

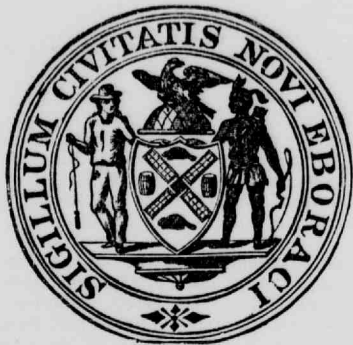
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## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 26th day of October, 1880.

Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, Mason, and Smith.

Resolved, That the resolutions concerning hats adopted on the 20th October, 1880, be and are hereby revoked.

Resolved, That the communication of E. M. Knox to the Board of Police, dated October 23, inst., concerning winter hats for the members of the Police force, be ordered on file, and that permission be and is hereby granted to said E. M. Knox to sell, for cash, winter hats and cords at his own risk and cost, of the kind, style, and quality described in said communication, at the rooms of Clothing and Equipment in the Central Department, at the price and on the terms and conditions mentioned in said communication, until the further order of this Board.

Commissioner French here retired.

### Parades referred to the Superintendent.

J. L. Riker Post, G. A. R., October 19. Funeral.

A. O. Hibernians No. 23, October 24. Funeral.

Simonson Battery, October 20. Parade.

Jacobus Battery, October 21. Parade.

First Regiment Hancock Veterans, October 22. Parade.

Workingmen Garfield Clubs, October 23. Parade.

United Bagmakers, October 23. Parade.

Salvation Army, October 24. Parade.

German Veteran Association, October 25. Parade.

Boys in Blue, Twenty-fourth Ward, October 25. Parade.

Eighth and Ninth Congressional Districts Republican Association, October 25. Parade.

T. F. Meagher Hancock Veterans, October 26. Parade.

Hancock Veterans, October 26. Parade.

United Butcher Guard, October 23. Target excursion.

Eighth Avenue Volunteers, October 25. Target excursion.

John C. Johnson Guard, October 25. Target excursion.

Peter G. O'Neil Volunteers, October 26. Target excursion.

William Dalton Volunteers, October 30. Target excursion.

Employees of T. Beck & Co., November 1. Target excursion.

The following applications for full pay, while sick, were referred to the Superintendent to obtain report of the Board of Surgeons, and transmit the same, with his own report, to this Board:

Patrolman Harmon Lefferts, Fifteenth Precinct.

" Percival Hull, Tenth Precinct.

" James Lawler, Nineteenth Sub-Precinct.

### Leaves of Absence Granted under Rule 564—Approved.

October 13. Patrolman Edward H. Doyle, Seventeenth Precinct, three days.

15. " David Cook, Seventh Precinct, two days.

15. " William Kehoe, Thirtieth Precinct, two days.

19. " James Moore, Eighth Precinct, three days.

20. " Edward Hussey, Twenty-sixth Precinct, half day.

21. " Michael J. Hickey, Fifth Precinct, two days.

22. " John Heron, Tenth Precinct, two days.

23. Captain James M. Leary, Thirtieth Precinct, one day.

25. Patrolman James Pilkington, Twenty-fifth Precinct, one and a half days.

Report of the Superintendent, relative to enforcement of the Excise Law on the 24th inst., was ordered on file.

Communication from the Hoboken Land and Improvement Company, complaining of obstruction to travel and annoyance by news venders at foot of Barclay street, was referred to the Superintendent.

On reading communication from D. A. Leven, Jr., it was

Resolved, That the writ of mandamus in the case of Dennis Leary against the Board of Police be transmitted to the Counsel to the Corporation to take such measures as he shall deem proper, and advise the Board of the final disposition of the matter.

Commissioner French here retired.

Application of Patrolman Daniel Crowley, Twenty-ninth Precinct, for leave to employ counsel in the trial of charges against him, was granted.

Application of Amanda Warner, widow of late Patrolman George Warner, for pension, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Application of Patrolman Michael Brooks, Twenty-second Precinct, for transfer, was referred to the Superintendent, with power.

Application of James Howard for return of certain property, was referred to the Property Clerk to deliver to owner, and take release of all demands.

Communication from the Department of Parks giving notice that permission has been granted to Republican associations of the Eighth and Ninth Congress Districts, to hold a meeting, erect stands, and have review on Plaza, Union Square, Monday evening, October 25, was ordered on file.

Communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, relative to case of Louis Bender against Thomas Stephenson, Twenty-eighth Precinct, was ordered on file, and answer to be forwarded by the Chief Clerk.

Communication from Julien T. Davies, relative to meritorious conduct of Patrolman John J. Farrell, Nineteenth Precinct, in extinguishing a fire, was referred to the Superintendent for report.

Communication from James H. Boland, recommending that a library be established in each Station-house, was ordered on file.

### Resignation Accepted.

Patrolman Charles O. Davenport, Twentieth Precinct.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to U. S. Local Inspectors ten dollars, for license of George Huyck, Engineer, Twenty-fourth Precinct—all aye.

### Transfers Ordered.

Patrolman Ernest F. Moller, from Twelfth Precinct to Twenty-fourth Precinct.

" William Rhoades, from Twenty-fourth Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to confer with the Counsel to the Corporation, relative to order reinstating James Byrnes as Patrolman.

Resolved, That Sergeant Michael H. Swift, Thirty-third Precinct, be granted pay for five days, lost by leave of absence.

Resolved, That the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation be requested, whether the Board of Police can lawfully pay to John R. Voorhis salary as Police Commissioner from June 30, to July 7, 1880.

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:

Frederick Ackerman, cleaning carpet.	\$2 45	Murphy & Nesbitt, lime and sand.	\$19 30
A. V. Benoit, drawing paper.	5 75	Hugh Nesbitt, repairs, etc., roof.	42 49
Martin B. Brown, binding.	12 00	John Pritchard, repairs, wagon.	2 00
" printing.	5 00	J. E. Quackenbush & Son, hardware.	12 00
" stationery.	12 00	James Rogers, lime and sand.	5 18
F. W. Devoe & Co., oil.	1 50	Seth Thomas Clock Co., clock.	25 00
William H. Geer, horsefeed.	7 28	Isaac W. Terrell, hardware.	13 05
Henry Hoile, mason work.	182 42	" "	80
Alexander H. Horton, lumber.	44 50	Robert J. Waight, horsefeed.	201 07
Louderbach, Gilbert & Co., coal hods,	3 95	Isaac A. Hopper, mason work.	79 00
etc.	109 85		
T. W. Morris & Co., glass.	3 00		\$809 59

### Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman John Butterly, Fourth Precinct, half day's pay.  
" Jeremiah J. Griffin, Fourth Precinct, half day's pay.  
" James Kelly, Fifth Precinct, one day's pay.  
" Jeremiah Moyland, Seventh Precinct, one day's pay.  
" Thomas Harney, Seventh Precinct, half day's pay.  
" Martin F. Conlin, Seventh Precinct, half day's pay.  
" James Quigley, Eighth Precinct, two days' pay.  
" William H. Renck, Twelfth Precinct, half day's pay.  
" William J. Matear, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay.  
" Thomas Hogan, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay.  
" Michael Sullivan, Fourteenth Precinct, half day's pay.  
" Thomas W. Roe, Nineteenth Precinct, one day's pay.  
" Leroy Stevens, Twentieth Precinct, two days' pay.  
" George W. Kiernan, Twenty-first Precinct, two days' pay.  
" James Malloy, Twenty-seventh Precinct, half day's pay.  
" Peter Kenney, Twenty-seventh Precinct, half day's pay.  
" Michael Flanagan, Twenty-seventh Precinct, one day's pay.  
" William H. Anthes, Twenty-seventh Precinct, one day's pay.

### Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman William Darke, Fourth Precinct.  
" Edward Walsh, Thirteenth Precinct.  
" Michael Murtagh, Nineteenth Precinct.  
" William H. Anthes, Twenty-seventh Precinct.  
" Michael Flanagan, Twenty-seventh Precinct.

### Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Health Department, transmitting copy of resolution passed by the "E. S. Butchers' Association," relative to employing persons to clean First avenue, Forty-third, Forty-fourth, Forty-fifth, and Forty-sixth streets, at their own expense, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Department of Docks, transmitting bill for \$15.69 for use of derrick, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

On recommendation of the Committee on Street Cleaning, it was

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

Boyd & Sullivan, repairs tug.	\$163 73	Screw Dock Company, docking tug.	\$30 00
Hicks & Bell, rope.	300 85	Isaac Terrell, bolts.	4 65
Samuel L'Hommedieu, towing.	200 00	Lewis S. Wandell, use of scows.	360 00
C. & R. Poillon, repairs tug.	17 84		
Porter & Sons, lanterns.	6 73		\$1,083 80

### Bureau of Elections.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be and he is hereby directed to make suitable arrangements for the reception, by telegraph or otherwise, on the evening of election day, and for the public announcement thereof, of the returns of the canvass of votes in the several election districts of the city; that said returns be received and the envelopes containing the same be opened in the courtroom of the Central Office building in the presence of at least two of the Police Commissioners (one of whom shall be of different political faith from the other), and public announcement of such returns be then made, and the same be properly arranged and preserved in the Bureau of Elections; also that arrangements be made to afford the usual accommodations and facilities for the public and the representatives of the press.

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be directed to notify the clerks of the Department, and of the Street Cleaning Bureau, that their services will be required at the Central Department for the purpose above stated.

Resolved, That the National Associated Press be permitted to place their blanks at the several polling places, in the same manner as is now done by the Associated Press.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET, October 29, 1880.

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 two weeks ending Thursday, October 28, 1880:

### Appointments as Patrolmen.

Patrick McNiece, laborer, 440 West Seventeenth street.

### Applicants for Appointment as Patrolmen.

Charles Leith, driver, 403 West Fifty-fourth street. Passed.

Michael Dolan, stonecutter, 606 Broadway. Passed.

Joseph J. McKenna, cooper, 35 Broome street. Passed.

Stephen Fitzgerald, laborer, 58 Leroy street. Passed.

Adam Herlick, jeweler, Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street. Rejected.

Henry J. Lang, photographer, 20 Bayard street. Passed.

Oscar Reinhardt, soldier, 309 West Twenty-fifth street. Rejected.

William A. Findlay, carpenter, Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street. Passed.

Patrick J. Foley, driver, 187 Monroe street. Rejected.

John M. Carroll, laborer, Saratoga Springs. Passed.

Charles Arey, clerk, 130 Greenwich avenue. Passed.

Patrick F. Gargan, foreman, 206 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. Passed.

Jacob Newfield, cigars, 44 Norfolk street. Rejected.

Charles E. Clauss, laborer, 178 Forsyth street. Passed.

Respectfully submitted,

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at the meeting held October 25, 1880.

Present—Hon. Edward Cooper, Mayor (Chairman); Hon. Frederick Smyth, Recorder; Hon. John Kelly, Comptroller; J. Nelson Tappan, Esq., Chamberlain; and Patrick Keenan, Esq., Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and the last preamble and resolution of the preambles and resolutions, submitted by the Mayor, were amended so as to read "By concurrent resolution do hereby, Resolve,"—instead of "do by concurrent resolution hereby, Resolved,"—and, as amended, were approved.

Communication No. III, in relation to the payment of bonds and stocks, due November 1, 1880, submitted by the Comptroller October 7, 1880, and laid over for consideration, was taken up for



action; whereupon the Comptroller submitted the following as a substitute for the preamble and resolutions submitted with the said communication, viz.:

Whereas, A part of the bonded debt of the City of New York becomes due and payable on the first day of November, 1880, consisting of bonds and stocks issued for expenditures incurred on public improvements in anticipation of the collection of the assessments therefor, amounting to \$3,650,500; and,

Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, pursuant to the authority conferred by section 6, of chapter 383, of the Laws of 1878, have, by a resolution adopted on October 11, 1880, authorized the issue of "Consolidated Stock" of the City of New York for \$2,800,000, to pay and redeem an equal amount of the said bonds and stocks falling due November 1, 1880, from the proceeds of the issue and sale of such Consolidated Stock, which proceeds will be paid from the City treasury into "The Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt;" and,

Whereas, The said statute also provides as follows, to wit:

"Section 1. The fund known as 'the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, for the redemption of the City Debt,' shall be continued, and any excess there may be in said fund, after providing for the payment of the bonds and stocks of said city, payable therefrom, as provided by law, shall form a fund for the payment of other bonds and stocks of said city and county, as by this statute provided.

"Sec. 5. Nothing in this act contained, shall be held to require or authorize the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to use or apply any part or portion of the accumulations in said Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt or the revenues of said fund, in any manner whatever, whereby the security of said fund, for the payment of the bonds and stocks of said city, for which said fund is now pledged by law, and which are a charge on said fund, shall be alienated or impaired, and the said bonds and stocks, so secured by law, are hereby declared to constitute a preferred charge on said sinking fund until the same are fully and finally paid and redeemed.

"Sec. 6. \* \* \* The Consolidated Stock of said City, issued as by this section authorized, after fully providing for the preferred bonds and stocks of said city, as in the preceding section specified, shall form a charge upon the said Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, and any part of said bonded debt falling due not exchanged for or redeemed from the proceeds of Consolidated Stock as herein provided, may be paid from said Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, provided such payment shall not in any way impair the preferred claims thereon, as in the preceding section specified, and provided, also, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund shall deem it to be for the best interests of the City that such payment should be made;" and—

Whereas, The investments of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt applicable to the payment of the bonds and stocks for which it is pledged, amounted, on the first day of October, 1880, to the sum of \$34,481,552.52, while the bonds and stocks for which said fund was pledged at the time of the passage of said act, was \$18,809,943.47; and—

Whereas, The accumulations in the said Sinking Fund not permanently invested, will amount, on November 1, 1880, to not less than the sum of \$2,310,500, so that there can be paid from the excess in said Sinking Fund, after providing for the payment of the bonds and stocks constituting a preferred charge on said Sinking Fund without impairing the security of said fund or the preferred claims thereon, the sum of \$850,500, being the part of the sum of \$3,650,500 of bonds and stocks of the City of New York, issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments which fall due on November 1, 1880, and for the payment of which from the proceeds of the issue and sale of Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, provision has not been made; and, also, the further sum of \$1,400,000, for the payment of bonds and stocks of the City of New York, which, prior to the passage of the act, chapter 383 of the Laws of 1878, were payable from taxation, which also fall due on November 1, 1880, and for the payment of which no provision was made in the Final Estimate of the year 1880, as appears by the said Final Estimate and by the action of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, on October 31, 1879; and—

Whereas, The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deem it to be for the best interests of the city that such payment should be so made; therefore—

1. Resolved, That warrants be drawn upon the said Sinking Fund to the amount of \$2,800,000, for the payment of bonds and stocks of the City of New York falling due November 1, 1880, pursuant to the provisions of section 6 of the act, chapter 383 of the Laws of 1878, being the amount of Consolidated Stock of the City of New York to be issued therefor on November 1, 1880.

2. Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt for the payment of the following bonds and stocks of the City and of the County of New York, which fall due November 1, 1880, to wit:

The part of the bonds and stocks issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments not provided for by the issue of Consolidated Stock of the City of New York	\$850,500 00
Seven per cent. Croton Water Pipe Bonds	\$450,000 00
Seven per cent. Street Opening and Improvement Bonds	250,000 00
Six per cent. New York County Court-house Stock, No. 1	100,000 00
Six per cent. New York County Court-house Stock, No. 2	160,000 00
Six per cent. Soldiers' Substitute and Relief Redemption Bonds	500,000 00
	1,460,000 00
Total	\$2,310,500 00

The report was approved, and, on motion, the preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted, all the Commissioners being present and voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller submitted the following report relative to bonds and stocks payable in the year 1881, which, on motion, was ordered to be printed in the minutes, viz.:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 25, 1880.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Chapter 383 of the Laws of 1878, provides as follows, to wit:

"Section 7. From the said Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt shall be paid and redeemed all preferred bonds and stocks of said city for the payment or redemption of which said fund is pledged, as aforesaid, and other bonds and stocks of said city as by this statute authorized, and whenever, and as often as the Commissioners of said Sinking Fund shall certify to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment of said city, that the accumulations in said Sinking Fund shall not be sufficient to meet the payment of any bonds or stocks falling due in the next following calendar year, it shall be the duty of said board, and it is hereby required, to include in the annual estimate for such year, to be raised by tax on the estates, real and personal, in said city subject to taxation, such an amount to be applied to the payment of said bonds or stocks as shall be certified by said Commissioners, and the amount so included in said estimate shall be paid into said Sinking Fund and applied as in this section specified; provided, however, that the amount so to be raised by tax and paid into the Sinking Fund, as in this section provided, shall not in any one year be less than the sum of one million dollars, nor more than two million dollars."

This statute provides for a certificate of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment only in the case when "the accumulations in the Sinking Fund shall not be sufficient to meet the payment of any bonds and stocks falling due in the next calendar year," and does not seem to provide for a case when the accumulations in that fund are sufficient to pay such bonds and stocks.

By the advice of the Counsel to the Corporation, however, the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund did certify the facts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment last year, when the accumulations in the Sinking Fund were sufficient to meet the payment of such bonds and stocks in the present year, 1880, and as the same state of facts exists now in respect to such bonds and stocks falling due in the year, 1881, I submit a statement of bonds and stocks becoming due in that year, and also an estimate of the revenues of "The Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt."

No bonds and stocks for the payment of which "The Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt" was primarily pledged, become due and payable in the year 1881.

Bonds, however, payable from said fund under the provisions of section 8 of chapter 383 of the Laws of 1878, amounting to \$43,563.32, fall due in 1881, their redemption being provided for in that statute by annual taxation, and the amount raised by tax for that purpose paid annually to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Of bonds and stocks payable at maturity from taxation, under the provisions of the statutes authorizing their issue, the amount falling due in 1881 is \$1,346,649.48, as follows:

Statement of Bonds and Stocks payable in the year 1881 from Taxation originally, and from the Sinking Fund, as provided by Chapter 383, Laws of 1878.

Bonds for State Sinking Fund Deficiency	\$389,949 48
Issued in pursuance of chapter 147, Laws of 1874, payable May 1, 1881.	
Street Opening and Improvement Bonds	250,000 00
Issued in pursuance of chapter 853, section 2, Laws of 1868, payable November 1, 1881.	
New York County Court-house Stock, No. 1	100,000 00
Issued in pursuance of chapter 167, Laws of 1862, payable November 1, 1881.	
New York County Court-house Stock, No. 2	160,000 00
Issued in pursuance of chapter 854, Laws of 1868, payable November 1, 1881.	
Soldiers' Substitute and Relief Redemption Bonds	446,700 00
Issued in pursuance of chapter 7, Laws of 1864, payable November 1, 1881.	
Total	\$1,346,649 48

The following is an estimate of the revenues of "The Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt" in 1881:

#### Estimate of Revenues of the Sinking Fund in 1881.

Surplus Revenue of "The Sinking Fund for the payment of Interest on the City Debt," say	\$1,200,000 00
Dock and Slip Rents, say	800,000 00
Market Rents, etc., say	300,000 00
Bonds and Mortgages, say	100,000 00
Licenses, say	25,000 00
Street Vaults, say	35,000 00
Interest on Deposits, say	75,000 00
Commission on State Tax, say	5,000 00
Miscellaneous, say	10,000 00
Interest on Investments, say	1,800,000 00
	\$4,350,000 00

The above amount does not include collections of assessments for public improvements.

This statement of estimated revenues of "The Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt" shows that the accumulations therein will be sufficient to pay and redeem the bonds and stocks payable at maturity from taxation which fall due in 1881, without in any way impairing the preferred claims on said fund, and that it will not be necessary in said year to raise any amount by tax for that purpose.

The authority for the payment and redemption of the bonds and stocks payable from taxation in 1881 is found in section 6 of chapter 383 of the Laws of 1878, as follows, to wit:

"The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund are hereby authorized to call in, pay, and redeem any portion of the bonded debt now a charge upon the treasury of the said city [of New York], other than revenue bonds issued in anticipation of the collection of taxes, when they may deem it to be advantageous for the interests of the city so to do," and further, "provided such payment shall not in any way impair the preferred claims thereon."

I present herewith, a resolution to certify the facts to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, for such action thereon as may be required under the provisions of section 7, of chapter 383, of the Laws of 1878.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

Whereas, The Comptroller has reported to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund that there are no bonds and stocks for which "The Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt" is primarily pledged, falling due and payable in the year 1881; that there are bonds and stocks of the Corporation payable at maturity from taxation, under the provisions of the statutes authorizing their issue, falling due and payable in 1881; and that the estimated accumulations of the Sinking Fund will be sufficient to pay and redeem said bonds and stocks so payable from taxation in 1881, without, in any way, impairing the preferred claims thereon; therefore—

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund do hereby certify to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, that the estimated receipts and accumulations of "The Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt," will be sufficient to meet the payment of the bonds and stocks payable from taxation at maturity and falling due in the year 1881, without, in any way, impairing the preferred claims on said Sinking Fund, of bonds and stocks for the payment of which it was primarily pledged.

An application of William F. Russell, Receiver, for quit-claim to land situated in the block bounded by One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets, and Second and Third avenues, as shown on the diagram annexed to said application, was received, and, on motion, referred to the Comptroller.

A communication from the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, in relation to providing a "Hospital at Harlem for the reception, care and treatment of persons injured by accident or otherwise," was received, and, on motion, referred to the Comptroller.

The petition of Andrew B. Yetter for quit-claim to premises on Second avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, being a portion of the "Old Eastern Post Road," (now closed), was received, and, on motion, referred to the Comptroller.

The following communication was received from the Board of Education and ordered printed in the minutes, viz.:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,  
CORNER OF GRAND AND ELM STREETS,  
NEW YORK, October 21, 1880.

In Board of Education, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That the application of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for a reconveyance of the property located on the southeast corner of Sixty-eighth street and Lexington avenue be and the same is hereby denied; the said property being needed for school purposes.

(Extract from the minutes.)

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN, Clerk.

On motion the Board adjourned until 2 o'clock, P. M., to meet at the Comptroller's Office, to be present at the opening, by the Comptroller, of proposals for "Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, payable in 1910."

2 o'clock, P. M.—October 25, 1880.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund assembled at the Comptroller's Office as per adjournment:

Present—Hon. Edward Cooper (Mayor); Hon. John Kelly, Comptroller; J. Nelson Tappan, Esq., Chamberlain, and Patrick Keenan, Esq., Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The Comptroller stated that he would proceed publicly to open "Proposals for \$2,800,000 Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, payable in 1910;" received in response to the following advertisement, viz.:

#### PROPOSALS FOR \$2,800,000

CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK—EXEMPT FROM TAXATION—INTEREST AT 4 PER CENT. PER ANNUM—PAYABLE IN 1910—SECURED BY THE SINKING FUND.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, until Monday, the 25th day of October, 1880, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened by the Comptroller, in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, for the whole or a part of a loan of Two Millions Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,800,000), for which Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, secured by "the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt," will be issued November 1, 1880, payable in thirty years, viz.: November 1, 1910.

The said stock is issued under the authority of chapter 322, Laws of 1871, chapter 383, Laws of 1878, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund adopted October 11, 1880, and will bear interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of May and November in each year, at the office of the Comptroller in the City of New York.

The said stock will be exempt from taxation by the City and County of New York, but not from taxation for State purposes, under an ordinance of the Common Council, approved by the Mayor on the 2d day of October, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted on the 11th day of October, 1880, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 552 of the Laws of 1880.

The proposals should state the amount of stock desired and the price per one hundred dollars thereof.

The law provides that "the Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any part of the proposal, shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amount due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law," and also "that no proposals for bonds or stocks shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of the stock awarded to them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, on or before the said first day of November, 1880.

The issue of said "Consolidated Stock" is made for the payment and cancellation of an equal amount of Bonds of the Corporation, issued for expenditures incurred on public improvements, which fall due on November 1, 1880, and therefore will not increase the City Debt.

The said stock will be issued as Registered Stock, in certificates of not less than \$500. The proposals should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Consolidated Stock of the City of New York," and each proposal should also be inclosed in a second envelope addressed to the Comptroller.

Said stock will be awarded to the highest bidders, and the Comptroller reserves the right to reject any or all of the bids, if, in his judgment, the interests of the city require it.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 13, 1880.



The Comptroller stated that 39 proposals had been received, and announced the same as follows, viz.:

No.	NAME OF BIDDER.	AMOUNT.	RATE.
1	Harold Clemens .....	\$10,000 00	\$101 75
		10,000 00	101 86
		10,000 00	101 96
2	George K. Sistar's Sons and Musgrave & Co. ....	2,800,000 00	104 167
3	Kuhn, Loeb & Co. ....	2,800,000 00	104 18
4	Drexel, Morgan & Co., August Belmont & Co., Winslow, Lanier & Co. (whole or none) .....	2,800,000 00	103 91
		400,000 00	104 29
		400,000 00	104 19
		400,000 00	104 09
5	American Exchange National Bank (or the whole at \$103.96) .....	400,000 00	103 93
		400,000 00	103 83
		400,000 00	103 77
		400,000 00	103 64
6	Drexel, Morgan & Co. ....	500,000 00	104 07
		500,000 00	104 03
		100,000 00	102 07
		100,000 00	101 76
		100,000 00	101 58
7	Marx & Co. ....	100,000 00	101 45
		100,000 00	101 38
		250,000 00	100 76
		250,000 00	101 00
		100,000 00	102 29
		100,000 00	103 39
		100,000 00	104 29
8	Greenwich Savings Bank .....	100,000 00	104 39
		100,000 00	104 49
		100,000 00	104 59
		100,000 00	104 79
		200,000 00	103 00
		200,000 00	103 25
9	East River Savings Institution .....	200,000 00	103 50
		200,000 00	103 75
		200,000 00	104 00
10	Matthew Keily .....	10,000 00	104 09
11	Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank .....	250,000 00	102 01
		50,000 00	103 53
		50,000 00	104 03
12	Robert L. Stuart .....	50,000 00	104 53
		50,000 00	105 10
		10,000 00	100 00
		10,000 00	100 25
13	Benson Ferris, President Westchester County Savings Bank .....	10,000 00	100 50
		10,000 00	100 75
		10,000 00	101 00
		50,000 00	103 53
14	Robert L. Stuart .....	50,000 00	104 03
		50,000 00	104 53
		50,000 00	105 05
		100,000 00	101 28
15	J. W. Hunter, Treasurer .....	100,000 00	101 79
		100,000 00	102 03
16	New York Savings Bank .....	50,000 00	100 53
		50,000 00	101 03
17	W. V. Horten .....	8,000 00	102 05
		200,000 00	102 00
		200,000 00	103 00
18	Williamsburgh Savings Bank (or \$1,000,000, at \$103.75) .....	200,000 00	104 10
		200,000 00	104 50
		200,000 00	105 10
		50,000 00	102 50
		50,000 00	102 75
19	Franklin Savings Bank .....	50,000 00	103 00
		50,000 00	103 25
		3,000 00	100 00
20	William A. Hilt .....	400,000 00	104 48
21	W. A. Bloodgood .....	100,000 00	102 11
		100,000 00	102 00
		100,000 00	101 86
22	South Brooklyn Savings Institution .....	100,000 00	101 76
		100,000 00	101 62
		100,000 00	101 51
23	James Blakely .....	7,000 00	103 00
		10,000 00	102 00
24	F. W. Gilley, Jr., & Co. ....	10,000 00	102 50
		10,000 00	103 00
25	V. W. Brinckerhoff .....	40,000 00	100 00
		50,000 00	100 875
26	Newburgh Savings Bank .....	50,000 00	101 625
		50,000 00	102 125
27	Bowery Savings Bank .....	1,000,000 00	100 75
28	J. M. Ceballos & Co. ....	500,000 00	102 90
		500,000 00	103 01
		200,000 00	102 00
		200,000 00	102 50
		200,000 00	102 875
29	Dry Dock Savings Institution .....	200,000 00	103 00
		100,000 00	103 50
		100,000 00	104 25
		25,000 00	100 50
30	Portchester Savings Bank .....	25,000 00	101 50
		25,000 00	102 00
		25,000 00	102 50
31	C. C. Putnam .....	300,000 00	102 85
		1,000,000 00	102 00
		500,000 00	102 25
		250,000 00	102 50
		250,000 00	102 75
32	J. B. Manning .....	100,000 00	103 00
		100,000 00	103 125
		100,000 00	103 15
		100,000 00	103 20
		100,000 00	103 25
		500,000 00	105 79
33	National Bank of Commerce, New York .....	500,000 00	105 56
		1,800,000 00	104 54
		1,500,000 00	102 39
34	Morton, Bliss & Co., and J. & W. Seligman & Co. ....	700,000 00	102 63
		600,000 00	102 77
35	Harlem Savings Bank .....	50,000 00	102 55
		100,000 00	104 01
36	Irving Savings Institution .....	50,000 00	103 77
		50,000 00	102 67
		50,000 00	102 49
		20,000 00	102 06
37	Gallatin National Bank .....	250,000 00	102 98
		100,000 00	103 56
38	Saxton Smith .....	5,000 00	100 30
39	Trustees New York Fire Department Relief Fund .....	40,000 00	100 51
Total amount of bids .....		\$30,743,000 00	

NEW YORK, October 25, 1880.

The opening of bids being completed, on motion, adjourned until to-morrow (26th inst.), to meet at the Comptroller's office, at 2 o'clock P. M.

W. H. DIKEMAN, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, October 28, 1880.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending October 23, 1880:

### Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents .....	\$17,386 41
For penalties on Croton rents .....	379 60
For tapping Croton pipes .....	237 50
For sewer permits .....	564 80
For vault permits .....	1,445 52

For removing incumbrances .....	7 50
For restoring and repaving—"Special Fund" .....	398 00

Total .....

\$20,419 33

### Public Lamps.

1 lamp discontinued.  
6 lamp-posts removed.  
5 lamp-posts reset.  
34 lamp-posts straightened.  
4 columns refitted.  
6 columns released.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending October 23, 1880, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Oct. 18	8 A.M.	66.	30.20	Manhattan ....	Empire 5 ft. ....	.90	5.00	118.8	19.20	19.00
" 19	7.15 A.M.	60.	30.41	" ....	"	.91	5.00	121.2	18.01	18.20
" 20	4.30 P.M.	62.	30.36	" ....	"	.91	5.00	120.6	18.42	18.51
" 21	4 P.M.	64.	30.34	" ....	"	.92	5.00	119.4	19.90	19.80
" 22	3 P.M.	64.	29.94	" ....	"	.91	5.00	115.2	19.26	18.59
" 23	5.30 P.M.	67.	29.64	" ....	"	.92	5.00	120.0	19.72	19.72
									Average.	18.97
Oct. 18	.....	.....	.....	Harlem. ....	"	...	5.00	.....	.....	.....
" 19	10 A.M.	56.	30.39	" .....	"	.91	5.00	117.0	18.84	18.38
" 20	6 P.M.	65.	30.33	" .....	"	.92	5.00	120.0	18.74	18.74
" 21	6.30 P.M.	72.	30.28	" .....	"	.93	5.00	126.0	18.24	19.15
" 22	6 P.M.	68.	29.80	" .....	"	.92	5.00	123.0	18.34	18.80
" 23	12 M.	68.	29.56	" .....	"	.91	5.00	121.2	18.02	18.20
									Average.	18.65
Oct. 18	7.35 A.M.	66.	30.20	New York. ....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.83	5.00	120.0	24.32	24.32
" 19	7.30 A.M.	60.	30.41	" .....	"	.84	5.00	117.0	23.11	22.53
" 20	2.30 P.M.	61.	30.36	" .....	"	.83	5.00	122.4	22.66	23.11
" 21	1 P.M.	62.	30.34	" .....	"	.85	5.00	126.0	22.78	23.92
" 22	4.30 P.M.	65.	29.94	" .....	"	.86	5.00	120.0	24.76	24.76
" 23	3 P.M.	65.	29.64	" .....	"	.86	5.00	114.0	25.13	23.92
									Average.	23.76
Oct. 18	7.15 A.M.	65.	30.20	N. Y. Mutual. .	"	.84	5.00	114.0	28.10	26.69
" 19	8 A.M.	60.	30.41	" ..	"	.85	5.00	126.0	23.12	24.27
" 20	3 P.M.	62.	30.36	" ..	"	.85	5.00	121.2	24.96	25.21
" 21	3 P.M.	64.	30.34	" ..	"	.91	5.00	117.6	26.44	25.91
" 22	3.30 P.M.	64.	29.94	" ..	"	.89	5.00	121.2	23.84	24.08
" 23	5 P.M.	66.	29.64	" ..	"	.90	5.00	120.6	25.28	25.40
									Average.	25.26
Oct. 18	8.30 A.M.	67.	30.20	Municipal. ....	"	.83	5.00	120.0	28.75	28.75
" 19	8.20 A.M.	60.	30.41	" .....	"	.84	5.00	121.8	28.45	28.87
" 20	2 P.M.	61.	30.36	" .....	"	.83	5.00	114.0	30.74	29.20
" 21	2 P.M.	63.	30.34	" .....	"	.85	5.00	120.0	28.68	28.68
" 22	4 P.M.	65.	29.94	" .....	"	.85	5.00	121.8	28.94	29.37
" 23	3.30 P.M.	66.	29.64	" .....	"	.85	5.00	120.0	29.94	29.94
									Average.	29.13
Oct. 18	.....	.....	.....	Metropolitan. .	" No. 6	...	5.00	.....	.....	.....
" 19	9.30 A.M.	66.	30.39	" ..	"	.71	5.00	117.6	22.26	21.81
" 20	6.30 P.M.	67.	30.33	" ..	"	.71	5.00	120.0	21.58	21.58
" 21	6 P.M.	68.	30.28	" ..	"	.72	5.00	122.4	21.04	21.46
" 22	5.30 P.M.	67.	29.80	" ..	"	.71	5.00	121.2	21.36	21.57
" 23	12.30 P.M.	69.	29.56	" ..	"	.71	5.00	124.8	20.58	21.40
									Average.	21.56

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

### Permits Issued.

66 permits to tap Croton pipes.  
96 permits to open streets.  
21 permits to make sewer connections.  
12 permits to repair sewer connections.  
2 permits to construct street vaults.  
130 permits to place building material on streets.  
1 permit to cut down tree.

### Removing Obstructions.

Wagon from Gouverneur and Division streets.  
Sign from 192 Bowery.  
Banner sign from 150 Chatham street.  
Truck and oil tank from Peck Slip.  
Sign from 136 East Twenty-eighth street.  
Stand from northeast corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-seventh street.  
Stand from northwest corner Third avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.  
Dry goods from 52 Catharine street.  
Dry goods from 295 Grand street.

### Repairing Pavements.

In Seventy-seventh street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.  
In Thirty-ninth street, between Park and Madison avenues.  
In Madison avenue, between Thirty-first and Thirty-fifth streets.  
In Forty-seventh street, near Eleventh avenue.  
In Fifty-third street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.  
In Sixtieth street, between Third and Lexington avenues.  
In Thirty-third street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.  
In Fifth avenue, between Thirty-first and Thirty-fifth streets.  
In Broadway, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets.  
In Thirty-fourth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.  
In Twentieth street, between Third and Fourth avenues.  
In Second avenue, between Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets.  
In First avenue, between Eleventh and Fourteenth streets.  
In Sixth avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.



In James street, between Batavia and Chambers streets.  
In Roosevelt street, between Cherry and Front streets.  
In Mott street, between Canal and Hester streets.  
In Broadway, between Battery place and Morris street.  
In Whitehall street, between Pearl and Water streets.  
In Hudson street, between Duane and Reade streets.  
In Cherry street, between Catharine and Pearl streets.  
In Allen street, between Hester and Division streets.  
In Crosby street, at corner of Houston street.  
In Battery place, between Broadway and Greenwich street.  
In Little Twelfth street, between Ninth avenue and Washington street.

#### Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

91 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.  
175 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.  
7 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.  
2 lineal feet of culvert rebuilt.  
3 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.  
1 receiving-basin repaired.  
1 basin cover replaced.  
26 manholes repaired.  
21 manhole heads reset.  
1 new manhole head put on.  
4 new manhole covers put on.  
28 cubic yards of earth excavated.  
30 cubic yards of earth refilled.  
21 square yards of pavement relaid.  
10 square feet of sidewalk relaid.  
166 cart-loads of dirt removed.

#### Assessment Lists for completed improvements transmitted to the Board of Assessors.

Fencing vacant lots on Lexington avenue, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets.....	\$78 80
Regulating, etc., One Hundred and Third street, from First to Second avenue.....	32,398 23
Regulating, etc., Fourth avenue, Sixty-seventh to Seventy-second street.....	13,206 70
Sewer in Ninety-sixth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.....	5,533 05
Sewers in Ninth avenue and New avenue, etc.....	15,222 69
Paving Seventy-sixth street, Fourth to Madison avenue.....	2,633 97

#### Contracts entered into.

NATURE OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	SURETIES.
Regulating, etc., Fourth avenue, One Hundred and Fifteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.....	J. J. Jones.....	{ John McQuade ... Lex. ave. & 98th street. { S. D. Bingham, Jr. 332 East 85th street.
Sewer in One Hundred and Fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.....	P. T. Masterson, 127th st. & 7th av.	{ E. C. Sheehy .... 1453 Third avenue. { T. Pearson ..... 2 East 84th street.
Sewer in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Eighth streets.....	John Slattery, 788 Fourth ave..	{ James Slattery... 207 West 57th street. { Wm. Hallihan.... 349 West 53d street.
Paving Eightieth street, from Second avenue to Avenue A.....	T. McCullough, 697 Third ave..	{ P. Sheehy ..... 251 East 83d street. { T. Ryan ..... 345 East 37th street.
Laying Croton mains in Washington, Beckman, Mail, etc., streets.....	Geo. Borstman and John Cornell, Jr.	{ J. King ..... 138 Wash'ton Market. { B. M. Wilson .... 86 Bank street.
Regulating, etc., Seventy-sixth street, Fourth to Third avenue.....	F. McCullough, 697 Third ave..	{ P. Sheehy ..... 251 East 83d street. { R. H. McCullough 240 East 32d street.
Regulating, etc., Sixty-second street, Avenue A to 123 feet east.....	Thos. Gearty.....	
Fencing vacant lots on west side Boulevard, Eighty-third to Eighty-fourth street.....	M. Mahony.....	
Fencing vacant lots, First avenue, Seventy-third to Seventy-fourth street, etc.....	M. Mahony.....	
Fencing vacant lots, Second avenue, Eighty-fourth to Eighty-fifth street, etc.....	M. Mahony.....	
Fencing vacant lots south side Seventy-sixth street, Third to Lexington avenue.....	M. Mahony.....	
Outlet sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Hudson river, through Public Drive and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street to Tenth avenue.....	M. H. Moore, 220 E. 105th st..	{ T. McManus..... 709 Lexington avenue. { Tim. Donovan ... 412 East 114th street.
Paving Lexington avenue, Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street.....	D. McGrath, Weehawken, N.J.	{ T. J. Slattery.... 207 West 57th street. { J. Keiser ..... 556 West 41st street.
Paving Eighty-first street, from Second to First avenue.....	D. McGrath, Weehawken, N.J.	{ T. J. Slattery.... 207 West 57th street. { J. Keiser ..... 556 West 41st street.

#### Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending October 23, 1880.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	23	193	12	..
In Pipe Yard foot of East Twenty-fourth street....	2	14	..	..
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.....	19	76	..	9
Repairing pavements.....	52	136	..	38
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	3	23	20	8
Maintenance and construction of Boulevards and Aves.	3	45	7	4
Repairing roads.....	1	18	..	3
Repaving, under chapter 476, Laws of 1875.....	..	..	..	..
Total.....	103	505	39	61
Increase over previous week.....	..	5	..	..
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	7	..

#### Appointments.

John Dunnigan, Inspector sewers.  
John Tierney, Inspector regulating, etc.

#### Transfers.

Andrew O'Rourke, Inspector, from sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

#### Removed on Completion of Work.

Felix Armstrong, Inspector sewers.

#### Requisitions on Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$51,528.95.

FRED. H. HAMLIN.

Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,  
WEDNESDAY, October 27, 1880, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.  
Present, all the members, viz.:  
Edward Cooper, the Mayor of the City of New York; John Kelly, the Comptroller of the City of New York; John J. Morris, the President of the Board of Aldermen; John Wheeler, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The reading of the minutes of the meeting held October 25, 1880, was dispensed with.

The Comptroller presented the following report:

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 21, 1880.

#### To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At the meeting on the 13th instant there were referred to the Comptroller two resolutions adopted by the Board of Police on the 8th instant, requesting the transfer of \$3,774.76 from certain appro-

priations made to the Police Department for the year 1880, which are in excess of the amount required, to other appropriations for the same year, which are insufficient.

I recommend that the transfers be made as requested, and herewith submit a resolution for that purpose.

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

—and offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of thirty-seven hundred and seventy-four dollars and seventy-six cents be and the same is hereby transferred from the following appropriations made to the Police Department for the year 1880, which are in excess of the amount required for the purposes or objects thereof, viz.:

"Police Fund—For salaries of Doormen".....	\$1,562 00
"Police Fund—For salaries of Patrolmen".....	2,212 76
Total.....	\$3,774 76

—to the following appropriations made to the Police Department for the year 1880, which are insufficient, viz.:

"Police Fund—For salaries of Sergeants".....	\$1,562 00
"Police Fund—For salaries of Clerks".....	2,212 76
Total.....	\$3,774 76

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following communications:

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 4, 1880.

#### The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—By direction of the Board of Police I herewith transmit communication from the Health Department relative to the condition of Eleventh Precinct Station-house (Union Market), and copy of report of Gen. E. S. Parker thereon, to be considered in connection with estimates for this Department for 1881, in providing suitable station-house accommodations for said precinct.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM H. KIPP, First Deputy Clerk.

#### To the Board of Health of the Health Department:

I, C. P. RUSSEL, M. D., holding the position of Sanitary Inspector in the Health Department in the City of New York, do report: That on the 21st day of August, 1880, I did inspect carefully, and personally examined the premises situated at the intersection of Second and East Houston streets, known as Union Market in the City of New York, and found the facts to be as follows: Said premises consist of a market below and police-station (Eleventh) above, and (in violation of section of the Sanitary Code) were found in a condition dangerous to life and detrimental to health, for the following reasons, viz.:

The water-closets and waste-pipe of the police station are out of order and lead down into the market below. Respectfully referred to the Police Department.

Dated August 21, 1880.

C. P. RUSSEL, M. D., Sanitary Inspector.

Sworn to before me, this 23d

day of August, 1880,

J. A. WEIL, Notary Public.

(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 26, 1880.

#### WM. H. KIPP, Esq., Acting Chief Clerk:

SIR—At a meeting of this Board, held on the 24th instant, it was

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Russel upon the condition of police station at intersection of Second street and East Houston street be forwarded to the Police Department for the necessary action.

(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 20, 1880.

#### To the Honorable Police Board of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to report, on the reference made to me by your Honorable Body of a communication from the "Board of Health," covering a report made by Sanitary Inspector Russel on the condition of the Eleventh Precinct Station-house, located over the Union Market, that the water-closets and other water conveniences necessary for the use of the force, the prisoners, and lodgers are all located on the second (2d) floor of the market building, and all waste is discharged through exposed pipes passing down through the market into the cellar, and then out to the street sewers upon each side of the building. The waste from the prison discharges through a cast-iron pipe, the waste from the lodging-rooms is also through an iron pipe, and both pipes are located upon the south side of the building. The waste from the men's wash sink is through a lead pipe, as also the waste from the men's water-closets, and both pipes are located upon the north side.

It is the men's water-closet that forms the principal cause of complaint made by Sanitary Inspector Russel. This and all the other plumbing work of the station-house is to-day in as good condition as such old work can be expected to be. But the pipes immediately connected with the men's water-closets being very much exposed to the weather, are more liable to freeze and burst in the winter. This occurs every winter, but seldom, if at all, at any other time. When a burst occurs, the filth in the pipes is, as a matter of course, dropped into the market below, and for the time being becomes an intolerable nuisance. Such accidents, however, have a ways been remedied as soon as a plumber could be got there. The market people are afraid of these accidents, because they are liable to happen at any moment.

The plumbing of the station-house is very old, and all the water-closets, cell-hoppers, and waste-pipes have necessarily become exceedingly foul, and the vitiated or poisoned air is felt most in the station-house itself. The waste-pipes passing through the market are not really objectionable, as they are vertical and all matter passes through them quickly.

The only remedy I know of is to take out all the old plumbing and replace it with new, but this would be expensive, and only a temporary make-shift, as the new work would soon foul up, besides the waste-pipes would have to be passed through the market the same as now.

I was informed that a leak from the lodging-rooms was perceptible at this time, but I was not able to find it. If it was leaking, it must be very slight, and must be the only one at present.

The communication from the Board of Health is herewith returned.

Respectfully submitted by your obedient servant,

E. S. PARKER.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 19, 1880.

#### The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police, held this day, the inclosed communication from the Health Department relative to the condition of the "Union Market Building" (Eleventh Precinct Station-house) was referred to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be considered in connection with the Departmental Estimate of the Police Department, in making suitable provision for the Eleventh Precinct for the year 1881.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, First Deputy Clerk.

#### To the Board of Health of the Health Department:

I, CHARLES P. RUSSEL, holding the position of Sanitary Inspector in the Health Department in the City of New York, do report: That on the 6th day of October, 1880, I did inspect carefully, and personally examined the premises situated at the intersection of East Houston and Second streets, known as Union Market, in the City of New York, and found the facts to be as follows: Said premises (in violation of section of the Sanitary Code) were found in a condition dangerous to life and detrimental to health, for the following reasons, viz.:

This is a public building. The ground floor is occupied as a market. The second and third floors constitute the Eleventh Precinct Police Station. The plumbing work of the whole place is in very bad condition, generally rotten and constantly leaking into the market underneath, whose ceiling, as a consequence, is scaling off and constantly falling. Almost every portion of the police station is greatly out of repair, and filthy and repulsive from the presence of vermin in the walls, woodwork, etc. It is impossible to give details of the miserable condition of this building. It is certainly unfit for present uses, and should be vacated.

Dated October 6, 1880.

CHARLES P. RUSSEL, M. D., Sanitary Inspector.

Sworn to before me, this

day of 1880,

Notary Public.

(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.



HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 14, 1880.

S. C. HAWLEY, Esq., Chief Clerk:

SIR—At a meeting of this Board, held on the 12th instant, it was  
“Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Russel, upon the condition of  
premises, Union Market, Eleventh Precinct, East Houston street and Second avenue, be forwarded to  
the Police Department for the necessary action.”  
(A true copy.)

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

Which were referred to the Comptroller and ordered to be printed in the minutes.

The Comptroller presented the following communication:

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 19, 1880.

The Honorable Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police, held this day, it was  
Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to transfer the sum of  
eighteen hundred and eighty-four dollars and seventy-five cents from the appropriation made to  
the Police Department for the year 1879, entitled account “Supplies for Police,” which is in excess  
of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same  
Department for the year 1879, entitled account “Contingent Expenses,” which is insufficient to enable  
the Department to pay the amount of expenses incurred by Captain Alexander S. Williams for counsel  
fees, payment of witnesses, stenographer's and surveyor's fees, etc., on the trial of the indictment  
found against him for an alleged assault, charged to have been committed by him when engaged in  
the performance of his duty as Captain of Police, at the review of the First Division of the National  
Guard, on October 15, 1879, said trial having resulted in a verdict of acquittal.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, First Deputy Clerk.

Which was referred to the Comptroller and ordered to be printed in the minutes.

By unanimous consent, the rule adopted at meeting held June 24, 1879, relating to calls of  
meetings, was suspended in order to act upon the issue of “Revenue Bonds of the City of New  
York.”

Whereupon the Comptroller presented the following report:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
October 27, 1880.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

As provided by chapter 556 of the Laws of 1880, I have inquired into the facts and circumstances  
under which the contract for the work of constructing outlet-sewer in Seventeenth street, from Hudson  
river to and through Eleventh avenue and Twenty-third street to near Tenth avenue, etc., was made  
and entered into by the city, and being satisfied that the said contract comes within the provisions of  
the said act, I have ascertained and am of the opinion that the work under the said contract was  
delayed by the acts of the city, its officers and agents, and that the continuance of such period of  
delay was five hundred and forty-nine (549) days; and that the date upon which said contract would  
have been completed but for the delay caused, for which the contractor was not responsible, was  
January 6, 1873; and that the amount of the difference for interest charged on advances made by  
the city on said contract between the time of said advances and the date of the completion of the  
work and the time of said advances to the date of confirmation of the assessment therefor, together  
with the interest thereon from that date, January 6, 1873, to October 26, 1880, has been ascertained  
to be the sum of thirty-two thousand six hundred and seventy-four dollars and sixty-four cents  
(\$32,674.64), which amount is due the contractor under the provisions of said act.

To provide for the payment of this amount I recommend the adoption of a resolution herewith  
submitted, authorizing the issue, under the act referred to, of Revenue Bonds for thirty-two thousand  
six hundred and seventy-four dollars and sixty-four cents.

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

And offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue, from time to time as  
may be required, and at such rate of interest as he may determine, not exceeding five per cent. per  
annum, “Revenue Bonds of the City of New York,” to an amount not exceeding thirty-two thousand  
six hundred and seventy-four and 64-100 dollars, as authorized by section 4 of chapter 556, Laws of  
1880.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of  
New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes  
and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following report:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 21, 1880.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

At a meeting of the Board on the 13th instant, there was referred to the Comptroller a resolu-  
tion adopted by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks on the 6th instant, requesting  
that, under section 8 of chapter 565, Laws of 1880, the sum of \$150,000 be provided to meet the  
expense of labor and materials necessary for the improvement of Morningside Park, and of the  
approaches to said park from the streets and avenues bounding the same.

I therefore recommend the adoption of the resolution herewith submitted, authorizing the issue  
from time to time of stock to the amount of \$150,000, under the authority contained in the act  
referred to.

Respectfully,

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

And offered the following preamble and resolution:

Whereas, By section 8 of chapter 565 of the Laws of 1880, the Comptroller is authorized and  
directed to create and issue stock to provide means for the improvement of Morningside Park, upon a  
requisition by resolution of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and

Whereas, The said Commissioners have made such requisition for the sum of one hundred and  
fifty thousand dollars; and therefore,

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue from time  
to time as may be required, and at such rates of interest as he may determine, not exceeding five per  
cent. per annum, stock for the improvement of Morningside Park, to the amount of \$150,000, as  
authorized by section 8 of chapter 565 of the Laws of 1880.

The Chairman moved that the preamble and resolution lay over, and that the Commissioners of  
the Department of Public Parks be requested to appear before the Board in explanation at a meeting  
to be held to-morrow (28th), at 2 o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

The Chairman moved that the heads of the various Departments be invited to attend a meeting  
of the Board to be held to-morrow (28th), at 2 o'clock P. M., to consider the Departmental Estimates  
for the year 1881.

Which was agreed to.

The Chairman moved that the Board resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the con-  
sideration of the Departmental Estimates for the year 1881.

Which was agreed to.

The President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments moved that the Committee of the  
Whole arise.

Which was agreed to.

The Chairman moved that the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to inform this Board  
whether or not, in his opinion, under the provisions of chapter 521 of the Laws of 1880, the wages of  
mechanics and other persons employed by the day, at a greater rate than two dollars per day, are to  
be included in the Departmental Estimates in the aggregate sum of salaries and compensation of  
persons employed in such Departments, excluding day laborers, as defined by the act, upon which  
a reduction of ten per cent. is to be made in the Departmental Estimates for the year 1881, as com-  
pared with the amounts paid therefor during the present fiscal year, or, in other words, while the act  
provides that every person shall be considered a day laborer who performs day labor, and is paid there-  
for a sum less than two dollars per day, does it also mean that no others, as, for instance, a mechanic  
working by the day, who performs day labor, and is paid more than two dollars per day, is to be  
included as day laborers in determining the aggregate sum upon which a reduction of ten per cent. is  
to be made.

Which was agreed to.

The Chairman moved that when the Board adjourn, it do so to meet to-morrow, October 28,  
1880, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Which was agreed to.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN WHEELER, Secretary.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,  
NEW YORK, September 17, 1880.

SETH C. HAWLEY, Esq., Chief Clerk of the Department of Police:

SIR—I am in receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, requesting answers to the following  
questions:

1.—Will the Inspectors of Election be required to make four copies of the statement of the  
canvass instead of three, as required by section 56 of chapter 675 of the Laws of 1872, as section 14 of  
chapter 56 of the Laws of 1880 seems to require a duplicate copy in addition to the one now required  
by law to be sent to the Clerk of the County.

2.—Does the word “caption,” in section 3 of chapter 366 of the Laws of 1880, mean the indorse-  
ment of the ballot, or what part of a ticket does it apply to?

3.—How shall the ballots be indorsed?

4.—How shall the ballot-boxes be marked and numbered?

In answer, I advise:

1.—Section 56 of chapter 675 of the Laws of 1872 requires that the “Inspectors shall make trip-  
licate statements of the results of the canvass and estimates of the votes.”

That the statements shall be delivered, one to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, another to  
the County Clerk, and the third to the Chief of the Bureau of Elections.

Chapter 56 of the Laws of 1880 requires (section 14) that the “Inspectors of each Election Dis-  
trict shall, within twenty-four hours after the completion of the canvass, in addition to the making  
and filing of the returns and statements thereof now directed and required by law, cause a duplicate  
of such return or statement to be filed in the office of the Clerk of the County.”

Prior to the last-mentioned act the Revised Statutes provided that statements or returns made by  
the Inspectors of Election should be delivered to the supervisor of the town or ward, and a true copy  
thereof filed in the office of the clerk of the town or city where such election was held.

Vide Article 4, Title 4, Chapter 6, Part I., Revised Statutes.

From the provisions of this general act the City of New York was excepted by the provisions of  
chapter 675 of the Laws of 1872, above mentioned, which required such statements or returns to be  
made in triplicate, and delivered as hereinabove mentioned.

The act of 1880, therefore, seems to me to have been intended to compel the filing of a duplicate  
of the Inspector's statement in the office of the County Clerk, in those portions of the State where  
such filing was not already required.

But since the filing of such duplicate with the County Clerk was already compelled in the City  
of New York by the act of 1872, which seems to me that the above quoted provision of chapter 56 of  
the Laws of 1880 is inapplicable to the City and County of New York, or, at all events, requires no  
return to be filed with the County Clerk in addition to the return which the Law of 1872 required to  
be filed.

I therefore advise you that only one copy of the returns need be filed with the County Clerk.

2.—The act, chapter 366 of the Laws of 1880, section 2, requires that “every ballot shall have a  
caption, as provided by law; but such caption shall be printed in one separate line, in black ink,  
with plain type of the size now generally known and designated as Great Primer Roman Condensed  
Capitals.”

The object of this statute, as declared in its title and throughout the body of the act, is to  
prevent the use of ballots containing any impression, device, mark, or peculiarity upon or about  
them, to distinguish one ballot from another in appearance, so as to preserve inviolate the secrecy  
thereof.

There is no law providing that it shall have a caption, but a statute (section 4 of chapter 675 of  
the Laws of 1872) does require indorsements to be printed upon the outside thereof.

It is, therefore, evident that the provision cited in relation to the printing of captions upon the  
ballots, in specified type, has relation to the indorsement required by law; and I therefore advise you  
that such indorsement should be printed in one separate line, in black ink, with plain type, of the  
size now generally known and designated as Great Primer Roman Condensed Capitals.

3.—The third and fourth questions may be answered together by comparison of the statutes con-  
taining the provisions in relation to the indorsement of ballots and the making and numbering of  
ballot-boxes.

The act, chapter 675, Laws of 1872, sections 3 and 4, provides for ballot-boxes to be designated  
and numbered in series from one to seven, and for seven diverse indorsements to be placed on the  
ballots of different kinds to designate in which box they are to be deposited.

By chapter 553, Laws of 1880, provision is made for ballots to be indorsed respectively “State,”  
“Judiciary,” “City and County.”

And provision is also made for ballot-boxes to be kept in which shall be deposited ballots  
indorsed “State,” “Judiciary,” “County,” “City and County,” “Assembly,” “Senate,” and  
“Congress;” also as many additional boxes as there are additional kinds of ballots required.

This act, however, makes no provision for marking or numbering of the boxes.

It is also provided that the act of 1872 is repealed so far as it is inconsistent with the act of 1880.

It, therefore, follows that the indorsement of the ballots must accord with the act of 1872, except  
in those items which have been altered by the act of 1880, that the numbering and marking of the  
ballot-boxes remains as prescribed by the act of 1872, so far as such provisions are consistent with the  
new indorsements required.

The act of 1872 provided that ballots for “all other officers in whose election all the voters  
of the said city and county alike participate, except those herein designated to be voted for on  
separate ballots, shall be voted for upon one ballot, \* \* \* which, when folded,  
shall be indorsed and show upon the outside thereof the words ‘General, Number Two,’ and be  
deposited in box Number Two.”

The act, chapter 553, Laws of 1880, section one, subdivided the ballots which, under the act  
of 1872, were to be indorsed “General, Number Two,” into three divisions, namely:

Subdivision 1. Names of all persons voted for by any elector at any election, in whose election  
all the voters of the State have the right alike to participate, shall be upon one ballot, which ballot  
shall be indorsed “State.”

Subdivision 2. The names of all persons voted for by any elector at any election of Chief  
Judge and Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals, Justices of the Supreme Court, County Judge,  
separate officers to perform the duty of Surrogate, local officers to perform the duties of County  
Judge and Surrogate, and all other judges and justices, except such as are elected in and for a  
district which comprises less than an entire county (or city whose boundaries are coterminous with  
those of a county), shall be upon one ballot, which ballot shall be indorsed “Judiciary.”

Subdivision 3. The names of the persons voted for by any elector at any election for any local  
officer, in whose election all the voters of the county have the right alike to participate, except  
Representatives in Congress, Senators, and Members of Assembly, shall be upon one ballot, which  
ballot shall be indorsed “County;” but where the boundaries of a city and county shall be coter-  
minous, then all the city and county officers, in whose election all the electors of the city and county  
have alike the right to participate, except Judges or Justices aforesaid, shall be upon one ballot,  
which ballot shall be indorsed “City and County.”

The effect of these provisions seems to be such that the ballots which, under the act of 1872,  
were indorsed “General, Number Two” are now comprehended within the three divisions, “State,”  
“Judiciary,” and “City and County,” and consequently that, in the place of the ballot-box which,  
under the act of 1872, was directed to be marked and numbered “Number Two, General,” should be  
provided boxes appropriately designated to receive the three classes of ballots above mentioned.

It follows, therefore, that having regard to the modifications of the act of 1872, wrought by  
chapter 553 of the Laws of 1880, the ballots will be indorsed, and the boxes marked and numbered,  
as follows:

1. Ballots for Electors of President and Vice-President shall be indorsed “President, Number,”  
and deposited in a ballot-box marked and numbered “Number One, President.”

2. Ballots for officers in whose election all the voters of the State have the right to participate,  
except Electors of President and Vice-President and Chief Judge and Associate Judges of the Court  
of Appeals, shall be indorsed “State” and deposited in a box for which no number or designation  
is provided by statute.

3. Ballots for Chief Judge and Associate Judges of the Court of Appeals, Justices of the Supreme  
Court, County Judge, separate officers to perform the duties of Surrogate, local officers to perform  
the duties of County Judge and Surrogate, and all other Judges or Justices, except such as are elected  
in and for a district which comprises less than an entire county, or city whose boundaries are  
coterminous with those of a county, shall be indorsed “Judiciary,” and shall be deposited in a  
box for which no number or designation is provided by statute.

4. Ballots for any local officer in whose election all the electors of the city and county have  
the right to participate, except Representatives in Congress, Senators, and Members of Assembly,  
shall be indorsed “City and County,” and shall be deposited in a box for which no number or  
designation is provided by statute.

5. Ballots for Representatives in Congress shall be indorsed “Congress, Number Three,”  
and shall be deposited in a box marked and numbered “Number Three, Congress.”

6. Ballots for Senator shall be indorsed “Senator, Number Four,” and deposited in a box  
numbered and marked “Number Four, Senator.”

7. Ballots for Member of Assembly shall be indorsed “Assembly, Number Five,” and be depos-  
ited in a box marked and numbered “Number Five, Assembly.”

8. Ballots for Aldermen who are to be elected by districts shall be indorsed “City, Number  
Six,” and be deposited in a box marked and numbered “Number Six, City.”

9. Ballots for Justices of District Courts shall be indorsed “Justices, Number Seven,”  
and be deposited in a box marked and numbered “Number Seven, Justices.”

Respectfully yours,

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.



## APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the name of L. Gardie, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read L. Garde.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 16, 1880.

Resolved, That the name of Charles D. Lemon, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Charles D. Lemmon.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 16, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John T. Farley to erect a bay-window on house about to be erected on the northwest corner of Lexington avenue, and Seventy-fifth street; such bay-window to be on the parlor or first floor of said building, to have an opening not to exceed ten feet, and not to project more than three feet beyond the house-line, as shown on the annexed diagram, 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, October 5, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 18, 1880.

Resolved, That curb and gutter stones be set, and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, in Ninth avenue, from Eighty-first to One Hundred and Tenth street, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted in Cypress avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to the Port Morris Branch Railroad, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Morris and Railroad avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Fiftieth street, between Robbins and Tinton avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Approved by the Mayor, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of Fifty-ninth street, between Seventh and Sixth avenues, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That two lamp-posts be placed and two boulevard lamps lighted in front of Grammar School No. 71, in Seventh street, south side, near Avenue B, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from the easterly crosswalk of Third avenue to the westerly crosswalk of Avenue A, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of Eighty-third street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and on the east side of Ninth avenue, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of Fifty-eighth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed and lighted in One Hundred and Tenth street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That gas lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted on both sides of Eighty-ninth street, from Third avenue to Avenue B, where not already erected or lighted, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Teller place, between Railroad and Courtland avenues, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the south side of Sixty-ninth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, be fenced in, where not already so fenced, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block of land bounded by Madison and Fifth avenues, Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

Resolved, That lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps lighted in Pleasant avenue, from One Hundred and Fifteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 12, 1880.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1880.

## 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.  
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary; John Tracey, Chief Clerk.

**Mayor's Marshal's Office.**  
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

**Permit and License Bureau Office.**  
No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

**Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.**  
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM EYLLERS, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

**Office of Clerk of Common Council.**  
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN J. MORRIS, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

**Commissioner's Office.**  
No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

**Bureau of Water Register.**  
No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

**Bureau of Incumbrances.**  
No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

**Bureau of Lamps and Gas.**  
No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

**Bureau of Streets.**  
No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

**Bureau of Sewers.**  
No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

**Bureau of Chief Engineer.**  
No. 11½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

**Bureau of Street Improvements.**  
No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

**Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.**  
No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.

**Bureau of Water Purveyor.**  
No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

**Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.**  
JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

**Comptroller's Office.**  
Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STOKES, Deputy Comptroller.

**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.

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

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

**Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.**  
No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Collector.

**Bureau of City Revenue.**  
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue.

**Bureau of Markets.**  
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.

## LAW DEPARTMENT

**Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.**  
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 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.**  
Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
TOWNSEND COX, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

**Headquarters.**  
Nos. 155, and 157 Mercer street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSSEN, Secretary.

## 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.  
JAMES F. WENMAN, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

**Civil and Topographical Office.**  
Arsenal, 64th street a d 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
**Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.**  
Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS**  
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN WHEELER, President; ALBERT STORRR, Secretary.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Mulberry and Houston streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
RICHARD J. MORRISON, President; J. B. ADAMSON, Chief Clerk.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
PRTER BOWE, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
FREDERICK W. LOEW, Register; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARROW.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS DUNLAP, 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; J. HENRY FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

## ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

**THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAPTER 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, modify, or vacate assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, give notice to all persons affected thereby that the notices required by said act must be filed with the Comptroller of said city and a duplicate thereof with the Counsel to the Corporation, as follows:**

First. As to all assessments confirmed prior to June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1880.  
Second. 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 Morningside avenues, within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

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

Dated New York, July 13, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER,

JOHN KELLY, Mayor.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

Commissioner of Public Works.

GEORGE H. ANDREWS,

Commissioner under said Act.

DANIEL LORD, Jr.,

Commissioner under said Act.

## JURORS.

## NOTICE

## IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

**OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,**  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, July 1, 1880.

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

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

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

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,**  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 27, 1880.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT**  
three horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, November 9, 1880, at ten o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,  
Chief Clerk.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,**  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 19, 1880.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT**  
the following described property of this Department will be sold at public auction, on Friday, November 5, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, No. 110 East Thirteenth street, viz.:

One truck.  
One safe.  
Two light wagons.  
One horse.

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,  
Chief Clerk.



POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
ROOM NO. 39, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 10, 1880.

**OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY**  
Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, Room No. 39, 300 Mulberry street, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boots, iron rope, earth closets, male and female clothing (made and unmade), gold and silver watches, diamond rings, pin, etc., boots, bags and contents, tobacco, revolvers, and sundry lot of miscellaneous; also small amount of cash found and taken from prisoners by Patrolmen of this Department.

A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 27, 1880.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 122.)

**PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING ALL THE OLD PLATFORM AND BUILDING A RIP-RAP EMBANKMENT, WITH RUBBLE WALL ON TOP THEREOF AND WOODEN PLATFORM IN FRONT OF THE SAME, AND A RUBBLE BOUNDARY WALL, FROM FORTY-NINTH STREET TO FIFTY-FIRST STREET, EAST RIVER.**

**ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING ALL THE OLD** platform and preparing for and building a rip-rap embankment, with rubble wall on top thereof and a wooden platform in front of the same, and rubble boundary walls, from Forty-ninth street to Fifty-first street, East river, 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

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1880,

at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Four Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities, and extent of the work is as follows:

CLASS 1. Old embankment to be dredged below one foot below mean low water-mark, and the dredged material to be removed and disposed of in accordance with the law, about 470 cubic yards.

CLASS 2. Rip-rap stone for embankment, deposited in place, about 1,127 cubic yards.

CLASS 3. Rubble wall built upon the embankment, about 664 cubic yards.

NOTE.—The price bid per cubic yard for this class of work will cover the cost and expense of the excavation, removal and disposal, in accordance with the law, of all the material of the old embankment (estimated at 900 cubic yards, more or less), including earth, stone, timber work, etc., which will be required to be removed, above one foot below mean low water-mark, to make room for the construction of the rubble wall on top of the rip-rap embankment, and for that portion of the platform that will come behind the wall.

CLASS 4. Wooden platform in front of the rubble wall. This item will require the following quantities:

About 172 spruce piles.

Ten pine mooring posts.

Seventy-eight half-round oak or hickory fenders.

measured in the work.

Yellow Pine Sawed Timber, 12"x13", about 26,624

" " " 12"x12", " 18,948

" " " 10"x10", " 11,700

" " " 7"x12", " 175

" " " 6"x12", " 240

" " " 5"x12", " 58,710

" " " 5"x10", " 7,108

Total..... 123,505

Pile shoes of cast and wrought iron combined, as per plan, about..... 5,676 pounds.

1 1/2" and 1" wrought-iron screw-bolts and wrought-iron washers, about..... 502 "

26" x 3/8", 22" x 3/8", 18" x 3/8", 12" x 3/8", 11" x 3/8", 10" x 3/8", and 10" x 3/8" square wrought-iron spike-pointed dock bolts, about..... 8,350 "

Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of every description.

The superficial area of this platform will be about 11,278 square feet.

NOTE.—The yellow pine timber in this class is exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

CLASS 5. Rubble boundary wall built, about 158 cubic yards.

NOTE.—The price bid per cubic yard for this class of work will cover the cost and expense of the excavation, removal and disposal, in accordance with law, of all the material (estimated at 180 cubic yards, more or less), including earth, stone, timber work, etc., which will be required to be removed to make room for the rubble boundary wall, and of filling in along said wall after it is completed.

N. B.—As the above mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

(1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of their estimate, dispute or complain of such Engineer's estimate, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

(2.) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of the work before enumerated which shall be actually performed, at the prices therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

All the old material taken from said old embankment and old platform, between Forty-ninth street and Fifty-first street, East river, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the prices for which they will do the several classes of work under the contract and as affected thereby.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date thereof, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the 20th day of April, 1881; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day

that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled, after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates the price for each separate class above specified of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract and specifications therein set forth, by which the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover the expenses of furnishing all the necessary materials and labor, and the performance of all the work set forth in the annexed agreement.

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

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

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

Each 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person 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 the contract, and stated in these proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, and by section 27 of chapter VIII, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered are to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

HENRY F. DIMOCK,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

## ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF THE COMMON COUNCIL,  
NO. 8 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, October 1, 1880.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO** the provisions of section 1, chapter 503, Laws of 1875, being an act to amend chapter 675, Laws of 1872, entitled "An act in relation to elections in the City and County of New York, and to provide for ascertaining by proper proofs the citizens who shall be entitled to the rights of suffrage thereat," that at the General Election to be held in this State, on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November next (November 2), the following municipal officers are to be elected in the City and County of New York, viz:

A Mayor, in the place of Edward Cooper;

Six Aldermen-at-Large;

Three Aldermen, in the territory comprised within the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Tenth, and Fourteenth Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, in the territory comprised within the Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth, and Sixteenth Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, in the territory comprised within the Tenth, Eleventh, and Seventeenth Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, in the territory comprised within the Eighteenth, Twentieth, and Twenty-first Wards of the City of New York;

Three Aldermen, in the territory comprised within the Twelfth, Nineteenth, and Twenty-second Wards of the City of New York;

One Alderman, in the territory comprised within the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of the City of New York;

A Register, in the place of Frederick W. Loew;

A Recorder, in the place of Frederick Smyth, appointed in place of John K. Hackett, deceased;

A Judge of the Superior Court, in place of Horace Russell, appointed by the Governor in place of William E. Curtis, deceased;

A Justice of the Marine Court, in place of and for the residue of the unexpired term of James P. Sinnott, deceased.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk of the Common Council.

## PUBLIC POUND.

NEW YORK, October 27, 1880.

**A LARGE RED COW, WITH LEFT EAR SPLIT,** to be sold from the Public Pound, if not called for by the owner, on Monday, November 1, at 10 o'clock A. M., Public Pound, Ninety-third street and Second avenue.

DAVID MCMAHON,  
Pound Keeper.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I SHALL** sell at public auction at the Public Pound, corner of One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Elton avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, on Wednesday, the 27th instant, at 9 o'clock A. M., one brown horse twelve hands high, ten years old, blind, with white spot on face.

Dated New York, October 23, 1880.

GEORGE BRUCKNER,  
Pound Master.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, October 27, 1880.

## NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

**ON TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1880, AT 11** o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, at the Corporation Yard, foot of Gansevoort street, North river, by Thomas Bowe, Auctioneer, the following articles, viz:

Lot of signs.

Lot of boxes.

Furniture.

Stands.

Old wood.

Kegs.

Flag-stones.

Granite column.

Trucks.

Wagons.

Carts.

Carpenter bench.

## TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal of the articles by purchaser.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, October 20, 1880.

## PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A

Petition of the property-owners, with a map and plan for changing the grade of Sixty-ninth street, between First and Third avenues, is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned, at his office, on or before Monday, the 1st of November, 1880.

The map showing the present and proposed grades can be seen at Room 19, City Hall.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER, ROOM 10, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, October 15, 1880.

## CROTON WATER RATES.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER, ROOM 10, CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 28, 1880.

## CROTON WATER RATES.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, ACCORD-** ing to law, Croton water rates for the current year will be due and payable at this office on and after May 1, 1880.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

**THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF** the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday at two o'clock P. M., at Room No. 8 City Hall.

HENRY C. PERLEY,  
THOMAS SHELLY,  
JOHN MCCLAVE,  
HENRY HAFEN,  
BERNARD KENNEY,  
Committee on Public Works.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 25, 1880.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIX (6)** horses will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on Friday, 29th instant, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirtieth street.

VINCENT C. KING,  
JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
Commissioners.

## HEADQUARTERS

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 22, 1880.

**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.

1,800 bags clean White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

1,200 bags Fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag.

—will be received at these Headquarters until 9 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, the 6th proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

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

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.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each proposal, who must each justify thereon, prior to its presentation, in an amount not less than one-half of the amount thereof.

Blank forms of proposals, together with such further information as may be required, may be obtained upon application at these Headquarters, where the prescribed form of contract may also be seen.

Proposals must be indorsed upon the envelope "Proposals for Furnishing Forage," with the name of the bidder, and be addressed to the Board of Commissioners of this Department.

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all of the proposals received, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

VINCENT C. KING,  
JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
Commissioners.

## HEADQUARTERS

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, November 7, 1878.

**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 the Board.

VINCENT C. KING, President  
JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
Commissioners

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones and flagging in Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets.

No. 2. Paving Fifty-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 3. Paving Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 4. Sewer in Sixty-ninth street, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue.

No. 5. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets.

No. 6. Basin northwest corner of One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Avenue A.

No. 7. Sewer in Sylvan place, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets.

No. 8. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.

No. 9. Fencing vacant lots, Fifth and Madison avenues and Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.

No. 10. Basin at the junction of Beaver and Pearl streets.

No. 11. Cross-walk at the northerly and southerly intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

No. 12. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 13. Sewer in Fifty-eighth street, between First and Second avenues, from end of present sewer in First avenue.

No. 14. Sewer in Fifty-second street, between Third and Lexington avenues, from end of present sewer to near Lexington avenue.

No. 15. Fencing vacant lots, Seventy-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

No. 16. Fencing vacant lots, northeast corner of Eighty-sixth and Avenue A.

No. 17. Fencing vacant lots, Fifth and Madison avenues, Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets.

No. 18. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Sixth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

No. 19. Sewer in Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Fifth street.

No. 20. Sewer in Sixty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 21. Sewers in Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 22. Sewer in Forty-third street, between First avenue and East river.

No. 23. Crosswalks at the intersection of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-second street.

No. 24. Fencing vacant lots One Hundred and Tenth street, north side, from Seventh to New avenues, and south side, from Eighth to Ninth avenues.

No. 25. Fencing vacant lots east side Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

No. 26. Fencing vacant lots west side Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Seventh to One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

No. 27. Fencing vacant lots southwest corner One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Fifth avenue.

No. 28. Fencing vacant lots north and south side of Seventy-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and on Tenth avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.

No. 29. Fencing vacant lots west side of the Boulevard, from Seventy-second to Seventy-fourth street.

No. 30. Basins northeast corner of Front and Montgomery streets, and northwest corner of South and Montgomery streets.

No. 31. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Seventh avenue and a point 300 feet west of Seventh avenue.

No. 32. Fencing vacant lots southwest corner of First avenue and Sixty-first street.

No. 33. Fencing vacant lots south side Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 34. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones in Eighty-first street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 35. Sewer in Front street between Dover and Roosevelt streets.



No. 22. Both sides of Forty-third street, between First avenue and East river.  
 No. 23. To the extent of half of the block at the intersection of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-second street.  
 No. 24. Both sides of One Hundred and Tenth street, between Seventh and Ninth avenues.  
 No. 25. East side of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifteenth street.  
 No. 26. West side of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifteenth street.  
 No. 27. South side of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and west side of Fifth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets.  
 No. 28. Both sides of Seventy-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and east side of Tenth avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.  
 No. 29. West side of the Boulevard, from Seventy-second to Seventy-fourth street.  
 No. 30. Both sides of Montgomery street, between Front, South, and Water streets.  
 No. 31. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.  
 No. 32. West side of First avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets, and south side of Sixty-first street, extending 182 feet west from First avenue.  
 No. 33. South side of Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.  
 No. 34. Both sides of Eighty-first street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.  
 No. 35. Both sides of Front street, between Dover and Roosevelt streets.  
 No. 36. South side of Seventieth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.  
 No. 37. Both sides of Cliff street, between Beekman and Ferry streets.  
 No. 38. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.  
 No. 39. Both sides of Jane street, extending 175 feet east of the easterly side of Thirtieth avenue, and east side of Thirtieth avenue, between West Twelfth and Horatio streets.  
 No. 40. West side of Mt. Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.  
 No. 41. South side of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, Room 12, City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,  
 EDWARD NORTH,  
 DANIEL STANBURY,  
 JOHN H. MOONEY,  
 Board of Assessors.  
 OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
 ROOM 12, CITY HALL,  
 NEW YORK, October 1, 1880.

### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Central Park, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Seventy-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

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

I. That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to Frederick Smyth, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the tenth day of November, 1880, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said tenth day of November, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance, at our said office, on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

II. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the nineteenth day of November, 1880.

III. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in said City, and which, taken together, are bounded and joined as follows, to wit: Northerly, by the centre line of the blocks between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets; southerly, by the centre line of the blocks between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets; easterly, by the centre line of the Eighth avenue, and westerly, by the established bulkhead line of the Hudson river.

IV. That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 30th day of November, 1880, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, October 1st, 1880.

FREDERICK SMYTH,  
 JACOB F. OAKLEY,  
 WILLIAM M. TWEED, JR.,  
 Commissioners.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
 No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
 NEW YORK, October 28, 1880.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from 343 Tenth avenue—Unknown man (colored); aged about 45 years; 5 feet 11 inches high; black hair; side whiskers and imperial. Had on blue coat, brown cardigan jacket, blue flannel pants, white knit under shirt, white drawers, blue check jumper, leather slippers, cloth cap.

Unknown man, from foot of Canal street, North river—Aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark brown hair; red moustache. Had on blue jean jumper, blue check jumper, blue check shirt, dark woolen pants, blue ribbed socks.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Hannah Murphy; aged 30 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; red hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, black skirt and basque, striped undershirt, black cloth gaiters. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Catharine Meyers; aged 34 years; 4 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,  
 G. F. BRITTON,  
 Assistant Secretary.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES.

#### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

5,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition, October 28th.  
 20,000 Fresh Eggs (all to be candled).  
 10 hdds. Molasses.  
 10 barrels Pickles (2,000 to the barrel).  
 20 barrels Wheaten Grits (160 pounds net each).  
 5,000 pounds Pearl Barley.  
 1,500 pounds Granulated Sugar.

FOR NEW WING OF INSANE ASYLUM.

300 feet 1 1/4" clear Pine Plank in the rough.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 29th day of October, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, etc.," and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.  
 Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such time and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department; but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on or before thirty (30) days after the date of the contract.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be 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 shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours 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 defaulting to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and let as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same respectively, at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price or each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, October 15, 1880.

TOWNSEND COX,  
 THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
 JACOB HESS,  
 Commissioners of the Department of  
 Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
 No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
 NEW YORK, October 20, 1880.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Thirtieth Precinct Station-house—Unknown man; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; dark hair; gray eyes. Had on black alpaca coat, dark cloth vest and pants, striped shirt, white knit undershirt, brogan shoes, black felt hat.

Unknown woman, from foot of Twenty-sixth street, North river; aged 30 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; light

hair; gray eyes. Had on dark calico waist, dark petticoat, white chemise, white cotton drawers, dark woolen barred stockings, leather slipper.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—George Smith; aged 37 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; black hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted, blue coat, gray pants and vest, white shirt, straw hat, low shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Ann Moran; aged 35 years. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Mary Hessler; aged 62 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted dark skirt, gray shawl, blue hood. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Robert Cauldwell; aged 68 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown eyes; black hair. Had on when admitted dark coat and vest, brown overalls. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Thomas O'Connell; aged 48 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted brown coat, dark pants and vest, striped shirt, black hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order,  
 G. F. BRITTON,  
 Assistant Secretary.

### THE CITY RECORD.

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

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
 BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
 32 CHAMBERS STREET,  
 NEW YORK, October 25, 1880.

#### NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT rolls on real estate, personal property and bank stock in the City and County of New York, for the year 1880, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes thereon are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in the 29th section of the act of March 30, 1850, viz:

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

MARTIN T. McMAHON,  
 Receiver of Taxes.

#### REDEMPTION OF CITY STOCK.

THE WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, payable on or after the first day of November, 1880, will be paid on the first day of November, 1880, by the Comptroller, at his office, in the New Court-house, on the surrender of the certificates.

Interest on said stock will cease on the first day of November, 1880.

JOHN KELLY,  
 Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
 NEW YORK, October 14, 1880.

#### INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1880, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer-books will be closed from September 27 to November 1, 1880.

JOHN KELLY,  
 Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
 NEW YORK, September 21, 1880.

#### ARREARS OF ASSESSMENTS.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK hereby gives notice to the owners of real estate, that as provided by chapter 195, passed May 7, 1880, at any time before the first day of September, 1880, any person liable therefor may pay the amount of any assessment for any local improvement in the City of New York, confirmed prior to the passage of said act, and remaining unpaid with interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum, and after said first day of September, and before the first day of December, 1880, any such assessment may be paid as aforesaid with interest at the rate of nine per centum per annum, from the date of confirmation to the date of payment thereof.

If any such assessment shall not be paid before the first day of December, 1880, the rate of interest thereon will be twelve per centum per annum thereafter, as provided by law, from the date of confirmation to the date of payment. The said act of 1880 is published herewith.

JOHN KELLY,  
 Comptroller.  
 CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 23, 1880.

#### CHAPTER 195.

AN ACT in relation to the payment of assessments for local improvements in the City of New York.

Passed May 7, 1880; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. At any time before the first day of September, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person liable therefor may pay, to the officer authorized to receive the same, the amount of any assessment for any local improvement in the City of New York, heretofore confirmed and now unpaid, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of confirmation to the date of payment and at any time on or after said first day of September, and before the first day of December, eighteen hundred and eighty, any such assessment may be paid as aforesaid, with interest at the rate of nine per centum per annum from the date of confirmation to the date of payment.

Sec. 2. Where any installment or installments of any assessments have been paid under the provisions of chapter one hundred and three of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-six, or of chapter one hundred and fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, or of chapter two hundred and fifty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, the amount of such assessment or assessments remaining unpaid may be paid within the same periods prescribed in the first section of this act and upon the same terms and conditions therein prescribed.

Sec. 3. Upon such payment in full, as hereinbefore provided, such assessment or assessments shall cease to be a lien upon the property, and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged; and there shall be no further interest or penalty by reason of such assessment or assessments not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute heretofore requiring the payment of any penalty or interest over the rate hereinbefore provided for upon any unpaid assessment.

Sec. 4. No provision of this act hereinbefore contained shall be construed as applicable to or affecting any assessment for the collection of which assessment the property has been sold.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

### ARREARS OF TAXES.

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK hereby gives notice to owners of Real Estate in said city, that, as provided by chapter 123 of the Laws of 1880, they may now pay any arrears of taxes and Croton water rents levied prior to the year 1877, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum. If, however, such taxes and Croton water rents are not paid before the first day of October next, the property on which they are due will be sold for taxes immediately thereafter, with the addition of accrued interest thereon at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from the respective dates on which they were levied.

Lists for such tax sale are now being prepared by the Clerk of Arrears.

The time of payment of taxes for the years 1877, 1878, and 1879, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, is extended to the first day of April, 1881, and if not paid before that date, interest will be payable at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum.

The Act, chapter 123, Laws of 1880, containing these provisions of law, is published below.

JOHN KELLY,  
 Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
 COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 4, 1880.

#### CHAPTER 123.

AN ACT in relation to arrears of taxes in the City of New York, and to provide for the reissuing of revenue bonds in anticipation of such taxes.

Passed April 15, 1880; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. At any time after the passage of this act, and before the first day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person may pay to the Comptroller of the City of New York the amount of any tax upon real property belonging to such person, heretofore laid or imposed and now remaining unpaid, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the time that such tax was imposed to the time of such payment, provided, also, that the time when such payment may be made on the amount of any such tax laid or imposed in the years eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and eighteen hundred and seventy-nine shall extend to the first day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-one.

The Comptroller shall make and deliver to the person making any such payment a receipt therefor, and shall forthwith cancel the record of any such tax on the books of the finance department; and upon such payment being made such tax shall cease to be a lien upon the property and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged, and there shall be no right to any further interest or penalty by reason of such tax not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute passed requiring the payment heretofore of any penalty or interest over even per centum per annum upon any unpaid tax.

Sec. 2. Any revenue bond heretofore issued in anticipation of the taxes in the first section specified which may fall due and become payable before said taxes are collected, may be reissued by the Comptroller of said city, in whole or in part, for such period as he may determine, not exceeding one year.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
 BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
 FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
 CITY HALL PARK,  
 NEW YORK, June 4, 1880.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 16, ENTERED APRIL 24, 1880.

Opening of—  
 156th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

157th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

158th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.

159th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 3, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON,  
 Collector of Assessments.

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.

JOHN KELLY,  
 Comptroller.

#### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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JOHN KELLY,  
 Comptroller.