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APPROVED PAPERS.

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

Resolved, That the officers charged with the duty of making provision for lighting the streets of the city, viz.: The Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioner of Public Works, be and they are hereby requested, in arranging for the use of electric light and dispensing with gas-lamps, to cause provision to be made for designating the names of the streets at each intersection by transferring the names from the discontinued lamps to the adjoining corner buildings in each case, using gilt or other letters and figures easily distinguishable in the night-time.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 10, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be hereby directed to cause the owner of the property at the southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Seventeenth street to forthwith provide suitable protection to the public against accident, the approach to the basement being at present entirely without railing or other means to prevent falling to the bottom of said opening.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 10, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to V. Henry Rothschild & Co. to place and keep a small office, within the stoop-line, in front of No. 43 West Broadway, such office not to exceed 9 feet long and 7 feet high, the work to be done at their own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 10, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That Henry C. Freeman be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Hiram W. Edes, recently appointed, but who failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That Walter S. Pinckney be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Richard Seabold, whose term of office expired October 5, 1878.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That Timothy Donovan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of J. Clayton Stacey, whose term of office expired November 25, 1878.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That James F. McShane be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County, in place of Henry L. Vilas, whose term of office expired February 28, 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That John J. Finnegan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Thomas Pearson, whose term of office expired January 2, 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That the resolution approved by his Honor the Mayor, December 20, 1881, in favor of paying clerks and attendants to the Board of County Canvassers, be amended by striking out the names of E. B. Cunrior and William Stiner and inserting in lieu thereof the names of E. B. Cunrior and William Stiner.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That Emanuel Dreyfous be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Joseph F. Moss, whose term of office expires January 21, 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That Isaac Schreiber and J. Edwin Owens be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Moses Harris and Hugh Keane, respectively, who have failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That Leo. C. Mayer be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Emil Lipmann, deceased.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That Elias Bach be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Charles Sommerfield, whose term of office expired July 27, 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 18, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick King to place and keep a watering-trough on Broadway, about 175 feet north of Dark street, Kingsbridge, the work done and water supplied 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, January 10, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 19, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Andrew Mills to erect an elevated tramway over the sidewalk in front of lot commencing about one hundred south of Fifty-seventh street, on Eleventh avenue, according to annexed plans, the work 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, January 10, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 19, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to P. Coleman to lay a crosswalk across Vesey street, from in front of No. 69 to the entrance to Washington Market, almost directly opposite, the work 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, January 17, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 19, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John G. Prague to erect bay-window on premises to be erected on northeast corner of Sixty-first street and Ninth avenue, according to annexed diagram, the consent of the adjoining property-owners having been obtained, the work 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, January 10, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 21, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John G. Prague to erect two bay-windows on house to be erected on the north side of Sixty-first street, twenty feet east of Ninth avenue, the consent of the adjoining property-owners having been obtained, according to diagram annexed, the work 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, January 10, 1882.
Approved by the Mayor, January 21, 1882.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk of the Common Council.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 17th day of January, 1882.
Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, Mason, and Matthews.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Josiah Elting, Thirtieth Precinct, five days without pay.
Patrolman William H. Dakin, Thirty-fifth Precinct, three days without pay.

Leaves of Absence Granted Under Rule 564—Approved.

January 10. Patrolman Thomas McDermott, Fifth Precinct, three days.
" 10. Patrolman M. Reed, Seventeenth Precinct, two days.
" 12. Patrolman Herman Inteman, Tenth Precinct, three days.
" 12. Patrolman Patrick Lynch, Twenty-sixth Precinct, two and one-half days.
" 13. Jacob H. Deeves, Eighth Precinct, three days.
" 16. Peter Higgins, Fourteenth Precinct, two days.
" 16. James Darke, Thirty-first Precinct, one-half day.

Report of the Treasurer's Bookkeeper, announcing death of the following-named pensioners, and relative to payment of balance of pension due Hewlett Smith, was referred to the Trustees of the Police Pension Fund:

Alexander W. Ferguson, December 15, 1881.
John J. Willets, December 29, 1881.
Rebecca A. Beck, January 15, 1882.
Mary E. Carns, December 27, 1881.

Report of the Board of Surgeons on examination of Patrolman Charles S. Pike, Fifth Precinct, was ordered on file.

Report of Property Clerk relative to number of lots of property received at his office in the year 1881, was ordered on file.

Report of Captain Eakins, Fifth Precinct, relative to detention of a prisoner, was ordered on file. The following applications for promotion were referred to the Superintendent to cite for examination:

Roundsman Francis Kelly, Twenty-fourth Precinct.
Patrolman Patrick F. Coyle, Seventh Precinct.

Application of Nancy H. Bryan, widow of James H. Bryan, for pension, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Masked Balls Allowed.

Woodlawn Ladies' Society, at Woodlawn station, January 18.
Krenkel Association, at 145 Essex street, January 21.
Ladies' Hope and Love Society, at 139 Essex street, January 23.
Schleswig Holstein Verein, at 48 Orchard street, February 6.
Gentlemen's Sons, Eleventh Ward, at Ferrero's Assembly Rooms, February 7.
Application of Ann Gibney for employment, was referred to Captain Petty for consideration, when the Sixth Precinct is organized.

Application of Patrolman John J. Reilley, Eighteenth Precinct, to be retired on pension, was denied, he not having been twenty years in the force.

Application of Patrolman Thomas O'Donohue, Twenty-fourth Precinct, for detail on account of physical disability, was referred to the Superintendent for report.

NEW YORK MARINE COURT.

Patrick Butler
agst.
Patrolman Jos. Murphy, First Precinct, and Geo. Boland. } Summons.
Referred to the Corporation Counsel to defend if there are good grounds therefor.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. James Flanagan }
 agst. } Writ of Certiorari.
 The Board of Police.

Referred to the Chief Clerk to forward the writ, with copy of the proceedings, to the Counsel to the Corporation, and request that return be made thereto.

Communication from the Board of Excise relative to certain information desired by the Board of Police, was referred to the Chief Clerk for report.

Communication from F. Wilkinson, inviting the Board of Police to attend exhibition of Farragut Post Band, was ordered on file.

Communication, transmitting a donation of \$100 to the Police Pension Fund, was referred to the Chief Clerk to acknowledge its receipt and acceptance, and the Treasurer directed to pay over the same to said fund.

Communication from S. F. Rosse (transmitted from Mayor's office), relative to confidence men, was referred to the Superintendent.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller, in pursuance of section 7, chapter 755, Laws of 1873, for the following sums of money for the month of January, 1882, being one-twelfth part of the amounts estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Police Department and force for the current year, to wit:

For salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Surgeons, and uniformed force.....	\$265,195 83
“ “ clerical force.....	\$3,750 00
“ “ Telegraph Bureau.....	758 33
“ “ employees.....	1,083 33

For supplies for Police.....	5,591 66
For expenses of Detectives, execution of criminal process, and contingent.....	5,666 66
For alterations, additions to, and repairs of station-houses.....	833 33
For salary Chief Bureau of Elections and Chief Clerk.....	1,916 66
	525 00

Total..... \$279,729 14

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to pay over to the Trustees of the Police Pension Fund the sum of \$8,914.66 for fines imposed and receipts, under section 3, chapter 389, Laws of 1878, for the month of December, 1881; fines, \$1,147.66; receipts, \$7,767—all aye.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and he is hereby directed to pay over to the City Chamberlain the sum of \$25.22, being proceeds of sale of property of the Department—all aye.

Resolved, That hereafter buttons for police uniform clothing shall be supplied at the Department of Clothing and Equipment, to tailors making such garments, at the wholesale cost price of such buttons.

Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to Patrolman George H. Aiken, Twenty-fifth Precinct, from November 2 to November 15, 1881.

Transfers Ordered.

Patrolman Michael Kehoe, from Eighth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.

Appointments—Patrolmen. To take effect February 1, 1882.

Peter J. Tucker.

Michael J. Regan.

George J. Andrews.

Resolved, That Sergeant George Armstrong, Twelfth Precinct, be cited to appear before this Board on January 24, 1882.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be approved, and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—all aye:

Atchison & Hamill, horseshoeing.....	\$2 50	Gas Co., Central, gas.....	\$19 35
Mary A. Baker, meals.....	381 50	“ “ Northern, “.....	21 30
Alexander Baird, expenses.....	1 50	E. P. Gleason Manfg. Co., gas fittings.....	19 89
Patrick Breslin, “.....	1 20	C. H. Hance, soap.....	22 95
George B. Brown, repairs.....	13 10	Hektograph Manuf. Co., repairing.....	5 00
“ “ “.....	5 00	“ “ “.....	5 00
Martin B. Brown, printing.....	120 00	Howe Bros., horseshoeing.....	24 94
“ “ “.....	60 00	Michael Killilea, expenses.....	2 65
H. Bungez, repairing harness.....	6 45	Michael Kirley, “.....	3 25
William Carlin, horseshoeing.....	33 00	Susanna Kliebe, meals.....	5 50
Composite Iron Works, iron railing.....	40 00	Law Telegraph Co., rent telephone.....	30 15
J. B. & J. M. Cornell, keys.....	2 00	P. W. McDermott, repairs.....	2 41
Communipaw Coal Co., coal.....	210 00	John McNally, expenses.....	1 62
Thomas J. Cox, expenses.....	4 58	Henry Malone, “.....	1 30
James Crowley, “.....	7 79	P. Malone, horseshoeing.....	19 25
Dickinson, Vandusen & Co., tin.....	29 12	John P. Muller, meals.....	16 25
Matthew Donaldson, repairing har- ness.....	6 50	Hugh Nesbitt, flagstaff.....	55 00
Donegan & Reilly, water-pipes.....	10 25	E. W. Page & Co., oars.....	18 72
John Doran, newspapers.....	238 58	Pollock & Van Wagenen, engineer's supplies.....	15 60
“ “ “.....	5 35	J. E. Quackenbush & Son, hardware.....	14 31
Doremus & Corbett, chairs.....	5 13	James G. Sands, drugs.....	13 85
James S. Dyer, expenses.....	18 00	Mary Webb, meals.....	41 40
Frazer & Co., horse feed.....	4 00	“ “ “.....	15 30
Thomas Fox, horseshoeing.....	231 78	White & Co., horse feed.....	24 30
“ “ “.....	5 25	D. D. A. Wortendyke & Son, ice.....	9 33
Gas Co., Manhattan, gas.....	14 75	“ “ “.....	25 96
“ “ New York, “.....	624 37	James T. Young, keeping horse.....	25 00
“ “ Metropolitan, gas.....	222 53	National Stove Co., stoves, etc.....	761 64
“ “ Harlem, “.....	185 18		
	124 42		\$3,839 05

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Dennis Hogan, First Precinct, one day's pay.
 “ Francis Hagan, First Precinct, ten days' pay.
 “ Joseph Murphy, First Precinct, one day's pay.
 “ Jeremiah J. Hennessy, Eighteenth Precinct, ten days' pay.
 “ John Roberts, Twenty-ninth Precinct, five days' pay.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman Timothy F. Sullivan, Seventh Precinct.
 “ Bernard Reilly, Twenty-first Precinct.
 “ Peter Curran, Twenty-second Precinct.
 “ Michael Farley, Twenty-third Precinct.
 Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
 300 MULBERRY STREET,
 January 20, 1882.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq., Supervisor City Record:

SIR—Pursuant to section 44, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, I hereby submit the following list of appointments, and applicants for appointment, in the Police Department of the City of New York, for the three weeks ending Thursday, January 19, 1882.

Appointments as—

Doorman, Timothy Lynch.
 Patrolman, Patrick McGuire, car driver, 776 Seventh avenue.
 “ John O'Caín, laborer, Himrods, N. Y.
 “ Thomas McNulty, laborer, 229 Mott street.
 “ Charles H. Boyle, printer, 512 East 15th street.
 “ Theodore Beesley, driver, 305 East 15th street.
 Telegraph Operator, Richard Battin, operator.
 Doorman, George W. Eastburn, clerk, 529 West 49th street.
 Patrolman, James D. Aitchison, ex-policeman.
 “ Maximilian J. Fisher, steel polisher, 20 Sixth avenue.
 “ Peter J. Tucker, printer, 528 Pearl street.
 “ Michael J. Regan, fireman, 171 First avenue.
 “ George J. Andrews, teamster, 156th street, 10th and 11th avenues.

Applicants for Appointment as Patrolmen.

Frederick Barth, potter, 207 One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. Passed.
 Michael G. Minchen, tailor, 285 Elizabeth street. Passed.
 Max. J. Fisher, steel polisher, 20 Sixth avenue. Passed.
 Hugh McCormack, laborer, 98th street and 8th avenue. Rejected.
 Louis A. Croco, fruit dealer, 30 Oliver street. Rejected.
 Harvey F. Holmes, clerk, Monticello, N. Y. Rejected.
 Edward F. Sinnott, laborer, 345 West 48th street. Passed.
 John Roberts, farmer, Cairo, N. Y. Passed.
 Randolph Gancher, miller, 224 Chrystie street. Rejected.
 Andrew Nugent, hatter, 48 Roosevelt street. Rejected.
 Michael Flood, carpenter, 1811 Second avenue. Passed.
 Thomas J. Donohoe, clerk, 207 East 74th street. Passed.
 Thomas Byron, blacksmith, 211 West 19th street. Passed.
 Michael Costello, bar tender, 169 Mott street. Passed.
 John Guinan, blacksmith, 407 East 16th street. Passed.
 John H. Reilly, blacksmith, 429 East 112th street. Passed.

Respectfully submitted,

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
 THURSDAY, January 12, 1882—2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission created by chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, vacate, or modify assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners Edward Cooper (Chairman), Allan Campbell, George H. Andrews, and Daniel Lord, Jr.

The Clerk presented copies of the CITY RECORD and “Daily Register” of January 11 and 12, 1882, showing due publication of notices of the meeting.

The minutes of the meetings held on January 5 and 12, 1882, were read and approved.

Mr. H. A. Shipman, attorney, moved that the testimony of Stevenson Towle, at the meeting on January 10, 1882, as to the fair value of surveyor's fees, in the matter of the construction of the Manhattan street outlet sewer, be stricken out.

After hearing the Corporation Counsel in opposition, the Commissioners denied the motion.

Mr. H. A. Shipman, attorney, moved that he be permitted, on behalf of the petitioner, to put another witness on the stand as to the fair value of surveyor's fees in the work of building the Manhattan street outlet sewer.

After hearing the Corporation Counsel in opposition, the Commissioners denied the motion.

The Calendar was then called, and action taken, as follows:

No. 993—Matter of O. B. Potter; assessment for Eighth avenue regulating, grading, etc., from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

The Corporation Counsel, by Mr. John H. Strahan, of counsel, made the following motions:

1. That all evidence which has been introduced of any matters or things intended or tending to show injustice in the fixing of the grade of this avenue be stricken from the record.

2. That all evidence which has been admitted on the question of the value of the work without showing or attempting to show that the city could have acted otherwise than it did to secure the work being done at its fair value, be stricken out.

After hearing Mr. John H. Strahan, of counsel on behalf of the city, in support of the motions, and Mr. John C. Shaw, of counsel on behalf of the petitioner, in opposition thereto, the Commissioners reserved their decision.

On motion of Commissioner Andrews, the Commission then adjourned.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
 TUESDAY, January 17, 1882—2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission created by chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, vacate, or modify assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners Edward Cooper (Chairman), Allan Campbell, George H. Andrews, and Daniel Lord, Jr.

The Clerk presented copies of the CITY RECORD and “Daily Register” of January 16 and 17, 1882, showing due publication of notices of the meeting.

On motion of Commissioner Lord, the reading of the minutes of the meeting of January 12, 1882, was dispensed with.

The Chairman, Commissioner Cooper, presented the following decision, which was concurred in by all the Commissioners present, viz.:

Matter of Herbert R. Houghton; assessment for Third avenue sewer, between Ninety-third and One Hundred and Seventh streets.

It appears in evidence that a petition for the vacation of this assessment was pending in the Supreme Court at the time of the passage of the act establishing this commission, and that the decision was in favor of the city, so that the fact that this petition was not filed here, on or before November 1, 1880, does not put the case beyond the jurisdiction of the Commission, under the eighth section of the act.

It appears that the petitioner had obtained a reduction of the assessment in a prior proceeding in the Supreme Court, but he offers to waive the relief granted in that proceeding. As the entire assessment would not be before the Commission to determine to what relief, if any, he is entitled, without this waiver, we should not feel disposed to entertain the application under the views expressed in the decision in matter of Mott (page 70, May 24, 1881); but upon a proper vacation by the court of the previous order, and a waiver and release of any reduction heretofore obtained, so that the entire assessment can be before the Commission, the motion will be granted; otherwise the motion must be denied.

Commissioner Andrews presented the following decision, which was concurred in by all the Commissioners present, viz.:

Matter of O. B. Potter; assessment for Eighth avenue regulating, grading, etc., from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

We are of the opinion that the Legislature conferred upon this Commission, by chapter 550, Laws of 1880, power to review an assessment, although the acts to be done and the manner of their performance were prescribed by statute and the statute was complied with.

The motion to strike out the testimony in reference to the change of grade is denied; and the motion to strike out the testimony in reference to the fair value of the work is also denied.

The Corporation Counsel, by Mr. John H. Strahan, of counsel, then moved that the evidence presented for the petitioner as to the change of grade of Eighth avenue, be stricken out as not being within the objections to the assessment made and filed by the petitioner under the second section of the act, chapter 550, Laws of 1880.

After hearing Mr. John C. Shaw, of counsel for the petitioner in opposition, the Commissioners denied the motion.

The Calendar was called and action taken as follows:

No. 993—Matter of O. B. Potter; assessment for Eighth avenue regulating, grading, etc., from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

At the request of the Corporation Counsel the further hearing of this case was adjourned to the next meeting.

No. 81—Matter of H. S. and A. H. Mott; assessment for Eleventh avenue paving, between Fifty-second and Fifty-ninth streets.

The Corporation Counsel stating that he had no evidence to present on behalf of the city, and the evidence for the petitioners having been submitted, the case was closed, and decision reserved by the Commissioners.

On motion of Commissioner Lord, the seventh rule, relating to meetings of the Commission, was suspended, and, on his motion, it was

Resolved, That when the Commission adjourns it do so to meet on Tuesday, January 24, 1882, at half past two o'clock P. M.

On motion of Commissioner Lord, the Commission then adjourned.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending January 14, 1882.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
JANUARY.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 8	30.080	29.942	29.800	29.940	30.088	29.746
Monday, 9	29.700	29.768	30.008	29.825	30.072	29.698
Tuesday, 10	30.200	30.186	30.162	30.183	30.272	30.072
Wednesday, 11	29.810	29.710	30.000	29.840	30.108	29.710
Thursday, 12	30.200	30.286	30.328	30.271	30.336	30.052
Friday, 13	30.100	29.600	29.434	29.711	30.206	29.400
Saturday, 14	29.464	29.600	29.908	29.657	29.974	29.400

Mean for the week..... 29.918 inches.
 Maximum " at 8 P. M., January 12..... 30.336 "
 Minimum " at 12 P. M., " 13..... 29.400 "
 Range "936 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
JANUARY.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 8	35	35	40	39	40	38.3	42
Monday, 9	42	42	48	44	39	43.0	49
Tuesday, 10	34	32	39	34	39	37.3	40
Wednesday, 11	35	35	42	38	39	38.7	42
Thursday, 12	37	35	42	37	36	38.3	42
Friday, 13	34	34	35	35	36	35.0	37
Saturday, 14	41	37	39	34	32	37.3	42

Mean for the week..... 38.2 degrees.
 Maximum " at 12 M., 9th..... 49 "
 Minimum " at 12 P. M., 14th..... 31 "
 Range " 18 "

Wind.

DATE. JANUARY.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday, 8....	E	E	WNW	13	19	10	42	0	0	0	¼	10.00 A. M.
Monday, 9....	SW	WNW	NW	100	71	66	237	1¾	1	1½	2¾	12 M.
Tuesday, 10....	WNW	NW	S	74	44	11	129	¼	0	0	1½	3.10 A. M.
Wednesday, 11....	ENE	WNW	NW	49	50	98	197	¼	¼	2	9	5.00 P. M.
Thursday, 12....	WNW	NNW	NW	120	90	29	239	2	¾	0	5¼	12 M.
Friday, 13....	ESE	NNE	WSW	21	23	39	83	0	0	1½	3¼	6.50 P. M.
Saturday, 14....	WNW	WNW	WNW	125	106	90	321	1¼	6¾	0	20½	4.50 A. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,248 miles.
 Maximum force " 20 1/2 pounds.

DATE. JANUARY.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday,	8	.204	.225	.248	100	91	100	8 Cu.	10	10	1.30 P. M.	10.30 P. M.	9.00	.13	..
Monday,	9	.267	.236	.173	100	70	72	10	7 Cir.Cu. S	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Tuesday,	10	.155	.131	.173	79	54	72	3 Cir.	1 Cir.	10	9.30 P. M.	12 P. M.	2.30	.23	2"
Wednesday,	11	.204	.177	.152	100	66	63	10	4 Cir. Cu.	4 Cir. Cu.	0 A. M.	12 M.	12.00	.64	..
Thursday,	12	.178	.155	.170	80	57	80	3 Cir. Cu.	6 Cir. Cu.	5 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Friday,	13	.196	.204	.212	100	100	100	10	10	8 Cu.	5 A. M.	4 P. M.	11.00	.83	2"
Saturday,	14	.168	.131	.162	65	54	89	0	6 Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..

Total amount of water for the week..... 1.83 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

DATE.	LICENSES.	AMOUNT.
January 14, 1882.....	27	\$117 75
" 16, "	42	128 75
" 17, "	20	54 25
" 18, "	26	50 50
" 19, "	35	91 75
" 20, "	18	87 50
Total	168	\$530 50

GEO. A. McDERMOTT,
 Mayor's First 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. 13 1/2 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 EYLER, 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.

Bureau of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 STEVENSON 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. KEESE, 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 of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 ARTEMAS CADDY, 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.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
 Saturday, 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.

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 to 3 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, Captain-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

No. 109 Christie street.
 DEDERICK G. GALE, 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. 11 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN R. VOORHIS, 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; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

51 Chambers Street, Rooms 10, 11 & 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM P. MITCHELL, President; ANTHONY HARTMAN, Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

PETER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GEORGE CAULFIELD, Commissioner; ALFRED J. KEEGAN, Deputy Commissioner

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; CHAS. BEARDSLEY, Deputy County Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, }
 No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
 NEW YORK, January 9, 1882.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE books of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1882, will be opened for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 9, 1882, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1882, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

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

By order of the Board.

ALBERT STORER,
 Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, January 14, 1882.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with Four (4) Steam Fire Engines, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present 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 engines are to be what is known as first-size double-pump and cylinder steam fire-engines.

The boilers to be vertical, 35 inches diameter, and 63 inches high, to be made of best steel boiler plate, having copper smoke-flues, and hanging tubes of lap-welded iron, each hanging tube having circulating strips. To be of sufficient strength to bear twice the pressure ever required in doing fire duty, and to have ample steaming capacity to keep up a full head of steam while doing the heaviest work. To be covered with Russia iron, properly banded with brass bands, nickel-plated. To have one safety valve made of composition.

The boilers to be in all respects as to form and construction exactly similar to that now on Engine No. 33 of this Department, being M. R. Clapp's Circulating Tubular Boiler, patent of 1878.

The boiler to be surmounted with a dome of brass.

The main pumps to be double-acting, made entirely of composition, with cylinders each 4 1/2 inches diameter, and having a stroke of 7 inches, to have 3 discharge gates and an automatic relief valve.

The steam cylinders to be 8 inches diameter, each having a stroke of 7 inches, and to be fitted to a bed plate containing the steam passages.

The steam cylinders, steam chest, and bed plate to be cased in brass, nickel-plated.

The air chambers to be made of copper, nickel-plated. There is to be a fresh-water tank to connect with feed pumps, also suitable fresh water connection.

The wheels to be the Archibald Pattern, made of selected timber, prepared in the best manner, painted with best English vermilion and striped with gold leaf.

The tires to be 3 inches wide, 7/8 inch thick. The coal bunker to be of strong iron, and to be painted same as wheels.

The axles, frames, braces, etc., to be made of Bessemer steel.

The boilers to be hung on half elliptical springs, similar in every respect to the crane-neck engines now in use in this Department.

The brake to be arranged to bear upon the rear wheels, and so constructed as to be controlled by the driver.

The suction hose to be smooth bore, in two lengths, and each length to have suitable couplings, the thread to be the same as on suction and hydrants in use by this Department.

The hydrant connection to have two female couplings, one 4 1/2 inches diameter, and one 2 1/2 inches diameter, and to have same thread as suction on large coupling, and regulation thread on the 2 1/2 inch.

The drawing rig to be such that the engines may be drawn by horses. There is to be a driver's seat upon the forward part of the engines, fitted with cushions, two lanterns, and whip-sockets.

The engines to be fitted up with pole and whiffletrees for horses.

All stuffing boxes to be so constructed as to take up while engine is running.

Each engine to be supplied with—
One nickel-plated steam-gauge.
One glass water-gauge, same as in use in this Department.

Four gauge-cocks tapped in boiler.
One surface blow-cock and attachment for thaw-hose.
Two heater connection pipes.
One nickel-plated signal whistle.
One variable exhaust nozzle and steam jet.
Two number plates on water tank.
One suction basket.
Two brass hose pipes, to have regulation thread.
Five nozzles.
One length thaw hose, 18 feet, and nozzle.
One fresh water connection of composition metal.
The safety and throttle valves, feed pumps, eccentric straps, connecting rod bearings, and pipe holders to be of composition.

All parts of the apparatus to be painted with English vermilion and striped with gold leaf, except air chamber, steam cylinders, dome, and working parts.

The engines to be what is known as "crane neck," and to be fully supplied with all necessary tools.

The engines are to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department within 180 days after the execution of the contract, in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and to replace, at the expense of the contractor, such parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship. Said engines shall have a full and complete trial of their working powers at New York, under the superintendence of a competent engineer.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

The Fire Department 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 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate; 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 before the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

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No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

No 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 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 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 readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. GORMAN,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, January 14, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with the following articles, to wit:

250,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Good Sweet Timothy.
55,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
2,000 bags clean White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.
1,300 bags Fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Any person making an estimate for the articles shall present 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 articles to which it relates.

Proposals must include all of the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and feed.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

The Fire Department 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 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate; 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 before the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

No 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 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 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.

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

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. GORMAN,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, January 14, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with the following articles, to wit:

1,800 tons Egg Coal.
1,200 tons Stove Coal.
500 tons Furnace Coal.

—to be of the best quality of Pittston, Scranton, or Lackawanna Valley, weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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Proposals may be made for one or more of the items, specifying the price per ton.

All of the coal is to be delivered and weighed upon scales furnished by the Department (which are to be transported from place to place by the contractor), in the presence of an Inspector to be designated by the Department for that purpose, at the various houses, etc., of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed.

The Fire Department 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 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate; 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 before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

No 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 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 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 to 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.

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

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. GORMAN,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, January 14, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with

FOUR 4-WHEEL HOSE TENDERS

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Any person making an estimate for the articles shall present 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 articles to which it relates.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

The Fire Department 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 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate; 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 before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

No 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 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 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 readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. GORMAN,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY,
Commissioners.

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

JOHN J. GORMAN, President.
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A SIDE-wheel Steamboat will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York until 10 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, the 31st day of January, 1882.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for building a Side-wheel Steamboat," 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 estimate received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The nature and extent of the work to be done, as near as it can be stated, is as follows: The building of a Side-

wheel Steamboat—length over all, 155 feet; breadth moulded, 27 feet 6 inches; depth of hold, 9 feet.

For further particulars reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the Steamboat complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings, and form of agreement.

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 work is to be completed within five months from the date of the contract. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security, in the manner prescribed by law, for the performance of the contract, in the sum of sixty 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, 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 to be done 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, 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 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.

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 him 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 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-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 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 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.

No estimate for a sum in excess of sixty thousand dollars can be considered.

Plans may be examined and specifications and 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, January 13, 1882.
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET (Room No. 39),
NEW YORK, January 16, 1882.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants, boats, rope, revolvers, tea, coffee, cheese, robes, blankets, iron, lot of clothing (male and female), bags and contents, watches, jewelry, case of herring; also small amount of cash taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, January 19, 1882.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 150.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REBUILDING PIER AT SEVENTY-NINTH STREET, EAST RIVER, REPAIRING HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL PIER AT WARD'S ISLAND, BUILDING AN EXTENSION TO HOSPITAL PIER AT HART'S ISLAND, AND REPAIRING BRANCH WORKHOUSE PIER AT HART'S ISLAND.

ESTIMATES FOR REBUILDING PIER AT Seventy-ninth street, East river, for repairing Homoeopathic Hospital Pier at Ward's Island, for building an extension to Hospital Pier at Hart's Island, and for repairing Branch Workhouse Pier at Hart's Island, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1882,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. 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, or for any class thereof, 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 Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities, and extent of the work, is as follows:

1. 12x15-inch Yellow Pine (sawn) (sawn or hewed) feet B. M.	2. 12x12 " " " " " "	3. 6-inch " " " " " "	4. 4-inch " " " " " "	5. 3-inch " " " " " "	6. 2-inch " " " " " "	7. 1-inch " " " " " "	8. 1/2-inch " " " " " "	9. 3/4-inch " " " " " "	10. 1/2-inch " " " " " "	11. 1/4-inch " " " " " "	12. 1/8-inch " " " " " "	13. 1/16-inch " " " " " "	14. 1/32-inch " " " " " "	15. 1/64-inch " " " " " "	16. 1/128-inch " " " " " "	17. 1/256-inch " " " " " "	18. 1/512-inch " " " " " "	19. 1/1024-inch " " " " " "	20. 1/2048-inch " " " " " "	21. Rip-rap Stone, cubic yards.	22. Labor, in each class respectively, of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, and labor of every description.	23. Labor, in each class respectively, of removing from the premises all the old material, except that to be used in the work under this contract.	24. 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2,240 pounds. None other will be accepted. All of said coal to be delivered as required, in about the following sizes and quantities, free of all expense, at the following places:

At Tombs, Centre Street, First District Prison—
325 tons Egg size.
At Jefferson Market, Second District Prison—
275 tons Grate size.
At Essex Street, Third District Prison—
80 tons Egg size.
At 57th Street, Fourth District Prison—
60 tons Egg size.
At 126th Street, Fifth District Prison—
40 tons Egg size.
At 158th Street and Third Avenue, Sixth District Prison—
10 tons Egg size.
At No. 66 Third Avenue—
80 tons Egg size.
At 99th Street Reception Hospital—
50 tons Egg size.

Proposals to state the particular description of coal to be delivered as known in the market, from what mine produced, and all particulars, to enable the Board to arrive at a proper decision.

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

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

No bid or 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 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 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 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 him 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.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 Third Avenue,
New York, January 13, 1882.

PROPOSALS FOR 24,200 TONS WHITE ASH COAL.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9.30 o'clock, A. M., Thursday, January 26, 1882, at which time they will be publicly opened and read, by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering 24,200 tons of White Ash Coal, of the best quality, and in good order. Each ton to consist of 2,240 pounds. None other will be accepted. All of said coal to be delivered alongside as required, in about the following sizes and quantities, free of all expense, without allowance for demurrage, at the following places:

Blackwell's Island—
6,500 tons Grate size.
3,000 tons Egg size.
300 tons Stove size.
Ward's Island—
5,500 tons Grate size.
Randall's Island—
1,000 tons Grate size.
1,000 tons Egg size.
400 tons Stove size.
Hart's Island—
1,500 tons Egg size.
Bellevue Hospital—
2,800 tons Grate size.
200 tons Stove size.
At Steamboat Dock, foot East Twenty-sixth street, for use of Steamboats, in cargoes of about 200 tons per month—
2,000 tons Grate size.

Proposals to state the particular description of coal to be delivered as known in the market, from what mine produced, and all particulars, to enable the Board to arrive at a proper decision.

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

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

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 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-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 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.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid, or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

THE CITY RECORD.

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 18, 1882.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 7th day of January, 1882, and, on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

122d street, regulating, grading, etc., from 10th avenue to Riverside Drive.
13th avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from 11th to 16th street.
153d street, regulating, grading, etc., between 10th avenue and St. Nicholas.
4th avenue, regulating, grading, etc., between 94th and 96th streets.
31st street, regulating, grading, etc., sidewalks, between 1st avenue and East River.
Water street, curb, gutter, and flagging, between Corlears and East streets.
81st street, flagging both sides, between 8th and 9th avenues.
9th avenue, flagging, between 71st and 72d streets.
45th street, fencing vacant lots, north side, between 9th and 10th avenues.
47th street, fencing vacant lots, southeast corner 6th avenue.
58th street, fencing vacant lots, north side, between 6th and 7th avenues.
59th street, fencing vacant lots, south side, between 6th and 7th avenues.
78th street, fencing vacant lots, north side, between 4th and Madison avenues, and 4th avenue, between 78th and 79th street.
81st and 82d streets and Madison and 5th avenues, fencing block.
85th and 86th streets and Madison and 5th avenues, fencing block.
96th street, paving, between 10th and 11th avenues.
63d street, paving, between 8th and 10th avenues.
69th street, paving, between 1st and 3d avenues.
80th street, paving, between 2d avenue and Avenue A.
81st street, paving, between 1st and 2d avenues.
111th street, paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.
126th street, paving, between 7th and St. Nicholas avenues.
127th street, paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.
Lexington avenue, paving, between 94th and 95th streets.
Houston street, sewer extension, etc.
43d street, sewer, between 2d and 3d avenues.
134th street, sewer, from 410 feet east of Willis avenue, etc.
Lexington avenue, sewer, from 60th to 70th street.
Water street, sewer, between Dover and Roosevelt streets.
Front street, sewer, between Beekman and Fulton streets.
80th street, sewer, between 10th avenue and Boulevard.
81st street, sewer, between 10th avenue and summit east of 10th avenue.

82d street, sewer, between 1st avenue and Avenue B, etc.

82d street, sewer, between branch Avenue A.
102d street, sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues.
113th street sewer, between 7th and 8th avenues.
118th street sewer, between 6th and 7th avenues.
119th street sewer, between 6th and 7th avenues.
123d street sewer, between 4th and Madison avenues.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 38th and 39th streets.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 77th and 78th streets.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 106th and 108th streets.

Lexington avenue sewer, between 110th and 115th streets.

Lexington avenue sewer, between 126th and 127th streets.

Avenue B sewer, between 16th and 17th streets.
2d avenue, east side, sewer, between 61st and 62d streets, and west side, between 61st and 62d streets.

Section 5 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessments shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before March 20, 1882, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due February 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 January 18 to February 1, 1882.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 12, 1882.

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 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, 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, price, 15 00
Records of judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price, 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF UNPAID TAXES, ASSESSMENTS, AND CROTON WATER RENTS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to owners of real and personal estate in this city, that all unpaid taxes, assessments, and Croton water rents may now be paid with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, as provided by chapter 33 of the Laws of 1881, which is as follows:

CHAPTER 33.

AN ACT relative to the collection of taxes and assessments, and of arrears of taxes and assessments, and Croton water rents, in the City of New York.

(Passed March 16, 1881; three-fifths being present.)

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:
Section 1. If any taxes of any year shall remain unpaid on the first day of November, after the assessment-rolls and the warrants to collect such taxes have been delivered to the Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, it shall be the duty of said Receiver to give public notice, by advertisement for at least ten days in two of the daily newspapers, and in the CITY RECORD, printed and published in said city, respectively, that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office on or before the first day of December, in any such year, he will immediately thereafter proceed to collect such unpaid taxes, as provided in the following section of this act.

Section 2. If any such tax shall remain unpaid on the said first day of December, it shall be the duty of the said Receiver of Taxes in said city to charge, receive, and collect upon such tax so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such tax, one per centum on the amount thereof; and to charge, receive, and collect upon such tax so remaining unpaid on the first day of January thereafter, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the day on which said assessment-rolls and warrants shall have been delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes to the date of payment.

The same rate of interest shall be so charged and collected upon any tax levied in the year eighteen hundred and eighty, remaining unpaid at the date of the passage of this act.

Section 3. All existing provisions of law which impose a charge and require the collection of interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum upon arrears of taxes on real and personal estate within the City of New York, upon arrears of assessments for local improvements and street openings in said city, and upon arrears of Croton water rents in said city, are hereby repealed; and in lieu of such charge of interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, there shall be charged and collected by the officer authorized to collect and receive any such arrears of taxes and assessments and Croton water rents, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated for the same period as interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum is now required by law to be calculated thereon. This provision shall apply to taxes, assessments, or Croton water rents remaining unpaid and due, for the non-payment of which the lands and tenements liable therefor shall be hereafter sold at public auction as now provided by law; provided, however, that nothing in this act shall be construed to affect the rights of purchasers at sales for taxes, assessments, or Croton water rents, heretofore made, or to authorize the redemption of lands and tenements from sales heretofore made for any lesser sums than the sums collectible for such redemption under the provisions of existing laws.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of the City of New York to give public notice by advertisement for at least ten days, in the CITY RECORD, printed and published in said city, immediately after the confirmation of any assessment for a local improvement or street opening in said city, that the same has been confirmed specifying the title of such assessment and the date of its confirmation by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments in proceedings for local improvements, and

by the Supreme Court in proceedings for street openings, and also the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Croton water rents, notifying all persons, owners of property affected by any such assessment, that, unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of any such assessment, interest shall thereafter be collected thereon as provided in the following section of this act, and all provisions of law or ordinance requiring any other or different notice of assessments and interest thereon are hereby repealed.

Section 5. If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 18, 1881.

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CONSOLIDATING CERTAIN BUREAUX IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

SECTION 3 OF CHAPTER 521 OF THE LAWS of 1880, requires that heads of departments shall reduce the aggregate expenses of their respective departments by a reduction of salaries, and confers upon them authority to consolidate bureaux and offices for that purpose, as follows, to wit:

"In making the reduction herein required, every head of department may abolish and consolidate offices and bureaux, and discharge subordinates in the same department."

The Comptroller of the City of New York, in pursuance of the duty imposed and the authority thus conferred upon him, hereby orders and directs that the following Bureaux in the Finance Department shall be consolidated, the consolidation thereof to take effect on the first day of January, 1881, viz.:

First—"The Bureau or the Collection of Assessments, and 'The Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents,' shall be consolidated as one bureau, and on and after January 1, 1881, shall be known as 'The Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents,' and possess all the power conferred and perform all the duties imposed by law and ordinance upon both said bureaux, and the officers thereof, the chief officer of which consolidated bureau shall be called 'Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.'"

Second—"The Bureau for the Collection of the Revenue accruing from rents, and interest on bonds and mortgages, revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the city," and "the Bureau of Markets," shall be consolidated as one Bureau, and on and after January 1, 1881, shall be known as "the Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets," and possess all the powers conferred and perform all the duties imposed by law and ordinance upon both said Bureaux, and the officers thereof; the chief officer of which said consolidated Bureau shall be called "Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets."

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Dec. 31, 1880.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 22, 1880.

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE IN THE TWENTY-THIRD AND TWENTY-FOURTH WARDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to owners of real estate in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, that pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New York entitled "An act to provide for the adjustment and payment of unpaid taxes due the county of Westchester by the towns of West Farms, Morrisania, and Kingsbridge, lately annexed to the city and county of New York," passed May 22, 1878, the unpaid taxes of said town have been adjusted and the amount determined as provided in said act, and that the accounts, including sales for taxes levied prior to the year 1874, by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid in on account of said towns, and also the unpaid taxes of the year 1873, known as Rejected Taxes, have been filed for collection in the Bureau of Arrears in the Finance Department of the City of New York.

Payments for the redemption of lands so sold for taxes by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid in on account of said towns, and payments also of said Rejected Taxes of the year 1873, must be made hereafter to the Clerk of Arrears of the City of New York.

N.B.—Interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum is due and payable on the amount of said sales for taxes and said rejected taxes.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 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, January 24, 1882, at 2½ 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 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, vacate, or modify assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, 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 Counsel to the Corporation, as follows:

As to all assessments confirmed subsequent to June 9, 1880, for local improvements theretofore completed, and as to any assessment for local improvements known as Montague avenue, notices must be filed 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, May 18, 1881.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.