Sign, from 178 Broadway.
- Stand, from Park place and Church street.
- Furniture, from 237 Bleecker street.
- Cart, from Coenties slip.
- Stand, from southwest corner Macdougall and Bleecker streets.
- Stand, from northwest corner Second avenue and Seventy-fourth street.
- Sign, from 152 East Forty-seventh street.

Repairs to Pavements.

- In Cherry street, from Jackson to Scammel street.
- In Henry street, from Montgomery to Pike street.
- In Monroe street, from Market to Pike street.
- In Jackson street, from Madison to Monroe street.
- In Delancey street, from Essex to Ridge street.
- In South and Clinton streets.
- In Norfolk street, between Hester and Broome streets.
- In Avenue A, between and Eighteenth Nineteenth streets.
- In Ninth street, between Avenue B and Avenue C.
- In Nineteenth street, between Second and Third avenues.
- In Allen street, between Grand and Hester streets.
- In Goerck street, between Broome and Grand streets.
- In Eleventh street, between Avenue B and Avenue C.
- In Twelfth street, between Avenue C and Avenue D.
- In Leroy street, between Bedford and Hudson streets.
- In Franklin street, at West Broadway.
- In Eleventh street, between Broadway and University place.
- In Washington street, between West Eleventh and Bank streets.
- In Fifth avenue, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets.
- In Third avenue, between One Hundred and Second and One Hundred and Fifth streets.
- In Reade street, between Church street and West Broadway.
- In Prince street, between Greene and Wooster streets.
- In Mulberry street, between Hester and Canal streets.
- In Gansevoort street, between West and Washington streets.
- In Twelfth street, between Broadway and University place.
- In Eleventh street and Broadway.
- In Eleventh avenue, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets.
- In Twenty-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
- In Thirty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- In Forty-seventh street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
- In Fifth avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets.
- In Thirty-eighth street, between Eleventh avenue and North river.
- In Forty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- In Fifty-fourth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.
- In Seventy-first street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
- In Fifty-sixth street, between Avenue A and First avenue.
- In Sixty-third street, between First and Second avenues.
- In Sixty-second street, between Park and Madison avenues.
- In Sixty-fourth street, between Park and Madison avenues.
- In Sixty-fourth street, between Third and Lexington avenues.
- In Sixty-seventh street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 49 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 600 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 54 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
- 20 lineal feet of culvert rebuilt.
- 12 lineal feet of spur pipe laid.
- 25 lineal feet of curb reset.
- 3 receiving-basins repaired.
- 21 manholes repaired.
- 9 new manhole-heads put on.
- 1 new manhole cover put on.
- 15 manhole-heads reset.
- 386 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
- 148 square yards of pavement relaid.
- 80 square feet of flagging relaid.
- 123 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Assessment List for Completed Improvements transmitted to the Board of Assessors.

Paving One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Pleasant avenue to First avenue.	\$3,882 91
Sewer in Riverside avenue, between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, etc.	35,961 30
Regulating and grading, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from Manhattan street to Boulevard.	19,211 69
Sewer in One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Eighth and New avenues, and between Eighth and Ninth avenues.	1,609 07
Sewer in One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, etc.	12,889 04

Contracts Entered Into.

NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	SURETIES.
Paving Lexington avenue, from Ninety-third to Ninety-fourth street.	P. H. Fitzgerald, 534 W. 35th st.	Chas. Guidet, 237 Broadway. John White, 536 W. 40th st.
Paving Eighty-seventh street, from First to Second avenue.	P. H. Fitzgerald, 534 W. 35th st.	C. Guidet, 237 B'way. John White, 536 W. 40th st.
Paving One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.	P. H. Fitzgerald, 534 W. 35th st.	Chas. Guidet, 237 Broadway. John White, 536 W. 40th st.
Paving One Hundred and Seventh street, from First to Third avenue.	T. Gearty, 415 E. 83d st.	E. Reilly, 858 Third ave. T. Regan, 1402 Second ave.
Regulating and grading, etc., One Hundred and First street, from Third to Fourth avenue.	John Kinsley, Putnam House.	John J. Bradley, 41 E. 68th st. John Kennedy, 108 E. 59th st.
Paving One Hundred and Sixth street, from Third to Lexington avenue.	D. McGrath, 35 E. 104th st.	Jas. Slattery, 218 W. 57th st. John H. Brosnecker, 42d st. & 11th av.
Paving One Hundred and Fifth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.	D. McGrath, 35 E. 104th st.	Jas. Slattery, 218 W. 57th st. John H. Brosnecker, 42d st. & 11th av.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending October 7, 1882.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.	15	209	13	4
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street.	2	16
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.	9	61	..	8
Repairing pavements.	147	326	..	90
Repairing and cleaning sewers.	3	31	..	15
Maintenance and construction of boulevards and aves.	2	39	7	2
Repairing streets.	..	14	6	1
Total.	178	696	26	120
Increase over previous week.	..	2
Decrease from previous week.

Appointments.

Peter Nee, Inspector on Sewers.
Peter Duffy, " "

Resigned.

William B. Chambers, Clerk.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week, is \$78,107.15.

FRED. H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

BROOKLYN, October 12, 1882.

At a regular meeting of the Trustees of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, held on Monday, October 9, 1882.

Present—Hon. Seth Low, Mayor, and Hon. Ludwig Semler, Comptroller of Brooklyn; Hon. Allan Campbell, Comptroller of New York; and Messrs. John T. Agnew, John G. Davis, James S. T. Stranahan, William Marshall, Henry W. Slocum, Alfred C. Barnes, Charles Macdonald, Alden S. Swan, Jenkins Van Schaick, J. Adriance Bush, and Henry C. Murphy, President.

The following resolution, passed by the Executive Committee this day, was unanimously approved and adopted by the Board:

“Resolved, That the Trustees of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge require, and do hereby call upon the cities of New York and Brooklyn, respectively, to pay them, the said trustees, the following sums of money, that is to say: The City of New York the sum of three hundred thousand dollars, and the City of Brooklyn the sum of six hundred thousand dollars for the purposes specified and mentioned in section 1 of chapter 368 of the Laws of 1882, and that request is hereby made to the Mayors and Comptrollers of said cities, accordingly.”

A true abstract from the minutes.

O. P. QUINTARD, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

THOS. B. ASTEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks held October 11, 1882.

Present—The full Board, and the Comptroller of the city.

The Board proceeded to open the estimates advertised for, to be opened this day at 12 o'clock M., as follows:

Two estimates were received for dredging at the foot of Twenty-fifth street, East river, to wit: No. 1. From Union Dredging Co., with \$56 in money; 27 cents per cubic yard.

No. 2. From Morris & Cumings Dredging Co., with \$50 in money; 28 cents per cubic yard.

On motion, the bids were laid over for examination, and the Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller the security deposits made by the bidders and accompanying their estimates.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN. T. CUMING, Secretary.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks held October 11, 1882.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meetings held September 29th ultimo, and October 2d, 3d, and 4th instant, were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:

From G. B. Lawton and others—Requesting the Department to remove the incumbrances from the piers and bulkheads between Gansevoort street and Little West Twelfth street, so that the same can be used by vessels in the country and river trade to load and discharge their cargoes. Referred to the Corporation Wharfinger to report on incumbrances, etc.

From White Star Line—Requesting permission to erect elevator and hanging platform on Pier, new 45, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From John Kelly—In reference to conditions of contract for building bulkhead, between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to report thereon, and Secretary directed to advise that the matter is before the Board, and when reported on by the Engineer-in-Chief will be acted upon.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Report on Secretary's Order No. —, in reference to premises, Forty-sixth street, East river. Referred to the President.

2d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2708, as to the amount of dredging required at the Pier at Twenty-first street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report as to amount of dredging required to give twenty feet of water between the Pier at Twenty-first street, and one hundred feet south of Pier, new 54, North river.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From Department of Street Cleaning:

Requesting that eight pieces of old timber be furnished to repair the bulkhead at Thirty-eighth street dump. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to furnish the timber required, and deliver the same on application to the Department of Street Cleaning, and Secretary to advise of the action of the Board.

From Mayor Grace:

1st. Transmitting resolution, No. 1443, adopted by the Board of Aldermen, providing for opening, grading and paving Thirteenth avenue, and West Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets, from Eleventh avenue to the water-front, for examination and report. Secretary directed to reply thereto, advising that the Board are unanimously in favor of the measure, as the commercial interests of the city require that adequate street approaches, properly paved, be provided to afford access to the wharf property in that vicinity.

2d. In reference to the payment of laborers in the employment of the Department, and stating that a committee had waited upon him in respect thereto. The Secretary stating that by direction of the Commissioners he had replied thereto, reciting the facts in regard to the time of sending the laborers' pay-rolls to the Comptroller, and that there did not exist any reasonable cause for complaint on the part of the employees of this Department, his action was approved.

From Department of Public Works:

1st. In reference to the closing of the sewer outlet at the foot of Forty-eighth street, East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report thereon, and to remove any existing obstructions placed there by this Department.

2d. Reporting the removal of the bath from the foot of Nineteenth street, East river, to winter quarters. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to take charge of any Department property in use by the bath.

From Department of Street Cleaning:

1st. In reference to cleaning the Piers at foot of Forty-seventh and Fifty-seventh streets, North river.

2d. In reference to cleaning the Piers at foot of Fifty-fourth and Seventy-ninth streets, East river.

From Department of Public Charities and Corrections—Requesting the Department to build an extension to the Store House Dock at Blackwell's Island. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to prepare plans and specifications for a dock forty feet by fifty feet, to be erected north of the present structure.

From George W. Quintard—Application for lease of Pier foot of Twenty-seventh street, North river, when constructed. Secretary directed to acknowledge receipt of communication and to advise that the Board, at the present time, cannot entertain the proposition made by Mr. Quintard for the lease of the pier.

From C. H. Delamater & Co.—Requesting permission to use the derrick "City of New York" while their derrick is being repaired. The Secretary stating that by direction of the Commissioners a permit had been granted for the use of the derrick by Delamater & Co., they agreeing to pay for its use the rate provided for and in accordance with their schedule charges for similar services, the action of the Commissioners was approved.

From G. B. Lawton—In reference to repairing the bulkhead between Bank and Bethune streets, North river.

From Decker & Rapp—In reference to the bulkhead south of Bethune street, North river. Secretary directed to send copy of letter to the Corporation Wharfinger, for his report in writing in respect thereto.

From Charles Guidet—Accepting contract for paving between Piers, new 34 and new 38, North river.

From John F. Doyle—In reference to repairs required to the bulkhead between Piers 14 and 15, East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report as to repairs necessary, and Secretary to advise Mr. Doyle of the action taken.

From James Brand—Requesting the Department to make a test of two barrels of cement. Secretary directed to transmit in reply thereto a copy of the resolution adopted as to tests of cement.

From Albany Brewing Co.—In reference to making grade of rail-tracks conform to the grade of the new pavement.

From Robert Gordon—Requesting permission to repair the bulkhead north of Forty-sixth street, North river. Secretary stating that by direction of the Commissioners he had granted a permit for the repairs to be made, under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, his action was approved.

From T. W. Wightman—Requesting an extension of time to retain old tally-house on Pier 41, East river, until new one can be built. The action of Commissioner Vanderpoel, in granting further time, was approved.

From Peter Hymer—Application for position as Inspector on construction of piers.

From W. H. Harrison—Requesting permission to repair the bulkhead north of Twenty-eighth street, East river. The Secretary stating that by direction of Commissioner Vanderpoel he had granted a permit to make the necessary repairs, under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief; his action was approved.

From John Dunn—Reporting as to use of platforms on the various piers on the water-front. Secretary directed to notify the Corporation Wharfingers, and have them report in writing in respect thereto.

From William H. Gautier & Co.—Requesting permission to retain dumping-board on the bulkhead west of Pier 53, East river. Application denied, the permit heretofore granted revoked, and the structure to be removed.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting amount of work done during the week ending September 30 ultimo.

2d. Reporting in reference to the grade of the new pavement in West street. Secretary directed to request the Department of Public Works to make the grade of the pavement on the westerly side of West street, when repaired or relaid, to conform to the grade of the pavement laid by this Department on the newly-made land adjoining and westerly of said street.

3d. Reporting that Pier 53, East river, required to be repaired. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair the same.

4th. Reporting as to repairs required to Pier, old 33, North river. Secretary directed to notify the owners and lessees of said pier respectively, to repair the same within ten days, under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, or this Department will do the work and charge the cost thereof to them.

5th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2691, as to dumping of the material from scows in tow of the tug "Cyclops."

6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2710, that the Union Dredging Co. had been notified to proceed with the work of dredging at site of Pier, new 27, North river.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2681, as to repairs required to the dumping-board at Seventy-third street, East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to have the same repaired at a cost of about \$375.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2686, that the repairs to the Pier at Sixteenth street, North river, had been superintended by him.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2572, that he had superintended repairs made to Pier, new 46, North river.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2692, that the sunken scows at the foot of Thirtieth street, North river, had been removed.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2683, that the Store House Dock on Blackwell's Island had been repaired as ordered by the Board.

From John Butler, Corporation Wharfinger—Reporting that the gang plank for fire engines at One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Harlem river, had been thrown overboard, and was now afloat at One Hundred and Sixteenth street dock. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to have the same replaced at the One Hundred and Seventeenth street dock.

From James Fitzpatrick, Corporation Wharfinger:

1st. Reporting that the bulkhead north of the Pier at West Eleventh street, North river, was in a dangerous condition. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report thereon.

2d. Reporting that the bulkhead north of Fourteenth street, North river, needed repairs. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report thereon.

3d. Reporting that a large block of brown stone had fallen through the deck of the Pier at Fifty-seventh street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report thereon.

4th. Reporting that the bulkhead north of Jane street, North river, was in a dangerous condition and needed repairs. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report thereon.

5th. Reporting as to incumbrances on the bulkhead north of Jane street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report thereon.

6th. Reporting as to incumbrances on the Pier at Thirty-eighth street, North river.

A communication from William L. McConkey, Corporation Wharfinger, reporting that Pier 54, East river, was in a dangerous condition, and needed repairs, was received, read, and, together with the report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 2727, as to the repairs required thereto, was ordered on file, and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair the westerly half of the said pier, and the Secretary directed to notify the owner of the easterly half to repair the same within twenty-four hours after notice, under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, or this Department would do the work at his cost or expense.

A communication from Simon Stevens, attorney for the owners of the bulkhead opposite to and in front of Nos. 43, 44, 45, and 47 South street, New York, proposing to sell the same to the city, together with their interest in Piers 12 and 13, East river, for the sum of \$95,500, was received, read, and placed on file, and the following resolution, offered by Commissioner Voorhis, in relation thereto, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the communication from Simon Stevens, Esq., be placed on file, and that the President of this Board be authorized to reply thereto that the proposition therein contained, to wit: that the owners of the ninety-five feet six inches of the bulkhead in front of and opposite to their stores, known as Nos. 43, 44, 45 and 47 South street, in the City of New York, together with the riparian rights, titles, easements and privileges incident thereto, and also including their interests in Piers Nos. 12 and 13, East river, will sell and convey the same to the Corporation of the City of New York for the sum of \$95,500, is accepted by the Department of Docks subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund as provided in subdivision 4, of section 6, chapter 574, Laws of 1871, and upon the condition that the owners of the bulkhead property adjoining and situated in front of and opposite to Nos. 40, 41, 42, 46, 48 and 49 South street, and of the private street known as Gouverneur lane, being in amount about one hundred and sixty-one feet ten inches in front, agree and consent to sell and convey to the Corporation of the City of New York the same on precisely similar terms, proportionate to the amount so conveyed, together with all right and interest of the said owners in and to Piers Nos. 12 and 13, East river.

A communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, in reference to the application made by Mahony Brothers for a writ of peremptory mandamus to compel the Board to make a requisition in their favor for the sum of \$4,700, for amount of penalties incurred for delay in completing their contract for building Pier at North Brother Island, which penalties were remitted by the Comptroller, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the Secretary directed to have the same recorded. The following preamble and resolution in respect to the matter, offered by Commissioner Voorhis, was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, By virtue of the powers vested in the Finance Department by section 31, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Comptroller has decided, as appears by his communication dated 6th ultimo, to remit the penalty imposed by this Department against Mahony Brothers for non-completion of work within the time agreed upon under their contract for building a wooden pier at North Brother Island, East river, dated January 23, 1882, and deducted in the sum of \$4,700 from Audited Claim No. 7446, on June 28, 1882; and

Whereas, This Board is advised by the Counsel to the Corporation with reference to the claim of Messrs. Mahony Brothers against the Department of Docks that, "under these circumstances, as the Comptroller has already determined the question presented to him in favor of the contractors, it does not seem to me to be advisable to further contest their claim;" therefore, be it

Resolved, That under and by virtue of the advice of the Counsel to the Corporation, the claim of Messrs. Mahony Brothers, for balance alleged to be due from the Department of Docks, for and on account of a contract for certain work at North Brother Island, amounting to \$4,700, be and hereby is audited, and a warrant is hereby authorized and directed to be drawn upon the Comptroller in favor of Mahony Brothers for said amount under said audited claim, consequent upon the penalty being remitted as aforesaid; and that the Bookkeeper charge the amount to the said contract, so that the accounts of the Department shall exhibit Estimate No. 2 (final) under said contract as settled and paid in full in the sum of \$11,151.66.

A communication from the Engineer-in-Chief, reporting as to water grants, etc., affecting premises occupied by the Screw Dock Company on the East river, between Piers 39 and 40, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the following resolution, offered by the President, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and hereby is requested to give his opinion to this Board respecting the right of this Department to take possession of, and receive and collect the revenue or income from wharfage, etc., accruing thereat, of the premises known and described as follows: The bulkhead on the East river water-front, between Piers 39 and 40, East river, and the pier known as No. 39, East river, with the bulkhead westerly thereof; the said premises being now in the possession of and used by the New York Screw Dock Company, and this Board being of the opinion that the title to the said premises is vested in and properly belongs to the Corporation of the City of New York.

Reports from the Engineer-in-Chief, on Secretary's Orders Nos. 2704 and 2705, submitting specifications and form of contract for dredging the slips at the foot of Twenty-fourth street, East river, and for dredging at the dumping boards at Pier 61, East river, and at Seventeenth and Twenty-second streets, East river, and Forty-seventh street, North river, and estimating the cost thereof as follows:

At Twenty-fourth street, East river, 42,000 cubic yards.....	\$13,440 00
At Pier 61, Seventeenth and Twenty-second streets, East river, and Forty-second street,	
North river, 17,750 cubic yards.....	5,325 00

—were received, read, and,

On motion, the reports were placed on file, and the following resolution in relation thereto unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the specifications and form of contract as prepared by the Engineer-in-Chief, for dredging the slips at foot of Twenty-fourth street, Seventeenth and Twenty-second streets, East river, at Pier 61, East river, and at West Forty-seventh street, North river, be and is hereby approved and adopted, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to form, and that the Secretary be and is hereby directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed, and proper advertisements inviting bids for doing the said work inserted in the papers designated by law.

A report from the Engineer-in-Chief, on Secretary's Order No. 2421, submitting specifications and form of contract for repairing the Pier at Fifth street, East river, and estimating the cost thereof at the sum of \$18,700, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the following resolution unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the specifications and form of contract, as prepared by the Engineer-in-Chief, for repairing the Pier at Fifth street, East river, be and hereby is approved and adopted, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to form, and that the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed, and proper advertisements inviting bids for doing the said work inserted in the papers designated by law.

Commissioner Vanderpoel, the Treasurer of the Board, presented the monthly statement or balance sheet for the month of September, 1882, which was received and read, and the Secretary directed to transmit the same to the Comptroller.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to notify Messrs. Dugliss and Peterson, the lessees of the premises south of Seventy-fourth street, East river, to remove the bulkhead and platform and replace it within the established bulkhead line.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to prepare specifications for dredging the slip between Piers 15 and 16, East river, to a depth of twenty-five feet at mean low water, the lessees of said premises—the Union Ferry Co.—having failed to dredge the same, as directed by the Board.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of twenty-three bills or claims, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$20,478.66; which was,

On motion, accepted and adopted, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full in the minutes, as follows:

Audit No.	Bills or Claims.	Amount.
7636.	Union Dredging Co., Estimate No. 20, under agreement, dredging on North river.	\$5,865 90
7637.	John Gillies, Estimate No. 3, under contract, Pier Forty-sixth street, North river.	6,341 25
7638.	John A. Bouker, cobbles, etc.	3,269 78
7639.	O. F. Alsen & Co., A. C. Babson, Agt., Portland cement.	2,691 90
7640.	The Communipau Coal Co., coal.	400 50
7641.	Thos. C. Townsend, repairs, etc.	137 88
7642.	John Crouch & Co., pine and oak.	132 87
7643.	A. R. Whitney & Co., iron.	122 00
7644.	Josiah Macy's Sons, lard, oil, etc.	89 05
7645.	Bell Bros., white oak.	60 52
7646.	Patterson Bros., saw files, etc.	48 40
7647.	Hodgman & Co., rubber boots.	36 00
7648.	Decker & Rapp, yellow pine.	32 00
7649.	The Seibert Cylinder Oil Cup Co., F. S. Lynch, Agent, cylinder oil cup.	25 00
7650.	Borne, Scrymser & Co., bright-light oil.	13 13
7651.	The John A. Roebbing's Sons Co., wire rope.	11 23
7652.	Keuffel & Esser, stationery, etc.	4 84
On Construction Account.		\$19,282 25
7653.	Stephen A. Jenks & Co., repairing bulkhead west of Pier 37, East river.	\$850 00
7654.	Drew & Bucki, Ga. yellow pine.	79 65
7655.	Thomas J. Crombie, N. C. yellow pine plank.	57 90
On General Repairs Account.		\$987 55
7656.	A. S. Barnes & Co., stationery, etc.	\$145 96
7657.	W. & J. Sloane, cocoa mats.	40 50
7658.	Thomas C. Townsend, repairs, etc.	22 40
On Annual Expense Account.		\$208 86

RECAPITULATION.

17.	Bills or Claims on Construction Account.	\$19,282 25
3.	" " General Repairs Account.	987 55
3.	" " Annual Expense Account.	208 86
23.	" " Amounting to.	\$20,478 66

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) JACOB VANDERPOEL, Auditing Committee.
NEW YORK, October 11, 1882.

Commissioner Vanderpoel, the Treasurer of the Board, presented his report of receipts for the two weeks ending October 11 instant, which was received, read, and,
On motion, placed on file, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1882.					1882.
Oct. 2	Twenty-third Street Railway Co.	P. N., at 23d st., N. R.	\$100 00		
" 2	Funch, Edye & Co.	New 54, N. R.	5,000 00		
" 2	Glen Cove Manufacturing.	Piers 49 and 50, E. R.	250 00		
" 2	Wharfinger Geo. W. Wanmaker.	Wharfage received.	625 79		
" 2	" James Fitzpatrick.	"	362 50		
" 2	" Wm. L. McConkey.	"	98 55		
" 2	" John Butler.	"	255 16		
" 3	Isaac Hall.	Private Bath at Battery.	1,000 00		
" 3	Alexander & Green.	Tracing, etc., 42d & 43d st., N. R.	5 00		
" 6	George V. Hecker & Co.	P. E. S. Pier 43, E. R.	\$12 50	\$7,697 00	Oct. 5
" 9	Wharfinger Geo. W. Wanmaker.	Wharfage received.	102 18		
" 9	" James Fitzpatrick.	"	361 39		
" 9	" Wm. L. McConkey.	"	49 00		
" 9	" John Butler.	"	178 52		
" 10	Greenpoint Ferry Co.	B. N. 24th st., E. R.	1,000 00	1,704 55	" 11
				\$9,401 55	

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) JACOB VANDERPOEL, Treasurer.

The following requisitions were read, and,
On motion, approved.

Requisition 161, for labor, material to remove stove, etc.	Estimated cost
Register No. 3831, for use of floating property.	\$100 00
" 3832, for repairs to chairs, etc., Twenty-fourth street office.	"
" 3833, for stationery Engineer-in-Chief's office.	38 50
" 3834, for thermometer.	3 50
" 3835, for repairs to pile-driver No. 11.	18 00
" 3836, for 2 self-feeding lubricators.	50 00
" 3837, for 3 London linen tapes.	16 80
" 3838, for repairs to theodolite.	5 00
" 3839, for 3 "Trenton" bench vises.	23 00
" 3840, for 200 lbs. zinc (spelter), tug "Manhattan".	13 00
" 3841, for repairs to Croton-water pipe, Gansevoort street.	15 00
" 3842, for copies of surveys and water grants from Fulton to Chambers streets.	150 00
" 3843, for 250 piles, from 80 to 85 feet long.	4,250 00
" 3844, for 250 piles, from 80 to 85 feet long.	4,250 00
" 3845, for labor, etc., to repair boiler tug "Manhattan".	35 00
" 3846, for one 2½-inch expansion joint, pile-driver No. 11.	14 00
" 3847, for 6 bbls. Wilmington tar.	18 00
" 3848, for 12 fourteen-foot ash oars.	15 12

On motion, Michael Rafferty was appointed as a watchman in place of Peter McDermott; Daniel Brodie was appointed as a watchman in place of David Tucker, and Peter Canty was appointed as a laborer.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE NEW YORK AND
BROOKLYN BRIDGE,
OFFICE, No. 21 WATER STREET,
BROOKLYN, October 17, 1882.

To Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE,
Mayor of the City of New York; and
Hon. SETH LOW,
Mayor of the City of Brooklyn:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to inform you that the work done on the Bridge during the last week consists of the following pieces, viz.:

223 promenade floor-beams erected, and 74 put in place for erection; 122 intermediate promenade floor-beams erected, and 227 put in place for erection; 125 braces at bottom of posts, and 120 braces under promenade floor-beams erected; 105 truss diagonals and 35 posts have been erected; 22 posts and 16 top chords have been put in place for erection; 16 over-floor stays have been connected at top of the tower; 30 bridging trusses and 2 under-floor diagonals have been erected.

Much work has been done in adjusting the bridge floor-beams to the proper grade. The paving on the New York approach has been carried over on one side of the Franklin Square bridge, and about one-half of the whole of the paving on that approach has been done. The work on the foundations of the station buildings, on both the New York and Brooklyn approaches, has been going on satisfactorily.

There has been received from Edge Moor during the week 252,965 lbs. of steel.

I am, most respectfully, yours,

HENRY C. MURPHY.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,
NEW YORK, October 21, 1882.

Number of Licenses issued and amount received therefor, for the week ending October 20, 1882:

DATE.	LICENSES.	AMOUNT.
Oct. 14, "	21	\$22 50
" 16, "	145	284 25
" 17, "	143	293 50
" 18, "	265	372 00
" 19, "	253	338 75
" 20, "	283	350 00
Total	1,110	\$1,661 00

GEO. A. McDERMOTT,
Mayor's Marshal.

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; together with the heads of Departments and Courts

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; WILLIAM M. IVINS, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.

Permit Bureau Office.

No. 1½ City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
HENRY WOLTMAN, Register.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYELERS, Sealer First District; CHRISTOPHER BARRY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARROW.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM SAUER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOS. J. O'CONNELL, Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ISAAC NEWTON, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KERSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. DEVOE, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staatz Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation;
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.
Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 9 P. M.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street and No. 120 Broadway.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN McCABE, Chief of Battalion-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

99th street, between 9th and 10th avenues (temporary).
JAMES SHEA, Superintendent of Horses.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM LAIMBEER, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; J. C. REED, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes
No.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

51 Chambers street, Rooms 10, 11 and 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

ing the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

No estimate 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 estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, 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 work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
JOHN R. VOORHIS,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, April 22, 1882.

RULES AND REGULATIONS ESTABLISHED for the government and proper care of piers, bulkheads, slips, and other wharf property, under the provisions of subdivision 7 of section 6 of chapter 574 of the Laws of 1871, by the Board of the Department of Docks, and published, to take effect on and after

MAY 1, 1882.

The said subdivision 7, among other things, provides as follows:

"The violation of or disobedience to any rule, regulation, or order of said Board shall be a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, on complaint of said Board."

And every person guilty of a violation of or disobedience to any of the following rules or regulations, in addition to the penalties thereby fixed and imposed, to be recovered in civil actions, is liable to be prosecuted for a misdemeanor and to be punished by such fine and imprisonment, or by both.

No. 1.—No piles shall be driven, nor shall any platform be erected, nor shall any filling-in of any kind be made on any part of the water-front of the city, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the Board, under a penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars, for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee, or occupant of any pier or bulkhead, or of any water-front property or right, who shall cause or permit any such work to be done upon his premises before such permit therefor has been obtained, and under the further penalty of fifty dollars for each and every day which shall elapse before any piles so driven, or platform so erected, or material so filled-in, without such permit being first obtained, shall be removed, after the expiration of the time which may be allowed for such removal, by a notice served upon such owner, lessee, or occupant, by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district, to be also recovered from such owner, lessee, or occupant.

No. 2.—No shed, building, office, tally-house, or other structure shall be erected, nor shall any derrick, hoisting-mast, coal-hopper, sign, or advertising device, or other erection or obstruction of any kind be placed or maintained upon any pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, nor upon any reclaimed land, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the Board; and if the owner, lessee, or occupant of any such premises, or the owner, lessee, or agent, of any such structure, erections, or obstructions, shall fail to comply with a notice served by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district to remove any such structure, erection, or obstruction, after the expiration of the time allowed by such notice for the removal, such owner, lessee, occupant or agent, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day, which shall elapse before any such structure, erection or obstruction, shall be removed, after the expiration of the time for the removal thereof specified in said notice.

No. 3.—No cargo shall be discharged from any vessel upon any bulkhead or wharf structure, at which such vessel is being unladen, after service by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district, upon the owner, consignee, master, or other officer, or stevedore, of such vessel, of a notice that such bulkhead or structure will be endangered by the placing of additional cargo thereon, under a penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars for every such offense, and a further penalty equal in amount to the damages of every cargo upon such bulkhead or wharf structure, after the service of the said notice, both of such penalties to be recovered from such owner, consignee, master or other officer or stevedore, severally and respectively.

No. 4.—All goods, merchandise, and materials of every kind, landed or placed on any pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, or upon reclaimed land, must be removed therefrom without unnecessary delay, and within twenty-four hours after the Corporation Wharfinger for the district shall have served upon the owner, shipper or consignee, of such cargo, a notice to remove the same, under a penalty of fifty dollars per day for each and every day, during which the said cargo shall remain upon such pier, bulkhead, structure, or land, after the expiration of the said twenty-four hours, to be recovered from such owner, shipper, or consignee, severally and respectively.

No. 5.—All goods, merchandise and materials of every kind encumbering any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, or reclaimed land, after the time designated for the removal thereof shall have expired, will be liable to be removed by the Board to any warehouse or yard, at the sole risk and expense of the owner of any such property, and all expense incurred for such removal and storage or otherwise, shall be and become a lien thereon, and such goods, merchandise and materials will not be delivered to the owner until the expense of such removal and storage has been paid.

No. 6.—No person shall construct or maintain any engine-house, tally-house, or other small structure, under a permit of the Board, on any unshedded pier, or other wharf structure, unless the same be placed on wheels so as to admit of easy removal thereupon when required, and to prevent the accumulation of dirt or refuse thereunder, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day which may elapse before the discontinuance of such offense.

No. 7.—No vessel of any kind shall be loaded or discharged by horse power, nor shall stones or similar cargo be discharged from any vessel upon any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, unless proper plankings be provided to protect the surface of such pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure from injury consequent upon the travel of the horse, or the throwing of the stones or similar cargo thereupon, under a penalty of five dollars a day for each horse so employed, and of twenty-five dollars for each offense of discharging such stones or like cargo, upon such pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, to be recovered from the owner, consignee, master or stevedore of any such vessel, severally and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered for using horses, or discharging stones or similar cargo, upon wharf property belonging to the Corporation, under lease, it shall be paid to the lessee thereof, but if such penalty be recovered for using horses, or discharging stones or similar cargo, upon wharf property not owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

No. 8.—No sand shall be discharged from any vessel unless canvas or similar material be extended from the

vessel's side to the bulkhead or wharf structure at which such vessel is being unladen, to prevent the falling of the sand into the water, and if the surface of any such wharf structure is not sufficiently tight to prevent the sand dumped thereon from going through into the water, then no sand shall be discharged thereon from any vessel, unless canvas or similar material be first laid thereon to receive the sand, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be recovered from the owner, consignee, master or stevedore of any such vessel, severally and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered on account of sand discharged upon wharf property belonging to the Corporation, under lease, it shall be paid to the lessee thereof, but if such penalty be recovered on account of sand discharged upon wharf property not owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

No. 9.—The owners, lessees and occupants of every pier, wharf and bulkhead in the City of New York shall keep the same in good repair, and the slips adjacent thereto properly dredged; and whenever, in the judgment of the Board, it shall be necessary so to do, written notices, signed by the President or Secretary of said Board, shall be served upon the owners, lessees or occupants, or collector of wharfage of any such pier, wharf or bulkhead, or the slip adjoining the same, on or in which repairs or dredging are required by said Board, specifying the nature and extent of the repairs or dredging so required, and the time within which such repairs must be made, or such dredging done; and in case the owners, lessees or occupants so notified, fail to comply with the terms and requirements of such notice, they shall forfeit and pay a penalty of fifty dollars per day for every day which shall elapse before they comply with such notice.

No. 10.—No ashes, refuse, offal, fruit, vegetables or any other substances, shall be thrown into the waters surrounding or adjacent to any pier or bulkhead, or any other part of the water-front of the city, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee, or occupant, severally and respectively, of any pier, bulkhead, wharf structure, or other property, from which any such substance shall be thrown, or from the person actually throwing the same; or if any such substance be thrown from any vessel lying in waters within the jurisdiction of the Department, whether berthed or not, then such penalty to be recovered from the owner, consignee, or master of such vessel, severally and respectively.

No. 11.—No snow or ice shall be dumped into the waters adjacent to the water-front of the city, except from the piers, bulkheads and other places designated from time to time, by the Board, for such dumping, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee or occupant of any pier, bulkhead or other wharf property, from which any such snow and ice shall be dumped, or from the person actually dumping the same, severally and respectively.

No. 12.—All lumber, brick, or other material in bulk discharged on any bulkhead not shedded, shall be at once removed, or, if not so removed, shall be placed at least twenty feet from the edge of the bulkhead, pending removal, under a penalty of fifty dollars per day, for each and every day such lumber, brick or other material shall remain on the bulkhead, to be recovered from the owner or consignee of such lumber, brick or other material, or from the person placing, or causing the same to be placed, on such bulkhead, severally and respectively.

No. 13.—The charges for wharfage and dockage of all vessels admitted to any of the piers or bulkheads constructed under the new plans adopted by the Department shall be at the same rates as are now, or shall hereafter be fixed and established by laws of this State, until otherwise ordered by the Board.

No. 14.—The term "Board," when used in the foregoing rules and regulations, shall be taken to mean "The Board of the Department of Docks of the City of New York," and the term "Corporation," when so used, shall be taken to mean "The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York."

JOHN R. VOORHIS,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
WM. LAIMBEER,
Commissioners of Docks.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Ninety-first street, from Fourth Avenue to the East River, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House, in the City of New York, on Friday, the third day of November, 1882, at the opening of the Court on the day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, September 27, 1882.
MICHAEL NORTON,
GERSHEN COHEN,
EUGENE H. POMEROY,
Commissioners

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 17, 1882.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THREE (3) Horses will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Tuesday, 31st October, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirtieth street, at their sale, beginning at 10 o'clock, A. M.

By order Board of Commissioners,
F. A. CUSHMAN, Supply Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.
4,000 pounds dairy butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, October 26, 1882.
29,000 eggs, all fresh and to be candled.
1,000 pounds prime kettle-rendered lard, in tubs of 50 pounds.
250 bushels beans.
200 bushels rye.
100 bags coarse meal.
1,000 pounds macaroni.
50,000 " brown sugar.
50 prime city-cured hams, to average not exceeding 14 pounds.
1 case sardines (halves).
5 dozen pints Worcestershire sauce.
12 " extract lemon.
12 " " vanilla.
20 " canned tomatoes (3 lb).
20 " " peaches (3 lb).
DRY GOODS.
1,500 pairs grey blankets.
12 " " white.
1,000 yards linen diaper.
250 dozen men's socks.
3 bolts cotton canvas, \$10.
5 " " " \$4.

HARDWARE, ETC.

1 gross carpenter's pencils.
2 " " spectacles.
5 " " tin dinner plates.

IRON AND TIN.

20 bundles, \$22, com. sheet iron
10 boxes, 10x14, IX tin.

LEATHER.

500 sides waxed kip leather.
500 " sole leather.
1,000 pounds offal leather.

LUMBER.

25,000 feet (B.M.) good shipping box boards, 1-inch, 12 to 16 feet long, and 14 to 16 inches wide, to be planed on one side.
10,000 feet good shipping box boards, 3/4 inch thick, not less than 10 or more than 16 inches wide, and from 12 to 16 feet long.
550 Albany merchantable worked pine boards.
200 pieces, 1 1/2-inch, good spruce plank (rough).
All lumber to be delivered at Store-house Dock, Blackwell's Island.

PAINTS AND OILS.

1,000 pounds best quality Prince's metallic paint.
5 barrels best quality raw linseed oil.
500 pounds red lead, in 25s and 50s.
3 barrels best quality pure spirits turpentine.

CROCKERY.

1 gross dinner plates.
1 " " bed pans.
5 " " saucers.
5 " " bowls.

LIME.

20 barrels W. Wash lime.

POTATOES.

500 barrels good sound Irish potatoes, 168 pounds net per barrel.

BRICK AND CEMENT.

For laundry and kitchen on Hart's Island, and to be delivered there:

75,000 best Haverstraw hard brick.
50 barrels best Thomaston lime.
75 " " fresh Rosendale cement.

—Or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A.M., of Friday, October 27, 1882. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Lumber, etc., etc." and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate 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 a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; 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 bid or estimate must be certified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties 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 bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in 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 making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons 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 completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered, to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same respectively at the office of the said Department.

ment. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the prices for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, October 14, 1882.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
HENRY H. PORTER,
Commissioners of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

ESTIMATES FOR THE FOLLOWING-NAMED Work, viz:

FOR STEAM HEATING WORK IN THE ADDITION TO RETREAT BUILDING ON BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, at the office of said Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A.M., of Friday, the 27th day of October, 1882, at which place and time the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates. The amount of security required is Four thousand (4,000) dollars.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which are annexed to and form part of these proposals, and the plans, which can be seen at the office of said Department.

The work to be completed within 60 working days from the date of the commencement thereof.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified in the contract for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty dollars per day.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract for five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or estimate, or if, after acceptance, he or they should refuse or neglect to execute the contract and give proper security, for five days after notice that the contract is ready for execution, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on, until it be accepted and executed.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate 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.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; 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 bid or estimate must be certified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties 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 bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in 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 making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons 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 completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is 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 will state the price for doing either of the works, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimates, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued in the manner specified in the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, will be furnished at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, October 16, 1882.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,
HENRY H. PORTER,
Commissioners of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction.

JURORS.

NOTICE
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE
COURTS.OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, Sept. 15, 1881.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 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 if 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 absentees, 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 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.

GEORGE CAULFIELD,
Commissioner of Jurors,
Room 17, New County Court-house.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 530 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Tuesday, October 24, 1882, at 2 o'clock P. M.

EDWARD COOPER,
JOHN KELLY,
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,
DANIEL LORD, JR.,
Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN,
Clerk.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAPTER 530 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, vacate, or modify assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, in pursuance of said act and the act amendatory thereof, give notice to all persons affected thereby that the notices required by the said act must be filed with the Comptroller of said city and a duplicate thereof with the Council to the Corporation, as follows:

As to all assessments for local improvements commenced before June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1882. As to all assessments for local improvements completed before June 9, 1880, and since confirmed, on or before November 1, 1882. As to any assessment for local improvements known as Morning-side avenues, within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

The notice must specify the particular assessment complained of, the date of the confirmation of the same, the property affected thereby, and in a brief and concise manner the objections thereto, showing, or tending to show, that the assessment was unfair or unjust in respect to said real estate.

Dated, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, June 6, 1882.

EDWARD COOPER,
JOHN KELLY,
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,
DANIEL LORD, JR.,
Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, October 12, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the buildings, fences, etc., standing within the lines of Boston road and Westchester avenue, from North Third avenue to the Bronx river in the Twenty-third Ward, as opened and widened in accordance with the proceedings as confirmed by the Supreme Court, February 9, 1882, will be sold at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Monday, the 30th day of October, 1882.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock A. M., on the ground in front of premises No. 1 on the catalogue, and situated on the Boston road at One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

For the terms of sale and further particulars, giving dimensions of the buildings and the parts of buildings, etc., to be sold, see catalogues, which may be obtained at the office of the Department of Public Parks, and on the ground on the day of sale.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

E. P. BARKER,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, October 9, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-mentioned property of the Department of Public Parks will be sold at public auction by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Monday, the 23d day of October, 1882:

The two-story and basement brick and frame building standing on Riverside avenue, at One Hundred and Twelfth street.

One hundred and thirty-six large chestnut, oak, maple, elm and beech trees, standing west of the line of Riverside avenue.

Eight ram lambs, dropped March, 1882.

Twenty-one ewe lambs, dropped March, 1876.

The sale will commence at ten o'clock, A. M., at the premises above mentioned, One Hundred and Twelfth street and Riverside avenue, and after the sale of the house and trees, the sheep will be sold at the sheep-fold, Sixty-fifth street and Eighth avenue on the Central Park.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale.

Purchasers will be required to remove their property from Riverside avenue and Park within thirty days after the sale.

The trees to be removed under the direction of the Superintendent of Planting, from whom all information in relation to the same may be obtained.

The sheep to be removed from the Central Park within twenty-four hours after the sale.

The purchaser to be liable for any and all damages to persons, animals, or property, by reason of the removal of said building and trees.

Any further information that may be required will be furnished by the Property Clerk, at the Arsenal, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

E. P. BARKER,
Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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. Planting elm trees on the Boulevard, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

No. 2. Basins on the northwest and southwest corners of Seventy-third street and Eighth avenue.

No. 3. Regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter stones, on Ninety-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 4. Sewer in Fifteenth street, between Irving place and Fourth avenue, from end of present sewer in Fifteenth street.

No. 5. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road.

No. 6. Regulating and paving with macadamized pavement, Fifth avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth street.

No. 7. Sewer in Broadway, east side, between Liberty street and Maiden Lane.

No. 8. Sewers in Tenth avenue, east side, between Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets; in Eighty-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and in Ninth avenue, west side, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-sixth streets.

No. 9. Extension of sewer in Eighty-first street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, from end of present sewer west of Fourth avenue.

No. 10. Filling in and fencing sunken lots on the northeasterly corner of Fulton avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

No. 11. Sewer in Second avenue, west side, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, with branch in Ninety-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 12. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

No. 13. Sewer in Sixty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 14. Sewer in Cherry street, between Jackson and Corlears streets.

No. 15. Regulating and grading, setting curb stones and flagging, Ninety-eighth street, Third to Fourth avenues.

No. 16. Regulating and grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Sixth to Seventh avenues.

No. 17. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Sixth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 18. Paving Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to Boulevard.

No. 19. Flagging south side of Thirty-fourth street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue.

No. 20. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 21. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 22. Sewer in Seventieth street, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue.

No. 23. Sewer in Front street, between Old Slip and Cuyler's alley.

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 Boulevard, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

No. 2. West side of Eighth avenue, from Seventy-second to Seventy-fourth street.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninety-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Fifteenth street, from Irving place to Fourth avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to the Kingsbridge road.

No. 6. Both sides of Fifth avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 7. East side of Broadway, between Liberty street and Maiden Lane.

No. 8. Blocks bounded by Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets, Ninth and Tenth avenues. Also both sides of Eighty-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 9. Both sides Eighty-first street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 10. North side One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, extending 105 feet 2 inches easterly from Fulton avenue.

No. 11. Blocks bounded by Ninety-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, Second and Third avenues.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

No. 13. Both sides of Sixth-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 14. Both sides of Cherry street, between Jackson and Corlears streets.

No. 15. Both sides of Ninety-eighth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 16. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 17. South side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 18. Both sides of Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 19. South side Thirty-fourth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.

No. 20. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 21. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 22. Both sides of Seventieth street, from Boulevard to Ninth avenue.

No. 23. Both sides of Front street, between Old Slip and Cuyler's alley.

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. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 1st day of November ensuing.

JOHN R. LYECKER,
DANIEL STANBURY,
JOHN W. JACOBUS,
JOHN MULLALLY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, SEPT. 20, 1882.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
No. 31 CHAMBERS ST., ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, October, 1882.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, ACCORD-ing to law, ten per cent. additional will be added on the 1st of November next on all unpaid Croton water rates.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 23, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE AS-essment rolls on Real Estate, Personal Property, and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York, for the year 1882, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes thereon are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in the 29th section of the act of March 30, 1880, viz:

A reduction at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, from the time of payment to the first day of December next.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 17, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE RECEIVER OF TAXES GIVES NOTICE that the books for taxes on Real Estate, Personal Property, and Bank Stock, for the year 1882, will be opened for payment at this office, on Monday, October 23, 1882.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1882, will be paid on that day, by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The Transfer books will be closed from September 28 to November 1, 1882.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 23, 1882.

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER ABOLISHING THE "BUREAU OF LICENSES" IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
April 24, 1882.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISION OF SECTION 3 of chapter 521 of the Laws of 1880, which authorizes a head of a Department to abolish and consolidate offices and bureaus in the same Department, I hereby abolish the Bureau provided for by section 33 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, entitled as follows, to wit:

"A Bureau of Licenses; the Chief Officer of which shall be called 'Register of Licenses.'"

Said Bureau has never had any practical existence in the Finance Department, and is declared to be null and void.

Signed) ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantees, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 30th day of October, 1882, and until 1 o'clock P. M. on said day, for erecting two stairways to Grammar School-house No. 35, on West Thirtieth street, near Sixth avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 145 Grand, corner of Elm street.

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

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

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

JOSEPH BRITTON,
G. H. WYNKOOP, M. D.,
JOHN M. KNOX,
HENRY M. TABER,
EDWARD SCHELL,

Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.
Dated New York, October 16, 1882.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with fifteen hundred tons of best quality of Lehigh Coal, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until ten o'clock, A. M., of Friday the 3d day of November, 1882.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for furnishing coal," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and size of coal required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

No estimate 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 a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The entire quantity of coal is to be delivered within thirty days from the date of the execution and delivery of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security, for the performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of five thousand dollars.

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; 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 estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties 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 bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in 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 making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons 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 security required for the completion of this contract, and herein stated, 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, 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 as provided by law.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract was awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, October 20, 1882.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39,
NEW YORK, October 18, 1882.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, gold and silver watches, trunks and contents, bags and contents, musical instruments, boots, shoes, leather, revolvers, cheese, butter, etc.; also several amounts of money found and taken from prisoners by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, October 10, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, 110 East Thirtieth street, on Tuesday, October 24, 1882, at 10 o'clock A. M.

By order of the Board,
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, October 16, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office until 3 o'clock P. M. of Monday, October 30, 1882, for taking down and rebuilding certain walls of the unsafe buildings, Numbers 11, 13, 15 and 17 Jacob street, owned by Ambrose K. Ely, as ordered by Judge Van Brunt, of the Court of Common Pleas.

The precepts can be seen and full particulars obtained on application at this office.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.

W. P. ESTERBROOK,
Inspector of Buildings

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, September 23, 1881.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.

By order of