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### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
NEW YORK, August 2, 1881.

The Board met this day.

#### Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases, on slaughter-houses; on work performed by the Sanitary Company of Police; on work performed by the Milk Inspectors; on work performed by the Disinfecting Corps; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on work performed by the Summer Corps; monthly report of work performed by the Vaccinating Corps; on examination of well water in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; on application for relief from orders on certain premises; on No. 61 Thompson street; on offensive odors of the east and west sides of the city; on applications for permits; on street pavements, etc.; on condition of premises north side Third avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets; on condition of premises No. 88 Bayard street.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report and monthly report.

From the Deputy Register of Records: Weekly letter; weekly mortuary statement; weekly abstract of marriages; weekly abstract of births and still-births; weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases; on violations of the Sanitary Code.

#### Communications received from other Departments.

From the Department of Finance: Comptroller's weekly statement.

From his Honor the Mayor: In respect to increase of wages of laborers in employ of the city. Referred to Chairman Finance Committee.

From Board of Estimate and Apportionment: Copies of resolutions appropriating \$25,000 for "Hospital Fund" and \$6,000 for Registration of Plumbers, etc.

From the Department of Public Works: In relation to leaky hydrant at 87 Washington street.

#### Miscellaneous.

From James Benedict: In respect to orders on premises 88 and 90 Warren street.

#### Bills Audited.

|                         |         |                                       |         |
|-------------------------|---------|---------------------------------------|---------|
| McKesson & Robbins..... | \$35 62 | Thos. C. Nostrand & Co.....           | \$50 17 |
| C. Golderman.....       | 213 93  | Gassin Bros.....                      | 72 00   |
| Sylvester & Frank.....  | 9 10    | National Oil Co.....                  | 88 00   |
| M. D. Field.....        | 22 50   | Geo. W. Loss & Son.....               | 133 60  |
| E. Gross.....           | 17 00   | American Condensed Milk Co.....       | 241 20  |
| J. B. Purroy.....       | 166 66  | Jas. Fay.....                         | 273 78  |
| C. T. Buffum.....       | 21 90   | John Conway.....                      | 20 00   |
| C. Lederer.....         | 164 63  | Pay-roll Disinfecting Corps, 2 weeks, |         |
| Joseph Kuhl.....        | 3 45    | ending July 30.....                   | 918 05  |
| L. M. Hirsch.....       | 22 80   |                                       |         |

#### Permits Granted.

To keep chickens at 248 Monroe street.

#### Permit Denied.

To keep chickens at 428 East One Hundred and Seventeenth street.

#### Resolutions.

Resolved, That order No. 12886 on premises 11 and 13 York street be and is hereby extended to August 16, inst.

Resolved, That order No. 13109 on premises 6 Livingston place be and is hereby canceled.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated on lot No. 61 Thompson street has become dangerous to life by reason of its being infected with disease; therefore,

Ordered, That all persons in said building, situated on lot No. 61 Thompson street, be required to vacate said building on or before the tenth day of August, 1881, for the reason that said building is dangerous to life by reason of its being infected with disease; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of said building, and be served as the law requires, under the directions of the Sanitary Superintendent; and further that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of the Sanitary Superintendent upon complaints in respect to offensive odors from manufacturing establishments in this city be forwarded to the State Board of Health.

Resolved, That copies of the reports of Sanitary Inspectors upon the condition of certain street pavements, etc., be forwarded to the Department of Public Works, as follows:

Street pavement and gutter, east side Second avenue, between Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets.

Receiving basin in front of No. 159 Cedar street.

Receiving basin northwest corner Pike street and East Broadway.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Morris upon the sanitary condition of premises west side Third avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, be forwarded to the Comptroller for the necessary action.

Resolved, That a copy of the report of Sanitary Inspector Tracy upon the condition of premises No. 88 Bayard street, be forwarded to the Fire Department for the necessary action.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to register the following marriage and birth returns:

Herman D. Krackling and Maria L. Berkmeier, May 11, 1881.

William Blondel and Mary C. Rushman, April 19, 1881.

Male child of Jane McKown, April 24, 1881.

Female child of Angelina Sneider, April 8, 1881.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to amend the register of death as follows:

Fred. Swartz, who died March 14, 1876, strike out widower and leave condition blank, the same being a clerical error.

Resolved, That application for suspension of order No. 20316 (series 1880), on premises 1657 and 1659 Third avenue, be and is hereby denied.

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby extended 15 days:

Order 13654, on premises 401 East Forty-fourth street.

Order 13655, on premises 403 East Forty-fourth street.

Order 14273, on premises 49 Rutgers street.

Order 13433, on premises 247 East Fifty-first street.

Resolved, That leave of absence on account of sickness be and is hereby granted to Assistant Sanitary Inspector Livermore until September 1, without pay.

Resolved, That leave of absence of one week from August 15, be and is hereby granted to Sanitary Inspector S. F. Morris.

Resolved, That permits 1202 and 1599 to repress pork cracklings for the purpose of extracting the lard and to grind the residue for feed at No. 643 and 645 Water street, be and are hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That permit 1585 to extract oil from pork cracklings at 324 and 326 Front street, be and is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That leaves of absence on account of sickness contracted in the service of the Department will be granted hereafter as follows:

First month's absence on sick leave, with pay.  
Second month's absence on sick leave, with half-pay.  
Third month's absence on sick leave, without pay.

#### Action of the Board on Tenement-House Plans.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of tenement-houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions specified in the several permits granted.

Plan No. 1087-2, for two eight-story tenements, each feet by feet, with an extension feet by feet, on lots feet by feet, at Nos. 220-234 West Twenty-third street, each to be occupied by thirty families.

Plan No. 1103-3, for four four-story tenements, each 25 feet by 60 feet, on lots 25 feet by 100 feet, on the north side of One Hundred and Twelfth street, beginning 145 feet east of First avenue, each to be occupied by eight families.

Plan No. 1144, for four four-story tenements, each 20 feet by 63 feet, on lots 20 feet by 80 feet, on the east side of Madison avenue, beginning 19 feet 11 inches south of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, each to be occupied by four families.

Plan No. 1145, for one four-story tenement, 19 feet 11 inches by 70 feet, on a lot 19 feet 11 inches by 80 feet, on the southeast corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-first street, to be occupied by four families.

Plan No. 1146, for two five-story tenements, each 37 feet 6 inches by 66 feet 4 inches, with an extension 20 feet 8 inches by 27 feet, on the side of Sixtieth street, 250 feet east of Ninth avenue, each to be occupied by eleven families.

Plan No. 1147, for one four-story tenement, 25 feet by 56 feet, with an extension 9 feet deep, on a lot 25 feet by 100 feet, at No. 2347 Second avenue, to be occupied by eight families.

Plan No. 1148, for one four-story tenement, 25 feet by 60 feet, on a lot 25 feet by 100 feet, on the north side of One Hundred and Sixth street, 75 feet east of Second avenue, to be occupied by eight families.

Plan No. 1149, for four four-story tenements, each 60 feet deep and 25 feet 9 inches and 25 feet wide, respectively, on lots of the same, and 75 feet deep on the east side of Second avenue, beginning northeast corner of One Hundred and Sixth street, each to be occupied by six families.

Plan No. 1150, for three four-story tenements, each 25 feet 6 inches by 60 feet, on lots 25 feet 6 inches by 75 feet, on the east side of Second avenue, beginning on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Seventh street, each to be occupied by six families.

Plan No. 1151, for two four-story tenements, each 25 feet by 60 feet, on lots 25 feet by 76 feet 10 inches, on the north side of One Hundred and Seventh street, beginning 75 feet east of Second avenue, each to be occupied by eight families.

Plan No. 1152, for four four-story tenements, each 25 feet by 60 feet, with an extension 4 feet by 13 feet 6 inches, on lots 25 feet by 100 feet 5 inches, on the south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, 100 feet west of Second avenue, each to be occupied by ten families.

Plan No. 1153, for five five-story tenements, each 20 feet by 54 feet, on lots 25 feet by 100 feet, on the south side of Sixty-second street, beginning 200 feet east of Second avenue, each to be occupied by five families.

Plan No. 1154, for one four-story tenement, 25 feet by 75 feet, with an extension 10 feet 10 inches by 11 feet, on a lot 25 feet by 100 feet 6 inches, on the east side of Lexington avenue, 25 feet south of Fifty-second street, each to be occupied by five families.

Plan No. 1156, for one three-story tenement, 25 feet by 65 feet, on a lot 25 feet by 100 feet, on the northwest corner of Division avenue and Robbins avenue, to be occupied by four families.

Plan No. 1157, for one four-story tenement, 19 feet 6 inches by 67 feet, with an extension 13 feet 6 inches by 23 feet, on a lot 19 feet 6 inches by 100 feet 8 inches, on the north side of Ninety-third street, 280 feet of Third avenue; to be occupied by four families.

Plans Nos. 1155 and 1158 were laid on the table for further consideration.

The weekly report of inspections of new tenement-houses was received and ordered on file.

#### Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending July 30, 1881:

The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,268, as follows, viz: 1 public building, 399 tenement-houses, 57 private dwellings, 51 other dwellings, 14 manufactories and workshops, 26 stores and warehouses, 38 stables, 29 slaughter-houses, 3 lard-rendering establishments, 2 packing houses, 1 fish smoking establishment, 1 mill, 2 public drains, 1 railroad, 15 sunken and vacant lots, 1 chemical works, 1 dyeing establishment, 64 yards, courts, and areas, 100 cellars and basements, 168 waste-pipes and drains, 226 privies and water-closets, 38 streets, gutters and sidewalks, 5 dangerous stairways, 7 smoky chimneys, 2 cisterns and cesspools, 9 other nuisances.

The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 560.

During the past week 255 complaints were received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 94 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the port.

193 permits were granted scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy sinks.

The Disinfecting Corps have visited 133 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 123 houses, 123 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.

12 cases of contagious disease were removed to hospital by the Disinfecting Corps.

#### Bureau of Vital Statistics.

The certificates of 558 births, 48 still-births, 142 marriages, and 882 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, July 30, 1881; this shows an increase of 17 births, and a decrease of 7 still-births, 8 marriages and 83 deaths, when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1880, there was an increase of 44 births, 4 still-births, 22 marriages, and 257 deaths. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from measles decreased 2; scarlatina, 5; croup, 5; erysipelas, 4; typhoid fever, 3; cerebro-spinal fever, 3; bronchitis, 3; marasmus, tabes mesenterica, and scrofula, 4; meningitis and encephalitis, 2; direct effect of solar heat, 6; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 1; Bright's disease and nephritis, 9; premature and preterm births, 3; while the deaths from diphtheria increased 11; whooping cough, 6; puerperal diseases, 5; diarrheal diseases, 7; inanition, 2; alcoholism, 4; phthisis pulmonalis, 11; pneumonia, 15; heart diseases, 6; aneurism, 1; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 1; convulsions, 8; apoplexy, 9; gastritis, enteritis, and peritonitis, 5; cyanosis and atelectasis, 1. The number of deaths from small-pox, typhus fever, malarial fevers, rheumatism and gout, cancer, cirrhosis and hepatitis, suicide, and drowning, was the same in the two successive weeks.

Deaths from the principal Zymotic Diseases, Phthisis Pulmonalis, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, and Children under five years of age, reported during the week and compared with the three preceding weeks.

| WEEK ENDING—   | Small-Pox. | Measles. | Scarlatina. | Diphtheria. | Membranous Croup. | Whooping Cough. | Typhus Fever. | Typhoid Fever. | Cerebro-Spinal Fever. | Remittent, Intermittent, Typhoid, Malarial, and Simple Continued Fevers. | Diarrheal Diseases. | Phthisis Pulmonalis. | Pneumonia. | Bronchitis. | Diseases of the Nervous System. | Diseases of the Urinary System. | DEATHS OF CHILDREN.  |                       |                       |
|----------------|------------|----------|-------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------------|--|---------------------|----------------------|------------|-------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
|                |            |          |             |             |                   |                 |               |                |                       |  |                     |                      |            |             |                                 |                                 | Under 1 year of age. | Under 2 years of age. | Under 5 years of age. |
| July 9, 1881.. | 7          | 13       | 41          | 47          | 15                | 7               | 9             | 4              | 7                     | 8  | 444                 | 82                   | 41         | 25          | 75                              | 25                              | 546                  | 677                   | 779                   |
| " 16, " ..     | 6          | 6        | 34          | 47          | 15                | 4               | 3             | 8              | 12                    | 10   | 370                 | 89                   | 32         | 19          | 63                              | 42                              | 429                  | 540                   | 624                   |
| " 23, " ..     | 8          | 10       | 34          | 41          | 13                | 2               | 9             | 11             | 7                     | 15   | 337                 | 94                   | 25         | 18          | 62                              | 51                              | 397                  | 500                   | 563                   |
| " 30, " ..     | 8          | 8        | 29          | 52          | 8                 | 8               | 9             | 8              | 4                     | 15   | 244                 | 105                  | 39         | 15          | 61                              | 40                              | 289                  | 376                   | 450                   |
| Total.....     | 29         | 37       | 138         | 187         | 51                | 21              | 30            | 31             | 30                    | 48   | 1395                | 370                  | 137        | 77          | 261                             | 158                             | 1661                 | 2093                  | 2416                  |

The ages of 289 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year, 376 under two years, 450 under five years, and 41 seventy years and over, which shows that the deaths of children under five years of age was 113 less than the number reported during last week, and represent 51.02 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.



Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending July 30, 1881.

| DISEASE.             | In Houses containing 3 Families and under. | In Houses containing over 3 Families. | Canal Boats. | Hotels and Boarding-houses. | Institutions. | In Streets, Rivers, etc. | FLOOR.    |        |         |        |         |        |        |      |             |        | AVERAGE AGE. |       |  |
|----------------------|--|---------------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------|---------------|--------------------------|-----------|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|--------|------|-------------|--------|--------------|-------|--|
|                      |  |                                       |              |                             |               |                          | Basement. | First. | Second. | Third. | Fourth. | Fifth. | Sixth. | Top. | Not Stated. | Years. | Months.      | Days. |  |
|                      |  |                                       |              |                             |               |                          |           |        |         |        |         |        |        |      |             |        |              |       |  |
| Small-pox.....       | ..   | ..                                    | ..           | ..                          | 8             | ..                       | ..        | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..   | ..          | 20     | 1            | 19    |  |
| Measles.....         | 2  | 5                                     | ..           | ..                          | 1             | ..                       | ..        | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..   | ..          | 6      | 7            | 23    |  |
| Scarlatina.....      | 8  | 22                                    | ..           | ..                          | ..            | ..                       | 8         | 11     | 8       | 2      | 1       | ..     | ..     | ..   | ..          | 4      | 9            | 29    |  |
| Diphtheria.....      | 14   | 37                                    | 1            | ..                          | 1             | ..                       | 2         | 15     | 18      | 8      | 4       | 4      | ..     | ..   | ..          | 4      | 8            | 19    |  |
| Membranous Croup.    | 2  | 6                                     | ..           | ..                          | ..            | ..                       | 3         | 3      | ..      | 1      | 1       | ..     | ..     | ..   | ..          | 3      | 2            | 20    |  |
| Whooping Cough...    | 2  | 5                                     | ..           | ..                          | ..            | ..                       | ..        | 1      | 5       | ..     | 1       | ..     | ..     | ..   | ..          | 0      | 11           | 4     |  |
| Typhus Fever.....    | ..   | ..                                    | ..           | ..                          | 9             | ..                       | ..        | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..   | ..          | 49     | 0            | 0     |  |
| Typhoid Fever.....   | 3  | 4                                     | ..           | ..                          | 1             | ..                       | 1         | 2      | 4       | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..   | ..          | 25     | 5            | 25    |  |
| Cerebro-Spinal Fever | ..   | 5                                     | ..           | ..                          | ..            | ..                       | 2         | ..     | 1       | 2      | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..   | ..          | 4      | 10           | 25    |  |
| Malarial Fevers....  | 7  | 7                                     | ..           | ..                          | 1             | ..                       | 2         | 6      | 5       | ..     | 1       | ..     | ..     | ..   | ..          | 24     | 4            | 24    |  |

| DISEASE.             | WARDS. |         |        |         |        |        |          |         |        |        |           |          |             |             |            |            |              |             |             |            | TOTAL DEATHS. |
|----------------------|--------|---------|--------|---------|--------|--------|----------|---------|--------|--------|-----------|----------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|------------|---------------|
|                      | First. | Second. | Third. | Fourth. | Fifth. | Sixth. | Seventh. | Eighth. | Ninth. | Tenth. | Eleventh. | Twelfth. | Thirteenth. | Fourteenth. | Fifteenth. | Sixteenth. | Seventeenth. | Eighteenth. | Nineteenth. | Twentieth. |               |
|                      |        |         |        |         |        |        |          |         |        |        |           |          |             |             |            |            |              |             |             |            |               |
| Small-pox.....       | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..       | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..        | ..       | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..           | ..          | ..          | ..         | 8             |
| Measles.....         | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..       | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..        | ..       | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..           | ..          | ..          | ..         | 8             |
| Scarlatina.....      | ..     | ..      | 1      | ..      | ..     | 3      | ..       | 2       | 2      | 3      | ..        | 1        | 1           | 1           | 1          | 2          | 5            | ..          | 6           | 1          | 30            |
| Diphtheria.....      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | 1      | 3        | 3       | 1      | 6      | 4         | ..       | ..          | 1           | 4          | 5          | 6            | 2           | 3           | 7          | 53            |
| Membranous Croup..   | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..       | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..        | ..       | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..           | ..          | ..          | ..         | 8             |
| Whooping Cough....   | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..       | ..      | ..     | 3      | ..        | ..       | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..           | ..          | ..          | ..         | 7             |
| Typhus Fever.....    | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..       | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..        | ..       | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..           | ..          | 7           | ..         | 9             |
| Typhoid Fever.....   | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..       | 1       | 1      | 1      | ..        | ..       | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..           | ..          | ..          | ..         | 8             |
| Cerebro-Spinal Fever | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..       | ..      | ..     | ..     | ..        | ..       | ..          | ..          | ..         | 1          | 1            | 1           | ..          | ..         | 5             |
| Malarial Fevers....  | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..      | ..     | ..     | 1        | ..      | 1      | 1      | 4         | ..       | ..          | 1           | ..         | ..         | 1            | 3           | 1           | 2          | 15            |

## Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

| DISEASE.             | A. M.      |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |             |             |             | P. M.      |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |             |             |             | TOTAL. |
|----------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------|
|                      | 1 o'clock. | 2 o'clock. | 3 o'clock. | 4 o'clock. | 5 o'clock. | 6 o'clock. | 7 o'clock. | 8 o'clock. | 9 o'clock. | 10 o'clock. | 11 o'clock. | 12 o'clock. | 1 o'clock. | 2 o'clock. | 3 o'clock. | 4 o'clock. | 5 o'clock. | 6 o'clock. | 7 o'clock. | 8 o'clock. | 9 o'clock. | 10 o'clock. | 11 o'clock. | 12 o'clock. |        |
| Small-pox .....      | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | 1          | 1          | ..         | 1          | ..         | 1           | ..          | ..          | 3          | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | ..          | 8      |
| Measles .....        | ..         | 2          | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | 1           | ..          | ..          | ..         | 1          | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | 2           | ..          | ..          | 8      |
| Scarlatina .....     | ..         | 1          | 2          | ..         | 1          | 2          | 3          | ..         | ..         | 2           | 2           | 2           | 2          | 1          | 2          | 4          | 1          | 2          | ..         | 2          | 2          | ..          | 1           | ..          | 30     |
| Diphtheria .....     | 1          | 1          | 2          | 4          | 3          | 2          | 3          | 2          | 2          | 2           | 3           | ..          | 4          | 2          | 2          | 2          | 3          | 5          | 1          | 2          | 1          | 2           | 2           | 2           | 53     |
| Membranous Croup.    | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | 2          | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | ..          | 1          | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | 2          | ..         | ..          | ..          | 8           |        |
| Whooping Cough...    | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | 1          | ..         | 1           | 1           | ..          | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | 1          | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | 7           |        |
| Typhus Fever.....    | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | 1          | ..          | ..          | 1           | 1          | 2          | ..         | 1          | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | 1           | ..          | 9           |        |
| Typhoid Fever.....   | ..         | 1          | 1          | 1          | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | 1          | ..          | ..          | ..          | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | 1          | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | 8           |        |
| Cerebro-Spinal Fever | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..         | ..          | ..          | ..          | ..         | ..         | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | ..         | 1          | 1          | ..          | ..          | 5           |        |
| Malarial Fevers....  | 1          | 1          | ..         | ..         | 1          | 2          | ..         | ..         | 1          | ..          | 1           | 1           | 3          | 1          | ..         | 1          | ..         | 1          | ..         | ..         | 2          | ..          | ..          | 15          |        |

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week 164 were in institutions, 484 in tenement-houses, 218 in houses containing three families or less, 4 in hotels and boarding-houses, 10 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 4 were on the basement floor, 164 on the first, 232 on the second, 167 on the third, 95 on the fourth, 44 on the fifth, 0 on the sixth. 878 were stated to be residents of New York City, and 4 non-residents; 65 were stated to be single, 162 married, 78 widowed, and the condition of 577 was not stated; these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 882; still-births, 48; bodies in transit, 29. Of the total burial permits issued for city and still-births 78 were upon certificates received from the Coroners. 558 births, 142 marriages, 48 still-births, 882 deaths. 29 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed, and tabulated, 58 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 3 transcripts of the birth record, 7 of marriage, and 40 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending July 30, 1881, was 72.2 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.858, the mean humidity was 81, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 979, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.20 inches depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 809 deaths and still-births, or 83.76 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 16; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 329; City, pauper burial ground (undenominational), 95; Greenwood (undenominational), 45; Lutheran, (undenominational), 144; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 29; Evergreen (undenominational), 59; Woodlawn (undenominational), 27; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 15; Union (Methodist Protestant), 5; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 7; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 10; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 16; Washington (undenominational), 12.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending July 23, 1881, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 15; Second, 0; Third, 2; Fourth, 14; Fifth, 11; Sixth, 14; Seventh, 38; Eighth, 27; Ninth, 41; Tenth, 36; Eleventh, 60; Twelfth, 102; Thirteenth, 18; Fourteenth, 25; Fifteenth, 10; Sixteenth, 25; Seventeenth, 74; Eighteenth, 45; Nineteenth, 172; Twentieth, 67; Twenty-first, 50; Twenty-second, 84; Twenty-third, 26; Twenty-fourth, 14.

The actual mortality for the week ending July 23, 1881, was 970; this is 321 more than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1880, and 222.2 more than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 40.52 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,244,768.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Philadelphia, was 25.59; Boston, 26.53; Cincinnati, 23.65; New Orleans, 26.22; Buffalo, 41.2; Charleston, 46.80; Dayton, 16; Erie, 20.63. Monthly returns—Milwaukee, 23.36; Petersburg, 32.18; Hartford, 18.05; Bridgeport, 21.41; Norwich, 15.89; Meriden, 8.92; New London, 13.68. Foreign cities, weekly returns—London, 24.7; Liverpool, 28.1; Birmingham, 20.2; Manchester, 22.0; Glasgow, 19.8; Edinburgh, 17.0; Dundee, 17.4; Dublin, 21.0; Belfast, 19.5; Cork, 17.3; Brussels, 24.8; Antwerp, 28.8; Ghent, 31.2; Buda-Pesth, 36.8; Paris, 26.2; Rome, 19.6; Venice, 22.2; Berlin, 31.6; Munich, 33.2; Breslau, 42.59; Vienna, 31.9; Trieste, 20.6; Copenhagen, 16.4; Stockholm, 24.5; Christiania, 22.1; Amsterdam, 18.6; Rotterdam, 20.4; The Hague, 23.4; Calcutta, 19.3; Bombay, 31.9; Madras, 32.1; Geneva (with suburbs), 26.6; Basel, 22.6; Bern, 22.2; Lisbon, 34.2; Havre, 32.8; Salford, 17.3; Valencia, 26.5; Prague, 37.5; Barcelona, 32.6; Malaga, 53.0. Monthly return—Havana, 32.7.

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## Births\* reported during the week ending July 30, 1881.

| TOTAL. | COLOR. |          | SEX.  |         | NATIVITY OF PARENTS. |          |         |                      |                      |                                |          |                                | NAME OF CHILD. |             |         |           |
|--------|--------|----------|-------|---------|----------------------|----------|---------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------|----------------|-------------|---------|-----------|
|        | White. | Colored. | Male. | Female. | Not stated.          | Foreign. | Native. | Foreign Father only. | Foreign Mother only. | NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY |          | NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY |                | Not stated. | Stated. | Not state |
|        |        |          |       |         |                      |          |         |                      |                      | Native.                        | Foreign. | Native.                        | Foreign.       |             |         |           |
| 558    | 547    | 11       | 290   | 268     | ..                   | 287      | 147     | 81                   | 35                   | ..                             | 1        | 3                              | 4              | ..          | 403     | 155       |

## Marriages\* reported during the week ending July 30, 1881.

| TOTAL. | COLOR. |         |          |         | NATIVITY. |         |         |         |              |         | CONDITION.  |         |                 |         |                  |         |                 |         |                  |         |             |         |
|--------|--------|---------|----------|---------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|--------------|---------|-------------|---------|-----------------|---------|------------------|---------|-----------------|---------|------------------|---------|-------------|---------|
|        | WHITE. |         | COLORED. |         | FOREIGN.  |         | NATIVE. |         | BORN AT SEA. |         | NOT STATED. |         | FIRST MARRIAGE. |         | SECOND MARRIAGE. |         | THIRD MARRIAGE. |         | FOURTH MARRIAGE. |         | NOT STATED. |         |
|        | Male.  | Female. | Male.    | Female. | Male.     | Female. | Male.   | Female. | Male.        | Female. | Male.       | Female. | Male.           | Female. | Male.            | Female. | Male.           | Female. | Male.            | Female. | Male.       | Female. |
| 142    | 137    | 137     | 5        | 5       | 81        | 75      | 61      | 67      | ..           | ..      | ..          | ..      | 115             | 115     | 22               | 23      | 2               | 1       | ..               | ..      | 3           | 3       |

\* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

## Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending July 30, 1881, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending July 23, 1881.

| NATIVITY OF DECEASED. | COUNTRY.                   | DEATHS.             |                     | BIRTHS.             |                     | MARRIAGES.         |                    | STILL-BIRTHS.       |                     |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
|                       |                            | Nativity of Father. | Nativity of Mother. | Nativity of Father. | Nativity of Mother. | Nativity of Groom. | Nativity of Bride. | Nativity of Father. | Nativity of Mother. |
| 5                     | Austria.....               | 24                  | 25                  | 11                  | 9                   | 2                  | ..                 | ..                  | ..                  |
| 5                     | British America.....       | 5                   | 5                   | 3                   | 3                   | 3                  | 5                  | 1                   | 1                   |
| 16                    | England.....               | 32                  | 28                  | 20                  | 7                   | 3                  | 3                  | 3                   | 3                   |
| 5                     | France.....                | 10                  | 9                   | 4                   | 2                   | 2                  | ..                 | ..                  | ..                  |
| 65                    | Germany.....               | 231                 | 214                 | 189                 | 162                 | 42                 | 40                 | 12                  | 9                   |
| 131                   | Ireland.....               | 296                 | 290                 | 81                  | 83                  | 11                 | 11                 | 13                  | 11                  |
| 12                    | Italy.....                 | 28                  | 27                  | 11                  | 10                  | 1                  | 1                  | 1                   | 1                   |
| ..                    | Poland.....                | 6                   | 5                   | 5                   | ..                  | ..                 | ..                 | ..                  | ..                  |
| 3                     | Scotland.....              | 7                   | 9                   | 4                   | 2                   | ..                 | ..                 | ..                  | ..                  |
| 1                     | Switzerland.....           | 2                   | 4                   | 3                   | 3                   | ..                 | ..                 | ..                  | ..                  |
| 716                   | United States.....         | 255                 | 289                 | 182                 | 231                 | 61                 | 67                 | 13                  | 10                  |
| 1                     | Unknown or not stated..... | 48                  | 48                  | 7                   | 1                   | ..                 | ..                 | 3                   | 3                   |
| 3                     | West Indies.....           | 3                   | 1                   | 3                   | 1                   | ..                 | ..                 | ..                  | ..                  |
| 7                     | Other countries.....       | 16                  | 15                  | 26                  | 22                  | 10                 | 9                  | 2                   | 1                   |

## Still-Births reported during the week ending July 30, 1881.

| TOTAL. | SEX.  |         |             | COLOR.  |          | NATIVITY OF |         |          |             |    |   | PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION. |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |                |
|--------|-------|---------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|---------|----------|-------------|----|---|----------------------------|----|----|---|---|---|---|----|----|----|----------------|
|        | Male. | Female. | Not stated. |         |          | FATHER.     |         |          | MOTHER.     |    |   | MONTH.                     |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |    | Unknown or not |
|        |       |         |             | Native. | Foreign. | Not stated. | Native. | Foreign. | Not stated. | 1  | 2 | 3                          | 4  | 5  | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |    |    |                |
|        |       |         |             |         |          |             |         |          |             |    |   |                            |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |    |                |
| 48     | 27    | 20      | 1           | 45      | 3        | 13          | 32      | 3        | 19          | 26 | 3 | ..                         | .. | .. | 1 | 4 | 5 | 8 | 5  | 25 | .. | ..             |

## Deaths reported during the week ending July 30, 1881.

| TOTAL. | PLACE OF DEATH. |  |   |                             |                                 |             |           |        |         |        |         | RESIDENCE. | CONDITION.     |                        |              |         |        |      |             |         |          |          |
|--------|-----------------|--|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------|-----------|--------|---------|--------|---------|------------|----------------|------------------------|--------------|---------|--------|------|-------------|---------|----------|----------|
|        | Institutions.   | Tenement-houses (four families or more.) | Houses containing three families or less. | Hotels and Boarding-houses. | In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc. | Not stated. | FLOORS.   |        |         |        |         |            | New York City. | Outside New York City. | Not stated.† | STATED. |        |      |             |         |          |          |
|        |                 |  |   |                             |                                 |             | Basement. | First. | Second. | Third. | Fourth. |            |                |                        |              | Fifth.  | Sixth. | Top. | Not stated. | Single. | Married. | Widowed. |
| 882    | 164             | 484                                      | 218                                       | 4                           | 10                              | ..          | 4         | 164    | 232     | 167    | 95      | 44         | ..             | ..                     | ..           | 878     | 4      | ..   | 65          | 162     | 78       | 577      |

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Deputy Register of Records.



## LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, for the week ending August 8, 1881.

*The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants unless otherwise mentioned.*

## SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

## SUPREME COURT.

In re petition of Jacob Scholle and William Scholle, to vacate assessment for Boulevard sewers, from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street; confirmed May 24, 1881.  
In re petition of Frederick Booss, to vacate assessment for Boulevard sewers, from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street; confirmed May 24, 1881.  
In re petition of Jacob Scholle, Henry Seigman et al., to vacate assessment for Boulevard sewers, from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street; confirmed May 24, 1881.  
In re petition of Catharine A. Ireland, to vacate certain sales of a lot on the south side of Manhattan street, in the City of New York, for unpaid assessments.  
In re petition of Charles F. Willis, to vacate a sale for unpaid assessment for grading of Eighty-fourth street.  
Ernest Conrades—Damages alleged to have been sustained by overflow of cellars, Nos. 1481 and 1489 Second avenue, by bursting of Croton water-pipe, January 31, 1881, \$483.58.

BEFORE THE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION, UNDER CHAPTER 550, LAWS OF 1880.

In re the petition of Robert McCafferty, to vacate, modify or revise assessment for Ninetieth street regulating, etc., between Eighth and Tenth avenues; confirmed December 29, 1876.

## SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

In re Alfred Wagstaff, executor, Tenth avenue sewer, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first streets—General Term order reversing order of the Special Term and reducing assessment entered.  
In re August Schmid, sewers in Boulevard, etc.—General Term order reversing order of the Special Term and reducing assessment entered.  
In re Wm. A. Cauldwell, sewers in Eighth avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Ninety-second streets—General Term order reversing order of the Special Term and reducing assessment entered.  
In re Wm. A. Cauldwell, sewers in Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets—General Term order reversing order of the Special Term and reducing assessment entered.  
In re The International Bank, sewers in Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth streets, between First and Third avenues—General Term order reversing order of the Special Term and reducing assessment entered.  
In re The International Bank, One Hundred and Sixth street sewer—General Term order reversing order of the Special Term and reducing assessment entered.  
Mayor, etc. vs. Hill C. Lewis—Order entered to vacate the judgment.  
Mayor, etc. vs. Hill C. Lewis—Order entered to vacate the judgment.  
People ex rel. Martha S. Greenough vs. Tax Commissioners—Order entered dismissing writ of certiorari and affirming proceedings of the Commissioners.  
In re Abraham Scholle, Sixth avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
George Bickelhaupt—Order entered discontinuing action without cost.  
Michael T. Finn—Order entered discontinuing action without cost.  
In re Sarah E. Cornish, executrix, Sixth avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
In re Sarah E. Cornish, executrix, Seventh avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
In re Sarah E. Cornish, executrix, Sixth avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
In re Joseph Orr and ano., Avenue A regulating, Eastern Boulevard—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
In re Samuel Phillips, Seventy-second street regulating, Eastern Boulevard—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
In re George W. Douglas, Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
In re Geo. W. Douglas, Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-third to Ninety-second street—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
In re Edward G. Moran, Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-third to Ninety-second street—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
In re Citizens' Fire Insurance Company, Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-third to Ninety-second street—Order to vacate assessment entered.

## SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

In the matter of opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth, etc., streets—Motion to set aside the Special Term orders appointing Commissioners of Estimate and Apportionment, and confirming their report and General Term order of affirmance made before Donohue, J.; motion denied.  
Matter of Wright et al.—Reference proceeded.  
John Maxwell—Reference proceeded.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

## COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

*Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, at the meeting held August 11, 1881:*

Present—Hon. William R. Grace, Mayor (Chairman); Hon. Frederick Smyth, Recorder; Hon. Allan Campbell, Comptroller; Joseph J. McAvoy, Esq., Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

On motion of the Comptroller, the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

The Comptroller submitted the following reports, viz.:

## I.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, August 11, 1881.

*To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:*

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I submit petitions of Abraham Dowdney, for confirmatory deeds of certain parcels of land sold by the Corporation at public auction on April 8, 1852, being lots designated on the official map of said sale as lots Nos. 32, 33, 41, and 42, on Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, for which premises deeds of the Corporation were executed under an order of the Supreme Court, dated August 1, 1866, and

Also, of certain parcels of land sold by public auction on May 21, 1866, designated as lots Nos. 1 and 2 in plot "J," on the map of said sale.

The said sales were regular, and the amount of the purchase money has been paid, together with interest thereon in full, and deposited in the Treasury to the credit of the "Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt."

The reason alleged for asking for confirmatory deeds is that the original deeds from the Corporation were not signed by the then Mayor of the city.

Respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the petitions of Abraham Dowdney, for confirmatory deeds of certain parcels of land sold by the Corporation at public auction April 8, 1852, designated on the official map of said sale as lots Nos. 32, 33, 41, and 42, on Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and of certain lands sold at public auction May 21, 1866, designated on the map of said sales as lots Nos. 1 and 2 in plot "J," be granted, and that the Mayor and Clerk of the Common Council be authorized and directed to execute such proper deeds as the facts of the case may warrant and require, and as shall be approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, and that the Comptroller be authorized to deliver the same when executed and recorded in his office to the said petitioner or his attorney.

The report was accepted, and, on motion, the resolution was adopted.

## II.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 30, 1881.

*To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:*

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I present the petition of John Baylis for a confirmatory deed of a lot of land sold by the Corporation, at public auction, May 21, 1866, to Francis Geis, and designated as lot No. 46, Plot "I," on the map of sale.

The sale was regular and the terms complied with by the purchaser.

The amount of the purchase money has been paid in full into the City Treasury to the credit of the "Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt," as appears by the records and vouchers on file in the Finance Department.

The reason assigned for asking for a confirmatory deed is that the original deed from the Corporation was not signed by the then Mayor of the City.

Respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the petition of John Baylis for a confirmatory deed of lot designated as No. 46, Plot "I," on the map of a sale by the Corporation of the City of New York, held May 21, 1866, be granted, and that the Mayor and Clerk of the Common Council be authorized and directed to execute such proper deed as the facts of the case may warrant and require, and as shall be approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, and that the Comptroller be authorized to deliver the same when executed and recorded in his office, to the said petitioner or his attorney.

The report was accepted, and, on motion, the resolution was adopted.

## III.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 30, 1881.

*To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:*

GENTLEMEN—It appears by a certificate of Daniel G. Rollins, District Attorney for the City and County of New York, that on the complaint of Alfred E. M. Purdy, President of the Medical Society of said city and county, made July 3, 1881, a fine of \$100 was imposed by the Court of General Sessions upon Abraham E. Cox, for violation of the provisions of the act of May 29, 1880, entitled "An act to regulate the licensing of Physicians and Surgeons," and also by a certificate of Charles Blackie, Clerk of the Court of Special Sessions, that on the complaint of Patrick Curren, a fine of \$50 was imposed by said court, July 12, 1881, upon Gustav Ferner for violation of the same provisions of law.

It appears also by the Records of the Finance Department that the amount of fines in both cases was paid into the City Treasury to the credit of the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt," and as section 3 of said act provides that one-half of the fines imposed in such proceedings "shall be paid to the person or corporation making the complaint, the other half into the County Treasury," resolutions are presented to authorize the payment of one-half of said fines to the respective complainants.

Respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the "Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt," be drawn in favor of A. E. M. Purdy for the sum of fifty dollars (\$50), being the one-half of a fine of one hundred dollars imposed on and collected from Abraham E. Cox, by the Court of General Sessions of the City of New York, and due the said Purdy, as provided by section 3 of chapter 513, Laws of 1880.

Resolved, That a warrant payable from the "Sinking Fund for Payment of Interest on the City Debt" be drawn in favor of Patrick H. Curren for twenty-five dollars, being one-half of a fine of fifty dollars imposed on and collected from Gustav Ferner by Court of Special Session, and due the said Curren as informer, as provided by section 3, chapter 513, Laws 1880.

The report was accepted, and, on motion, the resolutions were adopted.

The Comptroller submitted the following communication from the Department of Docks, which, on motion, was referred to the Counsel to the Corporation, viz.:

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
NEW YORK, July 29, 1881.

Hon. WM. R. GRACE, Mayor, Chairman Board of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York:

SIR—At a meeting of the Board, governing this Department, held this day, the following preamble and resolution was adopted, to wit:

"Whereas, There are now several pieces of property upon the water-front of the North and East rivers, alleged to belong to the City of New York, which have been in the possession of citizens having no title thereto, and who for several years have collected the rents and income therefrom; therefore

"Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund request the Counsel to the Corporation to assign special counsel to examine titles and report to this Board all the facts in order that proper rents may be demanded and the interests of the city may be cared for and protected."

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

The Comptroller submitted the following communication from the Department of Docks, viz.:

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
NEW YORK, July 30, 1881.

Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor, and Chairman Board of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York:

SIR—By direction of the Board governing this Department, I have the honor to advise that the resolution adopted by your honorable Board on 16th inst., wherein this Department was requested to furnish a detailed statement of the actual cost per lineal foot of the bulkhead or river wall now building and heretofore built in each year, together with its opinion of having said work executed by contract, and what changes should be made in the present manner of construction, and also to report specifically upon the proposition of John E. Walsh to construct said wall by means of a coffer dam, etc., was duly considered at a meeting of the Board governing this Department, held 29th inst., and I am directed to state in reply that the Commissioners of Accounts are now engaged in making a thorough examination of the accounts of this Department and the method by which it is and has been prosecuting its work of improving the water-front of the city.

The said Commissioners are also carefully examining into the cost of the bulkhead wall referred to, and as soon as they shall have arrived at a conclusion, then this Department will answer in detail the several inquiries as set forth in the resolutions above referred to.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

Ordered on file.

The Comptroller submitted the petition of the German Hospital and Dispensary of the City of New York for an "extension of the lease of the lands upon which the hospital is located, to a term of ninety-nine years from the original beginning of said lease;" together with an act (chapter 272, Laws of 1881) to authorize the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City and County of New York to lease certain lands in the City of New York to the German Hospital and Dispensary of the City of New York; when, on motion of the Recorder, the following resolution, submitted by the Comptroller, was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the petition of the German Hospital and Dispensary for a lease of premises at Seventy-seventh street and Fourth avenue, for ninety-nine years, under chapter 272, Laws of 1881, be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation, requesting him to furnish the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund with his opinion as to the powers of the Commissioners to make such a lease, as is provided for by said act.

W. H. DIKEMAN, Secretary.



## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

*Mayor's Office.*  
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; JOHN TRACEY, Chief  
Clerk; WILLIAM M. IVINS, Secretary.

*Mayor's Marshal's Office.*  
No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
CHARLES REILLY, First Marshal.

*Permit Bureau Office.*  
No. 13½ City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

*Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.*  
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; THOMAS  
BRADY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, In-  
spector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector  
Second District.

## COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

*Office of Clerk of Common Council.*  
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
PATRICK KEENAN, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.  
*City Library.*  
No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
LUKE C. GRIMES, Librarian.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

*Bureau of Incumbrances.*  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

*Bureau of Lamps and Gas.*  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

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

*Bureau of Sewers.*  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEVENSON 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.*  
JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

*Comptroller's Office.*  
Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRES,  
Deputy Comptroller.

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

*Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears  
of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.*  
No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ARTEMAS CADDY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of  
Arrears.

*Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets*  
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS F. DEVOE, Collector of City Revenue and  
Superintendent of Markets.

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

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

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

## LAW DEPARTMENT

*Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.*  
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Saturday, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.  
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

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

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORREC-  
TION.

*Central Office.*  
No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8:30 A. M.  
to 5:30 P. M.  
JACOB HESS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

*Headquarters.*  
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
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 to 3 P. M.)

*Attorney to Department.*  
WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street and  
No. 120 Broadway.

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

*Repair Shops.*  
Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.  
JOHN MCCABE, Captain-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

*Hospital Stables.*  
No. 199 Christie street.  
DEREDICK 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. 35 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

*DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS*  
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; ALBERT STORER,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

51 Chambers Street, Rooms 10, 11 & 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. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER,  
Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

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

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.  
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney; B. B. FOSTER,  
Chief Clerk.

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

## RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.

RICHARD M. HOE, 504 Grand street.  
JOHN J. CRANE, 138th street, Morrisania.  
GUSTAV SCHWAB, 2 Bowling Green.  
CHARLES L. PERKINS, 23 Nassau street.  
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, 6 Bowery.

## SUPREME COURT.

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

## SUPERIOR COURT.

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

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

32 Chambers street. Parts I and II.  
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, Presiding Judge of the  
General Sessions; HENRY A. GILDENLEEVE and RUFUS  
B. COWING, Judges.  
Terms first Monday each month.  
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

## MARINE COURT.

General Term, Room 15, City Hall.  
Trial Term, Parts I, II, and III, second floor, City  
Hall.

Special Term, Chambers, Room 21, City Hall, 10 A. M.  
to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room 10, City Hall.  
GEORGE SHEA, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Clerk.

## OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor  
southeast corner, Room 13, 10:30 A. M.  
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park,  
second floor, northwest corner.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS

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

## 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.  
JOHN CALLAHAN, Justice.

Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards  
Nos. 112 and 114 White street, 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.  
JOHN A. DINKEL, Justice.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth  
Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.  
TIMOTHY J. CAMPBELL, 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.  
J. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN, Justice.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, south-  
west 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,  
CHARLES A. FLAMMER, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T.  
KILBRETH, BANKSON T. MORGAN, HENRY MURRAY,  
MARCUS OTTENBERG, SOLON B. SMITH, BENJAMIN C.  
WANDELL, and HUGH GARDINER.  
GEORGE W. CREIGER, Secretary.  
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One  
Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

## JURORS.

## NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR  
STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, July 1, 1880.

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

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

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

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

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

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

No. 1. RESETTING CURB AND GUTTER-  
STONES, AND RELAYING THE FLAG-  
GING OF THE SIDEWALKS in Lexington  
avenue, between One Hundred and Second  
street and the Harlem river, where required.  
No. 2. REGULATING AND GRADING One Hun-  
dredth street, from the east curb of Third ave-  
nue to the west line of Second avenue, and  
SETTING CURB STONES AND FLAG-  
GING SIDEWALKS therein.

No. 3. SEWER in West Fourth street, between Christo-  
pher and West Tenth streets.

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

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

that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the per-  
sons making the same within three days after the contract  
is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or  
refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has  
been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of  
the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained  
by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such  
neglect or 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 bids or estimates, the proper envelopes  
in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agree-  
ments, and any further information desired can be obtained  
for Regulating and Grading, at Room No. 5, and for  
Sewers, at Room No. 8, 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.

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

## TO BOILER MAKERS.

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

FURNISHING ALL THE MATERIALS, BUILD-  
ING AND PUTTING UP A BOILER IN  
THE BOILER HOUSE AT HIGH BRIDGE,  
AND ALL LABOR NECESSARY; TO  
TAKE OUT THE TWO OLD BOILERS  
NOW IN USE, AND DELIVERING SAME  
AND APPURTENANCES NOT USED IN  
THE NEW WORK ON THE WHARF  
AT HIGH BRIDGE.

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

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

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

## TO WATER PIPE MANUFACTURERS.

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

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

No. 2. Five Hundred and Twenty-five (525) Thirty-six  
(36) inch pipe, Six (6) Twenty (20) inch pipe,  
Twenty (20) Twelve (12) inch pipe, Twenty (20)  
Six (6) inch pipe, and Sixty tons of branches and  
special castings, to be delivered on Jerome  
avenue, between Croton avenue and Williams-  
bridge road.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by  
either a certified check upon one of the National Banks  
of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Com-  
ptroller, 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 in-  
closed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but  
must be handed to the officer or clerk who has charge of  
the Estimate Box, and no estimate can be deposited in  
said box until such checks or money has been examined by  
said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such  
deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be re-  
turned 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 afo-  
resaid, 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 agree-  
ments, and any further information desired can be obtained  
on application at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room  
10, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

## CROTON WATER RATES.

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







payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the price therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of November, 1881, and the damages to be paid by the contractor, for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled, after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of a service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and re-let, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

HENRY F. DIMOCK,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
WILLIAM LAIMBEER,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, AND LUMBER.

### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

#### DRY GOODS.

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

#### GROCERIES, ETC.

20,000 Fresh Eggs, (all to be candled).  
20,000 pounds Rice.  
5,000 " Barley.  
2,000 " Macaroni.  
2,500 gallons Molasses.  
500 pounds Prime Kettle-rendered Lard.  
100 bags Coarse Meal.  
50 " Bran.  
50 barrels Oatmeal.  
50 " Wheaten Grits.  
50 boxes Laundry Starch.  
2 casks Prunes.  
10 gross Table Spoons.  
5 " Bowls.

#### LUMBER.

10,000 feet Pine Shelving.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 19th day of August, 1881. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods, Groceries, and Lumber," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named; at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. 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 estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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 re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, August 5, 1881.

JACOB HESS,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
TOWNSEND COX,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
New York, August 9, 1881.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Johanna Lovell; age 41 years; 5 feet 6 1/2 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted one striped shawl, one brown hat. Nothing known of friends.

Catharine Ware; age 68 years; 5 feet high; blue eyes; grey hair. Had on when admitted light calico wrapper, black straw hat, and slippers. Nothing known of friends or relatives.

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

Samuel Cisco; colored; age 22 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black eyes; black hair. Had on when admitted dark suit clothes. Nothing known of friends or relatives.

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

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

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, AUGUST 10, 1881.

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

By order of

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

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Second to One Hundred and Tenth streets.

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

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

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

No. 5. Flagging sidewalks full width, on west side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-fifth streets.

No. 6. Setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging four feet wide Seventy-sixth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 7. Sewers in Avenue B, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-sixth streets, and in Eighty-fifth street, between Avenues A and B.

No. 8. Paving Forty-third street, commencing 100 feet east of First avenue to the East river, with trap-block pavement.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No. 18. Sewer in Forty-third street, between Second and Third avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

of Sixty-fifth street, and on south side of Sixty-sixth street east of Fifth avenue, and on northeast corner of Sixty-sixth street and Fifth avenue.

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

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

No. 39. Sewer in Prince street, between Broadway and Crosby street.

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

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

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

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

No. 3. Both sides of Elm street, between Pearl and Worth streets.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 5. West side of Fourth avenue, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets.

No. 6. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 7. Blocks bounded by Eighty-third and Eighty-sixth streets, Avenues A and B; also Public Park on east side of Avenue B.

No. 8. Both sides of Forty-third street, commencing 100 feet east of First avenue to East river.

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

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

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

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

No. 13. Both sides of Water street, between Roosevelt street and James slip.

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

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

No. 16. West side of Second avenue, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets, and extending westerly 100 feet on Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets.

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

No. 18. South side of Forty-third street, between Second and Third avenues, and block bounded by Forty-third and Forty-fourth streets, Second and Third avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No. 30. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifth street, between the Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

No. 31. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Tenth avenue and Morningside avenue.

No. 32. South side of Eighty-third street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and east side of Ninth avenue, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets.

No. 33. East side of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, and north side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, extending one hundred and fifty-two feet eleven inches easterly from Madison avenue.

No. 34. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 35. South side of One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 36. East side of Fifth avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, and north side of Sixty-fifth street, extending easterly one hundred feet from Fifth avenue.

No. 37. Both sides of Sixty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 38. Both sides of Suffolk street, between Delancey and Rivington streets.

No. 39. Both sides of Prince street, between Broadway and Crosby street.

No. 40. Both sides of West Fourth street, between West Tenth and Charles streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11 1/2 City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

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

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
EDWARD NORTH,  
DANIEL STANBURY,  
SAMUEL CONOVER,

Board of Assessors.



DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,  
AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESS-  
MENTS, AND OF WATER RENTS,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,  
NEW YORK, February 1, 1881.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTI-  
fied that the following assessment list was received  
by the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears,  
January 29, 1881, for collection:

CONFIRMED JANUARY 25, 1881, AND ENTERED JANUARY 29,  
1881, NAMELY:

153d street, opening, from the easterly line of the New  
Avenue lying between 8th and 9th avenues, to the Har-  
lem river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before  
March 30, 1881, will be exempt (according to law) from  
interest. After that date interest will be charged at the  
rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

The above assessments are payable at the "Bureau for the  
Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and  
Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until  
2 P. M.

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

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER  
33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of  
New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners  
that the following lists of assessments for local improve-  
ments in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Re-  
vision and Correction of Assessments" on the 15th day of  
July, 1881, and, on the same date, were entered in the  
Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for  
the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes  
and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

Eleventh avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from Fifty-  
ninth to Seventy-second street.  
Section 5 of the said act provides that, "If any such  
assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty  
days after the date of entry thereof, in the said record of  
titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer au-  
thorized to collect and receive the amount of such assess-  
ment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest there-  
on at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be cal-  
culated from the date of such entry to the date of pay-  
ment."

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

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

That the respective owners of all lands and tenements  
in the City of New York on which taxes have been laid  
and confirmed, situated in the Wards Nos. 1 to 24 inclu-  
sive, for the Years 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875, and 1876,  
and now remaining due and unpaid; and also the respec-  
tive owners of all lands and tenements in the City of  
New York, situated in the Wards aforesaid, on which the  
regular Croton-water rents have been laid for the years  
1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, and 1875, and are now re-  
maining due and unpaid, are required to pay the said  
taxes and Croton-water rents so remaining due and unpaid  
to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at  
his office in the Department of Finance, in the New  
Court-house, with the interest thereon, at the rate of 7  
per cent. per annum, as provided by chapter 33 of the  
Laws of 1881, from the time when the same became due  
to the time of payment, together with the charges of this  
notice and advertisement, and if default shall be made  
in such payment, such lands and tenements will be  
sold at public auction at the New Court-house, in the  
City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday,  
October 10, 1881, at 12 o'clock noon, for the  
lowest term of years at which any person shall offer to  
take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount  
of tax or Croton-water rent, as the case may be, so due and  
unpaid, and the interest thereon, as aforesaid, to the time  
of sale, together with the charges of this notice and ad-  
vertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued  
thereon, and that such sale will be continued from time to  
time, until all the lands and tenements so advertised for  
sale shall be sold.

For the redemption of any property so sold, interest  
will be payable upon the amount of the purchase money,  
at the rate of fourteen per cent. per annum.

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

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

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
June 27, 1881.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

47th street Paving, from Madison avenue to Harlem  
road.  
76th street Paving, from 2d avenue to Avenue A.  
94th street Paving, from Lexington to 4th avenue.  
115th street Paving, from 3d to 4th avenue.  
4th avenue Flagging, east side, between 62d and 65th  
streets.

96th Street Sewer, between 5th and Madison avenues.  
128th street Sewer, between 2d and 3d avenues.  
Washington street Sewer, between Gansevoort and  
Little West 12th streets.  
60th street, Fencing Vacant Lots, both sides, between  
10th and 11th avenues.  
Broadway, Fencing Vacant Lots, west side, between  
55th and 56th streets.  
60th street, Fencing Vacant Lots, south side, between  
10th and 11th avenues.  
73d street, Fencing Vacant Lots, south side, between  
9th and 10th avenues.  
77th street, Fencing Vacant Lots, south side, between  
8th and 9th avenues.  
Lexington avenue, Fencing Vacant Lots, both sides, be-  
tween 75th and 76th streets.

75th street, Fencing Vacant Lots on northwest and  
southwest corners of 9th avenue and on 75th street, both  
sides, near 10th avenue, and on 10th avenue, east side, be-  
tween 74th and 75th streets.

Section 5 of the said act provides that, "If any such  
assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty  
days after the date of entry thereof, in the said record of  
titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer au-  
thorized to collect and receive the amount of such assess-  
ment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest there-  
on at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be cal-  
culated from the date of such entry to the date of pay-  
ment."

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 28, 1881.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER  
33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of  
New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners  
that the following lists of assessments for local improve-  
ments in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Re-  
vision and Correction of Assessments" on the 24th day of  
May, 1881, and, on the same date, were entered in the  
Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for  
the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes  
and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

Boulevard sewers, between 59th and 61st streets.  
Boulevard sewers, between 77th and 92d streets.  
Boulevard sewers, between 92d and 100th streets.  
Boulevard sewers, between 100th and 153d streets.  
Madison avenue sewer, between 110th and 113th streets.  
Avenue A sewer, between 10th and 11th streets.

Section 5 of the said act provides that, "If any such  
assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty  
days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of  
titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer au-  
thorized to collect and receive the amount of such assess-  
ment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest there-  
on at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be cal-  
culated from the date of such entry to the date of pay-  
ment."

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  
27, 1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided,  
and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest  
at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of  
entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER  
33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of  
New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners  
that the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred  
and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to Harlem river was  
confirmed by the Supreme Court on the 12th day of May,  
1881, and entered on the 10th day of May, 1881, 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 au-  
thorized to collect and receive the amount of such assess-  
ment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest there-  
on at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be cal-  
culated from the date of such entry to the date of pay-  
ment."

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 19,  
1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and  
after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at  
the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry  
in the Record of Titles and Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
May 4th, 1881.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER  
33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of  
New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners  
that the following lists of assessments for local improve-  
ments in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Re-  
vision and Correction of Assessments" on the 28th day of  
April, 1881, and, on the same date, were entered in the  
Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for  
the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes  
and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

Avenue B sewer, between 75th and 82d streets.  
2d avenue sewer, between 75th and 76th streets.  
Lexington avenue sewer, between 103d and 104th  
streets.

11th avenue sewer, west side, between 59th and 60th  
streets.

12th avenue sewer, between 131st and 133d streets.  
Laight street sewer, between Washington and West  
streets.

Madougl street sewer, between West 4th street and  
West Washington place.

Jackson street sewer, between Grand and Madison  
streets.

68th street sewer, between 4th and Madison avenues,  
etc.

72d street sewer, between 1st and 2d avenues.  
73d street sewer, between 8th and 10th avenues.  
103d street sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues.  
104th street sewer, between 9th and 10th avenues.  
104th street sewer, from 650 feet east of 10th avenue to  
75 feet west of 9th avenue.

143rd street sewer, between 10th avenue and summit  
east of 10th avenue.  
113th street sewer, between Madison and 5th avenues,  
etc.

122d street sewer, between 6th avenue and summit  
west of Sixth avenue.  
122d street sewer, between 7th avenue and summit east  
of 7th avenue.

127th street sewer, between 7th and 8th avenues.  
129th street sewer, between 6th and 8th avenues.  
130th street sewer, between 6th avenue and Summit  
west of 6th avenue.

5th avenue basin, west side, between 60th and 61st  
streets.  
11th street basin, southwest corner Dry Dock street.  
60th street basin, northeast corner 5th avenue.

93d street regulating, grading, etc., from 2d avenue to  
East river.  
152d street regulating, grading, etc., from Boulevard to  
Hudson river.

Broadway regulating, grading, etc., from Manhattan  
street to 133d street.  
38th street paving, from 9th to 10th avenue.  
4th avenue paving, at intersection of 83d, 84th, 85th and  
86th streets.

104th street paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.  
13th avenue paving, between West 11th and West 16th  
streets.

70th street fencing vacant lots, south side, between 4th  
and Lexington avenues.  
80th and 81st streets fencing vacant lots, between Madi-  
son and 5th avenues.

Madison avenue fencing vacant lots, southeast and south-  
west corners 127th street.

Section 5 of the said act provides that, "If any such  
assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty  
days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of  
titles of assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer au-  
thorized to collect and receive the amount of such assess-  
ment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest there-  
on at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be cal-  
culated from the date of such entry to the date of pay-  
ment."

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 5,  
1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and  
after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at  
the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry  
in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, AND OF  
ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF  
WATER RENTS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
CITY HALL PARK,  
NEW YORK, April 25, 1881.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTI-  
fied that the following assessment list was received  
by the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears,  
April 25, 1881, for collection:

CONFIRMED APRIL 14, 1881, AND ENTERED APRIL 25, 1881.  
80th street opening, from 8th avenue to New road, and  
from 12th avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or  
before June 24, 1881, will be exempt (according to law) from  
interest. After that date interest will be charged at the  
rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

The above assessments are payable at the "Bureau for the  
Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and  
Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until  
2 P. M.

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

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

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

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

## CHAPTER 33.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of the  
City of New York to give public notice, by advertisement,  
for at least ten days, in the CITY RECORD, printed and  
published in said city, immediately after the confirmation  
of any assessment for a local improvement or street open-  
ing in said city, that the same has been confirmed,  
specifying the title of such assessment and the date of its  
confirmation by the Board of Revision and Correction of  
Assessments in proceedings for local improvements, and

by the Supreme Court in proceedings for street openings,  
and also the date of entry in the record of titles of assess-  
ments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments,  
and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Croton  
water rents, notifying all persons, owners of property  
affected by any such assessment, that, unless the amount  
assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be  
paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of any  
such assessment, interest shall thereafter be collected  
thereon as provided in the following section of this act,  
and all provisions of law or ordinance requiring any other  
or different notice of assessments and interest thereon are  
hereby repealed.

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

Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

First—"The Bureau or the Collection of Assessments,  
and "The Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes  
and Assessments, and of Water Rents," shall be consoli-  
dated as one bureau, and on and after January 1, 1881,  
shall be known as "The Bureau for the Collection of  
Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and  
of Water Rents," and possess all the power conferred and  
perform all the duties imposed by law and ordinance upon  
both said bureaux, and the officers thereof, the chief  
officer of which consolidated bureau shall be called "Col-  
lector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears."

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

BERNARD KENNEY,  
JOSEPH P. STRACK,  
HENRY C. PERLEY,  
THOMAS SHELLS,  
JAMES L. WELLS,  
Committee on Public Works.

## ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

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

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

The notice must specify the particular assessment com-  
plained 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 re-  
spect to said real estate.

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

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

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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