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APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the Week ending June 19, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Manhattan Polo Club to use and occupy the land belonging to the city included in One Hundred and Eleventh street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, to be used exclusively by said club for polo and other athletic games and exercises; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1880, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of Public Parks be and they are hereby respectfully requested to cause the roadways in the several parks sprinkled, especially Central avenue.

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

Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1880, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the Park Commissioners be and they are hereby requested to place two hundred additional benches in the eastern half of Washington square, and a like number in the City Hall Park, immediately, for the accommodation of the public.

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

Received from his Honor the Mayor, June 15, 1880, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Lubeck to place and keep a watering-trough in front of No. 119 West Broadway, the water 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, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1880.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund respectfully request the Common Council to permit the Board of Assessors to occupy the City Library or a part of the Governor's Room temporarily, until other premises can be obtained for their use, but not longer than September 15, 1880.

Request granted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1880.

Whereas, The sad intelligence of the death of George Opdyke has been received by this Common Council; and

Whereas, The deceased held the office of Mayor of this city during the years 1862 and 1863, to which he was chosen by the suffrages of his fellow-citizens, in recognition of his exalted abilities and his integrity, and was in many other ways honored with the confidence and esteem of the people of this city; be it therefore

Resolved, That, out of respect for the memory of the deceased ex-Mayor, this preamble and resolution be entered in full in the minutes of this meeting, and that this Board do now adjourn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 16, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Welsh to retain a tin awning in front of No. 137 Franklin street, the work to be 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, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resolved, That Egbert W. Simmons be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place and stead of T. W. Harris, whose term of office has expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resolved, That Phillip Merkle be and he is hereby reappointed as a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resolved, That William J. Wells be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William J. Wells, whose term of office will expire on July 2, 1880.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resolved, That Louis Leubuscher be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, his term of office having expired.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resolved, That Joshua Kantrowitz be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resignation of Joseph P. McDonough, as a Commissioner of Deeds.

Resolved, That Edmund C. Spruhan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, in place of Joseph P. McDonough, resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ogden Golet to place and keep bay-windows on the building about to be erected on the southwest corner of Fifth avenue and Forty-ninth street, as shown on the annexed diagram, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert Golet to place and keep bay-windows on the building about to be erected on the southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Forty-eighth street, as shown on the annexed diagram, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 544, Laws of 1880:

John J. McLasher,
Michael K. McCarten,
Augustus Salzmann,
William E. Blake,
James P. Rodgers,
Francis McGrane,
George W. Kershaw,
Thomas S. Evers,
George H. Quin,
Edward Jacobs,
John Jenkins, Jr.,
Louis Levy,
August Isarr,
John H. Haa,
Emil Roessert,
Dr. John Gilmore Boyd,
Gottlieb Bellet,
Phelim J. O'Neil,
William A. Stoutenburg,
Joseph Phillips,
Thomas A. McGlade,
William R. Swift,
Jeremiah C. Devlin,
George Boucsein,
John Klein,
Henry A. Hoelzle,
Edward Brucks,
Nicholas Helbig,
Charles A. Stadler,
Henry Munker,
Charles Kirchhoff,
Edward F. McSherry,
Alexander J. Rodgers,
John D. Lewis,
Jacob Knobloch,
Edmund J. Lowry,
Joseph B. Summers,
W. A. Ferdon,
Stephen M. Anderson,
William M. Montgomery,
Charles Lyons, Jr.,
John W. Campbell,
John Gilletan, Jr.,
Charles C. Ives,
T. L. Crawford,
William H. Brettman,
Albert C. Hall,
James J. Boylan,
Graham McAdam,
A. M. Ehrlich,
John C. Klatzi,
Edgar S. Shandley,
Samuel A. Lewis,
Charles Dexheimer,
John C. McLoughlin,
Lewis S. Goebel,

Lyman Rindskopf,
Ernst O. Barnet, Jr.,
Alfred F. K. Chamberlin,
William M. Doyle,
Thomas Hayden,
Charles H. Pentz,
George J. Smith,
David De Venney,
John J. Scanlan,
Edward T. Smith,
George Moran,
George W. Schaffer,
Sidney J. Cowen,
William Byfield,
Adam H. Niepoth,
Daniel B. Murphy,
William F. Browne,
Michael C. O'Brien,
Gilbert U. Reynolds,
Herman Welhausen,
Thomas J. O'Connell,
William May,
Theodore J. Stuyvesant,
John F. Cherry,
George C. Kobbe,
Walter A. Sanford,
Charles A. Grant,
Terrence G. O'Brien,
George Oppenheim,
George Hussey,
S. Wood McClave,
J. Brewster Roe,
James A. Bass,
James N. Watson,
Francis J. Twomey,
Philip Barnard,
Thomas P. Malany,
William F. Van Pelt,
Adolph E. Hageman,
Joseph Steiner,
William Adams,
James Rowe,
Stephen D. Hall,
Theodore Wright,
William H. Murphy,
Joseph Koehler,
Charles W. Kruger,
Francis J. Gallagher,
Henry M. Leipsiger,
Meyer Masten,
R. J. Wright,
Max Moses,
Frederick W. Harth,
George A. Smith,
Albert H. Boyer,

Phillip Emrich,
Edward R. Harper,
Leonard Gattman,
Robert J. Kyle,
Charles E. Marsac,
James L. McCahill,
M. G. Lane,
R. H. Lane,
James Campbell,
Robert Curren,
James F. Bragg,
Thomas Maloney,
Hugh Smith,
John J. Brady,
Aaron R. Schuster,
Francis J. Gallagher,
Lawrence Brangan,
Daniel Leamy,
Israel F. Fischer,
Mitchell Hershfield,
Hugh McCaffray,
E. O. H. Jervis,
James Gallagher,
Patrick S. Hickey,
Patrick Moore,
Michael J. Goodwin,
Hugh A. Taggart,
Thomas F. Murphy,
S. Lobenthal,
Peter Eagan, Jr.,
Albert Lorey,
Meyer Mayer,
William P. Mitchell,
George Hatzel,
John Murphy,
John R. Walker,
Peter Macdonald,
Adison Jerome,
John J. Kennedy,
Edward F. O'Dwyer,
Francis Buehler,
Charles J. Ferguson,
John W. Bennett,
John F. Hinds,
Byron W. Cohen,
John J. Reilly,
John Insegaral,
Isidore Brooks,
Patrick H. Ryan,
George Hoffman,
James M. Brady,
Henry D. Meldberger,
James H. Ferdon,
William H. Rooney,
Michael H. Sigerson.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sarah H. Dodge to remodel and build new foundation to present bay-window on the Thirty-ninth street front of the building on the southwest corner of Madison avenue and Thirty-ninth street, and erect a new bay-window from basement and first and second stories, not to extend from the house-line more than three feet and six inches, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Fred. B. Ackerman to place lamp and post inside stoop-line in front of his premises No. 509 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, June 15, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, June 18, 1880.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk Common Council.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF NEW YORK, June 9, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Trials.

Foreman Ernest Drevet, of Engine Co. No. 7, charged with "violation of paragraph V., section 7, General Order No. 41, O. B. C., 1869," and "conduct unbecoming an officer." Evidence taken; laid over.

Assistant Engineer of Steamer James F. Taylor, of Engine Co. No. 13, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty, and reprimand ordered.

Fireman Patrick Murray, of Engine Co. No. 16, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty, and reprimand ordered.

Fireman James W. Gallagher, of Engine Co. No. 19, charged with "violation of paragraph V., General Orders No. 15, 1875." Found guilty on first charge, not guilty on second charge, and reprimand ordered.

Fireman John H. Ward, of Engine Co. No. 9, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty, and reprimand ordered.

Fireman John McDevitt, of Engine Co. No. 21, charged with "being under the influence of liquor." Found guilty, and dismissed the service of the Department, to take effect 10th instant.

President King stated that under the provisions of chapter 521, Laws of 1880, the time had arrived for making the appointment of Inspector of Buildings, which, he was informed, the Board was not restrained from doing by the writ of prohibition, and he therefore moved the appointment of Thomas H. McAvoy as Inspector of Buildings, under the provisions of chapter 521, Laws of 1880.

Which was lost by the following vote, viz.:

Affirmative—President King.

Negative—Commissioners Gorman and Van Cott.

Commissioner Van Cott explaining that although in favor of the nominee, he could not now vote for him on the ground that, in his opinion, the writ of prohibition restrained the Board from such action.

Transfers.

—to take effect 11th instant:

Assistant Engineer of Steamer George E. Sembler, Engine Co. No. 20 to Engine Co. No. 13.

" " James F. Taylor, Engine Co. No. 13 to Engine Co. No. 36.

Fireman Edward Harrington, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9 to Engine Co. No. 29.

" " George W. Gilmore, Engine Co. No. 15 to Engine Co. No. 9.

" " Adolph J. Peterson, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 14.

" " John S. Craft, Engine Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 31.

" " Michael Conlon, Engine Co. No. 31 to Engine Co. No. 4.

Private Eugene F. Terpeny, Engine Co. No. 29 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9.

" " John Brady, Engine Co. No. 43 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7.

" " John Melia, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 21.

Communications.

From—

Assistant Foreman Stephen Cartwright, of Engine Co. No. 38, requesting transfer. Filed, and following transfers ordered, to take effect 11th instant:

Assistant Foreman Stephen Cartwright, Engine Co. No. 38 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7.

Assistant Foreman Charles J. Williams, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17.

Assistant Foreman John F. L. Du Flon, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17 to Engine Co. No. 38.

Chief of Department, returning, with report, communication from the Medical Officer, relative to excuse from fire duty recommended to Fireman Cavanagh. Filed.

Medical Officer, recommending leaves of absence to—

Assistant Engineer of Steamer R. D. Hall, of Engine Co. No. 42.

Fireman Dennis Regan, of Engine Co. No. 8.

Granted to 1st instant, and referred to Chief of Department.

Same, recommending leaves of absence, disabilities not attributable to duty, to—

Assistant Foreman J. F. L. Du Flon, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17, for twenty days.

Assistant Engineer of Steamer Wm. Wray, of Engine Co. No. 23, for five days.

Fireman Timothy McAuliffe, of Engine Co. No. 34, for two days.

" " Thomas Gray, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, for three days.

" " Nicholas P. Loesch, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3, eight days.

" " Dennis McGee, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, two days.

" " Thomas Carson, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13, five days.

Granted on half pay.

Same, recommending excuse from fire duty to Fireman William Cahill, of Engine Co. No. 7, for five days. Granted to 1st instant with full pay, and for one day at three-fourths pay.

Captain in Charge of Repair Shops, reporting suspension from pay and duty of John C. Wieland, wheelwright. Approved.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 4, on behalf of Company, requesting permission to make presentation to Assistant Foreman Peter H. Short, of Engine Co. No. 14. Granted.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 7—Report relative to boiler, etc., in building No. 113 Nassau street. Laid over.

Foreman of Engine No. 14, on behalf of Company, requesting permission to make presentation to Foreman Charles H. Shay, of Engine Co. No. 30. Granted.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 24, reporting building No. 208 Bleecker street, as being in dangerous condition. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles for immediate examination and proper action.

Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2—Relative to condition of horse. Referred to the Superintendent of Horses.

Law Department—Notice of adjournment in the matter of Henry J. Dudley vs. Fire Commissioners. Filed.

Supply Clerk—Requisitions for articles required, estimated cost, \$62.70, \$180.50, \$133.75, \$176, \$125, \$19, and \$321 respectively. Purchase ordered.

Same—Requisition for repairs to wagon, estimated cost, \$17. Ordered.

Superintendent of Horses—Report of selection of team for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5, and recommending purchase at \$600. Purchase ordered.

Same, recommending purchase of horse for Engine Co. No. 29. Selection ordered.

George W. Burnham, offering to sell hose. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the proposition of George W. Burnham to sell to this Department 600 feet of rubber fire hose, four-ply with five-ply capped ends, of the manufacture of the Cleveland Rubber Co., at the rate of 85 cents per foot, without couplings, be and is hereby accepted; the said hose to be delivered at the Repair Shops, and to stand a pressure test of 400 pounds to the square inch.

Captain in Charge of Repair Shops, recommending plumbing work at quarters of Engine Co. No. 9. Referred to Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings for estimates.

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—Requisition for plumbing work at quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, estimated cost \$4.50. Ordered.

Resolution.

Resolved, That the bill of Nichols & Stiner, for license, hospital-money and C. H. fees of the steamer W. F. Havemeyer, amounting to \$97.60, be approved and audited for payment. Adopted.

Bills.

—audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

For the Year 1879—Schedule No. 84.

Reid, M., apparatus, supplies, etc. \$35 00

For the Current Year—Schedule No. 26.

Byrnes, J., apparatus, supplies, etc.	12 00	Law Telegraph Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	48 00
Carlin, William, apparatus, supplies, etc.	18 00	Lenihan, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	15 00
Central Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	28 25	Leyton, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	9 00
Conway, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	55 50	McAvoy, John, " "	15 00
Dean, Jeremiah, apparatus, supplies, etc.	3 00	McCann, Patrick, " "	15 00
Donohue, T. & M., apparatus, supplies, etc.	13 50	McKenna, Patrick, " "	9 00
Dowd, J. & C., apparatus, supplies, etc.	21 00	Manhattan Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	323 77
Dunn, John F., apparatus, supplies, etc.	6 00	Metropolitan Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	45 23
Dunn, Patrick, apparatus, supplies, etc.	3 00	Metropolitan Savings Bank, apparatus, supplies, etc.	150 00
Fallon, Owen, apparatus, supplies, etc.	36 00	Morrison, James, apparatus, supplies, etc.	45 00

Fox, Thomas, apparatus, supplies, etc.	24 00	Mount, H. R., apparatus, supplies, etc.	51 00
Gallon, Thomas J., apparatus, supplies, etc.	21 00	Murray, Patrick, " "	12 00
Garlan, George, apparatus, supplies, etc.	15 00	New York Gas-light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	105 34
Gerety, Andrew, apparatus, supplies, etc.	27 00	Nichols & Stiner, apparatus, supplies, etc.	97 60
Globe Soap Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	151 20	Ogden & Wallace, apparatus, supplies, etc.	11 36
Gogerty, Michael, apparatus, supplies, etc.	12 00	O'Neil, Joseph, apparatus, supplies, etc.	45 00
Hance, Chas. H. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	83 00	Reid, M., apparatus, supplies, etc.	12 00
Hassler, John A., apparatus, supplies, etc.	18 00	Roche, James, " "	15 00
Hayes, Dennis, apparatus, supplies, etc.	9 00	Russell, Thomas, apparatus, supplies, etc.	27 00
Hayes, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	9 00	Schernikow, Franz, apparatus, supplies, etc.	2 77
Joannes, Emile, " "	34 83	Short, Joseph, apparatus, supplies, etc.	21 00
Jube, John P. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	18 50	Smith, N. J., " "	44 45
Jussen, Carl, apparatus, supplies, etc.	71 77	Tallman, D., " "	27 50
Kennedy & Sheehan, apparatus, supplies, etc.	57 00	Walsh, John F., " "	120 00
Kenny, Bernard, apparatus, supplies, etc.	27 00	Walsh, Matthew, " "	36 00
Lally, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.	9 00	Wortendyke, D. D. A. & Son, apparatus, supplies, etc.	55 32
Lattimore & Dougherty, apparatus, supplies, etc.	27 00	Wright, R. J., apparatus, supplies, etc.	900 00
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On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

JUNE 10, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

The minutes of meetings held 26th, 27th, 28th, and 29th ultimo, and 1st, 2d, 3d, 5th, and 7th instant were read and approved.

Communications.

From—

Chief of Department, recommending that fire-hydrants be placed at locations designated, which had been communicated to the Department of Public Works by the President. Action approved; filed.

Comptroller—Summons and complaints in the matter of claims of Thomas W. Relyea and Stephen O'Brien, the information requested having been furnished by the President. Action approved; filed.

Chairman Committee on Apparatus, returning report of Fire Marshal, relative to cause of fire at No. 391 West street, with the information that a spark-arrestor will be furnished Engine No. 24. Action approved; filed.

Chief of Department—Report of operations for month of May. Filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—Report of operations for month of May. Filed.

Same—Reports of licenses and permits issued to 8th instant. Filed.

Same, reporting violations of law. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That John Lutz, 442 West Fifty-third street; Ellen Lunney, 307 Seventh avenue; Joseph Schate, 627 East Ninth street; A. Morris, 98 Bayard street; James Stretch, 547 Greenwich street; Patrick Gregg, 130 Christopher street; Jacob F. Cohen, 228 East Forty-first street; Mrs. E. J. Walter, 116 West Forty-fourth street; Frank William, 170 Third street; George Mortimer, 338 East Sixty-sixth street; Susan Morrigh, 518 East Fourteenth street; P. Ayres, 478 Lexington avenue, and Richard Hennessy, 319 East Sixtieth street, be and are hereby fined \$5 each, for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that in each of the above-named cases the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Same, forwarding communications received from L. G. Tillotson & Co. and G. B. Cushing, relative to penalties imposed for violation of law. Referred back with directions to carry out previous instructions.

Same, returning reports of inspection by company commanders (17), with the information that directions given had been complied with. Filed.

Examining Board—Report of examination of Fireman Patrick Finn, of Engine Co. No. 22, on application for promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman. Filed.

Assistant Chief Operator in Charge Fire Alarm Telegraph—Report as to cause of non-receipt of signal by certain companies on 26th ultimo. Filed.

Same—Detailed report relative to interference with the line of the Fire Alarm Telegraph by the American Union Telegraph Company. Laid over.

Same, transmitting communication from the American Rapid Telegraph Company, requesting modification of route designated on former application. Approved, with directions to have agreement executed.

Same—Daily reports of work and duty performed by employees. Filed.

Supply Clerk, recommending that damaged stock in Supply Room be condemned. Approved, with directions to have same included in auction sale.

Superintendent of Horses—Weekly report of inspection. Filed.

Same, recommending transfer of teams of Engine Co. No. 38 and Hook and Ladder Co. No. 19. Filed.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 29, reporting loss of telegraph key by Private James C. Bragan. Filed, and a fine of \$5 imposed.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 41, requesting repairs to quarters. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Foreman of Engine Co. No. 43, reporting loss of cap device by Fireman John S. Craft. Filed, and issue of new device ordered.

Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2, forwarding an old Department badge. Filed.

Foreman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18, requesting repairs to quarters. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Fireman Owen J. Shanley, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7, requesting transfer. Filed.

Fireman Andrew Gaffney, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman. Referred to Examining Board.

Fireman Thomas Corson, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13, applying for full pay while on sick leave. Granted.

Private Robert L. Kent, of Engine Co. No. 20, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer of Steamer. Referred to Examining Board of Engineers.

Comptroller—Statements of condition of appropriation to 5th instant. Filed.

New York Board of Fire Underwriters, acknowledging receipt of communication, with copy of law, relative to storage of cotton, etc. Filed.

Bell Telephone Company—Agreement relative to stringing wire on Department poles through One Hundred and Tenth street, from First to Fifth avenues; also application for permission (previously laid over). Filed.

Corporation of Trinity Church—Relative to application for new lease of premises No. 253 Spring street. Filed.

Thomas G. Wall, Superintendent Presbyterian Hospital, requesting permission to attach wire to Department poles. Referred to Assistant Chief Operator in charge Fire Alarm Telegraph for report.

Mary C. D. Starr, President House of Holy Family, commending promptness and efficiency of members of Engine Co. No. 25, at fire on 24th ultimo. Filed.

Burnet & Co., recommending Charles K. Hyde and John Vanderbeck for appointment in Building Bureau. Filed.

Charles Collins—Relative to repairs to steam fire engine. Filed.

Easy Starting Whiffletree Company, offering to furnish whiffletrees to be affixed to engines for trial. Referred to Committee on Apparatus.

W. A. Ewing, M. D., directing attention to dangerous condition of building on West Fifty-seventh street. Referred to Chief of Department for inspection and report.

J. C. Goodsell, Neundorff & Co. and M. Solomon—Claims against members of the Department. Filed, with directions to notify.

A. A. Kane, applying for appointment in Repair Shops. Filed.

John F. H. King, inviting attention to model of fire escape. Filed, with directions to notify that same can be exhibited on any day.

John M. McGregor, requesting test of linen hose. Referred to Committee on Apparatus with directions.

N. Newton, requesting that Foreman of Engine Co. No. 38, be permitted to fill cistern. Referred to Chief of Department, with power.

Peerless Manufacturing Company, offering to place in service for test sections of wire-covered suction hose. Referred to Committee on Apparatus.

Foreman Robert R. Farrell, Assistant Foreman John W. Van Orden, and Fireman Dennis McGee—Replies to notices of claims. Filed.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That members of the uniformed force detailed to work as mechanics, shall, during the continuance of such detail, be entitled to twenty-four's leave of absence, with full pay, on all Sundays from 8 A. M. Adopted.

Resolved, That the bill of Abraham D. Carlock, for plastering fuel-depot at quarters of Hook and Ladder Company No. 3, amounting to \$57, be and the same is hereby allowed and audited. Adopted.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

JUNE 11, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Communications.

From—Perrin, Payson & Co.—Application for permission to erect a factory for the manufacture of linseed oil, etc., by the Yaryan process. Filed, with directions to notify that application should be made for permission to store and use such quantity of naphtha as may be required.

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—Requisition for plumbing work required at quarters of Engine Co. No. 16, estimated cost, \$8. Ordered.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

JUNE 14, 1880.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Communications.

From—Chairman Committee on Repairs and Supplies, returning reports of Foreman Engine Co. No. 4, relative to manure pit and repairs required at quarters, with specifications and estimates, as follows: For Mason Work—From M. Reid, \$319; W. A. & F. E. Conover, \$325; Abm. D. Carlock, \$389.50.

For Carpenter Work—From Wm. H. Dobbs, for \$695. Filed, and the following resolutions adopted:

Resolved, That the mason work required at the quarters of Engine Co. No. 4, as per specifications thereon on file, be and is awarded to M. Reid for the sum of \$319, on his proposal dated 11th instant, and subject to the approval of the Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings.

Resolved, That the carpenter work required at quarters of Engine Co. No. 4, as per specifications thereon on file, be and is awarded to William H. Dobbs for the sum of \$695, on his proposal dated 2d instant, and subject to the approval of the Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings.

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—Requisition for plumbing work required at fuel depot, quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3, with estimates—From Benjamin Chambers, \$85; Morris & Williams, \$93.75; Shields & McEvoy, \$70. Awarded to lowest.

Same—Requisition for plumbing work required at quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8, estimated cost \$8. Ordered.

N. Le Brun, Architect—Plans and specifications for new houses for Engine Companies Nos. 5 and 44. Approved, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That an advertisement be inserted in the CITY RECORD inviting proposals for the erection of new houses for Engine Companies Nos. 5 and 44, in accordance with the plans and specifications therefor submitted by N. Le Brun, Architect.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held May 5, 1880.

Present—Commissioners Dimock and Vanderpoel.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock took the chair.

The minutes of the meeting held April 28 were read and approved.

A communication was received from Edward Cooper, Mayor, enclosing copy of resolution No. 357 of Board of Aldermen, in reference to sheds on piers and bulkheads on the East river, which are claimed to exist in violation of law; and, being read,

On motion, the Secretary was directed to advise in reply, that so far as this Department has any knowledge, no sheds have been unlawfully erected upon the East river water-front of the city, and that so far as any discretionary power is vested in this Department by statute in reference to the erection of sheds on the water-front of the East river it will be exercised in the future alike with due regard for the public convenience and the demands of commerce.

A copy of resolution No. 354 of the Board of Aldermen, whereby this Department is required to prevent the erection of a shed on Pier 45, East river, etc., was transmitted by E. Cooper, Mayor, for examination and report; and, being read,

On motion, the Secretary was directed to advise in reply that no permission has ever been granted by this Department to any one for the erection of a shed upon said Pier 45, East river.

That the provisions of chapter 249, Laws of 1875, prohibit the erection of a shed on any pier on the East river water-front of the city, which prior to the passage of said act had been used for the loading and discharging of sailing vessels regularly employed in foreign commerce, and having a draft of more than eighteen feet of water, and that, from the evidence which this Department has been enabled to secure, it is a matter of considerable doubt, as to whether the pier in question is subject to that prohibition of said chapter 249, Laws of 1875, and further, that while the Commissioners of this Department are satisfied that the Board of Aldermen has no jurisdiction on the subject matter contained in said resolution, still they will be pleased at all times to receive from said Board any recommendations respecting the water-front of the city which it may deem to be in the interest of the public.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:

From D. S. Babcock, President—To have repairs made to south side of Pier 33, North river, leased by him. Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report as to the repairs required at said premises, and an estimate of cost of doing the work.

From Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Requesting that they be furnished with a statement of all existing leases or privileges which have been issued by this Department from its organization to the present time, whereby the use and occupancy of lands lying under water belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York has been granted to private parties, the date when such leases or privileges were made, and to whom, the rent stipulated to be paid therefor, the duration of said leases, and the area in superficial feet of each of the several parcels of land under water so leased. Chief Clerk directed to furnish the statement as requested.

From D. S. Babcock, President—For permission to erect platform adjacent to south side of Pier 33, North river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report as to the condition of said premises.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, in reference to applications by private parties for the rebuilding, repairing and erection of piers and bulkheads, and also as to the rentals to be charged for the use of land lying under water, belonging to the city.

From Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, approving plans for piers, etc., to be built by the N. Y. C. & H. R. R. Co., North river, between Sixty-third and Seventy-second streets.

Application from said company, under date of April 1 and October 28, 1879, and January 20 and March 1, 1880, and reports of the Engineer-in-Chief on Special Orders 1195 and 1488, in relation to the improvement of said water-front, taken from the table, and placed on file.

From Compagnie Générale Transatlantique, for permission to erect an awning or shed in front of their shed on Pier new 42, North river. Applicants informed that this Department has never yet granted permission to any one for the erection of such a shed over the line of the new bulkhead, and is not at present prepared to comply with their request.

From Daniel A. Anderson, Agent of the Merchants' and Farmers' Line of Canal Boats, for permission to erect a shed on bulkhead occupied by him, between Piers old 34 and 35, North river. Applicant informed that this Department has no power under the statute to grant permission for the erection of said shed, unless he, as lessee of the premises, is engaged in the business of steam transportation.

From Peter McDonnell, for permission to erect a platform on the south side of pier at Thirty-ninth street, North river, for landing ice. Applicant informed that this Department has no objection to his placing and retaining, under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, on the south side of pier at Thirty-ninth street, North river, a platform seventy feet long and eight feet wide, to facilitate the landing of ice, the consent of the lessee of said premises, and also of the Harbor Master of the district having been filed in this office, but the Department reserves the right to cause the removal of said platform at any time it may select.

From Engineer-in-Chief, the following reports:

1. As to repairs being made to end of pier at Twenty-third street, East river.

2. As to work performed during week ending May 1, 1880.

3. As to repairs needed to pier at Forty-seventh street, North river. Engineer-in-Chief directed to make said repairs, in accordance with his report, at a cost of about \$600.

Reports were received from the Engineer-in-Chief submitting forms of specifications and contracts for proposals—

1. For dredging, in conjunction with the Compagnie Générale Transatlantique, the slip between Piers, new 42 and 43, North river;

2. For dredging at piers at Thirty-fifth and Fifty-seventh streets, North river; and

3. For furnishing the Department with 5,000 barrels of Portland cement;

—and, being read,

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the forms of specifications and contracts, as prepared by the Engineer-in-Chief, for dredging, in conjunction with the Compagnie Générale Transatlantique, the slip between Piers, new 42 and 43, North river, and for dredging at piers at Thirty-fifth and Fifty-seventh streets, North river, and for furnishing the Department with 5,000 barrels of Portland cement, be and are hereby approved and adopted, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to forms, and that the Secretary be and is hereby directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals as above printed, and proper advertisements inviting bids for doing said work and for furnishing said material inserted in the newspapers designated by law.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to examine and report as to the depth of water existing on either side of Pier, new 1, North river.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to address a communication to George H. Watrous, President of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co., advising that from an examination of the grants of the land at and in front of the bulkhead on South street, adjacent to and south of Montgomery street, it would appear that the title to the property is vested in the city of New York, and to request that he will furnish this Department with such evidence as may be in his possession as will tend to establish his title to the premises in question.

On motion, John Blew was appointed Acting Foreman on temporary jobs.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, held May 5, 1880.

Present—Commissioners Dimock and Vanderpoel, and the Comptroller of the city.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock took the Chair.

Four proposals were received for removing all that part of Pier, old 31, near the foot of Duane street, North river, with the sheds and buildings thereon, which lies westerly of a line about fifty feet westerly of the new bulkhead line, except the crib work below low water-mark, the deck plank, sheathing, and oak fender piles, and preparing for and building a new wooden pier north of said Pier, old 31, to be known as Pier, new 31, North river, as follows, to wit:

1. From J. Eugene White, for.....	\$65,998 00
2. From P. Sanford Ross and Joseph B. Sanford, for.....	64,982 87
3. From Joseph Walsh, for.....	79,000 00
4. From John Gillies, for.....	65,777 00

—and, being read, were,

On motion, laid on the table for examination.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, held May 6, 1880.

Present—Commissioners Dimock and Vanderpoel.

On motion, Commissioner Dimock took the Chair.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of five bills or claims, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$10,315 85, and, being read, was,

On motion, accepted and adopted, and the Secretary directed to forward the said bills, together with proper requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

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, 9 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. STORNS, 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.

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 and 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 STORNS, Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

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.

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 re-advertised and re-let as provided by law.

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

Bidders will state the price 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, June 18, 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 DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

DRY GOODS.

1 Bale Red Flannel.

	GROCERIES, ETC.,
50,000 pounds	Brown Sugar.
50,000 "	Hard Soap.
25,500 "	Chicory.
50 barrels	Oatmeal.
20 "	Wheaten Grits.
250 bags	Bran (40 lbs. each.)

LEATHER.

500 sides Waxed Kip Leather.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A.M., of Friday, the 25th 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 Dry Goods, Groceries, etc.," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will state the price 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, June 12, 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 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—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A.M., of Friday, the 25th 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 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.

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 re-advertised and re-let 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, June 12, 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, June 8, 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 One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street and Harlem river—Unknown man; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high. Had on check apraca coat, blue flannel vest and pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, gray socks, slippers.

Unknown man, from Pier 14 North river; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on blue flannel shirt, dark pants, white socks, brogan shoes. Body about four months in water.

Unknown man, from Pier 1 North river; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair and moustache. Had on brown coat, dark pants, white knit undershirt, gaiters.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Ellen Flanagan; aged 50 years; 4 feet 6 inches high; black hair and eyes. Had on when admitted, brown calico dress, red woolen hood. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Bridget Gaffney; aged 32 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes; light brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, June 11, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING ALL THAT PART OF PIER OLD 44, NEAR THE FOOT OF CHARLTON STREET, N. R., WHICH LIES WESTERLY OF A LINE ABOUT 135 FEET WESTERLY OF THE NEW BULKHEAD LINE, AND PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER ON THE SITE OF SAID PIER OLD 44, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER NEW 36, N. R.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING A PART of Pier old 44, and for building a new wooden pier near the foot of Charlton street, N. R., 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

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 1880,

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

Any 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 his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of seventeen thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities is as follows:

1. Yellow Pine Timber—	
4" x 10".....	28,357 feet B. M., measured in the work.
4" x 12".....	1,392 "
5" plank.....	207,900 "
5" x 10".....	38,575 "
5" x 12".....	40,095 "
5" x 16".....	10,000 "
6" x 12".....	10,584 "
8" x 8".....	6,208 "
8" plank.....	560 "
10" x 10".....	141,758 "
10" x 12".....	12,650 "
12" x 12".....	219,768 "
Total.....	717,847 "
2. White Oak Timber—	
6" x 12".....	350 "
8" x 12".....	128 "
12" x 12".....	768 "
Total.....	1,396 "
3. White Oak Timber (crossed)—	
8" x 12".....	13,888 feet B. M., measured in the work.
4. Spruce Timber—	
3" x 4".....	3,072 "

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

5. Locust treenails, about.....	2,800
6. Yellow Pine or Cypress piles.....	1,278

(It is expected that the vertical piles will be from 65 to 85 feet in length, and the bracing piles from 75 to 97 feet in length, but all of them must be of sufficient length to comply with the specifications for the work, as set forth in the approved form of contract. Piles that are required to be longer than 75 feet may be spliced, as provided for in the specifications.)

7. 2", 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1", 3/4", and 3/8" wrought-iron screw-bolts and wrought-iron round washers, about.....	21,368 pounds.
8. 1" and 3/4" wrought-iron square washers for the 3/4" bolts, to be furnished by the Department of Docks, about.....	1,392 "
9. 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 18", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 9", 3/4" x 10", 3/4" x 10", 3/4" x 8", and 3/4" x 6" square, and 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 6", 3/4" x 4" round, wrought-iron spike-pointed bolts, about.....	54,124 "
10. Boiler-plate armatures, wrought-iron corner bands, column and pile shoes, about.....	8,324 "
11. Cast-iron mooring posts, about.....	3,600 "
12. Cast-iron washers for 1 1/2", 1", 3/4", and 3/8" screw-bolts, about.....	10,930 "
13. Columns of 20" x 20" section, 84 feet or more in length.....	48 "
14. Putting in place and fastening about 550 feet of oval sewer box, to be furnished by the Department of Docks.....	0 "
15. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling, or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling, or tarring, and the wedges for the treenails, etc., and labor of every description; for that part of the pier where the bays are 12' 6" span, 4,875 square feet; and for the remainder of the pier, 39,563 square feet.	

The foregoing are the quantities which have been estimated approximately for the construction of the work. They form, however, no part of the contract, and persons bidding are cautioned that neither the Department of Docks nor the Corporation of the City of New York is to be held responsible that any of them shall strictly obtain in the construction of the work, and bidders are required to examine the plans and the premises, and to judge for themselves of the quantity and of the circumstances affecting the cost of the work.

The work to be done under this contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the execution of the agreement, and the time allowed for the completion of the work is five months from July 15, 1880, or within as many days after the five months have expired as the premises may have been occupied, after said date, by the Department of Docks in dredging for the pier; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled, after the time fixed for 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 old material taken from said Pier old 44, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their proposals the price for the whole of the work to be done in conformity with the approved form of contract and specifications therein set forth, by which the bids will be tested. This price is to cover the expenses of furnishing all the necessary materials and labor and the performance of all the work set forth in the annexed agreement.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate for doing this work, in addition to inserting the same in figures. Should the lowest bidder or bidders neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if, after acceptance, he or they should refuse or neglect to execute the contract and give the proper security for forty-eight hours after notice that the same is ready for execution, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and re-let, 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 that fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person making any estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which 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, 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, 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.

COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED SESSION OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at Booth's Theatre, on Thursday, June 24, 1880, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of conferring degrees on graduates.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 10, 1880.

TO WATER-PIPE MANUFACTURERS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the name of the bidder and the title of the work indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Thursday, June 24, 1880, at 12 o'clock, M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read.

For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Public Works 75 tons of straight pipe and 75 tons of branches and special castings.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 11½ City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 10, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Thursday, June 24, 1880, at 12 o'clock, M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. LAYING CROTON WATER-MAINS in Elm street, between Reade and Spring streets, and in Washington street, between Canal street and Battery place.

No. 2. LAYING CROTON WATER-MAINS in Riverdale avenue and Dodge's lane, Riverdale District, Twenty-fourth Ward.

No. 3. REGULATING AND GRADING One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications, and agreements, the proper envelopes, in which to enclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained on application at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 11½ City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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 I. GORMAN, Treasurer,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
CARL JUSSEN, Secretary,
Commissioners.

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 SHELLS,
JOHN McCLAVE,
HENRY HAFEN,
BERNARD KENNEY,
Committee on Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June 17, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Steamboat "Seneca," the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Thursday, July 1, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the foot of East Seventeenth street, East river.

By order of the Board,
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June 12, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT fourteen horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, on Friday, June 25, 1880, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the Stables of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, foot of East Seventeenth street, East river.

By order of the Board,
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, June 12, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Scow No. 7, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Friday, June 25, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the foot of East Seventeenth street, East river, by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers.

By order of the Board,
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM NO. 39,
NEW YORK, June 3, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, dresses, trunks, bags, etc., tea, coffee, flour, watches, blankets; also small amount of cash taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

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 and District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

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

THE CITY RECORD

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

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty 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 Commonalty 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 Commonalty 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 Commonalty 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 Commonalty 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 six 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 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 Commonalty 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 C. SEAVER,
HENDERSON MOORE,
Commissioners.

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, 35, 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 possessing 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.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

ARREARS OF TAXES.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

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

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

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

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

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

CHAPTER 123.
AN ACT in relation to arrears of taxes in the City of New York, and to provide for the reissuing of revenue bonds in anticipation of such taxes.

Passed April 15, 1880; three-fifths being present.
The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

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

in the years eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and eighteen hundred and seventy-nine shall extend to the first day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-one. The comptroller shall make and deliver to the person making any such payment a receipt therefor, and shall forthwith cancel the record of any such tax on the books of the finance department; and upon such payment being made such tax shall cease to be a lien upon the property and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged, and there shall be no right to any further interest or penalty by reason of such tax not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute passed requiring the payment heretofore of any penalty or interest over seven per centum per annum upon any unpaid tax.

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

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 16, ENTERED APRIL 24, 1880.

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

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

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

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

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

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

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 11, 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 tax 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 1877, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantees, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00
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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.