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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending April 16, 1881:

Deposits in the Treasury.

On account of the Sinking Fund.....	\$32,674 38
“ “ City Treasury.....	569,934 86
Total	\$602,609 24

Bonds Issued.

Three and one-half per cent. Bonds.....	\$300,000 00
Four per cent. Bonds.....	143,000 00
Total.....	\$443,000 00

Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Advertising	\$3 80
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance, and Strengthening	1,643 13
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of	169 33
Bronx River Bridges—Rebuilding, etc.	130 63
City Contingencies.....	16 28
City Record—Salaries and Contingencies	17 45
College of the City of New York.....	620 37
Common Schools for the State.....	200,000 00
Construction of Bridges over Harlem river.....	355 40
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	17 50
“ Comptroller's Office.....	7 25
“ Department of Public Works.....	215 29
“ Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	4 00
“ District Attorney's Office	172 00
“ Law Department	300 00
“ Mayor's Office	133 37
Croton Water Fund.....	758 45
Croton Water-main Fund.....	530 00
Croton Water-main Fund from Taxation.....	130 70
Dock Fund.....	15,813 55
Fire Department Fund.....	11,824 06
Five Points House of Industry.....	2,564 22
Fourth Avenue Parks, Improvement of	8 00
Free Floating Baths.....	586 35
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement, and Maintenance.....	802 79
Health Fund.....	553 91
Hospitals for Care of Contagious Diseases.....	767 41
Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes	2,532 02
Interest on the City Debt	2,952 50
Judgments	8,400 12
Lamps and Gas.....	3,274 80
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	16,847 30
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	613 25
Manhattan Square, Improvement of	129 46
Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	273 65
Morningside Park Improvement Fund.....	1 92
New York Catholic Protectory.....	17,229 62
New York Infant Asylum.....	3,970 62
New York Institution for Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb	6,286 50
New York Society for Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled	6,446 71
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	4,143 80
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs	1,313 11
Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	2,892 81
Public Charities and Correction	25,307 86
Public Instruction.....	221,757 27
Reduction of the Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County.....	1,000 00
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	97 20
Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	844 01
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works	63 60
Roads, Streets, and Avenues Unpaved, etc.	90 00
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd.....	3,324 71
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments	250 00
Sedgwick Avenue, Maintenance and Improvement of.....	92 55
Sewers and Drains.....	94 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,474 50
Sheriff's Fees.....	10,021 15
Southern Boulevard, Maintenance and Improvement of.....	38 50
State Asylum for Insane Criminals at Auburn.....	260 00
Street Improvement—Riverside Avenue, etc.	276 70
Street Improvement Fund—June 9, 1880.....	580 22
Street Improvements Authorized or Contracted for after June 9, 1880	1,490 29
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices	741 31
Surveying, Laying-out, etc.	902 37
Surveys, Maps, and Plans in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	41 70
Tompkins Square, Expense of Restoring, etc.	2 50
Walks—City Parks	41 00
Water-meter Fund.....	395 00
Total.....	\$584,639 87

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, Etc.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme...	Daniels Carpenter....	.....	Order to vacate a sale for non-payment of an assessment for widening, etc., Laurens street, etc.....	Kitchel & Jelliffe.
Com.Pleas	Edward Murphy and another.....	\$5,000 00	For personal injuries received by falling upon sidewalk in front of No. 80 Beaver street on December 10, 1880.....	A. C. Davis.
Supreme...	Adonijah D. Ford....	145 83	For balance due on account of salary as a Clerk in the Finance Department from July to November, 1874.....	Elliot Sandford.
“	Timothy Daly.....	140 00	For balance due for services as Clerk in the Finance Department from July to November, 1874.....	Daniel Daly.
“	John B. Carroll.....	93 33	For balance due for services as Clerk in the Finance Department from July to November, 1874.....	“
“	John M. Seaman.....	116 66	For balance due for services as Clerk in the Finance Department from July to November, 1874.....	“
“	Michael McLaughlin..	77 75	For balance due for services as Clerk in the Finance Department from July to November, 1874.....	“
“	James O'Reilly.....	71 60	For balance due for services as Clerk in the Finance Department from July to November, 1874.....	“
“	James Kane.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for drains between Seventy-third and Eighty-first streets, First and Fifth avenues.....	H. A. Shipman.
“	Joseph Freedman....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for drains between Sixty-second and Sixty-eighth streets, Eighth and Ninth avenues.....	“
Com.Pleas	Anthony McCoy....	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received by falling on sidewalk of Eighth avenue, east side, along west side of Jackson square, on January 15, 1881.....	Chas. P. Miller.
Supreme...	Mary Ann Hall.....	450 00	For payment of award for damages, etc., to buildings on lot on Broadway, between Manhattan and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, in consequence of change of grade of Broadway, etc.....	Jas. A. Deering.
Com.Pleas	The Harlem Gas-light Co.....	5,009 48	Transcript of Judgment	John H. Strahan.
“	Nanny Reardon.....	1,000 00	For personal injuries received from falling into a hole or trench in First avenue, between Twenty-second and Twenty-fourth streets.	A. G. Vanderpoel.
Supreme...	The Commercial Insurance Co.....	.....	Summons.....	Brownell & Lathrop.
“	Victor B. de Pierris, Woolsey Johnson, and Theodore Kliske .....	.....	Order to vacate assessments for Broadway regulating, etc., from Thirty-second to Fifty-ninth street.....	John C. Shaw.
“	Robert E. Cox.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for Seventy-second street paving, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river.....	“
“	Charles Devlin, Max Weil et al., Annie S. Freeman, executrix, Bernard Smyth.....	.....	Order to vacate assessments for paving, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Eighth to New avenue.....	“
“	Thomas Bacon and James Hay.....	.....	Order to vacate assessments for underground drains, Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth street, Third avenue and Harlem river	“
“	George M. Groves....	.....	Order to vacate assessments for underground drains, One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Fifth to Eighth avenue.....	“
“	T. L. Chester.....	.....	Order to vacate assessments for underground drains, Seventy-first to Seventy-fourth street, from Ninth avenue to Boulevard...	“
“	Max Weil.....	.....	Order to vacate assessments for underground drains, Seventy-fourth to Ninety-second street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.....	“
“	J. Watts de Peyster...	.....	Order to vacate assessments for underground drains, Seventy-seventh to Eighty-eighth street, from Ninth avenue to Hudson river.	“
“	Robert Ward.....	.....	Order to vacate assessments for underground drains, Seventy-third to Eighty-first street, from First to Fifth avenue.....	“
“	David Brison and Max Weil and another...	.....	Order to vacate assessments for underground drains, Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.....	“
Com.Pleas	The Harlem Gas-light Co.....	8,363 28	For expense of removing and replacing various gas-mains of said company and replacing the public lamps made necessary by the work of constructing sewers in Boulevard, between Seventy-ninth and Ninety-second streets, Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets, and between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets, during the years 1873, 1874, 1875, and 1876.....	John H. Strahan.
Supreme...	James M. McLean and others.....	.....	Summons (complaint not served).....	Brownell & Lathrop.
“	Stephen Shea.....	7,200 00	For salary as patrolman on the police force from January 1, 1875.....	A. H. Purdy.
“	H. S. & A. H. Mott ..	.....	Order reducing assessments for paving Fifty-fourth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and sewers in Fifty-first to Fifty-sixth street, between Ninth avenue and Hudson river	Anderson Price.
“	John Murphy and ano.	.....	Notice of appeal in action against John Mulholland and others and the Bowery National Bank.....	Randolph & G.
“	John Townsend.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for Broadway regulating, etc., from Thirty-second to Fifty-ninth street.....	John C. Shaw.
“	Ann Shanney et al., and Aug. Blumenthal .....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for drains, between Seventy-fourth and Ninety-second streets, and Eighth and Ninth avenues.....	“
“	Jabez N. Hazard, trustee.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for drains, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets, and Ninth avenue and Hudson river	“
Superior...	George W. Morton...	1,808 15	Transcript of Judgment.....	B. N. Harrison.
Supreme...	Robert Bonner.....	7,200 00	For salary as patrolman on the police force from January 7, 1874.....	A. H. Purdy.
“	Edward F. Maguire ..	5,450 06	For salary as patrolman on the police force from October 1, 1876.....	“
“	Cath. Schnetker et al.	33 30	For payment of costs in matter of petition to vacate assessment for regulating, etc., Ninth avenue, between Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets.....	Jas. A. Deering.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 16, 1881.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
5119	Apr. 6, 1881	Fire.....	Henry E. Bowns.....	Furnishing 1,800 tons egg coal and 900 tons stove coal. Total, \$14,094.
5120	" 6, "	"	Joseph Ross	Altering, repairing, and erecting building at No. 99 Wooster street, being quarters of Engine Co. No. 13. Total, \$9,896.

CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
John McCloskey.....	\$3,245 00	For damages awarded in the matter of the closing of Bloomingdale road to lots Ward Nos. 29 to 31, Block 1139.....	Develin & Miller.
Thomas W. Conkling and Lizzie H. Zerega.....	4,173 00	For damages awarded in the matter of the closing of Bloomingdale road to lots 21 to 24, and 43 to 46, Block 1267.....	"
Edward C. Donnelly	34,240 00	For damages awarded in the matter of the closing of Bloomingdale road to lots.....	"
George A. Hearn	3,186 00	For damages awarded in the matter of the closing of Bloomingdale road to lots Ward No. 20, Block 1143.....	"
Eliza Naughton	5,802 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 573.....	Jas. A. Deering.
Caroline Kipple.....	2,254 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map Nos. 308 and 424.....	"
Daniel De Vinne.....	579 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map Nos. 896 to 899.....	"
De Los Reynolds	2,705 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 184.....	"
John F. Runge	2,957 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 185.....	"
Susan H. Crooker.....	2,658 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 203.....	"
John Ditsel	2,534 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 290.....	"
Herman Stucke	1,452 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 291.....	"
Lawrence Walsh	9,029 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 302.....	"
"	6 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 311.....	"
Heinrich Hillebrecht.....	4,163 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 304.....	"
Joseph Angrick	3,856 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 305.....	"
Louis Prass.....	5,313 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map No. 125.....	"
Louis and Philip Zugner, executors.....	11,567 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map Nos. 309 and 301.....	C. S. Spencer.
Charles Edell.....	1,535 00	For awards made for damages by the reason of the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets, Map Nos. 794 and 795.....	R. D. Hatch.
Anna Bade	2,000 00	For damages for injuries received by falling on sidewalk in front of No. 244 Broome street, on January 21, 1881.....	Jas. A. Deering.
Edward F. Denike.....	10,000 00	Amended claim for damages received by breaking his leg, in January, 1881, by falling on ice on sidewalk in Fourteenth street.....	"
Phillipine Brown.....	5,313 00	For award made to Map No. 125, by reason of opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets.....	R. M. Sherman.
Louis Prass.....	"	Notice of the withdrawal of claim in matter of opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets.....	"
Milton F. Decker	"	For salary as Patrolman on the Police force from —.....	"
The North River Insurance Company.....	7,215 34	For payment for damages for illegal assessment and taxation of 1880.....	Brownell & L.
Anna Maria Borst and others.....	5,000 00	For damages sustained by reason of the occupation by the City of certain premises on the Old Bloomingdale road, between Laurence and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets.....	Develin & Miller.

Opening of Proposals.

April 15. The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the Department of Public Charities and Correction for alterations, etc., to the Retreat Building at the Lunatic Asylum on Blackwell's Island, and for slating and tinning same, also for furnishing flour, groceries, hardware, lumber, etc., for the use of the said Department.

Official Bonds Approved and Filed.

April 12. John Tracey, Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office, Principal. Penalty, \$1,000.
George Carter, 315 East Thirteenth street, } Sureties.
Wm. H. Taylor, 343 East Sixteenth street, }

April 12. Martin T. McMahon, Receiver of Taxes, Principal. Penalty, \$25,000.
Thomas Kane, Ninety-fifth street and East river, } Sureties.
Charles H. Tompkins, New Brighton, S. I., }

Approved by Judge Donohue, Supreme Court.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

LAWS OF NEW YORK, 1881.

CHAPTER 19.

AN ACT to legalize the official acts of certain justices of the peace, and authorizing justices of the peace to execute and file official bonds.

Passed March 2, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. The official acts of every justice of the peace heretofore done and performed, duly elected or appointed to the office, so far as such official acts may be affected, impaired, or questioned, by reason of the failure of any such justice to take and subscribe the official oath, or to give an official bond as required by law, are hereby legalized, ratified and confirmed, and any justice of the peace heretofore elected or appointed to the office, who has neglected to file an official bond within the time prescribed by law, may file such bond within twenty days from and after the passage of this act, and the same shall have all the force and effect and validity as if said bond had been filed within the time required by law.

Sec. 2. Nothing in this act contained shall affect any suit or proceeding now pending.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending April 16, 1881.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
APRIL.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.	Observed Height.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 10	29.792	29.754	29.778	29.751	29.846	29.779
Monday, 11	29.926	29.888	29.904	29.941	29.882	29.941
Tuesday, 12	29.916	29.898	29.726	29.798	29.994	29.947
Wednesday, 13	29.754	29.734	29.568	29.554	29.610	29.532
Thursday, 14	29.660	29.638	29.646	29.570	29.676	29.642
Friday, 15	29.342	29.306	29.362	29.490	29.538	29.496
Saturday, 16	29.584	29.546	29.602	29.633	29.740	29.686
Mean for the week..... 29.649 inches.						
Maximum " at 10 A. M., April 12..... 29.947 "						
Minimum " at 7 A. M., April 15..... 29.306 "						
Range "641 "						

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
APRIL.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 10	43	40	58	45	46	43	49.0
Monday, 11	43	40	61	48	49	45	51.0
Tuesday, 12	35	35	38	37	36	36.0	46
Wednesday, 13	36	36	38	37	37	37.0	49
Thursday, 14	37	37	46	41	42	40	46
Friday, 15	42	39	54	45	47	43	46
Saturday, 16	43	39	58	47	51	46	44.0
Mean for the week..... 45.2 degrees.							40.7 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 2 P. M., 11th..... 61.							55.
Minimum " " at 6 A. M., 12th..... 35.							35.
Range " " 26							20

Wind.

DATE. APRIL.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday, 10....	NNE	ENE	WNW	26	82	32	140	¼	2	¾	3	0.50 P. M.
Monday, 11....	NW	W	N	56	68	71	195	0	1½	0	4½	4.20 P. M.
Tuesday, 12....	NE	NE	NNE	54	65	67	186	1½	1	¾	2¾	6.30 A. M.
Wednesday, 13...	ENE	NE	N	72	53	64	189	¼	½	⅜	2½	4.30 P. M.
Thursday, 14....	N	NNE	NNE	54	81	114	249	0	2	5	7	9.45 P. M.
Friday, 15....	NW	NW	WNW	167	106	108	381	1¼	2½	½	6¾	2.30 A. M.
Saturday, 16....	WNW	WNW	WNW	68	86	77	231	½	2	0	4¾	12 M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,571 miles.
Maximum force " " 7 pounds.

DATE.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, IO.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water	Depth of Snow.	
APRIL.												H. M.			
Sunday,	10	.208	.260	.238	75	77	76	7 Cir.	3 Cu.	3 Cir.	.....	.....	....	..	..
Monday,	11	.208	.146	.247	75	30	71	3 Cir.	7 Cir. Cu.	o	.....	.....	....	..	..
Tuesday,	12	.204	.207	.199	100	90	90	10	10	5 Cir. Cu.	4 A. M.	1 P. M.	9.00	.20	..
Wednesday,	13	.212	.207	.220	100	90	100	10	10	10	4 A. M.	7 P. M.	15.00	.54	..
Thursday,	14	.220	.192	.221	100	61	83	6 Cir. Cu. S.	9 Cu.	10	8.40 P. M.	12 P. M.	3.20	.04	..
Friday,	15	.199	.181	.225	74	43	70	7 Cir. Cu.	1 Cu. S.	9 Cir.	o A. M.	2.30 A. M.	2.30	.03	..
Saturday,	16	.186	.178	.245	70	37	65	3 Cir. Cu.	2 Cir.	o	.....	.....	....	..	..

Total amount of water for the week..... .81 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That an additional street-lamp be placed and lighted in front of No. 99 Greenwich avenue, near the corner of Twelfth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.
 Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1881.
 Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 29, 1881, with his objections thereto.
 In Board of Aldermen, April 12, 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, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick Kelly to lay a crosswalk from the northeast corner to the southeast corner of Oliver and Chatham streets, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 15, 1881.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 29, 1881, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, April 12, 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, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William H. H. Childs to curb, gutter, and flag the sidewalk in front of his property on the westerly side of Boston road, southerly from Mechanic street, West Farms, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 29, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward H. Kendall to erect a bay-window on second story on house to be erected on the south side of Seventy-fifth street, one hundred feet easterly from Madison avenue, according to the annexed diagram, the consent of the adjoining property owners having been obtained and is hereto annexed, the work 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, March 29, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Kiralfy Brothers to erect and maintain bay-windows on building northwest corner of Fourth and Macdougall streets, according to annexed diagram, the consent of the adjoining property-owners having been obtained and is hereto annexed, 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, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Lorenzo Delmonico to erect two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps in front of No. 22 Broad street, the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ivison, Blakeman, Taylor & Co., to erect a storm-door on the Eighth street side of their building Nos. 753 and 755 Broadway, to be seven feet high, and to extend four feet from the side wall, 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, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ellen Sharkey to erect bay-windows on houses on the southerly side of Ninetieth street and Lexington avenue, according to the annexed diagram, the work done at her 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, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Clifton (Cliff) street, from Forest (Concord) avenue to Union avenue, and in Union avenue, from Clifton (Cliff) street to One Hundred and Sixty-fifth (Wall) street, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Vineyard place, from Fairmount avenue to Woodruff avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Clifton (Cliff) street, from Forest (Concord) avenue to Union avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Willis avenue to Brook avenue.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted on Samuel street, from the Boston road to the Bronx river, and on the bridge crossing said river at the foot of said Samuel street, West Farms, Twenty-fourth Ward.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Sixty-fifth street, between the Eighth and Ninth avenues, be flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Willis avenue a distance of 200 feet east, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected, and street-lamps lighted in Bergen avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and Westchester avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 5, 1881.

Approved by the Mayor, April 11, 1881.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Madam Hartleys to extend show-window in front of premises No. 177 Fifth avenue, the work done at her 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, March 15, 1881.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 29, 1881, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, April 12th, 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, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

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.

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.

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 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.
 ORGE 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.

Bureau of Sewers.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 ALLAN CAMPELL, 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. HAWLE, 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.
 VINCENT C. KING, 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. 100 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 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.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Mulberry and Houston streets, 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.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; J. HENRY FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

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.

No. 40 East Houston street.
 MORITZ ELLINGER, GERSON N. HERRMAN THOMAS C. KNOX, and JOHN H. BRADY, Coroners.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

RICHARD M. HOB, 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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 21, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles, to wit:
250,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known
as Good Sweet Timothy.
40,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
1,800 bags clean White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.
1,200 bags Fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag.
—will be received at these Headquarters, until 10 o'clock
A. M., on Wednesday, the 4th proximo, when they will be
publicly opened and read.
No proposals will be received or considered after the
hour named.

Proposals must include all of the items, specifying the
price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and
feed.
All of the articles are to be delivered at the various
houses of the Department in such quantities and at such
times as may be directed.

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

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

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 12, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TO
this Department three (3) New Boilers for Steam
Fire Engines, and for repairing the same, will be received
at these Headquarters until 10 A. M., on Wednesday, the
27th instant, when they will be publicly opened and read.
No proposal will be received after the hour named, or
considered, if not made in strict compliance with the
terms of this advertisement.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each
proposal, who must each justify in one-half the amount
thereof, upon the proposal, prior to its presentation.

Proposals must be indorsed "Proposal for furnishing
three (3) New Boilers for Steam Fire Engines," with the
name of the bidder, and be addressed to the Board of
Commissioners of this Department.

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

The Board of Commissioners reserve the right to reject
any or all proposals received, or any part of such propo-
sals, if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

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

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

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

By order of the Board,
VINCENT C. KING, President
JOHN J. GORMAN, Treasurer,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, April 11, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 131.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING
FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER
AT THE FOOT OF WEST FIFTY-EIGHTH
STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND
building a new Wooden Pier at the foot of West
Fifty-eighth 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, un-
til 12 o'clock M., of

FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 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 fur-
nish 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 pre-
sentation, 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:
Wooden Pier complete, containing about the following
quantities:

1. Yellow Pine Timber—
12" x 12".... 78,378 feet, B.M., measured in the work.
8" x 12".... 448 " " " "
8" plank.... 528 " " " "
6" x 12".... 4,932 " " " "
6" plank.... 4,320 " " " "
8" x 8".... 5,696 " " " "
7" x 8".... 210 " " " "
5" plank.... 116,775 " " " "
5" x 10".... 13,430 " " " "
4" x 10".... 667 " " " "
Total.....225,184 " " " "

2. White Oak Timber—
8" x 12".... 7,952 feet, B. M., measured in the work.
NOTE.—The above quantities are exclusive of extra
lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

3. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce Piles. 414
(It is expected that the vertical piles will be from 55 to
75 feet in length, and the bracing piles from 70 to 85 feet
in length, but all of them must be of sufficient length to
comply with the specifications for the work, as set forth
in the approved form of contract.)

4. Yellow or White Pine mooring posts..... 14
5. 7/8" x 22", 3/4" x 18", 3/4" x 16", 3/4"
x 12", and 3/4" x 10" square, and 3/4"
x 12", 3/4" x 8", 3/4" x 6", pound wrought-
iron spike-pointed bolts, about.....17,475 pounds.

6. Boiler-plate armatures and wrought-iron
corner bands, about..... 7,214 "
7. 1 1/8", 1", and 3/4" wrought-iron screw
bolts, about..... 5,464 "
8. Cast-iron washers for 1 1/8", 1", and 3/4"
screw bolts, about..... 3,685 "
9. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving
of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, paint-
ing, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for
painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of
every description, for an area of about 18,390 square
feet of pier.

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 ex-
amination 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 an estimate, dispute or
complain of the above statement of quantities, 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 to be done under the contract is to be com-
menced within five days after the date of the contract,
and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before
the 1st day of August, 1881, and the damages to be paid
by the contractor for each day that the contract may be
unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof
has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted,
are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at
Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the
whole of the work, to be done in conformity with the
approved form of contract and the specifications there-
in set forth, by which price the bids will be tested.
This price is to cover all expenses of every kind in-
volved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract,
including any claim that may arise through delay, from
any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in
writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of
New York, with their respective places of business or resi-
dence, 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 of the City of New York, any differ-
ence between the sum to which said person or
persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which
said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom
the contract may be awarded; the amount, in each case, to be
calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done,
by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned
shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of
each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder
or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the
amount of the security required for the completion of the
contract, 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 surety in good faith, and
with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The
adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be
approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after
the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the speci-
fications will be allowed, unless under the written instruc-
tions 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 other-
wise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates,
to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Depart-
ment, 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 LAIMBEER,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

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 enroll-
ment notice," requiring them to appear before me this
year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be an-
swered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under
severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of
exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving
full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention
paid to letters.

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

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and
secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their
duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their
clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt
at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment.

Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer
absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and
District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a mis-
demeanor 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 re-
lation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make
any false statement, and every case will be fully pros-
ecuted.

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

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of
Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Alder-
men and Commonalty of the City of New York,
relative to the opening of Sixty-seventh street, from
Third avenue to the Harlem river, in the City of
New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL
of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by
reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter,
will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the
Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the New
Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York,
on the 25th day of April, 1881, at 10 1/2 o'clock in the
forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard
thereon. The said bill of costs has been filed with the
Commissioner of Public Works, as required by law.

WILLIAM CRUIKSHANK,
GUNNING S. BEDFORD,
ALLEN J. CUMING,
Commissioners.

Dated New York, April 12, 1881.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-
ITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

ESTIMATES FOR STEAM-HEATING WORK
and of Plumbing Work and Materials to be done in
the West Wing to Insane Asylum, will be received by the
Board of Commissioners at the head of the Depart-
ment of Public Charities and Correction at the office of said De-
partment, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York,
until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, the 30th day of April,
1881, at which place and time the bids will be publicly
opened by the head of said Department and read. The
award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as
practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

The amount of security required is \$4,000 for steam-
heating and \$1,000 for the plumbing.

The entire work is to be completed in or before one
hundred and fifty (150) days after the date of the com-
mencement thereof, for the steam-heating, and ninety (90)
days for the plumbing work.

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

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day
that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time speci-
fied for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a
clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at fifty 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 for forty-
eight (48) hours after notice that the contract is ready for
execution, he or they will be considered as having
abandoned it, and the contract will be readvertised and
relet, and so on, until it is accepted and executed.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction
reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates
if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or esti-
mate 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 por-
tion 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 there-
in 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 con-
sent, 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 dif-
ference 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 con-
tract 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 con-
sent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or
affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing
the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the
City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security
required for the completion of this contract, over and
above all his debts of every nature, and over and above
his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he
has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the
intention to execute the bond required by law. The
adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be
approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York after
the award is made, and prior to the signing of the con-
tract.

Bidders will state the price for doing the whole work,
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 requisition on the Com-
ptroller, issued on the completion of the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the speci-
fications will be allowed, unless under the written instruc-
tion of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correc-
tion.

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

Dated New York, April 19, 1881.
JACOB HESS,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRS TO ENGINE AND
Boiler, and to Ship Carpenters' Work, Joiners'
Work, and Painting to the Steamboat "Fidelity," will
be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of
the Department of Public Charities and Correction, at the
office of said Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, in
the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Satur-
day, the 30th day of April, 1881, at which time and
place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said
Department and read.

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

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

The amount of the security required is \$1,000 for En-
gine and Boiler, and \$500 for Ship Carpenters' Work,
Joiners' Work, and Painting.

The entire work will be required to be completed on or
before twenty (20) days after the commencement thereof.
For information as to the amount and kind of work to
be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which
are annexed to and form part of these proposals.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day
that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time speci-
fied for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a
clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at fifty 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 for forty-eight
(48) hours after notice that the contract is ready for exe-
cution, he or they will be considered as having aban-
doned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the
contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on, until
it is accepted and executed.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction re-
serves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if
deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or esti-
mate 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 other-
wise, 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 por-
tion 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 there-
in 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 con-
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-
ness 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 con-
tract 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 con-
sent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or
affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons sign-
ing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the
City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security
required for the completion of this contract, over and
above all his debts of every nature, and over and above
his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he
has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the
intention to execute the bond required by law. The
adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be
approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York,
after the award is made, and prior to the signing of the
contract.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Com-
ptroller, issued on the completion of the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the speci-
fications will be allowed, unless under the written instruc-
tion of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correc-
tion.

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

Dated, New York, April 19, 1881.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, CROCK-
ERY, AND MISCELLANEOUS MER-
CHANDISE.SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-
ing

GROCERIES.
24,000 Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
12,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition on
Thursday, April 28.
3,000 pounds Crushed Sugar.
2,000 pounds best Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.
2,000 gallons Syrup.
25 barrels Vinegar.
6 dozen Vanilla Extract.
250 bushels Beans.
CROCKERY.
1 gross Plates.
2 gross Cups.
5 gross Handled Mugs.
2 gross Bed-Pans.
1 gross Feed Cups.
MISCELLANEOUS.
500 Toilet Quills.
3 barrels Turpentine.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the
Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the
City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday,
the 29th day of April, 1881. The person or persons making
any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed
envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries,
Crockery, and Miscellaneous Merchandise," 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 re-
serves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if
deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any
bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles

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

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

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

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

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as 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 article included therein. 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.

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, April 18, 1881.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 13, 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 Fourth Precinct Station-house—Unknown man; age about 40 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair; moustache and whiskers. Had on brown coat and pants, black vest, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white cotton socks, brown shoes, black felt hat.

Unknown man, from foot Twenty-sixth street, East river; age about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair and moustache; hazel eyes. Had on black pants, white twilled drawers, blue cotton socks, boots.

Unknown man, from No. 71 Mott street; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair; iron gray whiskers and moustache; hazel eyes.

Unknown man, from Twenty-ninth Precinct Station-house, age about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black hair and moustache; hazel eyes. Had on blue frock coat, gray vest, dark striped pants, blue overalls, white shirt, gray ribbed socks, brown shoes.

Unknown man, from No. 11 Bowery—Age, about 25 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blonde hair and moustache; blue eyes. Had on dark frock coat, blue flannel vest; black pants, white shirt, pink undershirt, gray ribbed socks, gaiters.

At Work House, Blackwell's Island—William McCarty; age, 45 years; committed January 5, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

James Hellern; age, 39 years; committed March 23, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

William Eadie; age, 56 years; committed January 11, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Timothy Shea; age, 27 years; committed April 3, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

James McCauley; age, 34 years; committed March 30, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Charles Jones; age, 72 years; committed March 24, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Annie Stephens; age, 25 years; 4 feet 10½ inches high; brown hair; black eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—William Hunt; age, 53 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS. PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

ESTIMATES FOR THE FOLLOWING-NAMED Works, viz.:

1. The mason work, iron work, carpenter work, and materials required in the erection of water-closet tower on Bellevue Hospital grounds.

2. The steam heating and ventilating to be done in said tower.

3. The plumbing and gas-fitting to be done in said tower.

4. For one locomotive boiler for laundry at Charity Hospital.

5. For steam heating apparatus and other steam and pipe work for said laundry.

6. For laundry work, etc., for said laundry.

7. For plumbing and gas-fitting for said laundry.

8. The work and materials required in the erection of a one-story erysipelas pavilion on dock at Bellevue Hospital;—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, at the office of said Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock, A. M., of Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 1881, at which place and time the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contracts, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

The amount of security required in each of the above-named works is as follows, viz.:

1. The mason work, etc., for tower at Bellevue Hospital, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

2. The steam heating, etc., in said tower, four hundred dollars (\$400.00).

3. The plumbing, etc., in said tower, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

4. For locomotive boiler for laundry at Charity Hospital, fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

5. The steam heating apparatus, etc., for said laundry, five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

6. The laundry work, etc., for said laundry, fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

7. The plumbing and gas-fitting for said laundry, two hundred dollars (\$200.00).

8. The work and materials for erysipelas pavilion at Bellevue Hospital, three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00).

The above several works will be required to be completed as follows, viz.:

1. The mason work, etc., for tower at Bellevue Hospital, within 175 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

2. The steam-heating, etc., in said tower, within 75 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

3. The plumbing, etc., in said tower, within 75 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

4. The locomotive boiler for laundry at Charity Hospital, within 60 working days after the award of contract.

5. The steam-heating apparatus, etc., for said laundry, within ninety working days after the commencement thereof.

6. The laundry work, etc., for said laundry, within ninety working days after the commencement thereof.

7. The plumbing and gas-fitting for said laundry, within thirty working days after the commencement thereof.

8. The work and materials for erysipelas pavilion at Bellevue Hospital, within seventy-five days after the commencement thereof.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which are annexed to and form part of these proposals, and the plans, which can be seen at the office of said Department. The 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 fifty 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, for forty-eight hours after notice that the contract is ready for execution, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on, until it be accepted and executed.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be 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, after the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders will state the price for doing either of the works by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 13, 1881.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS. PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

ESTIMATES FOR THE FOLLOWING-NAMED Works, viz.:

1. The work and material required in the erection of a one-story quarantine pavilion on Randall's Island.

2. The slating and tinning required for the one-story quarantine pavilion on Randall's Island.

3. The mason work and material required in the erection of the east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

4. The cut stone and setting required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

5. The carpenter work and materials required in the erection of the east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

6. The iron and wire work required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

7. The slating and tinning required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

8. The work and material required in the erection of a one-story pavilion at Alms-house on Blackwell's Island.

9. The slating and tinning required for the one-story pavilion at Alms-house, Blackwell's Island.

10. The mason work, iron work, carpenter work, and materials required in the alterations and additions to be made to engine-house, kitchen, and laundry at Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island.

11. The slating and tinning required for the alterations and additions to be made to engine-house, kitchen, and laundry at Lunatic Asylum on Blackwell's Island;—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, at the office of said Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock, A. M., of Thursday, the 21st day of April, 1881, at which place and time the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contracts, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

The amount of security required in each of the above-named works is as follows, viz.:

1. Of the work and material required in the erection of a one-story quarantine pavilion on Randall's Island, seven thousand dollars (\$7,000.00).

2. Of slating and tinning required for the one-story quarantine pavilion on Randall's Island, fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

3. Of the mason work and material required in the erection of the east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00).

4. Of the cut stone and setting required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00).

5. Of the carpenter work and materials required in the erection of the east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00).

6. Of the iron and wire work required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00).

7. Of the slating and tinning required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

8. Of the work and material required in the erection of a one-story pavilion at Alms-house on Blackwell's Island, six thousand dollars (\$6,000.00).

9. Of slating and tinning required for the one-story pavilion at Alms-house, Blackwell's Island, fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

10. Of the mason work, iron work, carpenter work, and materials required in the alterations and additions to be made to engine-house, kitchen, and laundry at Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

11. Of slating and tinning required for the alterations and additions to be made to engine-house, kitchen, and laundry at Lunatic Asylum on Blackwell's Island, fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

The above several works will be required to be completed as follows, viz.:

1. The work and material required in the erection of a one-story quarantine pavilion on Randall's Island, within 175 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

2. Of slating and tinning required for the one-story quarantine pavilion on Randall's Island, within 75 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

3. Of the mason work and material required in the erection of the east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, within 300 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

4. Of the cut stone and setting required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, within 300 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

5. Of the carpenter work and materials required in the erection of the east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, within 300 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

6. Of the iron and wire work required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, within 300 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

7. Of the slating and tinning required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island, within 300 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

8. Of the work and material required in the erection of a one-story pavilion at Alms-house on Blackwell's Island, within 175 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

9. Of slating and tinning required for the one-story pavilion at Alms-house, Blackwell's Island, within 75 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

10. Of the mason work, iron work, carpenter work, and materials required in the alterations and additions to be made to engine-house, kitchen, and laundry at Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, within 75 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

11. Of slating and tinning required for the alterations and additions to be made to engine-house, kitchen, and laundry at Lunatic Asylum on Blackwell's Island, within 75 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

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

The 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 fifty 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 for forty-eight hours after notice that the contract is ready for execution, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on, until it be accepted and executed.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any

connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be 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, after the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders will state the price for doing either of the works by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 8, 1881.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 20, 1881.

THE OPENING OF PROPOSALS FOR THE following-named works, viz.:

1. The work and material required in the erection of a one-story quarantine pavilion on Randall's Island.

2. The slating and tinning required for the one-story quarantine pavilion on Randall's Island.

3. The mason work and material required in the erection of the east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

4. The cut stone and setting required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

5. The carpenter work and materials required in the erection of the east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

6. The iron and wire work required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

7. The slating and tinning required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

8. The work and material required in the erection of a one-story pavilion at Alms-house on Blackwell's Island.

9. The slating and tinning required for the one-story pavilion at Alms-house, Blackwell's Island.

10. The mason work, iron work, carpenter work, and materials required in the alterations and additions to be made to engine-house, kitchen, and laundry at Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island.

11. The slating and tinning required for the alterations and additions to be made to engine-house, kitchen, and laundry at Lunatic Asylum on Blackwell's Island;—is postponed until Saturday, April 22, 1881, at the office of said Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

No bids, however, will be received after 9:30 o'clock of Thursday, the 21st instant.

By order of the Commissioners,

JACOB HESS,
President.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Wednesday, April 27, 1881, at 4 P. M., for supplying the coal and wood required for the public schools in this city, for the ensuing year—say ten thousand (10,000) tons of coal, more or less, and eight hundred and fifty (850) cords of oak, and five hundred and fifty (550) cords of pine wood, more or less. The coal must be of the best quality of white ash, furnace, egg, stove, and nut sizes, clean and in good order, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, and must be delivered in the bins of the several school buildings at such times and in such quantities as required by the Committee on Supplies.

The proposals must state the mines from which it is proposed to supply the coal (to be furnished from the mines named, if accepted), and must state the price per ton of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds.

The quantity of the various sizes of coal required will be about as follows, viz.: Eight thousand one hundred (8,100) tons of furnace size, nine hundred and fifty (950) tons of stove size, three hundred and fifty (350) tons of egg size, and six hundred (600) tons of nut size.

The oak wood must be of the best quality, the stick not less than three (3) feet long. The pine wood must be of the best quality

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 12, 1881.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the following described property of this Department will be sold at public auction (by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers), at the stables of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, foot of East Seventeenth street, E. R., on Saturday, April 23, 1881, at 10 o'clock A. M., viz:

Twenty-five Horses.
Lot of Rope.
Lot of Scrap Iron.

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
(Room No. 39), No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 8, 1881.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York (Room No. 39), 300 Mulberry street, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Revolvers, clothing (male and female), watches, bags, mineral water, shoes, cloth, blankets, trunks and contents, carpet, hand-carts, wire, tomatoes, Anis oil, locket and chain, lot silver-plated ware, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,
No. 2 CITY HALL.

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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 11, 1881.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON Saturday, April 23, 1881, at 11 o'clock A. M. The Department of Public Works will sell at public auction by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, the following lots of stone on premises south side of Ninety-first street, one hundred and fifty feet west of Avenue A, viz:

Achillian Marble, in lots numbered from 1 to 48, amounting to about 539 cubic feet.
Belgian Granite, in lots numbered from 1 to 88, amounting to about 1,091 "

Richmond Granite, in lots numbered from 1 to 125, amounting to about 1,631 "

Also, a two-story frame building, or the part thereof within the lines of Seventy-fifth street, between Eleventh avenue and Riverside Drive.

The sale of the stone will take place on the premises in Ninety-first street, at 11 o'clock A. M., and the sale of the building as soon thereafter as possible on Seventy-fifth street.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the stone from the premises on or before May 1, 1881, and the building entirely out of the line of the street within thirty days from the date of the sale, otherwise he will forfeit the same together with all moneys paid therefor.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, or the stone or building to be resold.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 21, 1881.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A petition of the property owners, with a map and plan for changing the grade of Seventy-ninth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned, at his office, on or before the 18th day of April, 1881.

The map, showing the present and proposed grades, can be seen at Room 7, 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Thursday, April 21, 1881, at 3 o'clock P. M.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN,
Clerk.

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

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

Second. In cases in which proceedings or actions have been commenced to vacate or set aside any assessment confirmed prior to June 9, 1880, or any assessment confirmed subsequent to June 9, 1880, for a local improvement theretofore completed, notices must be filed on or before May 1, 1881.

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, March 24, 1881.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1881.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1881, will be opened for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 10, 1881, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1881, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

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

By order of the Board.

ALBERT STORER,
Secretary.

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.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISES.

THE FRANCHISES TO RUN A FERRY ESTABLISHED by a resolution of the Common Council, approved October 11, 1880, "from a point at or near the intersection of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Second avenue, on the southerly side of Harlem river to the opposite shore at or near the present depot of the New Haven and Harlem Railway," will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, at 12 M., on Thursday, April 21, 1881.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

A lease for five years from the 1st day of May, 1881, of the above-named ferry, will be sold to the highest bidder, at public auction, at the time and place above-mentioned, at a percentage upon the total gross receipts for ferryage at said ferry during the term of the lease. The franchise will be offered for sale at the upset price of 5 per cent. upon such gross receipts, payable quarterly, and upon conditions embodied in a blank form of lease which has been approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, to which reference is made, and which is on file in the office of the Comptroller, subject also to such requirements in respect to rates of ferryage, time of running the boats, and all other regulations deemed of advantage to the public as may be prescribed by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

The highest bidder will be required to pay at the time of the sale, in addition to the auctioneer's fee, the sum of two hundred dollars as security for the execution of the lease, to be applied to the rent first becoming due under said lease, but if the purchaser refuses to execute the lease and give two sureties satisfactory to the Comptroller, as security for a faithful performance of its covenants, when duly notified by the Comptroller, the amount so paid shall be forfeited to the city.

The right to reject any bid, if deemed to be for the interest of the City of New York, is reserved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
March 16, 1881.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF THE FRANCHISE OF THE FULTON AND OTHER FERRIES FROM NEW YORK TO BROOKLYN, LONG ISLAND.

THE FRANCHISE TO RUN THE FOLLOWING Ferries, from the City of New York to the City of Brooklyn, along with a lease of the wharf property belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, used or required for the purposes of such ferries, on both sides of the East river, will be sold to the highest bidder, at public auction, at 12 o'clock, P. M., at the office of the Comptroller, on Thursday, April 21, 1881, for the term of five years from the first day of May, 1881, as follows:

The Fulton Ferry.—From the foot of Fulton street, New York, to Fulton street, Brooklyn, L. I.
The Wall Street Ferry.—From the foot of Wall street, New York, to Montague street, Brooklyn, L. I.
The Catharine Ferry.—From the foot of Catharine street, New York, to Main street, Brooklyn, L. I.
The South Ferry.—From the foot of Whitehall street, New York, to Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, L. I.
The Hamilton Avenue Ferry.—From the foot of Whitehall street, New York, to Hamilton avenue, Brooklyn, L. I.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

A lease for five years from the 1st day of May, 1881, of the franchise of the above-named ferries and of the wharf property belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, connected with and in use for the purposes of said ferries, hereinafter described, will be sold to the highest bidder, at public auction, at a percentage rate upon the total gross receipts for ferryage at said ferries during the term of the lease; payments to be made quarterly by the lessee. The same will be put up at an upset price of 12½ per cent. upon such gross receipts, and upon the terms and conditions embodied in a blank form of lease which has been approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, and is on file in the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, to which reference is made, as embodying, in general, the conditions upon which the sale is to be made.

The highest bidder or purchaser will be required to pay, at the time of sale, to the Comptroller, in addition to the fee of the auctioneer, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, which amount shall apply to the rent first becoming due, in case he executes a lease with the covenants therein, so prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, otherwise to be forfeited to the city. He will be required also to furnish an agreement or obligation, to be entered into at the time of the sale, with two good sureties, to this effect: that he will execute a bond with two sureties to be approved by the Comptroller, for the punctual payment of the rent quarterly, and for the faithful performance of the covenants of the lease, and compliance with the terms and conditions of sale mentioned herein.

The highest bidder or purchaser will be required to purchase from the present lessees, at a fair appraised valuation, the boats, buildings, and other property used upon said ferries, respectively, and actually necessary for the purposes of said ferries, to be determined by an arbitration similar to that provided for in the blank form of lease hereinafter mentioned.

No expense whatever is to be incurred by the Corporation for or in connection with the piers, bulkheads, or premises proposed to be leased along with the franchise of said ferries.

The wharf property belonging to the Corporation, to be leased along with the franchise of the ferries, consists of all those bulkheads, slips, and piers now used or required

by the Union Ferry Company for ferry purposes, comprised under the following general description, namely:

1. All that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips, and adjacent piers Nos. 21 and 22, now used and held by the Union Ferry Company of Brooklyn, at the foot of Fulton street, in the City of New York.

2. All that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips, and adjacent piers, now used and held by the said company, at the foot of Fulton street, in the City of Brooklyn.

3. All that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips, and adjacent piers Nos. 34 and 35, now used and required by the said company, at the foot of Catharine street, in the City of New York.

4. All that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads and slips, now used and required by the said company, at the foot of Main street, in the City of Brooklyn.

5. All that certain wharf property consisting of one-half the bulkhead and slip, and adjacent Pier No. 15, on the southerly side thereof, now used and required by the said company, at the foot of Wall street, in the City of New York.

6. All that certain wharf property consisting of bulkheads, slips, and Pier No. 2, northerly side, now used and required by the said company, at the foot of Whitehall street, in the City of New York.

The lessee or lessees will be required to dredge the ferry slips and dredge under the platforms to such depth as may be necessary, under the direction of the Department of Docks.

The rates of ferryage shall not exceed those now charged by the Union Ferry Company.

The right to reject any bid, if deemed to be for the interest of the City of New York, is reserved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 14, 1881.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due May 1, 1881, will be paid on Monday, May 2, 1881, by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer-books will be closed from March 31, 1881, to May 2, 1881.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, March 23, 1881.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

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

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

CHAPTER 33.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

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 NOTIFIED 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 of 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 said bureaux, and the officers thereof, the chief officer of which consolidated bureau shall be called "Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears."

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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.

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS FOR DAMA-ges to property by reason of closing the Kingsbridge road are requested to present their claims, with their title deeds, at the earliest possible date, as the Board of Assessors are engaged in the consideration of all claims of damage by closing said road.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,
EDWARD NORTH,
DANIEL STANBURY,
SAMUEL CONOVER,
Board of Assessors

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 1, 1881.