

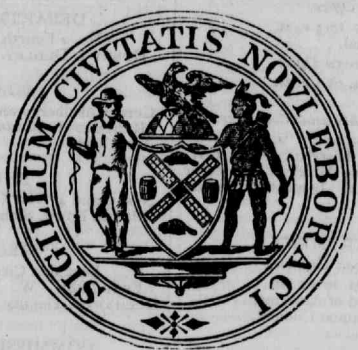
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### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

##### STATED SESSION.

TUESDAY, June 1, 1880, }  
12 o'clock, M. }

The Board met in their chamber, No. 16 City Hall.

##### PRESENT:

Hon. John J. Morris, President;

##### ALDERMEN

Robert Hall,  
Nicholas Haughton,  
William Wade.

Bernard Kenney,  
Charles H. Marshall,

Jeremiah Murphy,  
Joseph P. Strack,

The roll having been called, and a quorum not appearing, the President declared the Board adjourned until Tuesday next, the 8th instant, at 12 o'clock, M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

### LAWS OF NEW YORK, 1880.

#### CHAPTER 521.

AN ACT to amend chapter 335 of the laws of 1873, entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," and to reduce the burden of taxes to be levied in said city.

Passed May 29, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. Section 76 of chapter 335 of the laws of 1873, entitled "An act to reorganize the local governments of the City of New York," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 76. The fire department shall have for its head a board to consist of three persons to be known as fire commissioners of the city of New York, who, except those first appointed, shall hold their offices for six years, unless sooner removed, as herein provided. There shall be in this department four bureaus. One bureau shall be charged with the duty of preventing and extinguishing fires and of protecting property from water used at fires, the principal officer of which shall be called the "chief of department." Another bureau shall be charged with the execution of all laws relating to the storage, sale, and use of combustible materials, the principal officer of which shall be called "inspector of combustibles."

Another bureau shall be charged with the investigation of the origin and cause of fires, the principal officer of which shall be called, "fire marshal."

The fire marshal shall possess all the powers and perform all the duties now possessed and performed by the fire marshal, and appointed pursuant to chapter 383 of the Laws of 1870, and chapter 584 of the Laws of 1871, and the acts amendatory or supplementary thereof. Such fire marshal and his assistants shall hereafter be appointed by the board of fire commissioners, who shall possess all the powers with reference thereto conferred by said acts upon the board of police. There shall also be in the fire department a bureau to be known as the bureau of inspection of buildings. All acts relating to buildings in the city of New York, and all acts and parts of acts relating to the department of buildings in said city or prescribing, limiting, or defining the powers or duties of said department, or of any officer thereof, now in force and not inconsistent with this act are hereby continued in full force and effect, and the said powers and duties are hereby transferred to the fire department of the city of New York, and devolved upon the officers thereof. The said bureau of inspection of buildings, shall, under and subject to such rules, regulations, and orders as may be established by the board of fire commissioners, have charge of all matters relating to buildings and structures in the city of New York now by law devolved upon or required to be performed by the department of buildings. The affairs of said bureau shall be under the management of a suitable person who shall be known as the "inspector of buildings," who may be authorized by the board of fire commissioners to perform any duty, or to exercise any power or authority, now by law conferred upon the superintendent of buildings. The employees of said bureau, including the chief officer thereof, shall be appointed and removed and their salaries shall be fixed and paid in the same manner as other employees of the fire department are now appointed and removed, and their salaries fixed and paid. But an intention to reduce the force and expense of said bureau, or the clerical force of said department, shall be deemed sufficient grounds for the removal of any officer or employee of said bureau, except the chief officer thereof, and of any clerk in the department. The said fire commissioners are authorized to abolish any existing office, clerkship or employment in the department of buildings as now constituted, and they may consolidate the duties of any two or more bureaus, officers, clerks or employees of said department of buildings as now organized. The annual expense of said bureau for salaries, including the salary of the attorney to the fire department, shall not exceed the sum of \$40,000. All the officers of said bureau of inspection of buildings, except clerks and messengers, shall be either practical architects, house carpenters or masons, and shall have served a regular apprenticeship as such, and shall make an affidavit to that effect, which shall be filed in the office of the fire department before their appointment to office in said bureau, and all said officers, except the chief officer of said bureau, shall, before their appointment to office in said bureau, pass an examination before the board of examiners now by law established for the examination of officers of the department of buildings, and shall furnish a certificate of such examination from said board certifying to their competency to perform the duties of said office, which certificate shall be filed in the office of the fire department. It shall not be lawful for any officer or employee of said bureau to be engaged in conducting or carrying on business as an architect, carpenter, mason or builder, while holding office in said bureau. The commissioners of the fire department, or a majority of them, may appoint a person regularly admitted to the bar, and practicing in the city of New York, to be attorney to the fire department. He shall perform all the duties now required of the attorney to the department of buildings, and shall also perform such other duties connected with the fire department, as attorney, as may be required of him by the board of fire commissioners. His salary shall be paid as the salaries of other officers and employees of said department are paid. He shall be removed for cause, and after an opportunity to be heard.

It shall be the duty of the superintendent of buildings, or other officer in charge of the department of buildings in the city of New York, forthwith to turn over to the board of fire commissioners all books, papers, records, property, leases, monies, accounts, claims and things of every kind and description, belonging to or in the custody of the department of buildings or any officer or employee thereof. Thereupon and within ten days after the passage of this act, the office of superintendent of buildings in said city shall cease and determine, and the department of buildings shall be abolished.

Sec. 2. Section 116 of said act, chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 116. 1. The annual salaries to be paid to persons herein named and hereafter elected or appointed to the several specified positions in the City of New York, shall from and after such appointment or election, be as follows, and such salaries shall be in full for all services rendered by them to the city or county in any capacity whatever:

To the Mayor, \$10,000.  
To the Comptroller, \$10,000.  
To the Commissioner of Public Works, \$8,000.  
To the Corporation Counsel, \$12,000, and all legal costs collected by him shall be paid into the Treasury of the City.

To the Commissioners of Police, \$5,000 each.  
To the President of the Department of Parks, \$5,000.  
To the Commissioners of the Department of Parks, other than the President, nothing.  
To the Commissioners of the Fire Department, \$5,000 each.  
To the Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, \$5,000 each.  
To the Corporation Attorney, the Public Administrator, and the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes in the City of New York, \$4,000 each.

To the Attorney for the Fire Department, \$4,000.  
To the President of the Health Department, \$5,000.  
To the Commissioner of the Health Department, other than the President, \$4,000.  
To the President of the Board of Aldermen, \$3,000.  
To the members of the Board of Aldermen, other than the President, \$2,000 each.  
To the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, \$5,000.  
To the Commissioners of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, other than the President, \$4,000.

To the Commissioners of the Department of Docks, \$3,000 each.  
To the Commissioners of Accounts, appointed by the Mayor, \$2,000 each.

To the Chamberlain, in full for all his services as Chamberlain of the said city, and as County Treasurer of the County of New York, in lieu of salary and of interest, fees, commissions, and emoluments, \$25,000, and he shall pay into the City Treasury all such interests, fees, commissions, and emoluments, and from the time such reduction shall take effect, the only bond or undertaking required from the Chamberlain shall be a bond in the sum of \$500,000, with not less than four sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, given to the People of the State of New York, conditioned that the said chamberlain will faithfully discharge the duties of his office and all trusts imposed on him by law, in virtue of such office; and in case of any official misconduct or default on the part of such chamberlain, an action upon such bond may be begun and prosecuted to judgment by the attorney general, who shall, after first paying therefrom the expense of the litigation, cause the proceeds of such judgment to be distributed as shall be lawful and equitable among the persons and objects injured or defrauded by such official misconduct or default of the said Chamberlain.

No subordinate in any department shall receive a salary in excess of the highest salary paid to the head of the department, except that the Chief Engineer of Docks and the Superintendent of Police may each receive a salary not exceeding \$6,000.

The salary attached to either of the following positions on the police force shall not exceed the sum here designated as the maximum salary of such position when held by any person hereafter appointed to the said police force:

For an Inspector, \$3,000.  
For a Captain, \$1,800.  
For a Surgeon, \$1,500.  
For a Sergeant, \$1,250.

The salary attached to either of the following positions in the Fire Department shall not exceed the sum here designated as the maximum salary of such position when held by any person hereafter appointed to the uniform force of said Fire Department:

For Chief of Battalion, \$2,000.  
For a Foreman, \$1,400.  
For an Assistant Foreman, \$1,300.  
For an Engineer of Steamer, \$1,200.  
For an Assistant Engineer of Steamer, \$1,100.

For members of the uniform force of the Police and Fire Departments, respectively, hereafter appointed, shall, on their appointment, become members of what shall be known as the third grade, at a salary of \$800 per year; after two years of service in such third grade, they shall, if their conduct and efficiency have been satisfactory, be advanced to what shall be known as the Second Grade, at a salary of \$900 per year; after two years service in such grade, they shall, on like conditions, be advanced to what shall be known as the First Grade, at a salary of \$1,000 per year. But no member of such uniform force shall be so advanced, as aforesaid, except after examination by and approval of the said Boards of Fire and Police Commissioners, each in their respective departments, of their records, efficiency, and conduct.

2. The annual salaries to be paid from moneys raised by tax in the city of New York, to each and every person who shall hereafter be elected or appointed to any public office, or who shall hereafter be designated for employment in any public position in said city, which office or position is hereinafter mentioned, shall be as follows; and such salary shall be all that the person holding such office or position shall be entitled to receive from the Treasury of said city, for any and all services rendered to the city or county during the term for which such salary shall be received.

To the Clerk of the Superior Court of the City of New York, \$4,500.  
To the Deputy Clerk of said Court, \$2,000; and  
To the Assistant Clerks in said Court, \$1,500 each.

To the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the City and County of New York, \$4,500.  
To the Deputy Clerk of said Court, \$2,000; and  
To the Assistant Clerks \$1,500 each.  
To the Clerk of the Marine Court of the City of New York, \$3,000.  
To the Deputy Clerks of said Court, \$2,000 each; and  
To the Assistant Clerks of said Court, \$1,500 each.  
To the Clerks and Assistant Clerks of the District Courts in the City of New York, \$3,000 each.  
To the Clerks of the Police Courts in said City, \$3,000 each.  
To the attendants and officers of the several Courts in the City and County of New York, \$1,000 each.

To the District Attorney of the City and County of New York, \$12,000.

3. No officer or person who is paid a salary for his services from the City Treasury shall receive to or for his own use any fees, costs, allowances, perquisites of office, commissions, percentages or moneys paid to him in his official capacity; but all fees, costs, allowances, perquisites, commissions percentages and moneys so paid or received by any such officer or person, shall be the property of the city and shall be paid by him into the City Treasury; and every such person or officer, who shall receive any fees, perquisites, commissions, percentages, or other moneys which belong to the city and should be so paid into the Treasury, shall, before he shall be entitled to receive or be paid his salary, make under oath a detailed statement and return to the Comptroller, in such form as he may prescribe, showing the amount of all such moneys received by him since the last preceding statement and returns, and shall produce a receipt showing the payment of such sum into the Treasury. The Comptroller may require any such person or officer to make such statement and return to him, if it be not made as herein provided; and examine any such officer or person under oath touching the amount of any fees, costs, allowances, perquisites, commissions, percentages or moneys paid to or received by him in his official capacity.

4. This section shall not be taken or construed to affect any person now in office during his present term nor the present lawful salary attaching to such office; but from and after the expiration of any present term in any office named in this act, the salaries to be paid to any person thereafter appointed to any such office shall be as designated by this act.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of every head of department in the city of New York, in the next departmental estimate of the amount required for the support of such department during the ensuing fiscal year to reduce the aggregate expenses of such department in such manner that the aggregate sum to be paid for salaries and compensation of persons employed by or in such departments and other than the heads of such departments and other day laborers, shall be in such year at least ten per centum less than the aggregate amount paid for salaries and compensation of such persons employed by or in such departments during the present fiscal year; and full power and authority is given to such heads of department to readjust or reduce all salaries payable in the said department to conform to the purpose of this act, any other provisions of law to the contrary notwithstanding. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply to the teachers in the schools, to the uniformed force of the Police or Fire Departments or to day laborers; and the several heads of departments, including the Board of Education, shall, in carrying out the provisions of this section, exclude from the aggregate amount of salaries and compensation all sums paid to such excepted classes and persons. Every person shall be considered a day laborer who performs day labor and is paid therefor a sum less than \$2.00 per day. In making the reduction herein re-

quired, every head of department may abolish and consolidate offices and bureaus and discharge subordinates in the same department.

Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of the head of all departments of said city and of all boards and officers charged with the duty of expending or incurring obligations payable out of the moneys raised by tax in said city so to regulate such expenditures for any purpose or object, that the sum shall not in any one year exceed the amount appropriated by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for such purpose or object, and no charge, claim, or liability shall exist or arise against said city for any sum in excess of the amount appropriated for the several purposes as by this statute authorized.

Sec. 5. After the provisional estimate provided by law to be made each year, has been returned by the Board of Aldermen to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, and before the final estimate is made, as now required by law, the said last mentioned board shall fix such sufficient time or times as may be necessary to allow the taxpayers of said city to be heard in regard thereto, and the said board shall attend at the time or times so appointed for such hearing. And the said Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall file with the said final estimate during the month of December in each year, a schedule of the names of all persons not within a department employed under the city government, the designation of their offices and employments respectively, and the salaries and compensation fixed for each, which said schedule shall be published in the CITY RECORD.

Sec. 6. Except as herein otherwise provided, this act shall take effect immediately. And all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

#### CHAPTER 210.

AN ACT to provide for the dissolution of union free school districts in certain cases.

Passed May 8, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. In any union free school district established under the laws of this state, it shall be the duty of the board of education, upon the application of fifteen resident taxpayers of such district, to call a special meeting in the manner prescribed by law, for the purpose of determining whether application shall be made in the manner hereinafter provided, for the dissolution of such union free school district, and for its reorganization as a common school district or districts.

Sec. 2. Whenever, at any such meeting called and held as aforesaid, it shall be determined by a majority vote of the legal voters present and voting, to be ascertained by taking and recording the ayes and noes, not to dissolve such union free school district, no other meeting for a similar purpose shall be held in said district within three years from the time the first meeting was held, and whenever, at any such meeting called and held as aforesaid, it shall be determined by a two-thirds vote of the legal voters present and voting, to be ascertained by taking and recording the ayes and noes, to dissolve such union free school district, it shall be the duty of the board of education to present to the clerk of the board of supervisors a certified copy of the call, notice and proceedings, and the said clerk shall lay the same before the board of supervisors at their next meeting. If the board of supervisors shall approve of the proceedings of said meeting, the clerk shall certify the same to the board of education. Such approval shall not take effect until the thirtieth day of September next succeeding; but after that date such district shall cease to be a union free school district.

Sec. 3. If any union free school district dissolved under the foregoing provisions shall have been established by the consolidation of two or more districts, it shall be lawful for the board of supervisors to direct that its territory be divided into two or more districts, to correspond, so far as practicable, with the districts theretofore consolidated.

Sec. 4. If there shall be in such dissolved union free school district an academy which shall have been adopted as the academic department of the union free school, under the provisions of title nine, chapter five hundred and fifty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-four, it shall, upon the application of a majority of the surviving resident former trustees or stockholders, be transferred by the board of education to said former trustees or stockholders.

Sec. 5. The board of supervisors may make its approval of the proceedings of any such meeting held as aforesaid conditional upon the payment by the district which has been most greatly benefited by the consolidation in the way of buildings and other improvements to the other district or districts into which the said union free school district is divided, of such sum or sums of money as they may deem equitable.

Sec. 6. All moneys remaining in the hands of the treasurer of the union free school district when the order of dissolution shall take effect shall be apportioned equitably among the several districts into which such union free school district is divided, and shall be paid over to the collectors of such districts when they shall have been elected and have qualified according to law.

Sec. 7. The district or districts formed by the dissolution of such union free school district shall hold its or their annual meeting or meetings on the second Tuesday of October next after the dissolution of such union free school district, and shall elect officers as now required by law.

Sec. 8. If the board of supervisors shall not approve the proceedings of any such meetings held as aforesaid, for the purpose of dissolving a union free school district, no other meeting shall be held in such district for a similar purpose within three years from the time the first meeting was held.

Sec. 9. Whenever the proceedings of a meeting held as aforesaid, for the purpose of dissolving a union free school district, shall have been approved by the board of supervisors and shall have been certified by the clerk of said board to the board of education, it shall be the duty of the board of education of the district affected forthwith to notify the superintendent of public instruction, and to furnish him copies of the call, notice, proceedings of the meeting, and proceedings of the board of supervisors taken thereon.

#### CHAPTER 223.

AN ACT for the better protection of the traveling public.

Passed May 8, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. The governor is hereby authorized in his discretion to appoint all or any conductors and brakemen of any trains of any steam railroads in this state, conveying passengers, for the purposes of this act, policemen having all the powers for the purposes of this act with which policemen of villages and cities are clothed, and each and every such conductor and brakeman shall take and file the usual oath of office, in the office of the clerk of the county in which he resides, or in the office of the clerk of the county in this state in which either terminus of such road may be.

Sec. 2. All such conductors and brakemen acting as policemen under this act, upon any such railroad, shall have full power, and it shall be their duty to arrest and hold in custody, and deliver to any magistrate, having jurisdiction in such cases, at either terminus of such road in this state, or at any intermediate station, any or all persons whom they may find engaged in, or endeavoring to entice others to engage in any game of cards or any other game of chance whatever, in which money or any representative of money, or any other valuable thing is to be lost or won, and to enter complaint to such magistrate for any violation of the law governing in such cases.

Sec. 3. Any conductor or brakeman, refusing or neglecting to perform the duty imposed upon him by this act shall be liable to a fine not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars, to be sued for by and in the name of any superintendent of the poor of any county where such refusal or neglect may have occurred in any court of competent jurisdiction at any place on the line of said railroad, or to imprisonment not less than six months, or to both, in the discretion of the court.

Sec. 4. Any fine so imposed, when collected, shall be placed in the treasury of the county where recovered, for the use of the poor of said county.

Sec. 5. It shall be the duty of every superintendent or manager of every steam railroad in this state, immediately after the passage of this act, to post a copy of this law in some conspicuous place in each and every car used for the conveyance of passengers, under a penalty of not to exceed five dollars for each and every such car in which such notice shall not be posted.

Sec. 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

#### APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. J. Tillmann to place an ornamental bracket lamp in front of his premises, No. 137 Bowery, the gas to be supplied and the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 25, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, May 28, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Schneider to erect and maintain lamp-post and ornamental lamp within the stoop-line in front of his premises, No. 396 Sixth avenue, the work done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 25, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, May 28, 1880.

#### OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

##### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

###### Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary; John Tracey, Chief Clerk.

###### Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

###### Permit and License Bureau Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

###### Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

##### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

###### Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

##### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

###### Commissioner's Office.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

###### Bureau of Water Register.

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

###### Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

###### Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

###### Bureau of Streets.

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

###### Bureau of Sewers.

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

###### Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

###### Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

###### Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.

###### Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

###### Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

##### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

###### Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORIS, Deputy Comptroller.

###### Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

###### Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

###### Auditing Bureau.

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

###### Bureau of Arrears.

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

###### Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.

No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Collector.

###### Bureau of City Revenue.

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

###### Bureau of Markets.

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

##### LAW DEPARTMENT.

###### Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

###### Office of the Public Administrator.

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

###### Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

###### Attorney to Department of Buildings' Office.

Corner Cortlandt and Church streets.  
JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

##### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

###### Central Office.

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

##### DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

###### Central Office.

Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
TOWNSEND COX, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

##### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

###### Headquarters.

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

##### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

##### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES F. WENMAN, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

###### Civil and Topographical Office.

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

##### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

##### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN WHEELER, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

##### BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, No. 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

##### DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

No. 2 Fourth avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent.

##### BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

##### SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

##### REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

##### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

##### COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

##### COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

##### DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney; MOSES P. CLARK, Chief Clerk.

##### DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS,  
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December, 1879.

##### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS AND BUILDERS.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF THEIR INTERESTS property owners and builders are requested to refuse admission into their buildings to any officer of this Department who does not show his proper badge of office on demand.

All badges issued from this office are shield shaped, with the title of the officer, the name of this Department, and the number engraved thereon, and are numbered from 1 to 50. The following badges are lost or stolen: Inspectors, badges Nos. 4, 8, 9, 11, 12, 21, 22, 23, 36, 38, 39, 42, 43, 45, 46, 48, 49, and 50. Fire Escape Examiners, badges Nos. 3 and 8, and Messenger's badge No. 7. All parties professing to be officers of this Department not provided with badges of the above description, or who attempt to use badges of the above named missing numbers, or an oval shaped badge, formerly used in the Department, are impostors, and the public are cautioned against recognizing such persons, and are requested to report the same to this office in any case that may come to their notice.

HENRY J. DUDLEY,  
Superintendent of Buildings.

##### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM No. 39,  
NEW YORK, April 29, 1880.

OWNERS 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: Boats, iron, rope, clothing (male and female), jewelry, revolvers, trunks and contents, bags and contents, tin, lead, furniture, etc.; also small amount of money found and taken from prisoners by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

##### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

###### HENRY C. PERLEY,

###### THOMAS SHEILS,

###### JOHN MCCLAVE,

###### HENRY HAFEE,

###### BERNARD KENNEY,

###### Committee on Public Works.

##### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Tuesday, the 15th day of June, 1880, and until 1 o'clock P. M. on said day, for the erection of a new school-house on the east side of Norfolk street, between Delancey and Rivington streets, on lots Nos. 102, 104 and 106.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

Proposals will be received only for the entire work and materials required for the erection of the building, and must be indorsed "Proposal for the Erection of a School-house on Norfolk street, in the Thirteenth Ward;" all the work is to be performed under one contract.

The work is to be completed by the 1st day of July, 1881, under a forfeiture of seventy-five dollars per day, for each and every day that the work remains unfinished after the said 1st day of July, 1881.

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

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

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

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

No substitution by the accepted contractor will be permitted without first obtaining, in writing, permission from the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education.

###### GEORGE W. RELYEA,

###### FREDERICK GERMANN,

###### FREDERICK HOLSTEN,

###### EDWARD MCCUE,

###### FRANCIS COAN,

Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.

Dated New York, June 1, 1880.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 26, 1880.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR DREDGING AT THE FOLLOWING NAMED PLACES ON THE NORTH RIVER: SLIP BETWEEN PIERS AT WEST TWENTY-SECOND STREET AND WEST TWENTY-THIRD STREET; SLIP BETWEEN PIERS AT WEST TWENTY-THIRD STREET AND WEST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET; PIER AT WEST THIRTY-FIFTH STREET; PIER AT WEST FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR DREDGING AT the above-named places on the North River, indorsed as above, and with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation, and addressed to "The Board of Commissioners of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. of

MONDAY, JUNE 7, 1880.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be well prepared for the business, and the bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of four thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimates of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged in order to secure at each of the premises mentioned the depth of water set opposite thereto, as named in the specifications, are as follows:

Slip between piers at West Twenty-second street and West Twenty-third street .....	15,000
Slip between piers at West Twenty-third street and West Twenty-fourth street .....	15,000
Pier at West Thirty-fifth street .....	4,000
Pier at West Fifty-seventh street .....	12,000
Total .....	46,000

But these estimates are approximate only, and form no part of the contract, and persons bidding are cautioned that neither the Department of Docks nor the City of New York is to be held responsible that any of them shall strictly obtain in the work, and bidders are required to examine the premises and to judge for themselves of the quantity and other circumstances affecting the cost of the work.

The time allowed for doing the work is ninety days from the date of signing the contract; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for fulfillment 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 material excavated is to be removed by the contractor, and deposited in all respects according to law.

Bidders will state in their proposals the price per cubic yard for doing such dredging in conformity with the annexed specifications, by which the bids will be tested. The price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the completion of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the proposal shall distinctly state the fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, 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 proposals 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 proposal 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 bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in these proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, and by section 27 of chapter 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 is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

No proposal 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 proposals is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation.

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

HENRY F. DIMOCK,

JACOB VANDERPOEL,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

## NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 24, 1880.

JAMES M. OAKLEY, & CO. AUCTIONEERS, will sell to the highest bidders, at public auction, for account of the Department of Docks, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 1880,

at 12 o'clock M., the following-named old material, at the places stated, to wit:

At or near foot of Chambers Street, North River.  
Lot 1—9 cords, more or less, of old 1" boards; 2 cords, more or less, of old 3" x 6".  
Lot 2—About 6,000 square feet of old roof-tin.  
Lot 3—About 6,000 lbs. of old zinc roofing.  
Lot 4—About 2,300 lbs. of old wrought iron; about 200 lbs. of old gas pipe.

At or near foot of Charlton Street, North River.  
Lot 5—4 bunches of old piles, 25 to 40 feet long, about 250 pieces, in the water.  
Lot 6—5 bunches of old square timber, about 130 pieces, in the water.

Lot 7—About 150 pile butts, 15 to 20 feet long, in the water.  
Lot 8—About 250 pile butts, 5 to 20 feet long, in the water.

Lot 9—20 old wooden doors, 8 feet x 9 feet.  
Lot 10—About 1,000 lbs. old wrought and cast iron.  
At the Yard at Gansevoort Street, North River.  
Lot 11—About 8,295 lbs. of old wrought-iron.  
Lot 12—About 3,467 lbs. of old cast-iron.  
Lot 13—One old wrought-iron anchor, about 3,000 lbs.  
Lot 14—One old propeller wheel, about 2,500 lbs.  
Lot 15—One 13 1/2-foot yawl boat.  
Lot 16—One 15 1/2-foot yawl boat.  
Lot 17—One 20-foot whale boat.

At foot of Fifty-seventh Street, North River.  
Lot 18—7 bunches of old square timber, 10 to 50 feet long (about 230 pieces) in the water.

## CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

The sale will commence at foot of Chambers Street, North River, at 12 o'clock M., and will proceed at the other places in the order above named as soon thereafter as possible.

Each of the above lots will be sold separately and for a sum in gross, and not for a price per article. The estimated quantities stated to be in the several lots are believed to be correct, but the Department will not make any allowance from the purchase-money for short delivery on any lot, and bidders must consider as to the correctness of the estimate for quantity when making their bids.

All the pile butts and timber are to be taken and received by the purchaser as they lie on shore or in the water on the day of the sale.

Purchasers will be required to remove all material bought without delay, and the Department will not be responsible for any portion of such material after the receipt for the purchase-money shall have been given.

TERMS OF SALE will be cash, to be paid at the time of sale.

An order will be given for material purchased.

HENRY F. DIMOCK,

JACOB VANDERPOEL,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 20, 1880.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FRESH BURNT "PORTLAND" CEMENT.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS material, indorsed as above, and addressed to "The Board of Commissioners of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of

MONDAY, JUNE 7, 1880.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be well prepared for the business, and shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of four thousand dollars.

The cement required under the contract must be fresh burnt "Portland" Cement, fully up to the standard of the best brands imported, and average at least 400 pounds gross weight to the barrel. No cement will be received that shall have been ground or burnt for a longer period than four months prior to the date of delivery; the Manufacturer's Certificate of date of manufacture will be required with each delivery, and said date must be marked on each barrel with a stencil plate.

The quantity to be delivered under the contract is 5,000 barrels, and the delivery is to commence within 10 days after the date of signing the contract, and is to be continued in such manner as shall be necessary to furnish at least 1,000 barrels on or before the 1st day of July, 1880, and at least 500 barrels within every 10 days thereafter, until the whole quantity shall have been delivered. The contract is to be fully completed and to terminate on the 1st day of October, 1880. The damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled, after the time specified for the fulfillment thereof may have expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at \$50 Fifty Dollars per day.

The empty barrels will be relinquished to the contractor, as provided for in the specifications, and bidders must estimate the value of the empty barrels, when considering the price for which they will furnish the cement under the contract.

Bidders will state in their proposals the price for each barrel of cement to be furnished in conformity with the annexed specifications, by which the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the delivery, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the receiving of the material by the Department.

Bidders will write out the price bid in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, the proposal shall distinctly state the fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and that it is in all respects fair, and without any 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 proposals 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 proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the

bond required by section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, and by section 27 of chapter VIII, of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

No proposal 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 proposals is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the material, is annexed.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids, 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 material, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 2, East river—Aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair. Had on black overcoat, black diagonal frock coat, black pants, brown shirt, gray undershirt and drawers, gray knit socks, boots. Body about two months in water.

Unknown man, from Spuyten Duyvil Creek, 5 feet 7 inches high. Had on blue flannel shirt, red flannel drawers, gray knit undershirt, dark striped pants, blue ribbed socks, brog-in shoes. Body about six months in water.

Unknown man, from off Governor's Island; 5 feet 9 inches high. Had on black overcoat, black ribbed coat and vest, dark pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white socks, gaiters. Body about six months in water.

At Randall's Island Hospital—George Fisher; aged 63 years. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Kate Forbes; aged 58 years; 5 feet high; dark hair, blue eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

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

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.  
25,000 Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.  
5,000 pounds Pearl Barley.  
3,000 " Dried Apples.  
3,000 " Cheese.  
100 sacks fine Liverpool Salt, equal to Worthington's sacks, to be full, clean, and in good order;

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A.M., of Wednesday, the 9th day of June, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour, Groceries, and Hay," 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 must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

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

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

chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 26, 1880.

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

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

POULTRY.

To be delivered during the remainder of the year 1880. Consisting of Fowls, Ducks, Turkeys, and Chickens, say 500 to 600 pounds in all per week; to be delivered in quantities as required at Bellevue Hospital and at Twenty-sixth street Dock, East river, at or before 6.45 A.M. of every day, Sundays excepted. The various descriptions of poultry, etc., to be dressed and of good quality, and the prices for each to be named separately—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A.M., of Wednesday, the 9th day of June, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry," 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or 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, May 26, 1880.

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

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

### PROPOSALS FOR ICE.

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING ICE

to the extent of 175 tons (more or less), of good quality, not less than eight inches thick, and free from snow ice, to be delivered daily during the remainder of the year 1880, in quantities as may be required, to the various institutions under charge of this Department located in the City of New York, or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Wednesday the 9th day of June, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Ice," 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.

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

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

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

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications required, before making their estimates.

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

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

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or 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, May 26, 1880.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, May 25, 1880.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Stanton street—Unknown man, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8

inches high; dark brown hair, moustache and beard; hazel eyes. Had on dark check suit, white shirt, white knit undershirt, gaiters.

Unknown man, from off Battery, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; body very much decomposed. Had on black cardigan jacket, black ribbed vest, dark striped pants, plaid woolen shirt, white shirt, blue socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from Pier 36, East river, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black hair. Had on dark cloth vest, dark corded pants, blue check shirt, white cotton flannel drawers, boots.

Unknown man, from Roosevelt Hospital, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair, whiskers and moustache. Had on pepper and salt frock coat, plaid pants, dark vest, white shirt, with L. L. marked in red thread, white flannel undershirt, black felt hat.

Unknown woman, from Chambers Street Hospital, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes; no teeth.

Unknown man from Arnold's Point, East river, 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on blue woolen socks, white ribbed drawers, gaiters. Body about 6 months in water.

Unknown man from Pier 27, East river—5 feet 7 inches high. Had on black diagonal pants, red flannel drawers, gray socks, boots. Body about 6 months in water.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,  
Assistant Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, May 19, 1880.

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

At City Prison—Charles Wilson; aged 53 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray hair, blue eyes. Had on black frock coat, pepper and salt vest, black pants, letters C. C. tattooed on right arm, and heart on left arm. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from 244 East Fifty-fifth street—Unknown woman; aged about 50 years 5 feet 2 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on dark calico shirt, white chemise, brown petticoat, plaid shawl, white stockings, gaiters.

Unknown boy, from foot of Fourteenth street, East River, aged about 14 years, 4 feet, 10 inches high, light brown hair, had on brown coat, dark vest and pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt with letter H in white and red, worsted blue stockings, shoes.

Unknown man, from foot of One Hundred and Forty-third street, North river. Had on blue flannel vest, dark gray pants, white shirt, red flannel undershirt, white knit drawers, blue socks, boots, rubber overshoes.

Unknown man, from foot of Fourth street, East river, aged about 25 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, dark brown hair and moustache. Had on black frock coat, black pants and vest, white shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, gaiters.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, Eliza Moore, aged 47 years, committed April 3, 1880. Nothing known of her friends and relatives.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, Thomas Maher, aged 41 years, 5 feet 8 inches high, black hair, gray eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

G. F. BRITTON,  
Assistant Secretary.

### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to the East river, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Chambers of said court, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, A. D. 1880, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above proceeding, in the place and stead of George H. Swords, deceased.

New York, May 29, 1880.

WM. C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Eighth street, from the easterly line of Fifth avenue to the Harlem river.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York will apply to the Supreme Court in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Chambers of said court, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 25th day of June, A. D. 1880, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above proceeding, in the place and stead of George H. Swords, deceased.

Dated New York, May 29, 1880.

WM. C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Sixty-seventh street, from Third avenue to the East river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses, lots, and improved

or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to William Cruikshank, our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 261 Broadway, Room No. 23, in said city, on or before the 28th day of June, 1880; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after said 28th day of June, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our office on each of said ten days, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Second—That the abstract of said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 8th day of July, 1880.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, included within the following boundaries, viz: Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Third avenue, distant one hundred feet and five inches southerly from the southerly line of Sixty-eighth street, thence easterly and parallel to Sixty-eighth street and always one hundred feet and five inches southerly of the southerly line thereof to the bulkhead line of East river, thence southerly along said bulkhead line to a point which would be intersected by a line drawn parallel to Sixty-sixth street, and one hundred feet and five inches northerly of the northerly line thereof, thence westerly and parallel to Sixty-sixth street, and always one hundred feet and five inches northerly of the northerly line thereof to the easterly line of Third avenue, thence northerly along the easterly line of Third avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Excepting, however, from all the lands and premises above described so much thereof as is included within the areas of streets and avenues now opened and proposed to be opened by this proceeding.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the New Court-house in the City of New York, on the 13th day of July, 1880, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 19, 1880.

WILLIAM CRUIKSHANK,  
GUNNING S. BEDFORD,  
GEORGE H. SWORDS,  
Commissioners.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title for the use of the public to lands included within the lines of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from the easterly line of the New Avenue, lying between Eighth and Ninth avenues to the Harlem river.

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

I.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to the undersigned Commissioners, at our office, No. 82 Nassau street, Room No. 22, in said city, on or before the 23d day of June, 1880; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 23d day of June, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 1 o'clock P. M.

II.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 6th day of July, 1880.

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows, to wit: All those certain lots, pieces, or parcels of land contained, lying and being within the following bounds or limits, that is to say: beginning at a point on the easterly line or side of the New Avenue, lying between the Eighth and Ninth avenues, distant one hundred and one foot and eleven and one-eighth inches northerly from the point formed by the intersection of said easterly side of said New Avenue with the northerly line or side of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, as the same is laid out and to be opened by this proceeding; and running thence easterly and parallel with said One Hundred and Fifty-third street, to the bulkhead line on the Harlem river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line to a point where the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fifty-second and said One Hundred and Fifty-third streets, if produced, would intersect said bulkhead line; thence westerly and parallel with said One Hundred and Fifty-third street to the easterly line or side of said New Avenue, and thence northerly along the easterly line or side of said New Avenue two hundred and sixty-three feet and five-eighths of an inch to the point or place of beginning.

IV.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of July, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 17, 1880.

WILLIAM C. TRAPHAGEN,  
WILLIAM A. SEAYER,  
HENDERSON MOORE,  
Commissioners.

### JURORS.

### NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1879.

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

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

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

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper, to another to answer.

It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

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

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

### CORPORATION SALE OF THE MARION STREET BELL TOWER.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York will sell at public auction, on Thursday, May 27, 1880, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the New County Court-house, the Marion Street Bell Tower.

### TERMS OF SALE.

Cash to be paid to the Collector of the City Revenue at the time and place of sale. The successful bidder to remove the Bell Tower within twenty days from the date of sale, and to leave the premises on which it stands free from all material of the building.

The ground on which the tower stands to be smoothly and evenly graded.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 17, 1880.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, June 3, 1880, at the same hour and place.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, May 27, 1880.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,  
CITY HALL PARK,  
NEW YORK, May 18, 1880.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED MAY 17, ENTERED MAY 18, 1880.

88th street opening, from 8th avenue to New road, and from 12th avenue to the Hudson river.  
91st street opening, from 8th avenue to New road, and from 12th avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before July 17, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry. The Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON,  
Collector of Assessments.

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

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 28, ENTERED APRIL 30, 1880.

81st street opening, from the Boulevard to New Avenue (Riverside drive), and from 12th avenue to Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before June 29, 1880, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,  
Collector of Assessments.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller

### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

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

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

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER, ROOM TO CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, April 28, 1880.

### CROTON WATER RATES.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Commissioner of Public Works.