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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending June 18, 1881:

Deposits in the Treasury.

On account of the Sinking Fund.....	\$84,906 46
“ “ City Treasury.....	493,236 55
Total.....	\$578,143 01

Bonds Issued.

Three per cent. Bonds.....	\$400,000 00
Four per cent. Bonds.....	13,000 00
Total.....	\$413,000 00

Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance, and Strengthening.....	\$5,179 46
Arrears for Advertising.....	793 20
Assessment Fund—After June 9, 1880.....	2,875 00
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of, etc.....	4,503 96
Bronx River Bridges, Rebuilding, etc.....	21 90
College of the City of New York.....	782 43
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	4 16
“ Department of Public Works.....	15 77
“ District Attorney's Office.....	331 30
“ Law Department.....	70 00
“ Mayor's Office.....	17 78
Croton Water Fund.....	4,009 55
Dock Fund.....	5,824 35
Dog License Fund.....	300 00
Fire Department Fund.....	11,629 96
Free Floating Baths.....	2,577 11
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement, etc.....	65 69
Health Fund.....	60 56
Hospitals for Care of Contagious Diseases.....	1,765 49
Interest on the City Debt.....	78,624 07
Judgments.....	5,969 98
Jurors' Fees.....	57 00
Lamps and Gas.....	3,278 73
Laying Croton Pipes.....	2,649 79
Lunacy Commission, Expenses of.....	1,100 00
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	2,320 75
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	24 20
Manhattan Square, Improvement of.....	600 00
Maps—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	10 69
New York Catholic Protectory.....	17,099 04
New York Infant Asylum.....	3,970 62
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	2,137 85
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	4,069 90
Public Charities and Correction.....	10,005 56
Public Instruction.....	127,574 78
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	234 75
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	885 87
Repairing and Renewal of Pavements, and Regrading.....	1,610 13
Repaving Streets and Avenues—Chapter 476, Laws of 1875.....	211 54
Revenue Bonds of 1880.....	35,000 00
Roads, Streets, and Avenues, unpaved, etc.....	1,503 51
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	71 62
“ Judiciary.....	30 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	4,802 55
Street Improvement Fund—June 9, 1880.....	2,318 10
Street Improvements Authorized and Contracted for after June 9, 1880.....	8,855 30
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1,478 56
Walks—Central Park.....	428 35
Water Meter Fund.....	5,911 24
Water Supply for Twenty-fourth Ward.....	220 80
Total.....	\$363,882 95

CLAIMS FILED.

CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Bernard Cohen et al.....	\$377 30	For damages from laying drains on their land between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, and Fifth and Eighth avenues	A. B. Johnson.
A. V. Stout.....	146 16	For damages to his land from laying drains between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, and Fifth and Eighth avenues	“
Charles Flynn.....	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received by his infant son, May 19, 1881, Thomas F. Flynn, by falling over an obstruction in front of Public School on north side of Eighty-seventh street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues	“
Wallace Macfarlane, assignee.....	2,084 18	For balance due on account of salary of John McK. McCarthy as Deputy Clerk, Superior Court, from July 4, 1876, to January 1, 1878.....	C. P. Miller.
Sarah Livermore.....	8,664 00	For amount awarded to unknown owners for certain lands between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets, and Tenth avenue and Boulevard, for closing Bloomingdale road.....	A. B. Johnson.
Wm. Quinn, Adm'r.....	1,460 42	For work, labor, etc., rendered by Edward Boyle, deceased, in making surveys for paving Church street, from Fulton to Morris street, Church street regulating, etc., and Ninety-sixth street regulating, etc., Eighth avenue to Boulevard.....	“
Catharine O'Rourke.....	1,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received February 27, 1881, by falling on sidewalk at or near the corner of Chambers street and Broadway.....	D. A. Spellissy.
Edward West.....	.....	Notice that claim and demand for \$1,460.42, served, has been reassigned, and is withdrawn.....	A. B. Johnson.
J. F. Harrison.....	.....	For lien upon award made to Ambrose E. Barnes in matter of opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and other streets upon plot of ground numbered 690, 862, and 863, on damage map in said matter.	Harrison & Langdon.
Ernst Conrades.....	403 58	For amount paid for repairs to Nos. 1481 to 1489 Second avenue, in consequence of break in water-main January 31, 1881.....	J. H. & L. Riker.
George Schneider.....	10 00	For damage to goods in store No. — Second avenue, in consequence of break in water-main January 31, 1881	“
Julia Raitter.....	70 00	For damages to furniture in house No. — Second avenue, in consequence of break in water-main Jan. 31, 1881	“

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 18, 1881.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
5167	May 9, 1881	Docks (Special).....	Union Dredging Company..	For dredging at West Twenty-third street; Pier, new 41, N. R.; Pier, new 40, N. R.; Pier, new 36, N. R.; Lighthouse street; Pier, new 26, N. R.; North Moore street; and Pier, new 21, N. R. Estimate, \$209,635.
5168	“ 31, “	Public Works (Special)	Patrick Larney.....	Fencing vacant lots north side of Seventy-eighth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, and on west side of Fourth avenue, between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets. Estimate, \$140.64.
5169	“ 31, “	“ “	“	Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets, Madison and Fifth avenues. Estimate, \$272.16.
5170	June 2, “	Public Works..... (Repaving under chap. 476, Laws 1875.)	Denis McGrath.....	Regulating and paving with trap-block, Seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Avenue A. Estimate, \$12,080.50.
5171	“ 6, “	Public Works..... (Repaving under chap. 476, Laws 1875.)	Wm. A. Cumming.....	Regulating and paving with granite-block, Ann street, between Broadway and Gold streets; Frankfort street, between Nassau and Jacob streets; Jacob street, between Frankfort and Ferry streets, and Front street, between Fulton and Roosevelt streets. Estimate, \$22,538.20.
5172	“ 6, “	Public Works..... (Repaving under chap. 476, Laws 1875.)	Leonard W. Johnson.....	Regulating and paving with granite-block, Thirty-third street, between Lexington and First avenues. Estimate, \$13,350.90.
5173	“ 6, “	Public Works..... (Repaving under chap. 476, Laws 1875.)	John G. Smith.....	Regulating and paving with granite-block, First avenue, between Twenty-third and Thirtieth streets. Estimate, \$25,090.50.
5174	“ 6, “	Public Works..... (Repaving under chap. 476, Laws 1875.)	Wm. A. Cumming.....	Regulating and paving with trap-block, Rivington street, between Bowery and Clinton streets. Estimate, \$11,963.50.
5175	“ 6, “	Public Works..... (Repaving under chap. 476, Laws 1875.)	Thomas Gearty.....	Regulating and paving with trap-block, Avenue A., between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets; Rutherford place, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets; Eighth street, between Avenues Band D; and Gouverneur street, between Grand and Water streets. Estimate, \$18,678.30.
5176	“ 10, “	Public Works.....	Thos. L. Butler, T. J. Reilly.	Regulating, etc., Eighty-first street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive. Estimate, \$8,828.90.
5177	“ 13, “	“	Michael Finn.....	Regulating, etc., Ninety-eighth street, from Third to Fourth avenues. Estimate, \$8,205.
5178	“ 13, “	“	Abraham Dowdney.....	Regulating, etc., Ninety-eighth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenues. Estimate, \$6,101.50.
5179	“ 6, “	“	James Everard.....	Sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Fourth and Madison avenues. Estimate, \$2,385.50.
5180	“ 6, “	“	“	Sewer, One Hundred and First street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard. Estimate, \$1,687.50.
5181	“ 6, “	“	“	Sewer, Water street, between Dover and Roosevelt streets. Estimate, \$1,465.
5182	“ 13, “	“	J. D. Nutt & Patrick Kerrins	Sewer, Seventy-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. Estimate, \$9,102.
5183	“ 13, “	“	“	Sewer, Sixty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard. Estimate, \$10,447.25.
5184	“ 13, “	“	“	Sewer, Ninth avenue extension, between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, connecting with present sewer in Avenue St. Nicholas. Estimate, \$5,410.75.

SUITS, JUDGMENTS, ORDERS OF COURT, Etc.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Alfred B. Thiene	\$1,300 00	For salary as a Patrolman in the Police Force, from March 17, 1880, to April 18, 1881....	A. H. Purdy.
"	Wm. H. Tuite	5,200 00	For salary as a Patrolman in the Police Force, from December 22, 1876, to April 27, 1881	"
"	Jacob N. Haight.....	5,300 00	For salary as a Patrolman in the Police Force, from November 21, 1876, to April 18, 1881	"
"	Stephen Shea	7,200 00	For salary as a Patrolman in the Police Force, from February 28, 1873, to April 15, 1881.	"
"	Maurice L. Moriarty..	5,400 00	For salary as a Patrolman in the Police Force, from October 15, 1876, to April 18, 1881....	"
"	Louis F. Hess.....	4,700 00	For salary as a Patrolman in the Police Force, from November 15, 1877, to April 18, 1881	"
"	Thomas Lyons.....	7,200 00	For salary as a Patrolman in the Police Force, from July 1, 1875, to April 12, 1881....	"
"	Henry W. Ball.....	5,600 00	For salary as a Patrolman in the Police Force, from September 1, 1876, to April 18, 1881.	"
"	Chester E. Merrill ...	5,000 00	For salary as a Patrolman in the Police Force, from February 15, 1877, to April 20, 1881.	"
Superior..	Patrick Haley.....	239 40	(No. 1.) For amount of over-payment on account of an assessment for Forty-seventh and Forty-ninth streets sewers, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.....	A. B. Johnson.
"	"	635 06	(No. 3.) For amount of over-payment on account of an assessment for outlet sewer in Eightieth street.....	"
Supreme..	Charles Jones et al...	711 50	For balance due on contract for sewer in Brook avenue, retained as security for repairs to carriage-way and for sewer-pipe furnished for house connections.....	Alex. Thain.
"	John Simon, Charles B. Wood, Richard Arnold, et al.....	.....	Orders to reduce assessments for outlet sewer in One Hundred and Sixth street.....	T. F. Neville.
"	Cooke & Radley, Pearson S. Halstead, ex'r .....	.....	Orders to reduce assessments for Ninety-sixth street sewer, between Eighth and Tenth avenues, etc.....	"
"	Cooke & Radley.....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for Ninety-sixth street outlet sewer.....	"
"	David M. Kellogg....	.....	Order amending order vacating assessment for One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer.....	A. B. Johnson.
"	William H. Parsell ...	.....	For salary as Patrolman in the Police Force, from December 20, 1879, to November 26, 1880.....	R. M. Sherman.
"	Russell Sage.....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for sewer in Eighth avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Ninety-second streets.....	H. A. Shipman.
"	Clarence Levey.....	5,250 00	Transcript of Judgment.....	Chas. P. Miller.
"	William Cauldwell and Horace P. Whitney..	13,528 44	"	Thos. W. Pittman.
Com Pleas	Max Delbanco.....	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received by falling on crosswalk corner Thirty-third street and Sixth avenue.....	R. H. Channing.
Superior..	James Coyne	10,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received by falling into a hole in sidewalk on south side of Ninety-seventh street, 100 feet west of Second avenue, on October 12, 1879	T. F. Neville.
Supreme..	The Manhattan Savings Institution.....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for One Hundred and sixth street outlet sewer.....	A. B. Johnson
"	Martin Zborowski....	.....	Order to set aside a sale for non-payment of assessment for opening Eighty-seventh street, Eighth avenue to Hudson river....	H. A. Shipman.
"	William Austin .....	.....	Order to vacate certain sales for non-payment of assessments	Moody B. Smith.

Opening of Proposals.

June 15. The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the Fire Department for work and materials required in the erection of houses for Engine Co. No. 37, and Hook and Ladder Cos. Nos. 16 and 18.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals:

- June 14. For regulating and paving with macadamized pavement, Fifth avenue from Ninetieth to One Hundred and tenth street.
James Everard, Hoffman House, Principal.
A. J. Dittenhoefer, 291 Broadway, } Sureties.
Sheridan Shook, Morton House, }
- June 14. For paving with macadamized pavement, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, between First and Third avenues.
James Everard, Hoffman House, Principal.
Sheridan Shook, Morton House, } Sureties.
John Nesbit, 213 Lexington avenue, }
- June 14. For paving with granite, Broome street, between Bowery and Centre street, and Carmine street, between Varick street and Sixth avenue.
John G. Smith, 329 West Forty-eighth street, Principal.
Matthew Baird, 306 East Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.
Leonard W. Johnson, 414 West Thirty-fourth street, }
- June 14. For paving with granite, Tenth avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-eighth streets.
John G. Smith, 329 West Forty-eighth street, Principal.
Childe H. Childs, 316 West Thirty-fourth street, } Sureties.
Leonard W. Johnson, 414 West Thirty-fourth street, }
- June 14. For paving with trap-blocks, Fourteenth street, between Ninth and Eleventh avenues.
Michael Shannon, 129 Hoboken avenue, Jersey City, N. J., Principal.
Matthew Baird, 306 East Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.
Patrick Gildea, 445 West Thirteenth street, }
- June 14. For paving with trap-blocks, Thirty-third street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, Thirty-sixth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues, and Fifty-fourth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
Dennis McGrath, Weehawken, N. J., Principal.
James Slattery, 207 West Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.
Joseph Kieser, 556 West Forty-first street, }
- June 17. For constructing sewer in Fifteenth street, between Irving place and Fourth avenue.
John McQuade, 1328 Lexington avenue, Principal.
George N. Manchester, 321 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, } Sureties.
James Lynch, 118 East Eighty-eighth street, }

Bond Approved and Filed.

- June 17. The United States Heating and Power Company to the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, in the sum of \$50,000, dated May 12, 1881.
Johnston Livingston, 277 Fifth avenue, } Sureties in the penal sum of
J. Lawrence Lee, Staatsburgh, N. Y., } \$12,500 each.
Charles B. Hoffman, 43 Fifth avenue, }
William D. Morgan, 26 Washington square, }

Return of Proposals.

- June 16. Proposals of Phelan & Haughton, for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Madison avenue to Sixth avenue, and One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Sixth to Seventh avenues, returned to the Department of Public Works, for action upon agreements and affidavits of Timothy J. Campbell, 14 Columbia street, whom Messrs. Phelan & Haughton propose to substitute as a surety thereon in the place of James O'Hara, one of the original sureties.

Removed.

- June 15. Charles G. Eichler and Edwin F. Bowen, Temporary Clerks in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

LAWS OF NEW YORK, 1881.

CHAPTER 367.

AN ACT to create a department of street cleaning in the city of New York, and to provide for the cleaning of the streets of said city; for the removal of snow and ice therefrom, and for the collection ashes, garbage, and street sweepings, and the disposal of the same.

Passed May 26, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. In addition to the departments in the city of New York, provided for by chapter three hundred and thirty-five of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, together with the acts supplemental to and amendatory thereof, there is hereby created a department of street cleaning which shall have exclusive charge of the cleaning of streets, and the removal of ashes and garbage in said city. The head of the said department shall be called the commissioner of street cleaning. He shall be appointed by the mayor, with the approval of the board of health, but if after three ballots, the said board shall fail to confirm or reject, by a majority vote, any person nominated by the mayor, two affirmative votes shall be sufficient for his confirmation. He shall be subject to removal by the mayor whenever the mayor shall certify that in his judgment such removal is required in the public interest, but, with the approval of the board of health; but if after three ballots the said board of health shall fail to approve of such removal, then two affirmative votes of said board of health shall be sufficient for his removal. He shall be paid a salary of six thousand dollars per annum, payable monthly, and shall hold his office for six years, and until his successor be appointed unless sooner removed. The provisions of section twenty-five of the aforesaid chapter shall not be applicable to the office of commissioner hereby created.

Sec. 2. Said commissioner shall have power and authority, and is hereby charged with the duty of causing the streets of said city, which shall include all the public avenues, streets, lanes, alleys, places, wharves, piers, and heads of slips therein, except such as are within any park under the control and management of the department of public parks, to be thoroughly cleaned and kept clean at all times; and of removing from said city or otherwise disposing of, as often as the public health and use of the streets may require, all street sweepings, ashes, and garbage, and of removing new fallen snow from leading thoroughfares and such other streets and avenues as may be found practicable. The expenses of said department of street cleaning shall be provided for in the same manner as the expenses of other departments under the said chapter three hundred and thirty-five of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, and the acts supplemental to and amendatory thereof, but in no case shall the amount expended by said commissioner exceed the amount appropriated for his said department by the board of estimate and apportionment. Said commissioner shall file with the comptroller of said city, monthly, a statement under oath, showing the number and the names of all persons employed by him during the preceding month, and the amount paid to each of them, and the particular kind of work in which each of them shall have been employed during such month.

Sec. 3. Said commissioner shall have power to engage, and in his discretion discharge from time to time, all such clerks, laborers and other employees, and to fix their compensation, as shall be necessary and proper in executing the duties hereby imposed upon him; and may make and from time to time alter rules and regulations for their government. But the compensation and wages of such clerks, laborers, and other employees shall not exceed the current market rate paid for similar services in private business. The said commissioner shall also have power to hire or purchase for his use as such commissioner, at current market prices, horses, carts, steam-tugs, scows, boats, vessels, machines, tools, and other property required for the economical and effectual performance of his said duty; or contract for the construction of any such tugs, scows, boats, vessels, or machines; the title to which property so purchased shall be in the mayor, aldermen, and commonality of the city of New York. All such hirings or purchases, or contracts, however, exceeding one thousand dollars in amount at any one hiring or purchase, shall be by contract, let to the lowest bidder therefor, founded on sealed proposals or bids, made in compliance with public notice advertised in the CITY RECORD; such notice to be published at least ten days prior to the opening of such proposals or bids. Whenever the said commissioner shall deem it necessary, he shall and he is hereby authorized so to do, sell at public auction any plant, material, horses, carts, scows, or other property used in any way in connection with the work of cleaning the streets of the city of New York. The said commissioner is hereby authorized to hire or lease suitable and sufficient offices for the transaction of the business under his charge, and also such stables and other buildings as may from time to time be necessary.

Sec. 4. The department, bureau, or city officer, authority or authorities, which shall from time to time have the management and control of the public docks, piers and slips of said city, shall designate and set apart for the use of said commissioner suitable and sufficient slips, piers and berths in slips, located as the said commissioner may require, and such as shall be convenient and necessary for his use in executing the duty hereby imposed upon him, excepting slips, docks and piers on the East river, set apart for the use of canal boats. The said commissioner may, with the approval in writing of the board of estimate and apportionment, lease piers, slips or wharves for the necessary purpose of the duties by this act conferred, whenever suitable piers, slips or wharves owned by or under the control of the city cannot be obtained, or are not set apart and designated, as in this section provided.

Sec. 5. In the work of street sweeping and cleaning, and in the collection and removal of street sweepings, ashes and garbage, the men may be provided with some distinctive dress or portion thereof, or some badge designated by said commissioner, to be so worn that they shall be easily recognized as employees of the department.

Sec. 6. Said commissioner may let out special contracts for periods not exceeding three years for the work of street sweeping and cleaning, or for the collection of ashes and garbage, or some part thereof, in particular districts, to be designated for that purpose by the said commissioner, and the terms and conditions of which contracts shall have been first approved by the board of estimate and apportionment, provided that such contracts shall in all cases provide for their termination on ten days' notice, by the commissioner with the approval of the mayor.

Sec. 7. Said commissioner shall have power to enter into contracts with responsible persons and parties for the final disposition for periods not exceeding five years, of all or any part of the said street sweepings, ashes or garbage when collected, provided always that such contracts shall be approved, both as to terms and conditions, by the board of estimate and apportionment of said city. All contracts shall be entered into on behalf of the city by the commissioners, with adequate security. He shall advertise for proposals in such newspapers in the city as he may designate, not exceeding three in number, for ten days, to perform the work in such form and manner and on such terms and conditions as he may prescribe. Such proposals may be for the performance of all or such parts or portions of the work as he shall require. Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check on a solvent banking incorporation in said city payable to the order of the comptroller for five per centum of the amount for which the work bid for is proposed in any one year to be performed. From the proposals so received he may select the bid or bids, the acceptance of which will, in his judgment, best secure the efficient performance of the work, or he may reject any or all of said bids. On the acceptance of any bid by him the checks of the unaccepted bidders shall be returned to them, and upon the execution of the contract the check of the accepted bidder shall be returned to him. The sureties upon all contracts hereby authorized shall be approved by the comptroller, and all contracts and bonds securing the same shall be approved as to form by the counsel to the corporation.

Sec. 8. Upon the organization of the department hereby created and notice thereof from said commissioner to the police department of the said city, all books, papers, records, property, leases, moneys, accounts, claims, and things of every kind and description belonging to or in the custody of the said police department, and used by the existing bureau of street cleaning in the work of cleaning the streets in the said city, or of the removal of ashes and garbage, shall be transferred by the said police department to the department of street cleaning herein created, and until such transfer takes place the said police department shall continue the work of street cleaning and removal of ashes and garbage as now provided by law. At the same time that the above mentioned transfer takes place the comptroller of the said city shall transfer to the credit of the department of street cleaning any unexpended balances for street cleaning purposes that may be at that time standing to the credit of the police department in excess of liabilities incurred by said police department for street cleaning.

Sec. 9. The said commissioner of street cleaning, with the approval of the mayor, may provide for cremating or burning street refuse or garbage, and may, through the commissioners of the sinking fund, lease or purchase land for the erection thereon of suitable crematories or furnaces.

Sec. 10. It shall be lawful for the commissioner of street cleaning to cause to be dumped snow and ice from the ends, or near the ends of any piers into the waters of the East and North or Hudson rivers. But no dead animals, carrion, street sweepings, garbage, or any putrid, offensive, decaying or refuse vegetables or animal matter, shall be deposited in violation of chapter four hundred and sixty-three of the laws of one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

Sec. 11. Nothing in this act shall be construed as affecting in any way the powers of the board of health of the health department of the said city; but the said board of health shall cause to be enforced the provisions of its sanitary code, requiring that separate receptacles be provided for ashes and rubbish and for garbage and liquid substances, and forbidding that the same be placed or kept in the same receptacle, and requiring the streets and sidewalks to be kept free from incumbrance by such receptacles except at such times as may be designated by the commissioner of street cleaning for the collection of their contents; and for violation of any of the said provisions of said code, both the owners and occupants of all houses in the city of New York shall be severally responsible and subject to the penalties and prosecutions imposed by the said code, and all other provisions of said code and of the city ordinances relative to the cleanliness of the streets; and the said board of health

is empowered to institute prosecutions and suits for penalties for the violation of any such provisions in the name of the mayor, aldermen, and commonalty of the city of New York.

Sec. 12. The several provisions of chapter six hundred and seventy-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-two, and of section sixty-seven of chapter three hundred and thirty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-three, and all other acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Sec. 13. Upon requisition of the commissioner of street cleaning setting forth the necessity for any such appropriation, and the specific purposes to which it is to be applied, the board of estimate and apportionment may at its discretion at any time before the confirmation of the tax levy in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, appropriate money for the purpose of constructing or purchasing sea-going vessels to be used in conveying street sweepings, ashes, and garbage to sea, or for the purpose of cleaning the streets and removing snow and ice, or for building crematories or furnaces for burning street refuse or leasing or purchasing lands therefor, but the moneys so appropriated shall not in the aggregate exceed three hundred and fifty thousand dollars; and any requisition for money for the purpose of purchasing such vessels shall be accompanied by plans and specifications of such vessels. Any appropriation or appropriations so made by the board of estimate and apportionment shall be added to the amount appropriated in the final estimate for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and revenue bonds shall be issued therefor in like manner as for the expenditures of the city government during the said year, and the amount so appropriated shall be added to the tax levy for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

Sec. 14. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That James J. Duffy be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, in the place of Alexander B. Smith, who failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 7, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1881.

Resolved, That Robert P. Noah be and is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, in place of Robert P. Noah, whose term expires June 12, 1881.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 7, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1881.

Resolved, That George J. Green be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the place and stead of Joseph Doyle, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 7, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1881.

Resolved, That Michael G. Murray be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Michael G. Murray, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 7, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1881.

Resolved, That the sidewalks in Elton avenue, from its junction with Washington avenue to its junction with Third avenue, be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged; that curb and gutter stones, with returns to the house lines at the several intersecting streets, be set in said avenue within said limits where not heretofore set; and also that crosswalks be laid in said Elton avenue, and in each street intersecting the same, between the aforesaid limits, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 7, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1881.

Resolved, That John J. Moran be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, in place of Michael T. Gibbons, deceased.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 7, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, June 14, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Gregory to erect bay-window on the northeast corner of Cannon and Stanton streets, as shown on the annexed diagram, the consent of the property-owners next adjoining having been received, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 17, 1881.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 31, 1881, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, June 14, 1881, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, two-thirds of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Dry Dock, East Broadway, and Battery Railroad Company to erect posts, and place a canvas awning thereon, in front of their premises, on the south side of Grand street, between Monroe and East streets, the work done at their 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, May 17, 1881.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 31, 1881, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, June 14, 1881, taken up and considered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, two-thirds of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Fletcher Harper and others to erect or construct bay-windows on apartment house about to be erected on the northwest corner of Fifty-second street and Madison avenue, according to the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 31, 1881.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1881, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Thompson to place and keep a wooden post, not more than four inches square and ten feet high, surmounted by a horseshoe, on the sidewalk, near the curb-stone, in front of his place of business, No. 408 West Thirtieth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 31, 1881.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1881, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 31, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1881.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Washington and Third avenues, and in said One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, between Fulton avenue and Boston road.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 7, 1881.
Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1881.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 23, 1881.

RESIGNED.—June 21, 1881, Michael J. Morrison, as Clerk in the Bureau of Permits.

APPOINTMENT DECLINED.—June 22, 1881, Rutherford Stuyvesant, as Commissioner under chapter 606, Laws of 1875.

APPOINTED BY THE MAYOR.—Daniel E. Sickles, as Commissioner under chapter 606, Laws of 1875, in place of Rutherford Stuyvesant, declined.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
CHARLES REILLY, First Marshal.

Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13½ City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYLER, Sealer First District; THOMAS BRADY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LUKE C. GRIMES, Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

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.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.
Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. (Saturdays to 3 P. M.)

Attorney to Department.

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

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN MCCABE, Captain-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

No. 109 Christie street.
DEDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street 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. 11 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.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. LYECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM P. MITCHELL, President; ANTHONY HARTMAN, Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner; ALFRED J. KEGAN, 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.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney; B. B. FOSTER, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street.
MORITZ ELLINGER, GERSON N. HERRMAN THOMAS C. KNOX, and JOHN H. BRADY, Coroners.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

RICHARD M. HOE, 504 Grand street.
JOHN J. CRANE, 138th street, Morrisania.
GUSTAV SCHWAB, 2 Bowling Green.
CHARLES L. PERKINS, 23 Nassau street.
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, 6 Bowery.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 29.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Room No. 21.
Chambers, Room No. 21.
Part I., Room No. 25.
Part II., Room No. 26.
Part III., Room No. 27.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

32 Chambers street. Parts I and II.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, Presiding Judge of the General Sessions; HENRY A. GILDERLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.
Terms first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Room 15, City Hall.
Trial Term, Parts I., II., and III., second floor, City Hall.
Special Term, Chambers, Room 21, City Hall, to A. M.
Clerk's Office, Room 10, City Hall.
GEORGE SHEA, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Clerk.

OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor southeast corner, Room 13, 10:30 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN CALLAHAN, Justice.
Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards Nos. 112 and 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.
Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards Sixth avenue, corner West Tenth street.
GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Nos. 20 and 22 Second avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN A. DINKEL, Justice.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
TIMOTHY J. CAMPBELL, Justice.
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.
WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.
Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.
I. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN, Justice.
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue.
FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.
Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.
Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of College avenue and Kingsbridge Road.
JAMES R. ANGEL, Justice.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

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

As to all assessments confirmed subsequent to June 9, 1880, for local improvements theretofore completed, and as to any assessment for local improvements known as Morning-side avenues, notices must be filed within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

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

Dated, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, May 18, 1881.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, June 16, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK and furnishing the materials required in the demolishing and rebuilding of the front and two side or gable walls of the house of Engine Company No. 13, located at No. 99 Wooster street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, July 2, 1881, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Two responsible sureties will be required with each estimate, who must each justify, prior to its presentation, in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate.

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract for 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 proper security within five days after notice that the contract is ready for execution, he or they will 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.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or

contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, June 16, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 134.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER NEAR THE FOOT OF WEST TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER NEW 57, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A NEW WOODEN Pier near the foot of West Twenty-seventh street, North 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, June 29, 1881,

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

Any person making an estimate for the work 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 Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

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

1. Yellow Pine Timber—
3" plank... 17,136 feet B. M., measured in the work.
4" x 12"... 14,007 " " " "
4" plank... 129,280 " " " "
3" x 10"... 30,993 " " " "
5" plank... 48,310 " " " "
6" x 12"... 9,840 " " " "
8" x 8"... 5,266 " " " "
8" x 12"... 560 " " " "
10" x 10"... 91,317 " " " "
10" x 12"... 101,520 " " " "
12" x 12"... 203,312 " " " "
Total... 651,541 " " " "

2. White Oak Timber—
6" x 12"... 300 feet, B. M., measured in the work.
7" x 12"... 140 " " " "
12" x 12"... 912 " " " "
Total... 1,352 " " " "

3. White Oak Timber, creosoted, 8"x12", 11,872 feet B. M., measured in the work.
4. North Carolina Yellow Pine, 3" plank, 105,570 feet B. M., measured in the work.
5. White or Yellow Pine boards, 1"x4", 2,205 feet B. M., measured in the work.
6. Locust Treennails, about... 3,240

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

7. 15" Yellow Pine, White Pine, or Cypress Piles. 775 (These piles will be from 75 to 85 feet in length, to average about 80 feet in length.)

8. 2", 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1", 3/4", and 3/8" wrought-iron screwbolts and wrought-iron washers, about... 23,860 pounds.

9. 3/4"x18", 3/4"x16", 3/4"x12", 3/4"x10", 3/4"x8", 3/4"x6", 3/4"x4", and 7-16"x8", square, and 3/4"x12", 3/4"x6", 3/4"x5", and 3/4"x4", round, wrought-iron spike-pointed bolts, and 8d nails, about... 43,285 "

10. Boiler-plate armatures, wrought-iron corner bands and column and pile shoes, about... 8,432 "

11. Cast-iron mooring posts, about... 16,400 "

12. Cast-iron washers for 3/4", 1", 1 1/4", and 1 1/2" screwbolts, about... 11,362 "

13. 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 the wedges for the treenails, etc., and labor of every description, for that part of the pier where the bays are 12' 6" span, 5,200 square feet; and for the remainder of the pier, 35,960 square feet.

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:

1st. 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 estimates, dispute or complain of such Engineer's estimate or statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2d. 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 work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the price therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work on all but about 100 feet of the shore end of the new pier is to be commenced within five days after the date of a notification to be given by the Board of Docks that the dredging for the site of this outer portion of the new pier has been completed; and the whole of the work except about 100 feet of the shore end of the pier, which will not be constructed until the bulkhead wall in the rear is built, is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1881, or within as many days thereafter as the site of the new pier may have been occupied, after the day of the execution of the contract, by the Department of Docks for the purpose of dredging for the said outer portion of the new pier. And the said about 100 feet is to be completed within thirty days after notice shall be given by said Department of Docks that work on the said about 100 feet may be begun, and the damages to be paid by the contractor, for each day that the work or any part thereof may be uncompleted after the time fixed for the completing 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 estimate the price for the whole of the work. By that price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover the expenses of furnishing all the necessary materials and labor and the performance of all the work set forth in the approved form of contract and the specifications therein contained.

Bidders will distinctly write out, in their bids, both in figures and in words, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will 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 that fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and 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 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 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 shall 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, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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,
WILLIAM LAMBEER,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, June 16, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 133.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIERS AT SEVENTEENTH, EIGHTEENTH, THIRTY-FOURTH, FORTIETH, FORTY-SEVENTH, AND ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREETS, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIERS AT Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Thirty-fourth, Fortieth, Forty-seventh, and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets, North 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, June 29, 1881,

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

Any person making an estimate for the work 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 Five Thousand Dollars.

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

MATERIALS.			
1.	12 x 12-inch Yellow Pine, feet B. M.	2,040	Pier at 17th st., N. R.
2.	8 x 8-inch Yellow Pine, " "	424	
3.	5-inch Yellow Pine Plank, " "	3,600	Pier at 18th st., N. R.
4.	3-inch " " "	29,216	
5.	3-inch N. C. Yellow Pine Plank, feet B. M.	22,712	
6.	3 x 12 inch Oak, feet B. M.	22,712	
7.	5 x 3-inch " " "	2,045	
8.	3 x 4-inch " " "	128	
9.	3 x 4-inch " " "	1,170	
10.	3 x 4-inch " " "	19	
11.	" Spruce, 40 feet, 50 to 55 feet.	72	
12.	" " " "	40	
13.	" Oak, 45 feet	11	
14.	" Pine, 40 feet	7	
15.	" " " "	5	
16.	Mooring Posts, " " "	1	
17.	Half-round Fenders, " " "	3	
18.	Iron Bolts, Spikes and Corner Bands, lbs.	2,700	
		3,800	
		2	
		2,700	
		2,300	
		5,100	
		36	
		3,800	
		60	
		3,300	
		21,200	
		34,812	
		778	
		146,921	
		5,750	
		107,058	
		224	
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HENRY F. DIMOCK,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
WILLIAM LAMBEER,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Boards of School Trustees of the several Wards, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, for repairs, etc., to be done on the school buildings in the several Wards, as follows:

By the Trustees of the Fourth Ward until 9.30 A. M., on Monday, June 27, 1881, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School-house No. 1, and at Primary School-house No. 14.

JOHN B. SHEA, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Sixth Ward until 10 A. M., on said day, for Alterations, etc., at Primary School-house No. 8.

PETER KRAEG, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Sixth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Seventh Ward until 10.30 A. M., on said day, for Alterations, etc., at Grammar School-house No. 2.

JAS. W. MCBARRON, Chairman,
GEORGE G. HALLOCK, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.

By the Trustees of the Eighth Ward until 11 A. M., on said day, for Repairing and Painting at Grammar School-house No. 8.

CHARLES W. BAUM, Chairman,
JOHN G. BOYD, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 3 P. M., on said day, for Repairing and Painting Grammar School-house No. 3, also for Alterations, etc., at Grammar School-house No. 41, and at Primary School-house No. 13.

CHARLES S. WRIGHT, Chairman,
ELLERY DENISON, M. D., Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 3.30 P. M., on said day, for Sliding Doors, etc., at Grammar School-house No. 20.

HENRY R. ROOME, Chairman,
JOHN C. CLEGG, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 4 P. M., on said day, for new Furniture and Alterations of Furniture for Grammar School No. 15.

JOHN C. LIMBECK, Chairman,
SAMUEL CREGAR, M. D., Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twelfth Ward until 4.30 P. M., on said day, for Sliding Doors, etc., at Grammar School-house No. 68. Also for Flagging, etc., at Grammar School-house No. 54. Also for New Boilers and additions to Heating Apparatus for Grammar School-house No. 54.

CHARLES CRARY, Chairman,
GERMAIN HAUSCHER, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward until 9.30 A. M., on Tuesday, June 28, 1881, for Sliding Doors, etc., at Grammar School-house No. 4. Also for Furniture for the New Primary School-house No. 40.

GEORGE W. RELYEA, Chairman,
FREDERICK HOLSTEN, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward until 10 A. M., on the day last named, for Repairing and Painting at Grammar School-house No. 21.

HENRY MANRON, Chairman,
FRANKLIN SMITH, M. D., Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 10.30 A. M., on the day last named, for Alterations at Grammar School-house Nos. 35 and 47.

JOSEPH BRITTON, Chairman,
G. H. WYNKOOP, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, until 11 A. M., on the day last named, for Alterations at Grammar School-house Nos. 11 and 56. Also, for New Furniture and Repairs of Furniture for Grammar School No. 55.

ALFRED C. HOE, Chairman,
JAMES HARRISON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 3 P. M., on the day last named, for Alterations at Grammar School-house No. 19. Also, for New Steam-heating Apparatus for said house.

ROBERT A. BARRY, M. D., Chairman,
FREDERICK C. WAGNER, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 3.30 P. M., on the day last named, for New Furniture, and Alterations and Repairs of Furniture, at Grammar School-houses Nos. 27 and 59.

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,
CHARLES L. HOLT, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 4 P. M., on the day last named, for New Furniture, and Alterations and Repairs of Furniture, for Grammar School No. 17. Also, for Alterations and Additions to the Steam-heating Apparatus of said school. Also, for Painting at Grammar School-house No. 51.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,
ADNA H. UNDERHILL, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 4.30 P. M., on the day last named, for Alterations at Grammar School No. 62. Also, for New Steam-heating Apparatus, and also for New Furniture, and Alterations and Repairs of Furniture, for Grammar School No. 60.

WILLIAM HOGG, Chairman,
GEORGE A. J. NORMAN, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

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

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

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

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

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, and of the Engineer, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.

Dated NEW YORK, June 13, 1881.

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 intemperance 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).

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 14, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Monday, June 27, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT the roadway of MADISON AVENUE, from the northerly crosswalk of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street to a line ten feet south of and parallel with the south curb of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, where not already paved, extending at the intersecting streets to the crosswalks heretofore laid, and laying a crosswalk with two courses of blue-stone adjoining the northerly end of the above-described pavement.

No. 2. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT the roadway of LEXINGTON AVENUE, from the northerly crosswalk of Eighty-sixth street to the southerly crosswalk of Ninety-third street, where not already paved, extending at the intersecting streets to the crosswalks heretofore laid, or where the crosswalks are not laid, to a line five feet east of and parallel with the east curb, and five feet west of and parallel with the west curb of said avenue, respectively, and laying crosswalks of two courses of blue-stone across said avenue within the lines of the sidewalks of the intersecting streets where not already laid, also laying crosswalks of three courses of blue-stone, where not already laid, adjoining the limits of said pavement.

No. 3. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from the west crosswalk of Sixth avenue to the east crosswalk of Seventh avenue, and setting curb-stones between the same limits.

No. 4. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT the roadway of SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET, from the pavement heretofore laid at the intersection of the Boulevard to a line eleven feet east of and parallel with the east curb of Tenth avenue, and laying a crosswalk of two courses of blue-stone at the Boulevard within the lines of the sidewalk, and across said street; also laying a similar crosswalk at Tenth avenue, adjoining the end of the above-described pavement.

No. 5. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT the roadway of SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from the easterly crosswalk of First avenue to the pavement heretofore laid at the intersection of Avenue A, and laying a crosswalk of three courses of blue-stone at Avenue A within the lines of the sidewalk and across said street.

No. 6. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT the roadway of NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from the crosswalk on the westerly side of Third avenue to a line ten feet east of and parallel to the easterly curb-line of Lexington avenue, and laying a crosswalk of two courses of blue-stone adjoining the westerly end of the above-described pavement.

No. 7. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT the roadway of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from the westerly crosswalk of Second avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Third avenue.

No. 8. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT the roadway of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from the west crosswalk at Fifth avenue to a line five feet east and parallel with the east curb of Sixth avenue, and laying a crosswalk of three courses of blue-stone within the lines of east sidewalk of Sixth avenue and parallel thereto.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained on application at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room No. 1, 31 Chambers street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
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No. 1. PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, PIKE STREET, between Division and South Streets, and RUTGERS STREET, between East Broadway and Cherry Streets, and laying Crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.

No. 2. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, BURLING SLIP, between Water and South Streets.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse, within five days after the notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all estimates, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 14, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Monday, June 27, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN BUILDING ONE FLOATING SWIMMING BATH.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained on application at the office of Douglas Smyth, Architect, Room 31, No. 137 Broadway.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, May, 1881.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ANNUAL water rates for 1881 are now due and payable at this office.

Permits for the use of Croton water for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, etc., etc., must be renewed immediately.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
NO. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 18, 1881.

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 Governor's Island—Unknown man; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on red flannel shirt, dark pants, one gaiter, one buckled shoe, tattooed on left arm with letters W. C., eagle and anchor, right arm, crucifix, ship, and anchor, body about six months in water.

Unknown boy from foot of West Eleventh street; age about 2 years; light hair. Had on brown flannel jacket with brass buttons, red flannel shirt, red barred socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man from foot of Twenty-second street, North river; age about 24 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; light hair. Had on black coat, dark mixed pants, a d vest, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white socks, gaiters.

Unknown woman from High Bridge; age about 30 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; light brown hair. Had on dark cotton dress, yellow-striped undershirt, dark-striped petticoat. Letter found on her person dated Rochester, N. Y., April 14, 1881, and signed Eliza Toole or Love.

Unknown man from Seventh Precinct Station-house; age about 30 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair and moustache; blue eyes. Had on black alpaca coat, dark striped pants, dark striped vest, white shirt, blue socks.

Unknown man from Twenty-seventh Precinct Station-house; age about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; curly hair mixed with gray. Had on blue overalls, dark mixed pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white twill drawers, white socks.

Unknown man from Pier 17, East river; 5 feet 7 inches high. Had on brogan shoes, blue woolen ribbed socks; body in water about six months.

Unknown man from Pier 23, East river; age about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair mixed with gray; gray moustache and beard. Had on black frock coat, black and white corded pants, white shirt, dark plaid shirt, blue flannel drawers, boots.

Unknown man from Pier 40, North River; 5 feet 7 inches high. Had on black vest, gray pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt; body about eight months in water.

Unknown man from foot of Thirty-fourth street, East River; 5 feet 6 inches high. Had on blue cloth overcoat, black diagonal coat, gray pants and vest, white shirt, white knit undershirt, blue ribbed socks, boots; body about one month in water.

Unknown man from foot of Corlears street; 5 feet 5 inches high. Had on brown cotton pant, dark woolen drawers, pink socks, boots; body about four months in water.

Unknown man from foot of Ninetieth street, East river; age about 40 years; 5 feet 9 inches high. Had on dark stiped pants, black check vest, striped shirt, one brogan shoe.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Ellen McCoy; age 37 years; 5 feet high; brown hair; gray eyes. Had on, when admitted, water-proof cloak, plaid shawl, gray sacque, white petticoat, laced shoes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Horschburgh; age 30 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black eyes and hair. Had on, when admitted, gray coat, dark pants and vest, black hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Michael Sullivan; age 35 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown eyes; black hair. Had on, when admitted, dark suit of clothes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

George Black; age 46 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black eyes and hair. Had on, when admitted, dark pants and vest, cardigan jacket, brown hat, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

John Becker; age 37 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on, when admitted, dark suit of clothes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Joseph Pierce; age 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black hair and eyes. Had on, when admitted, dark suit of clothes, white straw hat, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Margaret O'Neill; age 40 years; 5 feet high. Had on, when admitted, dark blue dress, red woolen shawl, black cloth sacque, gaiters. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HARDWARE, OILS, Etc.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

6,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition June 23, 1881.

20,000 Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

5,000 pounds Rice.

500 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, weighing 168 pounds net to the barrel.

100 barrels Crackers.

5,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.

2,500 " Dried Apples.

12 dozen canned String Beans (2 pounds).

24 " " Tomatoes (3 pounds).

600 pounds Macaroni.

300 bags Coarse Meal.

300 " Fine Meal.

20 bales Hurl Broom Corn, all straight.

DRY GOODS.

250 Blue Flannel Lined Blouses.

HARDWARE.
20 kegs rod, Nails.
2 dozen Closet Locks.
2 " Drawer Locks.
3 " Claw Hammers.
OILS, ETC.
3 barrels best Boiled Linseed Oil.
5 " " Spirits Turpentine.
250 pounds Chrome Green, in 35, 55, and 105, in oil.
500 " Red Lead, in 55, dry.

—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 24th day of June, 1881. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Hardware, Oils, 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 bidder or bidders making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 11, 1881.
JACOB HESS,
TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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.
BERNARD KENNEY,
JOSEPH P. STRACK,
HENRY C. PERLEY,
THOMAS SHELLS,
JAMES L. WELLS,
Committee on Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June 20, 1881.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a horse, wagon, and harness, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Tuesday, July 5, 1881, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, No. 110 East Thirtieth street.

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, (Room No. 39),
NEW YORK, June 4, 1881.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, trunks and contents, male and female clothing, watches, jewelry, boots, shoes, hats, carpet, coffee, blankets, revolvers, bag and contents, stockings, etc.; also small amounts of money found and taken from prisoners by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 28, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 24th day of May, 1881, and, on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

Boulevard sewers, between 59th and 61st streets.
Boulevard sewers, between 61st and 77th streets.
Boulevard sewers, between 77th and 93d streets.
Boulevard sewers, between 93d and 106th streets.
Boulevard sewers, between 106th and 153d streets.
Madison avenue sewer, between 110th and 113th streets.
Avenue A sewer, between 10th and 11th streets.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 27, 1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 21, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to Harlem river, was confirmed by the Supreme Court on the 12th day of May, 1881, and entered on the 19th day of May, 1881, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 10, 1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles and Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 4th, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 28th day of April, 1881, and, on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

Avenue B sewer, between 79th and 82d streets.
2d avenue sewer, between 75th and 76th streets.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 103d and 104th streets.

11th avenue sewer, west side, between 59th and 60th streets.

12th avenue sewer, between 131st and 133d streets.

Laight street sewer, between Washington and West streets.

Madison street sewer, between West 4th street and West Washington place.

Jackson street sewer, between Grand and Madison streets.

68th street sewer, between 4th and Madison avenues, etc.

72d street sewer, between 1st and 2d avenues.

73d street sewer, between 8th and 10th avenues.

103d street sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues.

104th street sewer, between 9th and 10th avenues.

104th street sewer, from 650 feet east of 10th avenue to 75 feet west of 9th avenue.

113th street sewer, between 10th avenue and summit east of 10th avenue.

113th street sewer, between Madison and 5th avenues, etc.

122d street sewer, between 6th avenue and summit west of 6th avenue.

123d street sewer, between 7th avenue and summit east of 7th avenue.

127th street sewer, between 7th and 8th avenues.

129th street sewer, between 7th and 8th avenues.

130th street sewer, between 6th avenue and Summit west of 6th avenue.

5th avenue basin, west side, between 60th and 61st streets.

11th street basin, southwest corner Dry Dock street.

60th street basin, northeast corner 5th avenue.
93d street regulating, grading, etc., from 2d avenue to East river.

152d street regulating, grading, etc., from Boulevard to Hudson river.

Broadway regulating, grading, etc., from Manhattan street to 132d street.

38th street paving, from 9th to 10th avenue.

4th avenue paving, at intersection of 83d, 84th, 85th and 86th streets.

104th street paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.

17th avenue paving, between West 11th and West 16th streets.

70th street fencing vacant lots, south side, between 4th and Lexington avenues.

80th and 81st streets fencing vacant lots, between Madison and 5th avenues.

Madison avenue fencing vacant lots, southeast and southwest corners 127th street.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 5, 1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF WATER RENTS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, April 25, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTI- fied that the following assessment list was received by the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, April 25, 1881, for collection:

CONFIRMED APRIL 14, 1881, AND ENTERED APRIL 25, 1881.

89th street opening, from 8th avenue to New road, and from 12th avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before June 24, 1881, 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 above assessments are payable at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

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

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

CHAPTER 33.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of the City of New York to give public notice, by advertisement, for at least ten days, in the CITY RECORD, printed and published in said city, immediately after the confirmation of any assessment for a local improvement or street opening in said city, that the same has been confirmed, specifying the title of such assessment and the date of its confirmation by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments in proceedings for local improvements, and by the Supreme Court in proceedings for street openings, and also the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Croton water rents, notifying all persons, owners of property affected by any such assessment, that, unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of any such assessment, interest shall thereafter be collected thereon as provided in the following section of this act, and all provisions of law or ordinance requiring any other or different notice of assessments and interest thereon are hereby repealed.

Section 5. If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of titles of assessments, it shall be the

duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF WATER RENTS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, February 1, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTI- fied that the following assessment list was received by the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, January 29, 1881, for collection:

CONFIRMED JANUARY 25, 1881, AND ENTERED JANUARY 29, 1881, NAMELY:

153d street, opening, from the easterly line of the New Avenue lying between 8th and 9th avenues, to the Harlem river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before March 30, 1881, 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 above assessments are payable at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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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PUBLIC NOTICE.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE BUSINESS OF the CITY RECORD office will be transacted at Room No. 4, City Hall, northeast corner.

THOMAS COSTIGAN,
Supervisor.