

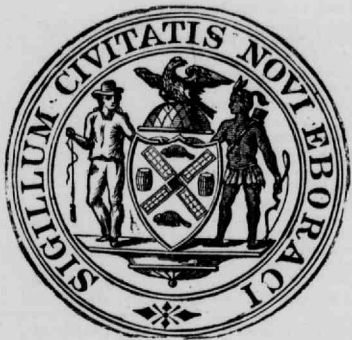
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, June 25, 1882.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending June 17, 1882:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

| | |
|--|-------------|
| For Croton water rents..... | \$54,229 82 |
| For penalties on Croton water rents..... | 73 95 |
| For tapping Croton pipes..... | 276 50 |
| For sewer permits..... | 465 40 |
| For vault permits..... | 286 95 |
| For removing obstructions..... | 9 50 |
| For restoring and repaving—"Special Fund"..... | 724 00 |
| Total..... | \$56,066 12 |

Obstructions Removed.

Lumber, from Delancey street, near Tompkins street.
Stand, from northwest corner Bowery and Broome street.
Banner, from Broadway and Bleecker street.
Banner, from Broadway and Thirteenth street.
Wagon and Truck, from Great Jones street, near Bowery.
Boxes, southeast corner Allen and Rivington street.
Canvas Curtain, from 375 Grand street.
Furniture, from 412 and 414 Second avenue.
Refrigerators, from 58 Third avenue.
Coal Box, from 348 West Thirty-seventh street.
Sign and Post, from 309 East Eighty-sixth street.
Sign and Post, from southeast corner Second avenue and Sixty-seventh street.
Bill Boards, from 388 Seventh avenue.
Bill Boards, from northwest corner Second avenue and Fifty-second street.
Sign, from 343 Sixth avenue.
Canvas Curtain, from 751 Third avenue.
Load of Bricks, from northeast corner Third avenue and Fourteenth street.
Stand, from 16 Prince street.
Ice Box, from 211 Elizabeth street.
Hardware Goods, from southwest corner Third avenue and Seventy-ninth street.
Bill Boards, from 94 Seventh avenue.
Stand, from northwest corner Third avenue and Thirty-sixth street.
Furniture, from 522 West Thirtieth street.
Furniture, from south side One Hundred and Sixth street, between Second and Third avenues.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

48 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
350 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
8 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
12 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
8 receiving-basins repaired.
6 new basin-heads and covers put on.
24 manholes repaired.
18 manhole-heads reset.
6 new manhole-heads and covers put on.
11 new manhole-covers put on.
14 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
115 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Repairs to Pavements.

In Washington street, between Gansevoort and Little Twelfth streets.
In Grove street, between Waverley place and Fourth street.
In Cortlandt alley, between White and Canal streets.
In Canal street, corner East Broadway.
In Houston street, between Bedford and Varick streets.
In Great Jones street, between Bowery and Broadway.
Elm street, between Broome and Grand streets.
In Little Twelfth street, between Gansevoort and Washington streets.
In Elizabeth street, between Hester and Grand streets.
In Thirty-fifth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.
In Broadway, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets.
In Fifth avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets.
In Twenty-seventh street West, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
In Twentieth street West, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
In Fifth avenue, between Thirty-first and Thirty-second streets.
Opposite No. 161 Seventh avenue.
In Broadway, corner Twenty-second street.
In Sixth avenue, between Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth streets.
Opposite No. 38 West Thirty-eighth street.
In Fifth avenue, corner of Twenty-sixth street.
Opposite Nos. 17 and 19 West Twenty-sixth street.
In Cherry street, from Oliver to Catharine street.
In Peck Slip, from Pearl to Water streets.
In New Chambers street, from North William to Rose street.
In South street, from Beekman to Peck Slip.
In Lewis street, from Broome to Delancey street.
In Rutgers Slip and South street.
In First street, between First and A avenues.
In First street, between Avenue A and Norfolk street.
In Avenue A, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets.
Opposite No. 108 East Fourteenth street.
In Fifth street, between Avenue D and Lewis street.
In Rivington street, between Clinton and Sheriff streets.
In Crosby street, between Jersey and Prince streets.
In Chrystie street, between Rivington and Delancey streets.

In Fourth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.
In Forty-eighth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.
In Fifty-sixth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.
In Forty-seventh street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.
In Lexington avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-sixth streets.
In Seventy-third street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.
In Fifth avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets.
In Sixty-first street, between First and Second avenues.
In Eighty-sixth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.
In First avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending June 17, 1882, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

| DATE. | TIME. | Thermometer. | Barometer. | GAS COMPANY. | BURNER. | Pressure as Delivered to Burner. | Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour. | Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour. | ILLUMINATING POWER. | |
|---------|-----------|--------------|------------|--------------|----------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| | | | | | | | | | Observed. | Corrected. |
| June 12 | 5:30 P.M. | 78. | 30.26 | Manhattan | Empire 5 ft..... | .92 | CU. FT. 5.00 | 126.0 | 16.00 | 16.80 |
| " 13 | 5 P.M. | 80. | 30.27 | " | " | .87 | 5.00 | 120.6 | 16.28 | 16.36 |
| " 14 | 4 P.M. | 81. | 30.17 | " | " | .82 | 5.00 | 126.0 | 16.36 | 17.18 |
| " 15 | 5:30 P.M. | 81. | 29.75 | " | " | .81 | 5.00 | 117.6 | 17.40 | 17.05 |
| " 16 | 4 P.M. | 84. | 29.79 | " | " | .82 | 5.00 | 118.2 | 17.62 | 17.35 |
| " 17 | 9 A.M. | 83. | 29.79 | " | " | .82 | 5.00 | 120.0 | 17.51 | 17.51 |
| | | | | | | | | | Average. | 17.04 |
| June 12 | 8 P.M. | 79. | 30.25 | Harlem | " | .93 | 5.00 | 118.8 | 20.24 | 20.04 |
| " 13 | 8 P.M. | 78. | 30.27 | " | " | .91 | 5.00 | 120.0 | 19.20 | 19.20 |
| " 14 | 6 P.M. | 77. | 30.09 | " | " | .90 | 5.00 | 126.0 | 17.82 | 18.71 |
| " 15 | 8 P.M. | 82. | 29.75 | " | " | .90 | 5.00 | 121.2 | 18.80 | 18.99 |
| " 16 | 5 P.M. | 80. | 29.77 | " | " | .92 | 5.00 | 120.0 | 20.50 | 20.50 |
| " 17 | 7:30 A.M. | 81. | 29.78 | " | " | .91 | 5.00 | 123.0 | 19.04 | 19.52 |
| | | | | | | | | | Average. | 19.49 |
| June 12 | 3:30 P.M. | 78. | 30.26 | New York | Bray's Slit Union, 7 | .95 | 5.00 | 123.0 | 19.34 | 19.82 |
| " 13 | 3:30 P.M. | 79. | 30.27 | " | " | .96 | 5.00 | 125.4 | 24.52 | 25.62 |
| " 14 | 2 P.M. | 80. | 30.17 | " | " | .94 | 5.00 | 123.0 | 20.24 | 20.74 |
| " 15 | 4 P.M. | 80. | 29.75 | " | " | .94 | 5.00 | 118.8 | 21.78 | 21.56 |
| " 16 | 3 P.M. | 84. | 29.79 | " | " | .93 | 5.00 | 122.4 | 21.86 | 22.30 |
| " 17 | 9:30 A.M. | 83. | 29.79 | " | " | .93 | 5.00 | 126.0 | 21.70 | 22.78 |
| | | | | | | | | | Average. | 22.13 |
| June 12 | 5 P.M. | 78. | 30.26 | N. Y. Mutual | " | 1.03 | 5.00 | 117.0 | 28.30 | 27.59 |
| " 13 | 3 P.M. | 79. | 30.27 | " | " | 1.05 | 5.00 | 125.4 | 26.04 | 27.21 |
| " 14 | 3 P.M. | 81. | 30.17 | " | " | 1.02 | 5.00 | 126.0 | 25.92 | 27.21 |
| " 15 | 5 P.M. | 80. | 29.75 | " | " | 1.00 | 5.00 | 117.6 | 28.18 | 27.61 |
| " 16 | 3:30 P.M. | 84. | 29.79 | " | " | .98 | 5.00 | 118.8 | 29.38 | 29.08 |
| " 17 | 8:30 A.M. | 82. | 29.79 | " | " | 1.00 | 5.00 | 120.0 | 28.23 | 28.23 |
| | | | | | | | | | Average. | 27.82 |
| June 12 | 3 P.M. | 77. | 30.26 | Municipal | " | .94 | 5.00 | 115.2 | 29.66 | 28.47 |
| " 13 | 4 P.M. | 80. | 30.27 | " | " | .95 | 5.00 | 116.4 | 29.66 | 28.77 |
| " 14 | 1:30 P.M. | 80. | 30.17 | " | " | .94 | 5.00 | 123.6 | 27.02 | 27.83 |
| " 15 | 4:30 P.M. | 80. | 29.75 | " | " | .93 | 5.00 | 121.8 | 26.38 | 26.77 |
| " 16 | 2:30 P.M. | 83. | 29.79 | " | " | .93 | 5.00 | 118.2 | 28.30 | 27.87 |
| " 17 | 10 A.M. | 85. | 29.79 | " | " | .93 | 5.00 | 121.8 | 27.64 | 28.05 |
| | | | | | | | | | Average. | 27.96 |
| June 12 | 7:30 P.M. | 77. | 30.26 | Metropolitan | " No. 6 | .70 | 5.00 | 123.0 | 23.54 | 24.13 |
| " 13 | 8:30 P.M. | 79. | 30.27 | " | " | .70 | 5.00 | 121.2 | 23.44 | 23.67 |
| " 14 | 6:30 P.M. | 79. | 30.09 | " | " | .70 | 5.00 | 120.0 | 23.52 | 23.52 |
| " 15 | 7:30 P.M. | 80. | 29.75 | " | " | .70 | 5.00 | 122.4 | 23.42 | 23.89 |
| " 16 | 5:30 P.M. | 84. | 29.77 | " | " | .70 | 5.00 | 119.4 | 22.88 | 22.76 |
| " 17 | 7 A.M. | 80. | 29.78 | " | " | .70 | 5.00 | 120.0 | 23.10 | 23.10 |
| | | | | | | | | | Average. | 23.51 |
| " 15 | 10 A.M. | ..... | ..... | Yonkers | " | ..... | 4.98 | 114.0 | 24.40 | 23.27 |

E. G. LOVE, PH. D., Gas Examiner.

Public Lamps.

2 new lamps lighted.
2 old lamps relighted.
2 old lamps discontinued.
2 lamp-posts removed.
4 lamp-posts reset.
37 lamp-posts straightened.
3 columns refitted.
27 columns released.

Permits Issued.

72 permits to tap Croton pipes.
120 permits to open streets.
27 permits to make sewer connections.
23 permits to repair sewer connections.
2 permits to construct street vaults.
165 permits to place building material on streets.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending June 17, 1882.

| NATURE OF WORK. | MECHANICS. | LABORERS. | TEAMS. | CARTS. |
|--|------------|-----------|--------|--------|
| Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs..... | 42 | 230 | 34 | 3 |
| In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street..... | 2 | 16 | .. | .. |
| Laying and repairing pipes, etc..... | 8 | 60 | .. | 9 |
| Repairing pavements..... | 136 | 297 | .. | 80 |
| Repairing and cleaning sewers..... | 3 | 31 | .. | 15 |
| Maintenance and construction of boulevards and aves..... | 2 | 39 | 7 | 2 |
| Repairing streets..... | .. | 14 | 6 | 1 |
| Total..... | 193 | 687 | 47 | 110 |
| Increase over previous week..... | 38 | .. | .. | .. |
| Decrease from previous week..... | .. | 34 | .. | 1 |

Appointments.

C. Havican, Inspector of Paving.

Transfers—from Inspectors of Waste Water to Inspectors Regulating, Grading, etc.

Thomas Quigley.
Stephen Markham.
William F. Knox.
William Turner.

Suspended on Completion of Contract.

Edward Kelly, Inspector of Sewers.
Edward Roach, Inspector of Sewers.
Matthew Stripp, Inspector of Regulating, Grading, etc.

Removed on account of Reduction of Force.

P. M. Cormick, Inspector of Waste Water.
J. Sherlock, Inspector of Waste Water.
D. Waitzfelder, Inspector of Waste Water.
E. Mullen, Jr., Inspector of Waste Water.
P. McMahon, Inspector of Waste Water.
Thomas McGee, Inspector of Waste Water.
J. Quinlan, Inspector of Waste Water.
E. H. Graeme, Inspector of Waste Water.
John Farrell, Inspector of Waste Water.
Thomas Egan, Inspector of Waste Water.
Jer. Halloran, Inspector of Waste Water.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$100,425.54.

FRED. H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 5, 1882.

Monthly statement of warrants drawn against the City Treasury, January 1 to June 30, 1882, together with a comparative statement of the City Debt as represented in Stocks and Bonds, as of December 31, 1881, and June 30, 1882, and also a statement of and for what purposes Stocks have been issued.

Warrants Drawn.

| PAYABLE FROM TAXATION. | TO MAY 31. | IN JUNE. |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| State Taxes..... | \$1,203,262 36 | \$400,000 00 |
| Salaries, Supplies, and General Expenses of the City Government..... | 5,147,754 47 | 1,681,698 60 |
| Interest on the City Debt..... | 3,709,352 30 | 294,067 86 |
| Redemption of the City Debt (Annexed Territory of Westchester County)..... | 40,000 00 | .. |
| Public Instruction..... | 1,327,866 71 | 745,041 46 |
| Charitable Institutions..... | 422,888 89 | 76,200 37 |
| Election Expenses..... | 5,042 20 | 1,050 00 |
| Judgments..... | 81,710 64 | 12,376 62 |
| Street Cleaning..... | 449,248 04 | 85,480 03 |
| Miscellaneous..... | 97,035 91 | 10,789 54 |
| Total payable from Taxation..... | \$12,484,161 52 | \$3,307,704 57 |
| PAYABLE FROM PROCEEDS OF BONDS. | | |
| Public Works—Street Openings and Improvements..... | \$1,094,083 52 | \$137,005 32 |
| Croton Water Works..... | 375,666 02 | 91,088 77 |
| City Parks Improvements..... | 7,518 12 | 250 00 |
| Docks and Slips..... | 381,310 42 | 73,296 99 |
| Bridge over Harlem River..... | 40,249 52 | 1,029 97 |
| New York County Court-house..... | 282 14 | .. |
| Assessment Commission, Expenses of..... | 8,929 81 | 416 66 |
| Awards..... | 126,262 82 | 24,746 83 |
| Commission for Revision of Special and Local Laws..... | 71 51 | .. |
| Forty-second Street Reservoir—Removal of Pipes..... | 2,930 13 | .. |
| Expense of Proceedings against Certain Public Officers in the City of New York.. | 15,934 40 | .. |
| Real Estate for Fire Department..... | 40,000 00 | 750 00 |
| Water-meter Fund..... | 2,185 07 | .. |
| Total payable from proceeds of Bonds..... | \$2,095,429 08 | \$329,284 54 |
| SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS. | | |
| Redemption of the City Debt (Revenue Bonds)..... | \$3,001,700 00 | \$1,130,000 00 |
| Miscellaneous..... | 476,861 73 | 19,217 38 |
| Total payable from Trust Accounts..... | \$3,478,561 73 | \$1,149,217 38 |
| SUMMARY. | | |
| Amount of warrants drawn in June..... | \$4,786,106 49 | .. |
| Add amount previously drawn in 1882..... | 18,058,152 39 | .. |
| Total warrants drawn in 1882 to date..... | .. | \$22,844,258 88 |

Stocks and Bonds have been issued for the following purposes:

| | |
|--|-----------------|
| For Public Works—Street Openings and Improvements..... | \$953,500 00 |
| For Public Works—Croton Water Purposes..... | 465,000 00 |
| For Bridge over Harlem River..... | 39,000 00 |
| For Fire Department (Real Estate)..... | 40,750 00 |
| For Docks and Slips..... | 427,000 00 |
| For New York County Court-house..... | 1,000 00 |
| For Assessment Commission, Expenses of..... | 9,000 00 |
| For Assessment Commission, Awards..... | 151,000 00 |
| For City Parks Improvements..... | 7,000 00 |
| For Forty-second Street Reservoir—Removal of Pipes..... | 2,500 00 |
| For Expense of Proceedings against Certain Public Officers in the City of New York.. | 15,934 40 |
| For Current Expenses—Revenue Bonds..... | 12,154,100 00 |
| Total..... | \$14,265,784 40 |

The City Debt, as represented in Stocks and Bonds, June 30, 1882.

| CLASSIFICATION OF DEBT. | DECEMBER 31, 1881. | MAY 31, 1882. | JUNE 30, 1882. |
|--|--------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Net Funded Debt..... | \$98,290,206 17 | \$97,572,052 01 | \$97,656,818 38 |
| Revenue Bonds issued in anticipation of Taxes..... | \$4,328,095 00 | \$12,266,729 40 | \$13,971,729 40 |
| Funded Debt. | | | |
| 1. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under ordinances of the Common Council..... | \$16,319,943 47 | \$16,319,943 47 | \$16,319,943 47 |
| 2. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of section 6, chapter 383, Laws of 1878..... | 9,700,000 00 | 9,700,000 00 | 9,700,000 00 |
| 3. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of section 8, chapter 383, Laws of 1878..... | 6,232,443 71 | 7,397,943 71 | 7,533,693 71 |
| 4. Bonds payable from Taxation, under the several statutes authorizing their issue..... | 91,556,519 89 | 91,164,570 41 | 91,160,570 41 |
| 5. Assessment Bonds issued for local improvements prior to June 3, 1878, the date of the passage of chapter 383, Laws of 1878..... | 6,816,600 00 | 6,945,600 00 | 6,967,600 00 |
| 6. Assessment Bonds issued for local improvements after June 3, 1878, for works authorized or contracted for prior thereto..... | 1,409,000 00 | 1,409,000 00 | 1,409,000 00 |
| 7. Assessment Bonds issued for local improvements contracted for or commenced after June 3, 1878..... | 475,500 00 | 475,500 00 | 475,500 00 |
| 8. Assessment Bonds issued for local improvements after June 9, 1880..... | 975,000 00 | 1,490,000 00 | 1,600,000 00 |
| 9. Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County..... | 915,500 00 | 876,500 00 | 875,500 00 |
| Total Funded Debt..... | \$134,400,507 07 | \$135,779,057 59 | \$136,041,807 59 |
| Deduct amount in Sinking Fund for Redemption of Debt (investments and cash)..... | 36,110,300 90 | 38,207,005 58 | 38,384,989 21 |
| Net Funded Debt..... | \$98,290,206 17 | \$97,572,052 01 | \$97,656,818 38 |
| Revenue Bonds— | | | |
| Issued under Special Laws..... | \$14,195 00 | \$41,629 40 | \$42,629 40 |
| " in anticipation of Taxes of 1880..... | 400,000 00 | 400,000 00 | 200,000 00 |
| " " " 1881..... | 3,913,900 00 | 2,005,000 00 | 1,575,000 00 |
| " " " 1882..... | 9,820,100 00 | 9,820,100 00 | 12,154,100 00 |
| Total Revenue Bonds..... | \$4,328,095 00 | \$12,266,729 40 | \$13,971,729 40 |
| Cash— | | | |
| City Treasury Account..... | .. | .. | \$643,129 62 |
| Sinking Fund—Redemption..... | .. | \$243,952 22 | .. |
| Interest..... | .. | 653,808 01 | .. |
| Total..... | .. | .. | \$897,760 23 |
| Total..... | .. | .. | \$1,542,889 85 |

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, NEW YORK, July 1, 1882.

LAWS OF NEW YORK, 1882.

CHAPTER 244.

AN ACT to in sure and increase the supply and disposition of wholesome fresh fish in the city of New York, and to regulate the use of piers number twenty-two and twenty-three East river.

Passed May 23, 1882.

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

Section 1. The slip and part of the waters adjacent to the wharves of the city of New York from the center of pier number twenty-two to and including the center of pier number twenty-three for the whole distance of said piers in length from the bulkhead of said slip on South street, together with said bulkhead, are hereby set apart, until May first, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, and shall hereafter be appropriated during said period for the exclusive purpose of fresh fish commerce, and the use of vessels engaged in such business, and such person or persons as now lease, or may hereafter lease, the same from the mayor, aldermen and commonalty of such city shall be authorized to erect and maintain, and enter thereon such improved structures, appliances, inventions and vessels as may be necessary and proper to preserve fresh food fish for supply of the public, and for the more convenient disposition and care of the same. The plans for such structures or improvement shall be first submitted to the board governing the department of docks for their approval and the same shall not be erected or proceeded with unless approved by said board.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the captain of the port of New York, and of the harbor-master thereof, and of all officers who now are or hereafter shall be empowered by law, or by any ordinance of the city of New York, to regulate or station ships or vessels in the harbor of said city, to prohibit and prevent during the time specified in the first section of this act all boats, barges, ships and vessels not engaged in fish commerce from entering or lying in said slip, or at the end of said piers, and to remove therefrom, on request of said lessees, or any of them, or their agent or agents, any vessel not engaged in said fresh fish commerce.

Sec. 3. The neglect or refusal of the said captain of the port or harbor-master or other said officer to comply with such request, or the neglect or refusal of the person or persons in charge of the said prohibited vessel or vessels to immediately remove therefrom on request, shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and shall, in addition thereto, render the person or persons and officer neglecting or refusing jointly and severally liable to a penalty of one hundred dollars for each offense, to be recovered by a civil action brought by said lessee or lessees or their authorized agent, in any court of competent jurisdiction.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 259.

AN ACT to provide for additional ferry slips and facilities in New York city for the ferries operated and running between Whitehall street in the city of New York and the city of Brooklyn.

Passed June 1, 1882; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. The pier known and designated as pier number two in the East river, in the city of New York, and the land under water lying easterly of said pier to the westerly side of pier number three, shall after the fifteenth day of June, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, be devoted and set apart for the purposes of additional ferry slip accommodation, for the ferries operated and running between Whitehall street, in the city of New York, and Atlantic avenue in the city of Brooklyn, known as the Union Ferry Company.

Sec. 2. Before using the said pier number two, or the waters easterly thereof to pier number three the lessees of the aforesaid ferries are hereby authorized and required to purchase or acquire the right to use the said pier number two and the land under water described in the first section of this act, provided they can agree with the owner or owners, and lessee or lessees on the price to be paid therefor. And should the lessees of said ferries be unable, within sixty days after the passage of this act, to agree with the said owner or owners; and lessee or lessees, for the purchase of or the right to use the aforesaid pier and land under water, they shall acquire title to the same in the manner and by the proceedings provided by law for acquiring title to lands for railroad use by railroad corporations, so far as the same are applicable thereto; except that in any of the proceedings authorized by this section, it shall not be necessary that the petition to the supreme court shall make any allegations of, or any reference to, any incorporation or capital stock, nor to any surveys or maps further than to describe the property proposed to be taken, nor of the filing of any certificate of location. Provided that nothing in this section shall authorize the Union Ferry Company to acquire the fee of any property now owned by the city of New York.

Sec. 3. The property herein authorized and directed to be acquired for the purposes of additional ferry slip accommodations shall, after the title thereto is acquired in accordance with the provisions of this act, be thereafter fitted for, devoted to and used exclusively for said purposes, and shall be taken and paid for by any future lessees of said ferry in the same manner that other property owned by the previous lessees is or has to be paid for on a change of lessees of said ferry.

Sec. 4. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed, so far as they are in conflict therewith.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending June 24, 1882.

Barometer.

| DATE. | 7 A. M. | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Mean for the Day. | MAXIMUM. | MINIMUM. |
|---------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------|
| JUNE. | Reduced to Freezing. | Reduced to Freezing. | Reduced to Freezing. | Reduced to Freezing. | Reduced to Freezing. | Time. |
| Sunday, 18 | 29.538 | 29.528 | 29.576 | 29.547 | 29.578 | 12 P. M. |
| Monday, 19 | 29.568 | 29.588 | 29.612 | 29.589 | 29.654 | 12 P. M. |
| Tuesday, 20 | 29.810 | 29.890 | 29.942 | 29.881 | 29.986 | 12 P. M. |
| Wednesday, 21 | 30.038 | 29.996 | 29.988 | 30.007 | 30.038 | 7 A. M. |
| Thursday, 22 | 30.052 | 30.042 | 30.010 | 30.035 | 30.076 | 10 A. M. |
| Friday, 23 | 30.022 | 29.988 | 29.938 | 29.983 | 30.022 | 7 A. M. |
| Saturday, 24 | 29.918 | 29.878 | 29.808 | 29.868 | 29.938 | 0 A. M. |

Mean for the week..... 29.844 inches.
Maximum " at 10 A. M., June 22..... 30.076 "
Minimum " at 1 P. M., June 19..... 29.500 "
Range "576 "

Thermometers.

| DATE. | 7 A. M. | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | MEAN. | MAXIMUM. | MINIMUM. | MAXIMUM. |
|---------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|
| JUNE. | Dry Bulb. | Wet Bulb. | Dry Bulb. | Wet Bulb. | Dry Bulb. | Wet Bulb. | In Sun. |
| Sunday, 18 | 66 | 65 | 76 | 71 | 75 | 72.3 | 84 |
| Monday, 19 | 75 | 70 | 69 | 69 | 69 | 71.0 | 84 |
| Tuesday, 20 | 61 | 56 | 70 | 60 | 65 | 65.3 | 72 |
| Wednesday, 21 | 61 | 57 | 71 | 60 | 70 | 67.3 | 75 |
| Thursday, 22 | 65 | 58 | 78 | 64 | 74 | 72.3 | 82 |
| Friday, 23 | 72 | 67 | 82 | 73 | 78 | 72.7 | 84 |
| Saturday, 24 | 74 | 70 | 89 | 79 | 80 | 81.0 | 89 |

Mean for the week..... 72.3 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 24th..... 89. " at 4 P. M., 24th..... 80. "
Minimum " " at 5 A. M., 21st..... 58. " at 5 A. M., 21st..... 55. "
Range " " 31. " 25. "

Wind.

| DATE. | | DIRECTION. | | | VELOCITY IN MILES. | | | | FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT | | | | | |
|------------|--------|------------|---------|---------|--------------------|---------|---------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|---------|---------|------|------------|--|
| JUNE. | | 7 A. M. | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | 7 A. M. | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Distance for the Day. | 7 A. M. | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Max. | Time. | |
| Sunday, | 18... | ESE | WNW | E | 57 | 35 | 27 | 119 | 0 | ¼ | 0 | 1½ | 1.15 P. M. | |
| Monday, | 19 ... | ESE | NNW | WNW | 15 | 54 | 48 | 117 | ¼ | 1¼ | ¼ | 16 | 1.30 P. M. | |
| Tuesday, | 20.... | NNW | NW | WNW | 101 | 77 | 63 | 241 | ¾ | ½ | 0 | 5½ | 1 A. M. | |
| Wednesday, | 21.... | WNW | WNW | NW | 29 | 37 | 48 | 114 | 0 | ¾ | 0 | 1½ | 11 A. M. | |
| Thursday, | 22 ... | NW | W | S | 40 | 25 | 42 | 107 | 0 | ¼ | 0 | 1 | 5.30 P. M. | |
| Friday, | 23 ... | SW | S | SSW | 42 | 46 | 67 | 135 | 0 | 1¼ | 1¼ | 2¾ | 3 P. M. | |
| Saturday, | 24.... | WSW | SSE | SSE | 84 | 49 | 31 | 164 | ¼ | 1¼ | 0 | 1½ | 1.15 P. M. | |

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,017 miles.
Maximum force " " 16 pounds.

| DATE. | Hygrometer. | | | | | | Clouds. | | | Rain and Snow. | | | | |
|---------------|-----------------|---------|---------|--------------------|---------|---------|----------------------------|------------|------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|
| | FORCE OF VAPOR. | | | RELATIVE HUMIDITY. | | | CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10. | | | DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES. | | | | |
| | 7 A. M. | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | 7 A. M. | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | 7 A. M. | 2 P. M. | 9 P. M. | Time of Beginning. | Time of Ending. | Duration. H. M. | Amount of Water. | Depth of Snow. |
| Sunday, 18 | .604 | .691 | .704 | 94 | 77 | 81 | 10 | 3 Cir. Cu. | 0 | 4 A. M. | 7 A. M. | 3.00 | .12 | .. |
| Monday, 19 | .666 | .708 | .635 | 77 | 100 | 89 | 3 Cir. Cu. S | 10 | 0 | { 1.30 P. M. 9.10 P. M. | 5.10 P. M. 11 P. M. | 3.40 1.50 | .72 .08 | .. |
| Tuesday, 20 | .383 | .385 | .420 | 71 | 52 | 68 | 2 Cir. Cu. | 2 Cir. | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .. |
| Wednesday, 21 | .412 | .371 | .482 | 77 | 49 | 66 | 8 Cu. | 1 Cir. | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .. |
| Thursday, 22 | .389 | .409 | .497 | 63 | 42 | 59 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .. |
| Friday, 23 | .595 | .690 | .704 | 76 | 63 | 73 | 2 Cir. | 2 Cir. | 6 Cir. Cu. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .. |
| Saturday, 24 | .679 | .855 | .800 | 81 | 62 | 78 | 3 Cir. Cu. | 4 Cir. Cu. | 3 Cir. Cu. | ..... | ..... | ..... | ..... | .. |

Total amount of water for the week..... .92 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Appointment by the Mayor.

July 1, 1882—John F. Cross, clerk in the Mayor's office, in place of Thomas B. Jones, removed.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.

Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13 1/2 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
HENRY WOLTMAN, Register.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM SAUER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMBLY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOS. J. O'CONNELL, Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEESE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

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

Attorney to Department.

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

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN McCABE, Chief of Battalion-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

No. 199 Chrystie street.
DEDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD P. BARKEE, 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.
146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM LAIMBEER, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; J. C. REED, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

No.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

51 Chambers street, Rooms 10, 11 and 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; CHAS. S. BEARDSLEY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOHN McKON, District Attorney; HUGH DONNELLY, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
 No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays on which days 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.
 THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street.
 PHILIP MERKLE, THOMAS C. KNOX, GERSON N. HERRMAN, JOHN H. BRADY, Coroners; JOHN D. COUGHLIN, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

SUPREME COURT.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II.
 FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, Presiding Judge of the General Sessions; HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.
 Terms first Monday each month.
 JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Room No. 15, City Hall.
 Trial Term, Parts I., II., and III., second floor, City Hall.
 Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall.
 GEORGE SHEA, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Clerk.

JOYER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 13, 10:30 A. M.
 Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.
 Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.
 Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards, Sixth avenue, corner West Tenth street.
 GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.
 Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Nos. 20 and 22 Second avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.
 Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
 JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.
 Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.
 WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.
 Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.
 AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.
 Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue.
 FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.
 Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
 HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.
 Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of College avenue and Kingsbridge road.
 JAMES R. ANGEL, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—BUTLER H. BIXBY, MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBRETH, BANKSON T. MORGAN, HENRY MURRAY, MARCUS OTTERBOURG, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, HUGH GARDINER, GEORGE W. CREIGIER, Secretary.

Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

First District—Tombs, Centre street.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
 NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
 NEW YORK, Sept. 15, 1881.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 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 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.

GEORGE CAULFIELD,
 Commissioner of Jurors,
 Room 17, New County Court-house.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
 300 MULBERRY STREET,
 NEW YORK, June 28, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A horse, the property of this department, will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, Jan. 11, 1882, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Lassel & Kearney, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR MAKING ALTERATIONS and repairs to the Eleventh Precinct Station-house on Houston street, in the City of New York, known as the "Union Market" building, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York until 10 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 7th day of July, 1882.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for making alterations and repairs to the Eleventh Precinct Station-house," and with his or her 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 estimate received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings, and form of agreement.

No 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 entire work is to be completed within four months from the date of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security, for the performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of twelve thousand dollars.

Each 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; also 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 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, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon 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, and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

No estimate for a sum in excess of six thousand dollars can be considered. Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board,

S. C. HAWLEY,
 Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, June 22, 1882.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
 OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 39),
 No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
 NEW YORK, June 14, 1882.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, lead, iron, furniture, boots, shoes, male and female clothing, watches, diamond ear-rings, locket, revolvers, silverware, jute, pearl fan, trunks and contents, bags and contents; also several lots of cash found and taken from prisoners by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
 Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
 NOS. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
 NEW YORK, April 22, 1882.

RULES AND REGULATIONS ESTABLISHED for the government and proper care of piers, bulkheads, slips, and other wharf property, under the provisions of subdivision 7 of section 6 of chapter 574 of the Laws of 1871, by the Board of the Department of Docks, and published, to take effect on and after

MAY 1, 1882.

The said subdivision 7, among other things, provides as follows:

"The violation of or disobedience to any rule, regulation, or order of said Board shall be a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, on complaint of said Board."

And every person guilty of a violation of or disobedience to any of the following rules or regulations, in addition to the penalties thereby fixed and imposed, to be recovered in civil actions, is liable to be prosecuted for a misdemeanor and to be punished by such fine and imprisonment, or by both.

No. 1.—No piles shall be driven, nor shall any platform be erected, nor shall any filling-in of any kind be made on any part of the water-front of the city, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the Board, under a penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars, for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee, or occupant of any pier or bulkhead, or of any water-front property or right, who shall cause or permit any such work to be done upon his premises before such permit therefor has been obtained, and under the further penalty of fifty dollars for each and every day which shall elapse before any piles so driven, or platform so erected, or material so filled in, or such work so done, shall be removed, after the expiration of the time which may be allowed for such removal, by a notice served upon such owner, lessee, or occupant, by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district, to be also recovered from such owner, lessee, or occupant.

No. 2.—No shed, building, office, tally-house, or other structure shall be erected, nor shall any derrick, hoisting-mast, coal-hopper, sign, or advertising device, or other erection or obstruction of any kind be placed or maintained upon any pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, nor upon any reclaimed land, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the Board; and if the owner, lessee, or occupant of any such premises, or the owner, lessee, or agent, of any such structure, erections, or obstructions, shall fail to comply with a notice served by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district to remove any such structure, erection, or obstruction, after the expiration of the time allowed by such notice for the removal, such owner, lessee, occupant or agent, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day, which shall elapse before any such structure, erection or obstruction, shall be removed, after the expiration of the time for the removal thereof specified in said notice.

No. 3.—No cargo shall be discharged from any vessel upon any bulkhead or wharf structure, at which such vessel is being unladen, after service by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district, upon the owner, consignee, master, or other officer, or stevedore, of such vessel, of a notice that such bulkhead or structure will be endangered by the placing of additional cargo thereon, under a penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars for every such offense, and a further penalty equal in amount to the damages of every description which shall be caused by the further discharging of cargo upon such bulkhead or wharf structure, after the service of the said notice, both of such penalties to be recovered from such owner, consignee, master or other officer or stevedore, severally and respectively.

No. 4.—All goods, merchandise, and materials of every kind, landed or placed on any pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, or upon reclaimed land, must be removed therefrom without unnecessary delay, and within twenty-four hours after the Corporation Wharfinger for the district shall have served upon the owner, shipper, or consignee, of such cargo, a notice to remove the same, under a penalty of fifty dollars per day for each and

every day, during which any part of said cargo shall remain upon such pier, bulkhead, structure, or land, after the expiration of the said twenty-four hours, to be recovered from such owner, shipper, or consignee, severally and respectively.

No. 5.—All goods, merchandise and materials of every kind encumbering any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, or reclaimed land, after the time designated for the removal thereof shall have expired, will be liable to be removed by the Board to any warehouse or yard, at the sole risk and expense of the owner of any such property, and all expense incurred for such removal and storage or otherwise, shall be and become a lien thereon, and such goods, merchandise and materials will not be delivered to the owner until the expense of such removal and storage has been paid.

No. 6.—No person shall construct or maintain any engine-house, tally-house, or other small structure, under a permit of the Board, on any unshaded pier, or other wharf structure, unless the same be placed on wheels so as to admit of easy removal thereupon when required, and to prevent the accumulation of dirt or refuse thereunder, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day which may elapse before the discontinuance of such offense.

No. 7.—No vessel of any kind shall be loaded or discharged by horse power, nor shall stones or similar cargo be discharged from any vessel, upon any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, unless proper planking be provided to protect the surface of such pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure from injury consequent upon the travel of the horse, or the throwing of the stones or similar cargo thereupon, under a penalty of five dollars a day for each horse so employed, and of twenty-five dollars for each offense of discharging such stones or like cargo, upon such pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, to be recovered from the owner, consignee, master or stevedore of any such vessel, severally and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered for using horses, or for discharging stones or similar cargo, upon wharf property belonging to the Corporation, under lease, it shall be paid to the lessee thereof, but if such penalty be recovered for using horses, or discharging stones or similar cargo, upon wharf property not owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

No. 8.—No sand shall be discharged from any vessel unless canvas or similar material be extended from the vessel's side to the bulkhead or wharf structure at which such vessel is being unladen, to prevent the falling of the sand into the water, and if the surface of any such wharf structure is not sufficiently tight to prevent the sand dumped thereon from going through into the water, then no sand shall be discharged thereon from any vessel, unless canvas or similar material be first laid thereon to receive the sand, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be recovered from the owner, consignee, master or stevedore of any such vessel, severally and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered on account of sand discharged upon wharf property belonging to the Corporation, under lease, it shall be paid to the lessee thereof, but if such penalty be recovered on account of sand discharged upon wharf property not owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

No. 9.—The owners, lessees and occupants of every pier, wharf and bulkhead in the City of New York shall keep the same in good repair, and the slips adjacent thereto properly dredged; and whenever, in the judgment of the Board, it shall be necessary so to do, written notices, signed by the President or Secretary of said Board, shall be served upon the owners, lessees or occupants, or collector of wharfage of any such pier, wharf or bulkhead, or the slip adjoining the same, on or in which repairs or dredging are required by said Board, specifying the nature and extent of the repairs or dredging so required, and the time within which such repairs must be made, or such dredging done; and in case the owners, lessees or occupants so notified, fail to comply with the terms and requirements of such notice, they shall forfeit and pay a penalty of fifty dollars per day for every day which shall elapse before they comply with such notice.

No. 10.—No ashes, refuse, offal, fruit, vegetables or any other substances, shall be thrown into the waters surrounding or adjacent to any pier or bulkhead, or any other part of the water-front of the city, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee, or occupant, severally and respectively, of any pier, bulkhead, wharf structure, or other property, from which any such substance shall be thrown, or from the person actually throwing the same; or if any such substance be thrown from any vessel lying in waters within the jurisdiction of the Department, whether berthed or not, then such penalty to be recovered from the owner, consignee, or master of such vessel, severally and respectively.

No. 11.—No snow or ice shall be dumped into the waters adjacent to the water-front of the city, except from the piers, bulkheads and other places designated from time to time, by the Board, for such dumping, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee or occupant of any pier, bulkhead or other wharf property, from which any such snow and ice shall be dumped, or from the person actually dumping the same, severally and respectively.

No. 12.—All lumber, brick, or other material in bulk discharged on any bulkhead not shedded, shall be at once removed, or, if not so removed, shall be placed at least twenty feet from the edge of the bulkhead, pending removal, under a penalty of fifty dollars per day, for each and every day such lumber, brick or other material shall remain on the bulkhead, to be recovered from the owner or consignee of such lumber, brick or other material, or from the person placing, or causing the same to be placed, on such bulkhead, severally and respectively.

No. 13.—The charges for wharfage and dockage of all vessels admitted to any of the piers or bulkheads constructed under the new plans adopted by the Department, shall be at the same rates as are now, or shall hereafter be, fixed and established by laws of this State, until otherwise ordered by the Board.

No. 14.—The term "Board," when used in the foregoing rules and regulations, shall be taken to mean "The Board of the Department of Docks of the City of New York," and the term "Corporation," when so used, shall be taken to mean "The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York."

JOHN R. VOORHIS,
 JACOB VANDERPOEL,
 WM. LAMBEER,
 Commissioners of Docks.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees of the several Wards, as herein after named, at the hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, for repairs, etc., to be made on the various school buildings, as follows:

By the Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Friday, July 14, for improving the drainage, etc., at Grammar School No. 40.

JOHN F. TROW, Chairman.

EDWARD S. MEAD, Secretary.

Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.

By the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M. on said day, for alterations, etc., at Primary School No. 43.

WILLIAM HOGG, Chairman.

A. FAHS, Secretary.

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 30, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 10th day of July, 1882, and until 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, for an Iron Stairway for Primary School No. 25, on Greenwich street, near Charlton street.

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

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

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

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

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CHARLES W. BAUM,
GEORGE F. VETTER,
O. ROCKEFELLER,
CHAS. H. HOUSLEY,
URIAH WELCH,
Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

Dated New York, June 26, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Tenth Ward, at the hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 10th day of July, 1882, and until 4 o'clock, a. m., on said day, for erecting two stairways to Grammar School House No. 20, on Chrystie street, near Delancey street.

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

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

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

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

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

HENRY R. ROOME,
PATRICK CARROLL,
JOHN C. CLEGG,
GEORGE W. ROSS,
PETER DENNERLEIN,
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.

Dated New York, June 26, 1882.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 3, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Commissioners of the Department of Taxes and Assessments that the assessment rolls of real and personal estate in said city, for the year 1882, have been finally completed and have been delivered to the Board of Aldermen of said city, and that such assessment rolls will remain open to public inspection, in the office of the clerk of said Board of Aldermen, for a period of fifteen days from the date of this notice.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
GEORGE B. VANDERPOEL,
EDWARD C. DONNELLY,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Friday, July 7, 1882, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN,
Clerk.

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

As to all assessments for local improvements confirmed before June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1882. As to all assessments for local improvements completed before June 9, 1880, and since confirmed, on or before November 1, 1882. As to any assessment for local improvements known as Morning-side avenues, within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

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

Dated, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, June 6, 1882.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN,
Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 5, 1882.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Thursday, July 20, 1882, 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. SEWER in Twentieth street, between Fourth avenue and Irving place, from end of present sewer in Twentieth street, east of Irving place.

No. 2. REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, Flagging and Paving with trap-block pavement Forty-fourth street, from the west end of Eleventh avenue to the east line of Twelfth avenue.

No. 3. PAVING with trap-block pavement Sixty-eighth street, from Avenue A to First avenue, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 4. PAVING with trap-block pavement Eighty-first street, from the Boulevard to Ninth avenue, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 5. PAVING with trap-block pavement Eighty-eighth street, from First avenue to Avenue A.

No. 6. PAVING with trap-block pavement One Hundred and Third street, from Second to Lexington avenue.

No. 7. PAVING with trap-block pavement One Hundred and Fourth street, from First to Second avenue, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 8. PAVING with trap-block pavement One Hundred and Ninth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 9. PAVING with trap-block pavement One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First to Second avenue.

No. 10. PAVING with trap-block pavement One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Pleasant avenue to First avenue.

No. 11. PAVING with trap-block pavement One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 12. PAVING with granite-block pavement Sixty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates, or in the profits thereof.

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

The consent last above mentioned must 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 his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreed estimates, and any further information desired can be obtained at the following offices: Sewers, No. 8, and Paving, Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 29, 1882.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Friday, July 14, 1882, 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. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS and performing work in the erection of a market building on the site of the building now known as Jefferson Market.

No. 2. FOR CONSTRUCTING an iron bridge at Fourth avenue and Ninety-seventh street, under chapter 283, Laws of 1881.

Contractors are particularly requested to take notice of the changes which have been made in the specifications for Jefferson Market building, and also of the time therein prescribed for the completion of the work.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates, or in the profits thereof.

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

The consent last above mentioned must 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 his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or

clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be procured as to Jefferson Market, at the office of the Architect, Douglas Smyth, 48 Exchange place, and for Foot Bridge at Bureau of Chief Engineer, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 29, 1882.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Friday, July 14, 1882, at 12 o'clock m., at which hour and place they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read, for the following:

No. 1. REGULATING AND GRADING Eighty-second street, from the west curb of Avenue B to the east curb of Avenue A, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

No. 2. REGULATING AND GRADING One Hundred and Forty-first street, from the west curb of Seventh avenue to the east curb of Eighth avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

No. 3. REGULATING AND GRADING Avenue B from the north curb of Eighty-sixth street to the south curb of Eighty-seventh street, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

No. 4. SEWER in Ninety-second street, between First and Second avenues, from end of present sewer in First avenue.

No. 5. SEWER in Ninety-second street, between Avenue A and First avenue.

No. 6. REPAIRS TO SEWER in Ninety-fifth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 7. SEWER in One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Eighth avenue and New avenue, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 8. PAVING, with granite-block pavement, Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Fourth street to One Hundred and Thirty-first street, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 9. PAVING, with granite-block pavement, Fourth avenue, on the west side, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, and on the east side from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-second street, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 10. PAVING, with trap and granite block pavement, Seventy-ninth street, from Eleventh avenue to the Boulevard, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 11. PAVING, with trap and granite block pavement, Eighty-second street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 12. PAVING, with granite-block pavement, Eighty-fourth street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue, and laying crosswalks at the intersecting streets and avenues where required.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates, or in the profits thereof.

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

The consent last above mentioned must 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 his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained at the following offices: Regulating and Grading, Room 5; Sewers, No. 8, and Paving, Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING A SCALE OF WATER RENTS FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK. BY ORDER OF HUBERT O. THOMPSON, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

"The said Commissioner of Public Works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of Croton water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law."—Chap. 574, Sec. 5, Session Laws of 1871.

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit: *Croton Water Rates for Buildings from 16 to 50 feet, all others not specified subject to Special Rates, as established by Ordinance of the Common Council, March, 1851.*

| FRONT WIDTH. | 1 Story. | 2 Stories. | 3 Stories. | 4 Stories. | 5 Stories. |
|-------------------|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 16 feet and under | \$4 00 | \$5 00 | \$6 00 | \$7 00 | \$8 00 |
| 16 to 18 feet.... | 5 00 | 6 00 | 7 00 | 8 00 | 9 00 |
| 18 to 20 feet.... | 6 00 | 7 00 | 8 00 | 9 00 | 10 00 |
| 20 to 22½ feet... | 7 00 | 8 00 | 9 00 | 10 00 | 11 00 |
| 22½ to 25 feet... | 8 00 | 9 00 | 10 00 | 11 00 | 12 00 |
| 25 to 30 feet.... | 10 00 | 11 00 | 12 00 | 13 00 | 14 00 |
| 30 to 37½ feet... | 12 00 | 13 00 | 14 00 | 15 00 | 16 00 |
| 37½ to 50 feet... | 14 00 | 15 00 | 16 00 | 17 00 | 18 00 |

The apportionment of the regular rents upon dwelling houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family the sum of one dollar per year shall be charged.

Each flat or suit of rooms for one family shall be charged ten dollars per year where they have hot and cold water, stationary wash-tubs, bath, and water-closet, with the privilege of using meter.

METERS will be placed on all houses where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

The rent of all tenements which shall exceed in width fifty feet shall be the subject of special contract with the Commissioner of Public Works.

The extra and miscellaneous rates shall be as follows, to wit:

BAKERIES—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, the sum of three dollars per annum.

BATHING TUBS in private houses, beyond one, at three dollars per annum each, and five dollars per annum each in public houses, boarding houses, bathing establishments, and barber shops.

BOARDING SCHOOLS shall be charged at the rate of from fifteen to fifty dollars each; and school houses at the rate of from ten to twenty dollars each per annum.

BUILDING PURPOSES—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone-work—to be measured as brick—ten cents per thousand. For plastering, forty cents per hundred yards.

COW STABLES—For each and every cow, the sum of seventy-five cents per annum.

FOUNTAINS or jets are prohibited.

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows:

HORSES, PRIVATE—For two horses there shall be charged the sum of six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, the sum of two dollars.

HORSES, LIVERY—For each horse up to and not exceeding thirty in number, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents each per annum; and for each additional horse, the sum of one dollar.

HORSES, OMNIBUS AND CART—For each horse, the sum of one dollar per annum.

HORSE TROUGHS—For each trough on sidewalks, the sum of twenty dollars per annum; each trough is to be fitted with a proper ball-cock to prevent waste, this must be kept in order.

HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES shall, in addition to the regular rate for private families, be charged for each lodging room at the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

PORTER HOUSES, TAVERNS AND GROCERIES shall be charged an extra rate of either ten to twenty-five dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works. LAGER BEER SALOONS, with no water fixtures in the saloon, five dollars per annum.

PRINTING OFFICES AND REFECTORIES shall be charged at such rates as may be determined by the Commissioner of Public Works.

SLAUGHTER HOUSES shall be charged at the rate of five cents for every bullock slaughtered.

STEAM ENGINES shall be charged by the horse-power, as follows: for each horse-power up to and not exceeding ten, the sum of ten dollars per annum; or each exceeding ten, and not over fifteen, the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents each; and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of five dollars.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, house-fronts, and about stables, is prohibited, because it is absolutely necessary to save water for more necessary purposes. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the Police or Inspectors may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS—To each building on a lot one water-closet having sewer connection is allowed without charge, each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated. All closets or urinals in which the Croton water from any service pipe or hydrant connecting with a privy vault or man-hole shall be charged two dollars for each seat per annum, whether in a building or on any other part on of the premises.

WATER-CLOSET RATES—For hoppers, of any form, when water is supplied direct from the Croton supply, through any form of the so-called single or double valves, hopper-cocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each per year twenty dollars.

For any pan-closet, or any of the forms of valve, plunger, or other water-closet not before mentioned, supplied with water as above described, per year, ten dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from the ordinary style of cistern filled with ball-cock and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, so that overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of waste-preventing cisterns, that are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, which are so constructed that not more than three gallons of water can be drawn at each lift of the handle or depression of the seat, if such cisterns are provided with an overflow pipe, such overflow pipe must not connect with the water-closet, but be carried like a safe waste, as provided by the Board of Health Regulations, per year, two dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

Under the provisions of section 73, chapter 335, Laws of 1871 (City Charter), water meters, of the pattern approved in accordance with said section 73 of the Charter, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings.

It is provided by section 73, chapter 335, Laws of 1871, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law."

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large supply of water will be fitted with a meter.

Water measured by meter, ten cents per one hundred cubic feet for all manufacturing or other purposes.

| PER DAY, GALLONS. | PER 100 GALS. RATE. | PER ANNUM, AM'T |
|-------------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| 25 | 05 | \$3 75 |
| 50 | " | 7 50 |
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| 7,000 | " | 420 00 |
| 8,000 | " | 480 00 |
| 9,000 | " | 540 00 |
| 10,000 | " | 600 00 |

The rate charged for steam-vessels taking water daily or belonging to daily lines, is one-half per cent. per ton (Custom-house measurement) for each time they take water.

Steamers taking water other than daily, one per cent. per ton (Custom-house measurement).

Water supplied to sailing vessels and put on board, twenty-five cents per hundred gallons.

All matters not hereinbefore embraced are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Public Works.

By order, HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works

Rate, Without Meters.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,

NEW YORK, May 10, 1882.

JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Water Register:

SIR—From your letter of this date, in reference to certain rates included in the scale of water rents established by me on the 1st instant, it appears that there is a misapprehension in regard to their application. In order that the matter may be clearly understood, I have to inform and instruct you that the new rates in reference to water-closets are not intended to and do not apply to existing houses and fixtures, but will be applied to all new houses hereafter erected or completed, and to all existing houses where the water-closets and fixtures therein referred may hereafter be put in. These water-closet rates are to go into general effect May 1, 1883.

Respectfully,

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,

31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,

NEW YORK, April 26, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

CROTON WATER RENTS.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL RENTS FOR CROTON water for the year 1882, will become due and payable at this office on and after May 1.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, June 28, 1882.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Twenty-third street, East river, unknown man; age about forty years; five feet seven inches high; sandy hair, mustache and chin beard; had on black coat, dark vest and pants, white shirt, white flannel undershirt and drawers, blue woolen stockings, gaiters.

Unknown man from off Randall's Island; age about thirty-five years; five feet six inches high; dark brown hair, mustache and imperial; had on black pilot coat, dark mixed cloth pants, striped gingham shirt, white shirt marked "A. K.," white Canton flannel drawers, gray knit undershirt, boots.

Unknown woman from foot of Stanton street; age about forty years; five feet three inches high; red curly hair; blue eyes; second finger of right hand amputated; had on dark check calico wrapper, black alpaca skirt, light check calico waist, white chemise, corsets, brown merino stockings, white cotton stockings, laced gaiters.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, Ann Horn, age fifty years; five feet high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on, when admitted, drab dress, black quilted petticoat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island, Bertha Cramer, age fifty-nine years; committed June 15, 1882.

Henry Norton, age fifty-two years; committed June 14, 1882.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, Henry Sengwald, age forty-two years; five feet five inches high; dark eyes; black hair. Had on, when admitted, brown pants and vest, black Derby hat.

Catherine Duffy, age thirty years; five feet two inches high; blue eyes; red hair. Had on, when admitted, dark wrapper, waterproof cloak, black hat.

At Randall's Island Hospital, Mary Cook, age forty-two years; five feet two inches high; brown hair and

eyes. Had on, when admitted, brown shawl, gray sacque, brown petticoat, gingham apron, buttoned gaiters.

At Hart's Island Hospital, Joseph Temple, age seventy years; gray hair and eyes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON,

Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, CROCKERY AND OILS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

3,000 pounds fresh dairy butter, sample on exhibition morning of July 7.

500 barrels good sound Irish potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.

100 barrels crackers.

200 bushels beans.

2,000 gallons molasses.

2,000 pounds best roasted Maracaibo coffee.

2,500 pounds cheese.

300 quintals best quality Grand Bank codfish, to be delivered in boxes of (4) four quintals each.

500 bales long, bright rye straw, weight delivered at B. Island.

DRY GOODS.

10,000 yards calico.

5,000 " towelling.

CROCKERY.

5 gross dinner plates.

2 " two-quart pitchers.

1 " tumblers.

1 " male urinals.

OILS.

3 barrels best raw linseed oil.

10 " standard white, 150° test, kerosene oil, barrels to be returned.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 7th day of July, 1882. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Crockery and Oils," and with his or her 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.

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 her 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 23, 1882.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

JACOB HESS,

HENRY H. PORTER,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,

May 9, 1882.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment lists for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 5, 1882, and on the 6th day of May, 1882, was entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 8, 1882, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles and Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,

May 9, 1882.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 4th day of May, 1882, and on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," viz.:

Sixty-eighth street regulating, etc., from Third Avenue to East River.

Ninety-fifth street regulating, etc., from Lexington to Fifth Avenue.

Fourth Avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Fifteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth Street.

Ninth Avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Fiftieth Street to St. Nicholas Avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-second street regulating, etc., from Fifth to Sixth Avenue.

Ninety-sixth street paving, from Public Drive to Hudson River.

Sixty-eighth street paving, from Boulevard to Tenth Avenue.

Seventy-eighth street paving, from First Avenue to Avenue A.

Fourth Avenue paving, at intersection of One Hundred and Fourth Street.

One Hundred and Fortieth Street sewer, from Alexander to Brook Avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street sewer, from Harlem River to Fifth Avenue.

Pearl Street sewer, between Coenties and Old Slips.

First Avenue sewer, between Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh Streets.

Fifth Avenue sewer, between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth Streets.

Fourth Street sewer, between Christopher and West Tenth Streets.

Eightieth and Eighty-first Streets sewers, between Avenues A and B, etc.

One Hundred and First Street sewer, between Tenth Avenue and Boulevard.

First Avenue flagging, east side, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth Street.

Fifty-fifth Street flagging, from Sixth to Seventh Avenue.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 8, 1882, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,

April 24, 1882.

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER ABOLISHING THE "BUREAU OF LICENSES," IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISION OF SECTION 3 of chapter 521 of the Laws of 1880, which authorizes a head of a Department to abolish and consolidate offices and bureaus in the same Department, I hereby abolish the Bureau provided for by section 33 of chapter 333 of the Laws of 1873, entitled as follows, to wit:

"A Bureau of Licenses; the Chief Officer of which shall be called 'Register of Licenses.'"

Said Bureau has never had any practical existence in the Finance Department, and is declared to be null and void.

(Signed) ALLAN CAMPBELL,

Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00

The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, 50 00

Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15 00

Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

Comptroller.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,

155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,

NEW YORK, June 21, 1882.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND constructing duplex steam pumps for a Floating Engine, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer Street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, July 12, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

The pumps are to be completed and delivered in one hundred and twenty (120) days after the date of the contract.

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

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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 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 making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York,