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HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Report on Well Waters from the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

NEW YORK, August 1, 1881.

W. DE F. DAY, M.D., Sanitary Superintendent:

SIR—I have the honor to report the following results of the examination of well waters from the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of this city:

No. of Sample.	DAT		MINERAL MATTER.	ORG. & VOL. MATTER.	TOTAL SOLIDS.	HARDNESS, CARB. LIME.	FREE Ammonia.	ALBU- MINOID.	REMARKS.
OAMI DIS	ALL CLI	LD.	GRAINS P	ER U. S. GALLO	ON (231 CUE	IC INCHES.)	PARTS PER	MILLION.	
I	March	18	17.846	4.899	22.745	10.219	1.17	0.05	Very unsafe.
и	"	19	33.825	9.039	42.864	14.126	o.ot	0.18	Unsafe.
ш	April	2	44.030	4.141	48.171	17.437	0.03	0.04	Good.
IV	"	2	26.185	1.924	28.109	13.588	0.02	0.11	Unsafe.
v	"	8	16.388	1.399	17.787	8.054	0.01	0.18	
VI		8	28.401	5.423	33.824	13.256	0.01	0.08	Doubtful.
VII	"	15	22.978	3 - 557	26.535	9.255	0.18	0.25	Very unsafe.
VIII	"	15	21.752	9.156	30.908	9.138	0.00	0.06	Doubtful.
x	"	23	17.320	1.749	19.069	5.773	0.01	0.01	Good.
XI	May	13	19.420	6.240	25.660	8.899	0.00	0.02	"
хи		13	14.463	1.458	15.921	7.453	0.01	0.03	"
хии	"	14	13.938	1.808	15.746	10.100	0.02	0.00	"
xIV		20	4.374	0.291	4.665	1.443	0.01	0.17	Unsafe.
xv	"	20	25.193	5.132	30.325	13.162	0.02	0.016	Good.
XVI	***	26	98.265	13.705	111.970	36.373	0.14	0.21	Very unsafe.
xvII	"	26	15.979	1.808	17.787	6.252	0.00	0.03	Good.
xvIII		27	10.381	τ.866	12.247	5.307	0.01	0.01	
xix	"	27	8.573	trace.	8.573	5.530	0.00	0.03	
xx	June	7	72.606	9.914	82.520	33.775	0.97	0.39	Very unsafe.
XXI	."	7	35.690	1.750	37.440	14.722	0.20	0.29	"
xxII	"	7	31.259	4.665	35.924	17.898	0.01	0.04	Good.
XXIII	"	7	27.993	0.583	28.576	12.124	0.075	0.205	Unsafe.
xxiv	"	17	52.719	14.988	67.707	23.095	0.59	0.22	Very unsafe.
xxv	"	17	66.775	20.120	86.895	32.331	3.13	1.62	"
xxvi	July	8	44.030	25.077	69.107	15.804	0.05	0.06	Doubtful.
xvII		8	18.078	2.916	20.994	9 179	0.05	0.12	Unsafe.

The localities from which these samples were taken are given as follows by Dr. Comfort, who

The localities from which these samples were taken are given as follows by Dr. Comfort collected and sent the samples to me:

I. West side Franklin avenue, two houses north of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

II. North side One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, two houses east of Third avenue.

III. Northeast corner Boston avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

IV. Northwest corner Franklin avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

V. South side One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, five houses east of Boston avenue.

VI. North side One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, one house east of Franklin avenue.

VII. Franklin avenue, two houses north of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.

VIII. Fortheid Third avenue, one of the Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

VIII. East side Third avenue, opposite One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.

XI. East side Union avenue, three houses south of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.
XII. Northeast corner Concord avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street.
XIII. Northeast corner Concord avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street.
XIII. South side Kingsbridge road, one house east of Central avenue.
XIV. Independence avenue, Spuyten Duyvil.
XV. East side Railroad avenue, two houses south of One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.
XVII. North side One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, two houses east of St. Ann's avenue.
XVII. South side One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, two houses east of St. Ann's avenue. XVI. North side One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, two houses east of St. Ann's avenue. XVII. South side One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, two houses east of St. Ann's avenue. XVIII. Woodlawn Primary School, No. 48.

XIX. Near Woodlawn Cemetery.

XX. South side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, nine houses east of Morris avenue. XXII. Northeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Linton avenue. XXII. East side Cauldwell avenue, two houses south of One Hundred and Sixty-first street.

XXIII. North side Teasdale place, one house west of Grove avenue.

XXIV. South side of One Hundred and Sixty-third street, four houses west of Elton avenue.

XXV. South side One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, six houses west of Elton avenue.

XXVI. South side One Hundred and Sixty-third street, five houses west of Brook avenue.

XXVII. South side One Hundred and Sixty-third street, five houses west of Brook avenue. XXVII. Southwest corner Railroad avenue and Irving place.

As will be seen of the twenty-six different sources seven are very unsafe, six are unsafe, three are doubtful, and only ten can be looked upon as good.

These decisions are based upon the so-called "Ammonia method" of Wanklyn and Chapman, which, though imperfect in some respects, especially where a single sample only is examined, is one of the best processes in use, and as such has been recognized by most chemists. Samples of water from some of the wells marked as "good," if taken at another time, might possibly place them in the class of "doubtful."

The samples all contained perceptible amounts of chlorides.

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Respectfully submitted, E. WALLER, Ph.D., Chemist.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, for the week ending August 13, 1881.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants unless

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

William H. Webb, O. B. Potter, and Nathan C. Ely—Suing for themselves and for the benefit of all others having similar interests against the Mayor, etc., New York, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Comptroller, and Board of Assessors of New York. To have declared void chapter 456, Laws of 1881, which provides for the removal of the Forty-second street reservoir and for injunction,

In re Isabella Garvy—To vacate an assessment for Boulevard sewers, between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets, confirmed May 24, 1881.

In re S. A. Gibbes and Charlotte A. Astor, individually, and as trustees—To vacate an assessment for damages in consequence of the closing of Bloomingdale road.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Martin L. Ehrgott—Damages for alleged personal injuries driving in a ditch at corner of Broadway and McCoombs street, February 27, 1881, \$5,000.

SUPERIOR COURT.

John G. Moore-Award for damages by change of grade of Tenth avenue, Ward No. 31, Farm

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

In re. George F. Gantz, One Hundred and Forty-fifth street pavement-Order reducing assessment

entered.

In re. George F. Gantz, St. Nicholas avenue regulating—Order reducing assessment entered.

People, Martha S. Greenough, Adm'x, vs. Commissioners Taxes and Assessments—Judgment entered in favor of Tax Commissioners, dismissing writ of certiorari, and for \$51.79 costs, etc.

George Leonhardt—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$142.02 by consent.

Christian Frank—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$81.26 by consent.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Matter of Wright-Reference proceeded.

John Maxwell—Reference proceeded.

Marietta R. Stevens—Motion for judgment argued, decision reserved.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Board of Estimate and Apportionment—City of New York, Mayor's Office, City Hall, Friday, August 12, 1881, 2 o'clock p. m.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call:

Office of the Mayoralty, Executive Department—City Hall, New York, August 10, 1881.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 112th section of chapter 335, being an act entitled "An act toreorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873; and section 1 of chapter 779, being an act entitled "An act in relation to raising money by taxation in the County of New York, for county purposes," passed June 14, 1873; and chapter 304, being an act entitled "An act to consolidate the government of the City and County of New York, and further to regulate the same," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 303, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the County of New York," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 308, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the City of New York," passed May 1, 1874—a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Friday, August 12, 1881, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purposes specified in requisition of the Comptroller, dated August 10, 1881.

W. R. GRACE. Mayor.

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CITY OF NEW YORK-FINANCE DEPARTMENT,

SIR—You are requested to call a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on Friday, August 12, 1881, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of authorizing the issue of "Assessment Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," to the amount of \$100,000, under chapter 397, Laws of 1852, and chapter 580, Laws of 1872, to meet the cost of street improvements in progress, and also for the transaction of any other business that may be brought before the Board.

Respectfully,
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

Admission of a copy of the within as served upon us this 10th day of August, 1881.

W. R. GRACE,
Mayor;
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller;
PATRICK KEENAN,
President of the Board of
Aldermen;

Thos. B. Asten,
President of the Department of
Taxes and Assessment

Present—All the members, viz.:
William R. Grace, the Mayor of the City of New York; Allan Campbell, the Comptroller of the City of New York; Patrick Keenan, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Thomas B. Asten, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments.
The minutes of the meeting held July 29, 1881, were read and approved.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized to issue from time to time, as may be required, and at such rates of interest, not exceeding four per centum per annum, and for

such period conformable to law, as he may determine, "Assessment Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," to the amount of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), as authorized by chapter 397, Laws of 1852, and chapter 580, Laws of 1872.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

and Assessments-4.

The Comptroller presented the following communications:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, August 9, 1881.

Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor and Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR-The necessities of the public works under the charge of this Department require that the SIR—The necessities of the public works under the charge of this Department require that the following transfers of appropriations be made; the several sums herein proposed to be taken from the respective appropriations being in excess of the liabilities against the same:

From Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning—Salaries, 1881.

\$10,000 00

Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices—Salaries, 1881.

5,000 00

To Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.—Salaries of, 1881.

15,000 00

To Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.—Salaries of, 1881		15,000 00
From Repairs and Renewal of Pavements, and Regrading of 1881		\$10,000 00
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance, and Strengthening Salaries Boulevard, Roads and Avenues—Maintenance Salaries.	\$9 55	
" Salaries	25 05	
Boulevard, Roads and Avenues-Maintenance	68	
" Salaries	1 04	
Contingencies-Department of Public Works	125 71	
Contract of P. J. Masterson.	69	
Expenses of Surveys and Maps	1 14	
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots	32 49	
Free Floating Baths	54 35	
Lamps and Gas	1,341 49	
Lamps and Gas—Salaries	36	
Public Buildings - Construction and Repairs	57 91	
Public Drinking Hydrants	2 89	
Public Drinking Hydrants	05	
Removing Obstructions in Streets-Salaries	04	
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks,	141 59	
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks—Salaries. Repairing Streets and Avenues.	83 83	
Repaying Streets and Avenues	358 11	
Repaving Streets and Avenue - Salaries	19 63	
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements	634 96	
Roads and Avenues, Maintenance and Sprinkling	12	
Salaries—Department Public Works	80 49	
Sewers-Repairing and Cleaning	245 30	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning-Salaries	1 82	
Sewerage System-Salaries	51	
Street Improvements for Surveying	98 76	
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices	57 85	
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices-Salaries	121 38	
Supplying Water to Shipping, etc Salaries	50	
Water Supply for the Twenty-fourth Ward	47 00	
-	\$3,545 29	
Balances of 1880, amounting to the sum of		\$3,545 29
To Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices, of 1881.		\$13,545 20

The appropriations to which these transfers are requested to be made, are insufficient for the purposes for which they were required.

The Board of Estimate and Apportionment is respectfully requested to take early action in the

matter of these transfers.

Very respectfully,

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, 36 UNION SQUARE,
AUGUST 3, 1881.

To the Board of Estimate and Apportionment :

GENTLEMEN-At a meeting of the Board governing this Department, held this day,

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and hereby is requested to transfer the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars, from the appropriation for "Manhattan Square Improvement of 1880, for the purpose of which it is not required, to the appropriation for Bronx River Bridges,

Respectfully, E. P. BARKER, Secretary D. P. P.

Which were referred to the Comptroller.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution:
Resolved, That the sum of eight hundred and fifty-six dollars and three cents (\$856.03) be and is hereby appropriated from the Excise Fund to the "Home for Fallen and Friendless Girls," for the support of thirty-six inmates from April 1 to June 30, 1881, both inclusive, at the rate of \$150 each per annum, pursuant to chapter 868, Laws of 1873.

Which was adopted by the following vote:
Affirmative—The Mayor of the City of New York (Chairman), the Comptroller of the City of New York, the President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Comptroller presented the following communication:

SEA SIDE SANITARIUM, OFFICE, 171 W. TWENTY-THIRD STREET, NEW YORK, August 3, 1881.

The Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE:

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DEAR SIR—We are in the midst of our summer work of saving the lives of the little children of the poor of our tenement-houses, by taking them to Rockaway Beach. Our funds are exhausted and we respectfully ask for an appropriation from the Excise Fund for this work. We have received from the Excise Fund \$720\$. We have brought to the Sea Side Sanitarium over (3,000) three thousand of the poorest of New York city's poor and provided them with nourishing food, medical treatment for the sick, ocean bathing, and free transportation, and given them all the benefits of the institution, thereby saving hundreds of lives. A small sum (say \$2,000) from the Excise Fund would enable us to carry on the work to the end of the season and prove an inestimable blessing to thousands of poor children needing fresh air, otherwise we shall be obliged to curtail the work to save the institution from debt. With many thanks in behalf of the managers,

I am, yours respectfully,
HENRY KING, President.

-and offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 221 of the Laws of 1875, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment hereby appropriates from the excise moneys the sum of fifteen hundred dollars to the West Side Relief Association and Seaside Sanitarium, a charitable institution in the City of New York, which gratuitously aids, supports, and assists the poor, as a per capita allowance for six thousand poor and destitute persons at twenty-five cents each, cared for and assisted by this institution, this money to be specially used in conveying sick poor to the seashore, and taking care of them at the Sanitarium. at the Sanitarium.

at the Sanitarium.

This appropriation is made with the distinct provision that no part of this money is to be used or applied by the said institution as a permanent fund, or for the purpose of erecting or furnishing any building, or for the payment of any salaries of employees, but the whole amount allowed to said institution is to be used and applied to the purpose above stated, as provided by law.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

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

and Assessments—4.
On motion, the Board adjourned.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, Secretary.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

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 August 6, 1881.

Barometer.

DATE.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean for the Day.	MAXI	MUM.	MINI	MUM.
July and Au	G.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time,	Reduced to Freezing.	Time,
Sunday, 3	ı	30.138	30.100	30.044	30.094	30.164	9 A.M.	30.044	9 P.M.
Monday,	1	30.088	30.056	30.036	30.060	30.096	9 A.M	30.036	9 P.M.
Tuesday,	2	30.042	30.008	29.992	30.014	30.058	9 A.M.	29.966	6 P.M
Wednesday,	3	30.006	29.954	29.964	29-975	30.006	7 A.M.	29.942	4 P.M.
Thursday,	4	29.992	29.968	29.950	29.970	29.996	9 A.M.	29.940	6 P.M.
Friday,	5	29.952	29.928	29.910	29.930	29.976	9 A.M.	29.898	6 P.M.
Saturday,	6	29.914	29.862	29.818	29.864	29.914	7 A.M.	29.804	7 P.M

Range

Thermometers.

	7 A	,м,	2 P	. м.	9 P.	м.	ME	AN.		Max	IMUM	1.		Min	IMUM		MAX-
JULY AND AUGUST.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	WetBulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.						
Sunday, 31	64	64	69	67	70	68	67.6	66.3	73	4 P. M.	69	12 P. M.	63	I A. M.	63	: A. M.	123.
Monday, 1	71	68	80	73	1		1	79.3		3 P. M.	73	3 P. M.	68	5 A. M.	67	5 A. M.	140.
Tuesday, 2	72	70	80	73	73	70	75.0	71.0	81	4 P. M.	74	5 P. M.	70	2 A. M.	69	2 A. M.	141.
Wednesday, 3	68	67	84	73	78	73	76.6	71.0	85	4 P. M.	75	7 P. M.	67	6 A. M.	67	6 A. M.	141.
Thursday, 4	74	69	89	77	82	76	81.7	74.0	91	4 P. M.	79	4 P. M.	70	5 A. M.	69	5 A. M.	142.
Friday, 5	77	73	89	79	81	75	82.3	75.6	91	3 P. M.	79	2 P. M.	75	5 A. M.	73	5 A. M.	141.
Saturday, 6	79	74	91	80	79	75	83.0	76.3	91	2 P. M.	85	2 P. M.	78	12 P. M.	73	12 P. M.	139.

Dry Bulb. Mean for the week 77.2 degrees 72.0 degrees. Maximum for the week, at 2 P. M., 6th... 91. " at 2 P. M., 6th..... 85
Minimum " at 1 A. M., 31st.... 63. " at 1 A. M., 31st..... 63. Range

Wind.

DATE.	1	DIRECTION	N.	V	VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
July and August.	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, 31	. NE	E	SSE	69	37	26	132	1/2	0	0	11/2	4 A. M	
Monday, 1	. wsw	S	S	33	27	59	119	0	1	1/2	2	4 P. M	
Tuesday, 2	SSE	S	S	21	40	57	118	0	13/4	1/4	21/2	3.30 P. M	
Wednesday, 3 .	. NW	NNE	sw	12	32	17	5r	0	34	0	34	2 P. M	
Thursday, 4.	. NNW	NW	SSW	15	15	27	57	0	0	0	34	5 P. M	
Friday, 5	WNW	SSE	sw	27	20	35	82	0	34	0	3/4	3.40 P. M	
Saturday, 6	. ssw	SSW	sw	54	48	74	176	1/2	3/4	23/4	51/4	2.20 P M.	

Distance traveled during the week 745 miles. 5¼ pounds

	I	Lyg	ron	ete	er.			Clouds.		Ra	in and	Snor	w.	
DATE.		RCE C		Н	ELA TIVE UMI	D-		LEAR, O		Дертн ог Г	RAIN AND S	NOW I	n Inc	CHES
AUGUST.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A.M.	2 P. M.	g P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	H Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday, 31	.596	.635	.658	100	90	90	10	9 Cu.	10	1.30 P.M.	4 P.M.	2.30	.03	
Monday, z	.644	.717	.706	85	70	90	10	2Cir.Cu.S.	3 Cu.					
Tzesday, 2	.706	.717	.693	90	70	85	10	3 Cir. Cu.	8 Cu.	/	,			
Wednesday, 3	.648	.663	-744	95	57	77	3 Cir. Cu.	ı Cir.	0					
Thursday, 4	.641	.765	.816	76	56	74	0	3 Cir. Cu.	0					
Friday, 5	.757	.855	.787	82	62	74	2 Cir.	0	0	9.15 A.M.	10 A.M.	0.45		
Saturday, 6	772	.874	.814	78	60	82	2 Cir. Cu.	r Cu. S.	6 Cu.				.07	

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

LAWS OF NEW YORK, 1881.

CHAPTER 523.

An Acr to extend and improve Manhattan street in the city of New York. Passed June 15, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

follows:

Section I. Manhattan street in the city of New York is hereby extended in a westerly direction from Twelfth avenue to the established bulkhead line in the Hudson river, in direct lines and of the same width and course, and all that parcel of land included within the lines of said street as hereby extended is declared to be one of the public streets of said city, in like manner and to the same effect as if the same had been laid out and established by the commissioners of the Central Park as a street of the said city, under and pursuant to an act entitled "An act to alter the map or plan of certain portions of the city of New York, and for the laying out and improvement of the same," being chapter six hundred and ninety-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and the acts in addition thereto or amendatory thereot.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the counsel to the corporation in said city, within three months from the passage of this act, to take the necessary legal means and proceedings to open as a street the said extension of Manhattan street, and all the laws now in force in said city in relation to the opening and improvement of streets and avenues, and the payment and the assessment of the expenses

ing and improvement of streets and avenues, and the payment and the assessment of the expenses thereof shall apply to said street; provided, however, that the commissioners of estimate and assessment who may be appointed in pursuance of this act, may assess for such opening and widening, all such parties and persons, lands and tenements which they may deem to be benefited by such improveto the extent which said commissioners deem such parties, persons, lands, and tenements bene-

fited thereby.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 531.

An Act for the protection of tax-payers.

Passed June 15, 1881; three-fifths being present The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as

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

Section 1. All officers, agents, commissioners and other persons acting for and on behalf of any county, town, village or municipal corporation in this state, and each and every one of them, may be prosecuted and an action or actions may be maintained against them to prevent any illegal official act on the part of any such officers, agents, commissioners or other persons, or to prevent waste or injury to any property, funds or estate of such county, town, village or municipal corporation by any person whose assessments on any number of persons jointly the sum of whose assessments shall amount to one thousand dollars, and who shall be liable to pay taxes upon such assessment or assessments in the county, town, village or municipal corporation to prevent the waste or injury of whose property the action is brought, or who have been assessed or paid taxes therein upon an assessment or assessments of the above-named amount within one year previous to the commencement of any such action or actions. Such person or persons, upon the commencement of such action, shall furnish a bond to the defendant therein, to be approved by a justice of the supernee court or the county judge of the county in which the action is brought, in such penalty as the justice or judge approving the same shall direct, but not less than two hundred and fifty dollars, and to be executed by any two of the plaintifis, if there he more than one party plaintiff, provided said two parties plaintiff shall severally justify in the sum of five thousand dollars. Said bond shall be approved by said justice or judge and be conditioned to pay all costs that may be awarded the defendant in such action, if the court shall finally determine the same in favor of the defendant. The court shall require when the plaintiffs shall not justify as above mentioned, and in any case may require two or more sufficient surelies to execute the bond above provided for. Such bond sha

hereby repealed. Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 532.

Ax AcT to amend section one thousand and forty-one of the Code of Civil Procedure.

Passed June 16, 1881; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as Section 1. Section one thousand and forty-one of the Code of Civil Procedure is hereby amended

so as to read as follows:

§ 1041. Each ward of the city of Utica is considered a town for the purposes of this article; and \$ 1041. Each ward of the city of Utica is considered a town for the purposes of this article; and the supervisor and assessor of that ward must execute the duties of the supervisor, town clerk and assessors of a town, as prescribed in the foregoing sections of 'this article, except that a duplicate of the list of jurors made by them must be filed in the office of the clerk of the city. In the city of Albany the recorder of said city shall perform the duties imposed by this title upon the supervisor, town clerk and assessors of towns. In Albany county, grand jurors shall hereafter be drawn from the box containing the names of petit jurors selected for said county in the same manner as petit jurors, and hereafter no separate list of grand jurors shall be prepared for said county. In each of the other cities of the state the like duties must be performed by the officers, and in the manner prescribed by law. A city wherein two or more assessors are elected for the entire city, is conprescribed by law. A city wherein two or more assessors are elected for the entire city, is considered a town for the purposes of this article, except where the officers who are to perform the duties of the supervisor, town clerk or assessor, as prescribed in this article, are specially designated

CHAPTER 533.

An Act to legalize and confirm the official acts of notaries public.

Passed June 16, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

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

Section I. The official acts of every person as notary public within the state of New York heretofore duly commissioned as such, which acts have been performed since the thirtieth day of March, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, so far as such official acts might be affected, impaired, or questioned by reason of the same having been performed after the expiration of his term of office, or by reason of misnomer or misspelling of name made in the appointment or commission of said notary public, are hereby legalized and confirmed and made as effectual and valid as if the term of office of said notary public had not expired at the time of the performance of said acts.

Sec. 2. Nothing herein contained shall affect any actions or legal proceedings now pending.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

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.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYLERS, Sealer First District; Thomas
Brady, Sealer Second District; John Murray, Inspector First District; Joseph Shannon, Inspector
Second District.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Hubert O. Thompson, Commissioner; Frederick H
Hamlin, Deputy Commissioner.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT. Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets No. 6 New County Court-house, g A. M. to 4 P. M. THOMAS F. DEVOE, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

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. I. Nelson Tappan, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster. oom 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.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Stephen B. French, President; Seth C. Hawley,
Chief Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION. Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSEN, Sec retary
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. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings. WM. P.ESTERBROOK, Inspecto

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 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. 199 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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS. No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Crvil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street a d 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS. Nos. 11 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, g a. m. to 4 P. m. THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING. 51 Chambers Street, Rooms 10, 11 & 12, 9 A. M. to 4

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. Morrisson, Chief Clerk. 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 Bond street and Bowery, 9 a. m. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM P. MITCHELL, President; ANTHONY HARTMAN, Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

Augustus T. Docharty, Register; I. Fairfax
McLaughlin, Deputy Register

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEFARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, August 13, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indovased thereon, will be received at this office until Monday, September 5, 1881, at 12 o'clock M, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for FURNISHING, DELIVERING, AND LAYING A FORTY-EIGHT INCH CAST-IRON CONDUIT PIPE, FROM KENSICO TO BETWEEN HARTSDALE AND SCARSDALE, WEST-CHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

Full details relating to the nature and extent of the work to be done can be obtained by reference to the specifications and plans which can be seen at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room to, No, 3r Chambers street.

Each estimate must contain the name and p ace of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him 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 work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. 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 in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureries for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract, over and above mentioned must b

and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

The Amount of Security required is One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

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

Blank forms of estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the agreement, and any further information desired, can be obtained on application at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room to, No. 31 Chambers street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, August 8, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Tuesday, August 23, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following work:

the Department and read, for the following work:

No. 1. REREGULATING, REGRADING, AND
RESETTING CURB AND GUTTERSTONES, AND RELAVING THE FLAGGING OF THE SIDEWALKS in Lexington
avenue, between One Hundred and Second
street and the Harlem river, where required.

No. 2. REGULATING AND GRADING One Hundredth street, from the east curb of Third avenue to the west line of Second avenue, and
SETTING CURB STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS therein.

No. 3. SEWER in West Fourth street, between Christopher and West Tenth streets.

No. 4. SEWER m Avenue B, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes

negiect of readressaid, the amount of his deposition within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposition be returned to him.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained for Regulating and Grading, at Room No. 5, and for Sewers, at Room No. 8, 3t Chambers street.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, August 8, 1881.

TO BOILER MAKERS.

PIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Tuesday, August 23, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

FURNISHING ALL THE MATERIALS, BUILDING AND PUTTING UP A BOILER IN THE BOILER HOUSE AT HIGH BRIDGE, AND ALL LABOR NEUESSARY: TO TAKE OUT THE TWO OLD BOILERS NOW IN USE, AND DELIVERING SAME AND APFURTENANCES NOT USED IN THE NEW WORK ON THE WHARF AT HIGH BRIDGE.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied

THE NEW WORK ON THE WHARF AT HIGH BRIDGE.

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

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained on application at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEFARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO, 31 CHAMBERS STREET, New York, August 8, 1881.

TO WATER PIPE MANUFACTURERS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the real real and a sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE WORK AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, will be received at this office until Tuesday, August 23, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read, for the following:

1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read, for the following:

No. 1. One Hundred and Thirty-seven [137] tons of Thirty-six [36] inch pipe, Three [3] tons of Six 6 inch pipe, and Six [6] tons of branches and special castings.

No. 2. Five Hundred and Twenty-five [525] Thirty-six [36] inch pipe, Six [6] Twenty inch pipe, Twenty [20] Twelve inch pipe, Twenty [20] Six inch pipe, and Sixty tons of branches and special castings, to be delivered on Jerome avenue, between Croton avenue and Williams-bridge road.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained on application at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room to, No. 31 Chambers street.

The Commissioner of Public Works, Commissioner of Public Work

DEFARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROJM 2,
NEW YORK, July, 1881.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ACCORDing to law, five per cent. will be added on the 1st of August next, on all unpaid Croton water rates.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters
Fire Department, City of New York,
155 and 157 Mercer Street,
New York, August 10, 1881.

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

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

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, NOS. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, NEW YORK, August 5, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 141.)

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

ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A NEW WOODEN
Pier near the foot of West Twenty-seventh street,
North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the
office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street,
in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 1881,

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

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

The binder's contract of the nature many in the same that give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature magnitude of the nature magnitude.

ellow	Pine Timber,	3" plank 4" x 10" 4" plank 5" x 10"	14,007	
0	**	4" x 10" 4" plank	14,007	
		4" plank	129,280	
44				
	41	5" plank		
46	44	6" x 12"		
44	***	8" x 8"		
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44	11.			
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			" " 8" x 8" " " 8" x 12" " " 10" x 12" " " 10" x 12"	" 8"x 8" 5,266 " 8"x 12" 560 " 10"x 10" 91,317 " 10"x 12" 101,520

	300	ak Timber	. White
	912	"	**
. 1,35		Total	
		Fotal	

- White Oak Timber, creosoted, 8" x 12". 11.872 North Carolina Yellow Pine, 3" plank.... 105,570 White or Yellow Pine boards, 1" x 4". 2,205
- 6. Locust Treenails, about..... Note.-The above quantities of timber are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of

and 34" screw bolts, about.... 11,362 "

13. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planking, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling, or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling, or tarring, and the wedges for the treenails, etc., and labor of every description, for that part of the pier where the bays are 12' 6" span, 5,200 square feet; and for the remainder of the pier, 35,960 square feet.

35,960 square feet.

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire

the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work on all but about 100 feet of the shore end of the new pier is to be commenced within five days after the date of a notification to be given by the Board of Docks that the dredging for the site of this outer portion of the new pier has been completed; and the whole of the work (except a bout 100 feet of the shore end of the pier, which will not be constructed until the bulkhead wall in the rear is built), is to be fully completed on or before the 31st day

of December, 1881, or within as many days thereafter as the site of the new pier may have been occupied, after the day of the execution of the contract, by the Department of Docks, for the purpose of dredging for the said outer to feath a begiven by said Department of Docks that work on the said about too feet may be beging; and the damages to be pand by the contractor, for each day that the work or any part thereof may be uncompleted after the time fixed for the completing thereof has expired. Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

Bidder will state the process of furnishing all the necessary materials and labor and the performance of all the work set forth in the approved form of contract and the specifications therein contained.

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

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

By the considered a statend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the after of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be required and so mutil it be accepted and executed.

By the considered as having abandoned it, and as an default to the Corporation; and the contract will be 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 on interested with them therein; and if no other person he interested with them therein; and if no other person he interested with them therein; and if no other person he interested with them therein; and if no other person he interested with the many of the security required and also that the su

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, NEW YORK, August 5, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 139.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIERS 44, 46, 60, 61, AND THE N HALF OF PIER 62, EAST RIVER NORTHERLY

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIER 44, AT foot of Rurgers slip; Pier 46, at foot of Jefferson street; Pier 60, at foot Rivington street; Pier 61, between Rivington and Stanton streets, and the northerly half of Pier 62, at the foot of Stanton street, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

Sentation, and a statement lates.

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 Seven Thousand Dollars.

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

12"X 12" Sawed Yellow Pine, ft. B. M. 12"X 12" Hewn Yellow Pine, ft. B. M. 28"X 8N' Sawed 6"Y Yellow Pine Plank, ft. B. M. 2"X 10" Yellow Pine Plank, ft. B. M. 3" North Carolina Yellow Pine Plank, ft. B. M. 3" North Carolina Yellow Pine Plank, ft. B. M. 3" North Carolina Yellow Pine Plank, ft. B. M. 5"X 12" Sawed White Oak ft. B. M. 5"White Oak Plank, ft. B. M. 5"White Oak Plank, ft. B. M. 5"White Oak Plank, ft. B. M. 5" White Oak Plank, ft. B. M. 5" W	MATERIALS.
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Note.—The above quantities are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste. (It is expected that the piles will be from 40 to 60 teet in length, but they must be of sufficient length to comply with the specifications for the work, as set forth in the approved form of contract.)

19. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planking, bolting, spiking, painting, and labor of every description, for repairing the five piers.

20. Labor of removing all of the old material from the premises.

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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:

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1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of 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. 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.

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the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire
work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract,
and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before
the 15th day of October, 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.

All the old material taken from said piers, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the
contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such
material when considering the price for which they will
do the work under the contract.

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
therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested.

This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved 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.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be
awarded will be required to attend at this office with the
sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract
within five days from the date of the service of a notice to
that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he
or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as
in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be
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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 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 residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York, any difference 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 at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimate amount of the work to be done in each class, by which the b

over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless under the written instruc-

turned to him.

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

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

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

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

HENRY F. DIMOCK,

JACOB VANDERPOEL,

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, New York, August 5, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 140.)

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

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIERS AT SEVenteenth, Eighteenth, Thirty-fourth, Fortieth, Forty-seventh, and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 1881,
at which time and place the estimates will be publicly
opened by the head of said Department. The award of
the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

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

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

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op feet. Pier at 18th st., N. R. Pier at 34th st., N. R. Pier at 40th st., Pier at 47th st., N. R. 6,240 144 64,200 224 540 13 34,812 7,78 1,46,921 5,756 5,756 5,758 107,058 107,058 107,058 107,058 108,00 109 101 102 200 41 102 21,200 Totals.

18. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, joining, planking, bolting, spiking, and labor of every description, for six piers.

19. Labor of removing all the old material from the

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of 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. 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

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The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced 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 November, 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.

All the old material taken from said piers, and necessarily from the bulkheads from which they spring, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

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 therein set forth; by which prices the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved 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. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the suretues offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of a service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and re-let, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons

that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertused and re-let, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested, 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 husiness or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference 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 at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done in each class, by which the

aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

HENRY F. DIMOCK,

JACOB VANDERPOEL,

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-ITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, AND LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH

20,000 yards Brown Muslin.
5,000 "Shroud "
5,000 "Ticking.
3,000 "Hickory Stripes.
300 "White Flannel.
10 pieces No. 10 Cotton Duck.
10 gross Plantation Combs.
100 dozen Women's Stockings. GROCERIES, ETC

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20,000 Fresh Eggs, (all to be candled).

20,000 pounds Rice.

5,000 " Barley.

2,000 " Macaroni.

2,500 gallons Molasses.

500 pounds Prime Kettle-rendered Lard.

100 bags Coarse Meal.

100 " Bran.

100 barrels Oatmeal.

100 " Wheaten Grits.

100 boxes Laundry Starch.

100 gross Table Spoons.

100 Bowls.

10.000 feet Pine Shelvin

LUMBER.

10,000 feet Pine Shelving.

—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 19th day of August, 1681. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods, Gro-eries, and Lumber," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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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 be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is nade without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is

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 corsent 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 Computoller of the City of New York. No bd or, estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for

be returned to him.

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

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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.

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The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or 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, August 5, 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, August 9, 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:

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At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital—
Unknown man, from No. 8 West Third street; age 40
years; 5 feet 8 inches high; light hair; red moustache
and beard about one week's growth; blue eyes; stout
built. Had on black diagonal frock coat, black vest,
light colored striped pants, white bosom shirt, white
knit undershirt, low cut shoes with elastic sides, straw

hat. On his person was found \$2 and photograph of a

emale.

Unknown man from foot West Tenth street; age 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches; black hair and moustache. Had on black diagonal frock coat, blue flannel pants, army blue flannel shirt, brown cardigan jacket, button gaiters. No effects; body about five days in the water.

Unknown man from Twenty-second Precinct; age 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; iron gray hair and side whiskers; high forehead; bald on top of head; blue eyes; stout built. Had on dark mixed frock coat and vest, black cloth pants, white bosom shirt, pink woolen ribbed socks, elastic gaiters, Derby hat. No effects.

At Work-house-m.

At work-nouse— Kate Burke; age 36 years; born in Ireland; 27 years in United States; widow; Catholic. Has no friends. At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—

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Johanna Lovell; age 41 years; 5 feet 6½ inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted one striped shawl, one brown hat. Nothing known of friends. At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—
Catharine Ware; age 68 years; 5 feet high; blue eyes; grey hair. Had on when admitted light calico wrapper, black straw hat, and slippers. Nothing known of friends or relatives.

August Hempel; age 67 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes; grey hair. Had on when admitted blue coat, dark pants and vest, black Derby hat. Nothing known of friends or relatives.

Samuel Cisco; colored; age 22 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black eyes; black har. Had on when admitted dark suit clothes. Nothing known of friends or relatives. John Wilson; blind; age 29 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; fair hair. Had on when admitted dark coat and pants, congress gaiters, black Derby hat. Nothing known of friends or relatives.

N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island— Thomas Kingsley; age 36 years; born in Ireland; blacksmith; single; Catholic; black hair; blue eyes; 6 feet high. Friends and relatives unknown.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, New YORK, July 30, 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 Homocopathic Hospital, Ward's Island — Ann Martin; age 55 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, brown skirt, gray waist, water-proof cloak, black velvet hat, gaiters. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Maggie Lee; age 28 years; 5 feet 5½ inches high; brown eyes; black hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, July 29, 1881.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Counci, "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:

Unknown man from off Ellis' Island; age about 30 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair; had on blue check shirt, dark ribbed pants.

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—William Johnson, colored; committed June 29; age 22 years. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

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At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Jane Curtin; age 48 years; 5 feet 4½ inches high; brown eyes and hair; had on when admitted, brown shawl, gray plaid shawl, striped skirt, calico sacque, corporation petticoat, woolen hood. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Eva Ellingworth; age 30 years; 5 feet high; blue eyes, brown hair; had on when admitted, black cashmere suit, black cloth sack, black straw hat, white stockings, Congress gaiters. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By order.

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G. F. BRITTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry Street, New York, August 4, 1881.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT one Bay Mare, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Tuesday, August 16, 1881, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the stables, No. 110 East Thirteenth street, by Van Tassell & Kearney, Auctioneers. By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

Police Department of the City of New York,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET (ROOM NO. 39),
New York, July 1, 1881.

WNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New
York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following
property now in his custody without claimants: Revolvers, male and female clothing, trunk and contents, bags
and contents, blankets, boots, shoes, hat, carpet, boats,
stockings, gold and silver watches, pails, cochineal bale, stockings, gold and silver watches, pails, cochineal bale, and small amount money, found and taken from prisoners by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging four feet wide in Tenth avenue, from Ninty-fifth to One Hundred and Tenth streets.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Second to One Hundred and Tenth streets.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Elm street, between Pearl and Worth streets.

No. 4. Regulating, grading, resetting curb and gutter stones in One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 5. Flagging sidewalks full width, on west side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-fifth streets, No. 6. Setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging four feet wide Seventy-sixth street, between Fourth and Madison avenue.

No. 7. Sewers in Avenue B, between Eighty-fourth and

Eighty-sixth streets, and in Eighty-fifth street, betwee Avenues A and B.
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No. 8. Paving Forty-third street, commencing roo feet east of First avenue to the East river, with trap-block pavement.

No. 9. Paving Sixty-fifth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with trap-block pavement.

No. 10. Flagging sidewalks on both sides of Sixty-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 11. Regulating, setting curb, flagging and paving with trap-block pavement, Fourth avenue, from Sixty-seventh to Seventy-second streets.

No. 12. Paving Seventy-sixth street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, with granite-block pavement.

No. 13. Sewer in Water street, between Roosevelt street and James slip.

No. 14. Paving Sixty-fourth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

No. 15. Paving One Hundred and Fourth street, trom Fourth to Fifth avenue, with trap-block pavement.

No. 16. Fencing vacant lots on Second avenue, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets, and extending 150 feet from the corner of Second avenue, on Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets, and extending 150 feet from the corner of Second avenue, on Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets westerly.

No. 17. Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Seventy-sixth street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

No. 18. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

and Third avenues.

No. 19. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Seventh avenue and summit east of Seventh

avenue.

No. 20. Fencing vacant lots on west side of Boulevard, from Eighty-third to Eighty-sixth streets.

No. 21. Regulating, gracing, and setting curb stones, and flagging sidewalks four feet wide, Seventy-sixth street, from the east curb of Fourth avenue to the west surb of Third avenue.

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No. 22. Sewers in One Hundred and Fifth street between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and in One Hundred and Sixth street between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 23. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street from Second to Sixth avenue with trap-block

pavement.

No. 24. Sewer in One Hundred and Seventh street between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 25. Sewers in Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, and Seventieth streets, between Avenue A and First avenue.

No. 26. Basin on the southeast corner of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and Eighth avenue.

No. 27. Sewer in Sixty-seventh street between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

and Forty-fifth street and Eighth avenue.

No. 27. Sewer in Sixty-seventh street between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 28. Regulating, grading, setting curb, flagging and paving Sixty-second street from the east curb line of Avenue A to a line of 123 feet east of and parallel thereto.

No. 29. Fencing vacant lots on west side of First avenue between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, and in Seventy-third street 100 feet west of First avenue.

No. 30. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifth street, between Tenth avenue and the Boulevard.

No. 31. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging One Hundred and Fourteenth street between Tenth avenue and Morningside avenue.

No. 32. Fencing vacant lots south side of Eighty-third street between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and on east side of Ninth avenue between Eighty-Second and Eighty-third streets.

third streets.

No. 33. Fencing vacant lots on northeast corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third

Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

No. 34. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 35. Fencing vacant lots south side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 36. Fencing vacant lots on east side of Fifth avenue, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-sixth street; on north side of Sixty-fifth street, and on south side of Sixty-sixth street east of Fifth avenue, and on northeast corner of Sixty-sixth street and Fifth avenue.

No. 37. Regulating, grading, setting curb stones, and flagging sidewalks four feet wide, in Sixty-first street, from the west curb of Tenth avenue to the east curb of Eleventh avenue.

No. 38. Sewer in Suffolk street, between Delancey and Rivington streets.

No. 38. Sewer in Suffolk street, between Broadway and No. 39. Sewer in Prince street, between Broadway and West.

Crosby street.

No. 40 Sewer in West Fourth street, between West Tenth and Charles streets.

The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces, and parcels of land, situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Tenth avenue, from Ninety-fifth to One Hundred and Tenth street, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Second and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting streets.

secting streets.
No. 3. Both sides of Elm street, between Pearl and No. 3. Both sides of Elm street, between Pearl and Worth streets.
No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.
No. 5. West side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets.
No. 6. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.
No. 7. Blocks bounded by Eighty-third and Eighty-sixth streets, Avenues A and B; also Public Park on east side of Avenue B.
No. 8. Both sides of Forty-third street, commencing roo feet east of First avenue to East river.
No. 9. Both sides of Sixty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 9. Hoth sides of Sixty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 10. Both sides of Sixty-third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 11. Both sides of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Seventy-second streets, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 12. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of Water street, between Roose-velt street and James slip.

No. 14. Both sides of Sixty-fourth street, between the Boulevard and Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 15. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 16. West side of Second avenue, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fiourth and Eighty-fifth streets, and extending westerly 110 feet on Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets.

No. 17. South side of Seventy-sixth street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

No. 18. South side of Forty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, and 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Third avenues.

No. 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Third avenues.

No. 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth

third and Forty-fourth streets, Second and Third avenues.

No. 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 20. West side of the Boulevard, between Eighty-third and Eighty-sixth streets.

No. 21. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, between Third and Fourth avenues, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 22. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, Fourth and Fifth avenues; also north side of One Hundred and Sixth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 23. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Second and Sixth avenues, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 24. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 25. Both sides of Sixty-eighth, Sixty-ninth, and Seventieth streets, between Avenue A and First avenue.

No. 26. Block bounded by One Hundred and Forty-fourth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, Seventh and Eighth avenues.

tourth and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 27. Both sides of Sixty-seventh street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 28. Both sides of Sixty-second street, between Avenue A and East river, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersection of Avenue A.

No. 29. West side of First avenue, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, and north side of Seventy-third street, commencing one hundred feet west

of First avenue and extending westerly seventy-five feet.
No. 30. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifth street, between the Boulevard and Tenth avenue.
No. 31. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Tenth avenue and Morningside avenue.
No. 32. South side of Eighty-third street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and east side of Ninth avenue, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets.
No. 33. East side of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, and north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, extending one hundred and fifty-two feet eleven inches easterly from Madison avenue.
No. 34. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.
No. 35. South side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between First and Second avenues.
No. 36. East side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, and north side of Sixty-fifth street, extending easterly one hundred feet from Fifth avenue.
No. 37. Both sides of Suffolk street, between Ten h and Eleventh avenues.
No. 38. Both sides of Prince street, between Broadway and Crosby street.
No. 40. Both sides of West Fourth street, between

No. 39. Both sides of Prince street, between Broadway and Crosby street.
No. 40. Both sides of West Fourth street, between West Tenth and Charles streets.
All persons whose interests are affected by the abovenamed assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted as pro-vided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 25th August, ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER, EDWARD NORIH, DANIEL STANBURY, SAMUEL CONOVER, Board of Assess

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 11½ CITY HALL, New YORK, July 20, 1881.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAI

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

In PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER
33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of
New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners
that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 19th day
of July, 1881, and, on the same date, were entered in the
Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for
the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes
and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz. !

Eleventh avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from Fiftyninth to Seventy-second street.

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

The alone assessments are payable to the Collector of

reactuated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before September 19, 1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent, per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS.
AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF WATER RENTS,
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS
AND CLERK OF ARREARS, July 6, 1881.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEments for unpaid taxes of 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874,
1875 and 1876, and Croton water rents of 1870, 1871, 1872,
1873, 1874 and 1875, under the direction of Allan Campbell, Comptroller of the City of New York. The undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the Collection of Taxes,
Assessments and Croton Water Rents in the City of New
York, and to amend the several acts in relation thereto,"
passed April 8, 1871:

bell, Comptroler of the City of New York. The undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the Collection of Taxes, Assessments and Croton Water Rents in the City of New York, and to amend the several acts in relation thereto," passed April 8, 1871:

That the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York on which taxes have been laid and confirmed, situated in the Wards Nos. 1 to 24 inclusive, for the Years 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875, and 1876, and now remaining due and unpaid; and also the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York, situated in the Wards aforesaid, on which the regular Croton-water rents have been laid for the years 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, and 1875, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to pay the said taxes and Croton-water rent so remaining due and unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at his office in the Department of Finance, in the New Court-house, with the interest thereon, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, as provided by chapter 33 of the Laws of 1881, from the time when the same became due to the time of payment, together with the charges of this no ice and advertisement, and if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction at the New Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, October 10, 1881, at 12 o'clock noon, for the lowest term of years at which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of tax or Croton-water rent, as the case may be, so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon, as aforesaid, to the time of sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such sale will be continued from time to time, until all the lands and tenements so advertised for sale shall be sold.

For the redemption of any property so sold, interest

will be payable upon the amount of the purchase money, at the rate of fourteen per cent. per annum.

Notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the taxes and the Croton water rents, the ownership of the property, on which taxes and Croton water rents remain unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the said pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments, and Clerk of Arrears, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 23d day of June, 1881, and, on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

47th street Paving, from Madison avenue to Harler railroad.

firoad. 76th street Paving, rom 2d avenue to Avenue A. 94th street Paving, from Lexington to 4th avenue. 115th street Paving, from 3d to 4th avenue. 4th avenue Flagging, east side, between 62d and 65th

4th avenue Flagging, east side, between 62d and 65th streets.

96th street Sewer, between 5th and Madison avenues.

128th street Sewer, between 2d and 3d avenues.

Washington street Sewer, between Gansevoort and Little West 12th streets.

60th street, Fencing Vacant Lots, both sides, between 12th and 11th avenues.

Broadway, Fencing Vacant Lots, west side, between 12th and 56th streets.

61th street, Fencing Vacant Lots, south side, between 12th and 11th avenues.

72th street, Fencing Vacant Lots, south side, between 12th and 12th avenues.

72th street, Fencing Vacant Lots, south side, between 12th and 12th avenues.

Lexington avenue, Fencing Vacant Lots, both sides, between 75th and 76th streets.

75th street, Fencing Vacant Lots on northwest and southwest corners o 9th avenue and on 75th street, both sides, near 12th avenue, and on 12th avenue, east side, between 74th and 75th streets.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the period of the collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the period of the collector o

calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before August 26, 1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

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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.

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 col-

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.

and eighty, remaining unpaid at the date of the passage of the sact.

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, 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, 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.

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 Gate 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 unpand 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 immediataly.

num, to be calculated from the date of such e e date of payment. Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

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

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CONSOLIDATING CERTAIN BUREAUX IN THE FINANCE DEPART-MENT

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

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

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

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

Second—The Bureau for the Collection of the Revenue accruing from rents, and interest on bonds and mortgages, revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the city," and "the Bureau or Markets," shall be consolidated as one Bureau, and on and after January 1, 1881, shall be known as "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 or Markets," shall be consolidated Bureau, and on on Bureau, and on on the file officer of which said consolidated Bureau shall be called "Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets," and possess all the powers conferr

"Collector of Gry Markets."

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.

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 ac' to provide for the adjustment and pay ment 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 epartment of the City of New York.

Payments for the redemption of lands so sold for taxes

of New York.

Payments for the redemption of lands so sold for taxes by the Treasurer of the County of Westchester, and bid m 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 taxe and said rejected taxes.

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LECISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF
the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday at
two o'clock F. M., at Room No. 8 City Hall.
BERNARD KENNEY,
JOSEPH P. STRACK,
HENRY C. PERLEY,
THOMAS SHEILS,
JAMES L. WELLS,
Committee on Public Works.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

THE COMMISSIONERS APPOINTED BY CHAP-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 filled with
the Comptroller of said city and a duplicate thereof with
the Counsel to the Corporation, as follows:

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

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

Dated, No. 27 Chambers Street, May 18, 1881.

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

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

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

THE CITY PECOPD.

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