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### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending October 21, 1882:

#### Deposits in the Treasury.

To the Credit of the Sinking Fund .....	\$46,258 42
City Treasury .....	422,939 08
Total .....	\$469,197 50

#### Stock and Bonds Issued.

Three and one-half per cent. Bonds .....	\$308,000 00
Four per cent. Bonds .....	5,000 00
Four per cent. Stock .....	50,000 00
Total .....	\$363,000 00

#### Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance, and Strengthening .....	\$2,634 78
Assessment Commission—Expenses of .....	80 50
Advertising .....	47 00
Board of Estimate and Apportionment—Expenses of .....	200 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of .....	2,355 84
Bronx River Bridges—Rebuilding, etc. ....	12 59
Central Park—Transverse Roads, etc. ....	180 00
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning .....	13,537 24
Croton Water Fund .....	33,272 95
“ Rent Refunding Account .....	201 90
Construction of Bridge over Harlem River .....	30 50
Commissioners of Excise Fund .....	1,316 21
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office .....	7 45
“ Department of Public Works .....	62 50
“ District Attorney's Office .....	100 00
“ Law Department .....	1,560 00
“ Mayor's Office .....	30 20
Dock Fund .....	22,815 38
Entrances into Central Park .....	17,843 96
Fire Department Fund .....	5,301 21
Free Floating Baths .....	65 00
For Laying New and Repairing Old Walks, etc. ....	2,036 14
Health Fund .....	28 80
Hospital for Care of Contagious Diseases .....	210 72
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvement and Maintenance .....	198 29
Institute for Instruction of Deaf Mutes .....	3,150 00
Interest on the City Debt .....	3,786 47
Judgments .....	3,043 44
Laying Croton Pipes .....	576 61
Le Couteux St. Mary's Institute .....	30 00
Manhattan Square, Improvement of .....	645 46
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards .....	4,185 18
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places .....	9,202 55
Music—Central and Public Parks .....	1,025 00
New York Institute for Instruction of Deaf and Dumb .....	4,993 89
New York Infirmary for Women and Children .....	275 00
New York Catholic Protectors .....	17,231 47
New York Infant Asylum .....	4,589 00
Nursery and Child's Hospital .....	8,331 24
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs .....	613 50
Public Charities and Correction .....	36,758 55
Public Drinking Hydrants .....	702 35
Public Instruction .....	231,740 11
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books .....	418 44
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error .....	126 50
Revenue Bonds of 1882 .....	150,000 00
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works .....	978 50
Roads, Streets and Avenues—Unpaved, etc. ....	1,210 99
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading .....	11,529 12
Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc. ....	2,413 35
Riverside Park and Avenue .....	16 15
Real Estate, Expenses of .....	55 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues—Chapter 476, Laws 1875 .....	1,132 82
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues .....	453 80
Street Improvements authorized, etc., after June 9, 1880 .....	43,935 29
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices .....	1,747 80
Sewers and Drains .....	27 50
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning .....	816 61
Salaries—Department of Public Works .....	192 00
Surveying, Laying Out, etc. ....	63 99
Surveys, Maps, Plans, etc. ....	68 09
Sheriff's Fees .....	24 80
St. Joseph's Improved Institute .....	3,868 89
Tax Sales—Moneys Refunded .....	51 50
Tenement-house Fund .....	157 50
The Test of Appliances, etc. ....	29 00
Total .....	\$643,770 69

#### CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 21, 1882.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
5865	Oct. 16, 1882	Docks .....	Union Dredging Co. ....	Dredging at Twenty-fifth street, East River. Estimate, \$2,700.

#### SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Mary Bell .....	\$1,173 00	Order directing payment of award into Court, in matter of opening Morris avenue .....	S. Williamson.
Com. Pleas	Catharine Brassell .....	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received from falling on ice at corner Cherry and Jackson streets, on February 9, 1882 .....	Johnston, T. & B.
Supreme..	John Holloway .....	.....	Judgments and stipulations in cases of Emily Momberger, Ernest Hall, Henry S. Van Fleet, in relation to certain awards made to "unknown owners" for opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, etc., and interest thereon .....	C. L. Westcott.
Superior..	Philip Quinlan, plaintiff appellant, agst. Jeremiah P. Russell defendant, respondent, impleaded with the Mayor, etc. ....	.....	Order reversing order of December 22, 1880, with costs, etc., to be paid by defendant, and that all proceedings on part of plaintiff and the Mayor, etc., under judgment of decree of December 22, 1880, be stayed during appeal of defendant to Court of Appeals, etc. ....	Jno. H. Strahan.
Supreme..	Jacob Scholle and others .....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for Boulevard sewers, Seventy-seventh to Ninety-second street, One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street .....	A. B. Johnson.
“	Ashbel H. Barney .....	1,925 00	To recover amount paid on February 18, 1879, as an assessment against lot No. 11, farm Nos. 65, 66, and 68, for the work of regulating, etc., Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street .....	“
“	Samuel M. Cohn et al. ....	400 00	To recover amount of assessment paid February 2, 1879, on lots, Ward Nos. 13, 14, farm 68, for regulating, etc., Tenth avenue, etc. ....	“
“	David Stewart .....	300 00	To recover amount paid as assessment on Lots 8 and 9, Block 68, on February 20, 1879, for regulating, etc., Tenth avenue .....	A. B. Johnson.
“	Samuel M. Cohn and Jesse Seligman .....	200 00	To recover amount paid as assessment on Lot 12, Farm 68. Paid February 21, 1879. ....	“
“	Edwin R. Fay .....	93 53	To recover amount paid as assessment on Lot 43, Farm 5. Paid November 6, 1879. ....	“
“	The Mayor, etc., agst. John B. Dingeldein and Joseph Hartmann .....	1,881 66 21 76	Transcript of Judgment .....	“
Superior..	“	“	For amount of overpayment made on December 12, 1873, on account of an assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from east of Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue, on Lot No. 326 .....	E. Sandford.
“	“	“	Summons and complaint for return of overpayments on account of assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from east of Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue, on the following: Paid October 1, 1873, Ward 28, Block 19 .....	“
“	Charles Lauder .....	20 72	“	“
“	Frederick Kaufman .....	61 64	“	“
“	David Lennox .....	92 72	“	“
Supreme..	The Metropolitan Gas Light Company .....	.....	Order reducing assessment for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer .....	Hargous & M.
“	Daniel R. Kendall and William H. Ogilvie .....	.....	Orders reducing assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Eighth avenue to Harlem river .....	A. B. Johnson.

#### CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Chas. Zander .....	20 72	For amount of overcharge paid as assessment on lot Ward No. 28, Block 9, for grading, etc., One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from east of Third avenue to St. Ann's avenue .....	A. B. Johnson.
Fred. Kaufman .....	61 64	For amount of overcharge paid as assessment on lot Ward Nos. 351 and 352 .....	“
David Lennox .....	92 72	For amount of overcharge paid as assessment on lot Ward Nos. 358 and 359 .....	“
Jno. Gordon, Administrator .....	20 72	For amount of overcharge paid as assessment for lot Ward No. 12, Block 20 .....	“

#### Opening of Proposals.

October 19. The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the Department of Public Works for constructing sewers, receiving-basins and for paving with trap and granite block pavements in the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated October 6, 1882, and published in the CITY RECORD.

#### Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals:

October 16. For furnishing 300 quintals of codfish for use of Department of Public Charities and Correction.

Chas. F. Matlage, 276 Greenwich street, Principal.  
James A. Craig, 312 West Thirtieth street, } Sureties.  
James S. Coward, 270 Greenwich street, }

October 18. For regulating and grading One Hundred and Twelfth street from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

John Brady, 288 South Second street, Brooklyn, Principal.  
Wm. H. Adams, 351 Second avenue, } Sureties.  
Jas. R. Candler, 235 East Thirty-third street, }



- October 21. For furnishing uniforms for police force of Department of Public Parks.  
A. Hubbard Miller, 101 and 103 Nassau street, Principal.  
Wm. H. Burns, Ashland House, { Sureties.  
J. W. Ferris, 477 West Fifty-seventh street, }
- October 21. For completing unfinished outlet sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Hudson river to and through public drive, and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street to Tenth avenue, with branches in Tenth avenue, in public drive and Eleventh avenue and in One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, etc.  
John Slattery, 788 Fourth avenue, Principal.  
Dennis McGrath, 35 East One Hundred and Fourth street, { Sureties.  
John Davidson, 116 East Fifty-sixth street, }
- October 21. For constructing sewer in Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets.  
Nutt & Kearns, 404 West Forty-ninth street and One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Willis and Brook avenues, Principals.  
Jno. D. Crimmins, 40 East Sixty-eighth street, { Sureties.  
Wm. Hullihan, 347 West Fifty-third street, }
- October 21. For constructing sewer in Avenue A, between Ninety-second street and Harlem river.  
Jno. McKinn & Son, 326 East Fifty-eighth street, Principals.  
Jas. Williams, 442 West Forty-seventh street, { Sureties.  
Maurice B. Flynn, 242 East Twelfth street, }
- October 21. For regulating and grading Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and setting curb stones and flagging side-walks therein.  
James H. Perkins, 61 South street, Principal.  
Alex. J. Howell, 336 West Nineteenth street, { Sureties.  
Wm. H. McDougall, 5 Cortlandt street, }

#### Substitution of Sureties.

- October 21.—Proposal of John B. Devlin, for paving, etc., newly-made land from south side of Pier, new 38, to 50 feet north of Pier, new 41, North river, returned to the Department of Docks for the action of said Department on the proposed substitution of Maurice B. Flynn, No. 242 East Twelfth street, and David Babcock, 32 Broadway, as sureties thereon, in the place of David P. Arnold, 214 East Ninth street, and Edward C. Sheehy, 411 East Eighty-eighth street, the original sureties.
- October 21.—Proposal of Lewis P. Hendrick, for building a reservoir at Rye Ponds, returned to Department of Public Works for the action of said Department on the proposed substitution of Laurence Ennis, 423 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn, as a surety thereon in the place of James Naughton, 49 West Twenty-sixth street, one of the original sureties.

#### Appointments.

- October 18.—As Temporary Clerks, with compensation at \$3.00 per diem, in Bureau for Collection of Taxes, to take effect Oct. 21, 1882—Philip J. Brady, Chas. W. Welsh, Albin Marie, Jas. J. Fitzmons, Wm. S. Hall, Francis J. Kavanah, Chas. A. DuMoulin, Wm. F. McCusker, Frederick O'Byrne, Chas. W. Brandt, J. W. Bouck, Michael Hayes, Henry B. Walls, Moses L. Phillips, Henry J. Cogan. As Temporary Messengers, compensation \$3.00 per day—John Dunn, Christopher A. Farrell. Superintendent of Ladies' Department—Mary Woolley.
- October 20.—Additional Temporary Clerks, with compensation at \$3.00 per diem, in Bureau for Collection of Taxes, to take effect Oct. 21, 1882—John C. Keating, Jas. M. Kelly, Jas. H. North, Edward L. Jones, John Donnelly, Wm. H. Robison, Frank D. Johnstone, Spencer W. Cone, Joseph E. Moss, Warren C. Bennett, Jacob Lebkuchner, Jr.
- October 21.—Chas. Faas as Temporary Clerk, etc., to take effect October 23, 1882. Compensation at rate of \$3.00 per diem.

RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held October 18, 1882.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meetings held October 11 and 13, instant, were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and,

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

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting as to repairs required to Pier, new 43, North river.

2d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2394, submitting specifications for repairing the Pier at Twenty-third street, East river.

3d. Reporting in reference to water grants, etc., affecting the premises at One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Harlem river.

The following communications were received, read, and,

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

From Hudson Tunnel Railway Co.—Diagram showing the present state of the work under the bulkhead wall at Morton street, North river.

From Erie and Western Transportation Co.—In reference to the condition of the pavement approach to Pier 2, East river. Secretary directed to advise the Department of Public Works as to the condition thereof, and to request that the same be repaired.

From John F. Doyle—In reference to the paving done at the approach to Pier 15, East river. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

From Charles S. Brown—In reference to repairing, and stating that repairs were made to the east half of Pier 54, East river.

From Union Dredging Co.—Accepting contract for dredging at Twenty-fifth street, East river.

From Pennsylvania Railroad Co., lessees—Requesting copy of map of premises at Pier, old 1, North river. Secretary to send copy when obtained.

From D. T. Winter—Requesting permission to use the pier at foot of Jay street, North river, during the month of December, for Christmas trees.

From George B. Lawton—In reference to incumbrances on the piers and bulkheads on the North and East river water front.

From Van Vleck & Co.—Application for permission to erect and maintain a tally-house, in accordance with the rules, on Pier 11, East river. Application granted, and permit to be issued by the Secretary for the same, when constructed as required by the rules.

From Sanderson & Son—Requesting permission to erect temporary office on Pier, new 37, North river. Application denied.

From John Gillies—In reference to the completion of the Pier at Forty-sixth street, North river.

From Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Enclosing resolution authorizing the issue of Dock Bonds to the amount of \$250,000.

From Central Vermont Railroad and Steamboat Line, lessees—Application for permission to erect and maintain derrick for hoisting coal on Pier 37, East river. Application granted during the pleasure of the Board, and to be erected under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From Oceanic Steam Navigation Co., lessees—In reference to elevator and platform on Pier, new 45, North river. Secretary to advise that the matter has been referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to confer with Mr. Cortis in regard to the plans and specifications therefor.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting amount of work done during the week ending October 6, instant.

2d. Reporting amount of work done during the week ending October 14, instant.

3d. Reporting that the owners of the bulkhead between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, North river, had not repaired the same. Secretary directed to request Mr. Jacob Sharp to meet with the Board on Friday, 20th instant, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

4th. Reporting that the owners of the bulkhead, south of Bethune street, North river, have not commenced to repair the same. Engineer-in-Chief to make further report in respect thereto.

5th. Reporting in reference to the completion of the Pier at Forty-sixth street, North river. Secretary directed to notify the Corporation Wharfingers to collect wharfage from vessels using the pier.

6th. Reporting the suspension of Acting Watchman Thomas Mahon, for being found asleep while on duty on October 8, instant. Action approved, and the said Thomas Mahon discharged.

7th. Reporting that the repairs made to the east half of Pier 54, East river, by the owner thereof, were not made in a proper manner. Secretary directed to notify Mr. Charles S. Brown that proper repairs must be made by him thereto within three days, under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, or this Department would do the work at his cost and expense.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2564, that the erection of the platforms and sheds north of Pier, old 10, North river, had been superintended by him.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2639, that he had superintended the repairs made to Pier, old 10, North river.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2670, that the "Iron Steamboat Company" had not made the repairs to Pier, new 1, North river, as ordered by the Board. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to do the work, and report the cost thereof, to be collected from the Steamboat Company.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2674, that requisition had been made for cast-iron sockets for receiving the foot of coal-derrick masts.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2699, as to amount of dredging required at the ferry premises foot of Wall street, East river.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2702, that repairs were made to the pavement approach to the dumping-board at Market street, East river.

14th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2715, that the pavement in front of Pier 48, East river, had been repaired.

15th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2717, that the bulkhead between Piers, new 45 and new 47, have been repaired.

16th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2731, as to repairs required to the bulkhead between Piers 14 and 15, East river. Secretary directed to transmit copy of report to Mr. Doyle.

17th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2735, that the Department property used by the Public Bath at Nineteenth street, East river, had been removed to the Department Yard at Seventeenth street, East river.

18th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2744, that the gang-plank for use by fire engines at One Hundred and Seventeenth street, East river, had been replaced.

19th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2750, that the hoisting derrick on Pier 37, East river, had been removed to the Department Yard at Seventeenth street, East river.

From George W. Wanmaker, Corporation Wharfinger:

1st. Reporting that the fender-piles on the south side of Pier, new 45, North river, needed to be repaired. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

2d. Reporting that a fender-pile at Pier, old 1, North river, needed repairing. Secretary directed to notify the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to have the same repaired.

From John Butler, Corporation Wharfinger:

Reporting that the bulkhead at Second avenue and Harlem river was occupied by an old and worthless vessel, and that the owners refuse to pay wharfage. Secretary directed to request the Captain of the Port to have the vessel removed.

From William L. McConkey, Corporation Wharfinger:

1st. Reporting that Pier 20, East river, needed repairing. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report thereon.

2d. Reporting that the bulkhead between Pier 54, East river, and Corlears street, required to be repaired. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report thereon.

3d. Reporting the following-named parties for violation of Rule 7, in using hoisting horses on the piers without laying down a platform:

Peter Rogers, two horses, Pier 46, East river, on October 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13. \$80 00

Peter Duffy, two horses, Pier 51½, on October 9. 10 00

Peter Duffy, one horse, Pier 51½, on October 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14. 25 00

Michael Carroll, one horse, Pier 37, on October 9, 11 and 12. 15 00

Secretary directed to transmit report to the Counsel to the Corporation and to request that proceedings be instituted for the collection of the penalties imposed for the violation of the rule.

4th. Reporting that John Haines had erected on Pier 37, East river, a derrick, without a permit therefor, in violation of Rule 2, and refused to take it down. Secretary directed to send report to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection of the penalty imposed by the rules, for two days—\$50.

From James Fitzpatrick, Corporation Wharfinger:

1st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 2737, in reference to communication from Decker & Rapp respecting lumber on bulkhead south of Bethune street, North river. Secretary directed to send copy of the report to Messrs. Decker & Rapp.

2d. Reporting that on the 10th instant he had notified Decker & Rapp to remove, before October 11 instant, a lot of yellow pine lumber from the bulkhead north of Jane street, North river, but the same had not been removed at date of report, October 14. Secretary directed to transmit report to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection of the penalties imposed for violation of Rule 4, on October 12, 13 and 14—\$150.

3d. Reporting that on October 10 he had notified Messrs. Seaman & Son to remove a large pile of brick from the bulkhead between Horatio and Gansevoort streets, North river, but that the same was not removed at date of report, October 14. Secretary directed to transmit report to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection of the penalty for violation of Rule 4, on October 12, 13, and 14 instant—\$150.

4th. Reporting that David McGlinn had worked a horse on the Pier at Twenty-first street, North river, on October 14, without using a platform, in violation of Rule 7. Secretary directed to transmit report to the Corporation Counsel, for collection of the penalties imposed for violation of the rule.

The communication from S. B. Lawton and others in reference to incumbrances on the piers and bulkheads, from Gansevoort street to Little West Twelfth street, North river, was,

On motion, taken from the table, and, with the report from the Corporation Wharfinger on Secretary's Order No. 2730, in respect thereto, which was received and read, was ordered on file.

The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to report some other suitable place to which the Department property could be removed, and the Secretary to notify the New York City Ice Co. to remove the ice bridge on the bulkhead between Gansevoort and Bogert street, within thirty days from date.

A communication from the Comptroller of the City remitting the penalties imposed for delay in completing contract for furnishing granite by the Cape Ann Granite Company, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the following preamble and resolution in relation thereto unanimously adopted:

Whereas, By virtue of the power vested in the Finance Department by section 31, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Comptroller has decided, as appears from his communication dated 16th instant, to remit the penalty imposed by this Department against the Cape Ann Granite Co. for the non-delivery of granite within the time agreed upon under its contract for furnishing granite stones for bulkhead or river wall, dated February 2, 1881, and deducted in the sum of \$16,150, as follows:

on December 14, 1881, from audited claim No. 7188, \$4,550, and on September 13, 1882, from audited claim No. 7607, \$11,600; therefore,

Resolved, That a requisition be and hereby is directed to be drawn upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$16,150, being the amount now due the Cape Ann Granite Co. under said audited claims, consequent upon the penalty being remitted, and that the bookkeeper charge the amount to the said contract, so that the accounts of the Department shall exhibit Estimates No. 2 and 3, (final), under the said contract as settled and paid in full in the sums of \$7,516.92 and \$21,833.19, respectively.

A communication from the Engineer-in-Chief, submitting specifications and form of contract for dredging at the site for a new wooden pier at Forty-fourth street, North river, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the following resolution in relation thereto, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the specifications and form of contract, as prepared by the Engineer-in-Chief, for dredging at the foot of Forty-fourth street, North river, be and hereby is approved and adopted, subject to the approval of the Counsel to the Corporation as to form, and that the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed, and proper advertisements inviting bids for doing the same work, inserted in the papers designated by law.

Two communications from the Citizen's Steamboat Co. were received, read, and, after hearing Messrs. H. K. Thurber, Joseph Cornell, and J. D. Abrams, a committee on behalf of the company, who appeared before the Board and were heard at length in reference to the application made by the said company for a permanent pier to be assigned for the use of or leased to that company for their business—it being argued in that behalf that the company having both its terminal points within the State, and from the fact of its doing such a large carrying trade, it should be accommodated equally as well as the foreign steamship lines coming to this port—the Board, after discussion on the subject, stated to the committee that when the present lease to the company was up in May next, that they would do what they could to afford the required accommodation to the company; but that at the present time there was not any pier under their control at which they could, in justice to the requirements of trade and the commercial interests of the city, permanently locate the Steamboat Company.

A communication from Peter McDermott, requesting to be heard in reference to the charges made against him as a watchman, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and after hearing Mr. McDermott, who appeared before the Board and made a statement in respect thereto, the following resolution was offered by Commissioner Vanderpoel:

Resolved, That the action taken by the Board on October 2, in discharging Peter McDermott, watchman, be and is hereby reconsidered and rescinded, and that the said McDermott be and is hereby reinstated as a watchman in the service of the Department;

—which was adopted by the affirmative votes of the President and Commissioner Vanderpoel—Commissioner Voorhis voting in the negative.

The communication from Cheney's Towing Line, in reference to damage done to the Pier at Third street, East river, was,

On motion, taken from the table, and, with the report of the Corporation Wharfinger on Secretary's Order No. 2693, in respect thereto, which was received and read, was ordered on file, and the Secretary directed to advise Mr. A. C. Cheney, giving the information desired by him.

The communication from the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, submitting plans for shed on the Pier at foot of Sixty-eighth street, North river, was,

On motion, taken from the table, and, with the report on Secretary's Order No. 2712, from the Engineer-in-Chief, in respect thereto, recommending that the plans be amended in some particulars, which was received and read, was ordered on file, and the following resolution, offered by Commissioner Voorhis, in relation thereto, was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the New York Central and



Hudson River Railroad Company, owners and occupants of the Pier at Sixty-eighth street, North river, which said Company has built upon land lying under water, belonging to the City, and leased to said company by this Department, to erect at their own cost and expense a one-story shed for the reception and delivery of freight received and discharged thereat by steam transportation; the said shed to be erected subject to chapter 249, Laws of 1875, the work of erecting said shed to be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and in accordance with the plans submitted therefor, and as amended by the Engineer-in-Chief and approved by this Board. Said shed to revert to and become the property of the City of New York, free of any claim for cost or otherwise, upon the expiration or sooner termination of the lease for said premises.

The communication from John Kelly, in reference to the provisions of the contract for building the bulkhead between Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, North river, was,

On motion, taken from the table, and, with the report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 2732, in regard thereto, was ordered on file.

A communication from the Engineer-in-Chief, suspending Thomas Brady, watchman, for being found asleep on the night of October 16, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, the action of the Engineer-in-Chief was approved, and the said watchman discharged.

Commissioner Vanderpoel stated that he had been served on the 16th instant, with the copy of an order made and entered in the matter of the People ex rel Mahony Brothers against the Department of Docks, directing that a writ of peremptory mandamus issue to compel the Board of Docks to make and issue a requisition for the sum of \$4,700 in favor of Mahony Brothers. The Board having, on the 11th instant, pursuant to the advice and opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, made a requisition for the amount, and forwarded the same to the Comptroller, no further action was required, and the Secretary was directed to transmit the papers served on Commissioner Vanderpoel to the Counsel to the Corporation, for his information.

Mr. John J. Crane appeared before the Board, and was heard on behalf of the Suburban Rapid Transit Co., respecting the application for permission to erect a bridge across the Harlem river at Second avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, it being urged by him that the City should not make any charge for the premises occupied for the purpose, as the City would be greatly benefited by its construction. No action was taken, and the matter was laid over for consideration.

On motion, the action taken by the Board on the 11th instant, directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair the dumping-board at Seventy-third street, East river, was reconsidered and rescinded, and the matter was laid over for further consideration.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to notify the Corporation Wharfingers to report, in writing, all obstructions, consisting of ice bridges, scales, etc., on the piers and bulkheads in their respective districts.

The Secretary stated that by direction of the Commissioners, the pay-rolls for the construction and general repairs force, for the half month ending October 15, instant, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$5,908.23, had been approved and audited, and that the same were forwarded, together with proper requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department, for payment.

On motion, the action of the Secretary was approved.

Commissioner Vanderpoel, the Treasurer of the Board, presented his report of receipts for the week ending the 18th instant, which was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the Secretary directed to enter the same in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE RECEIVED.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1882.					1882.
Oct. 13	Samuel J. Jelliffe .....	Tracing bet. Piers 39 and 40, E. R.	\$5 00		
" 13	Wharfinger J. W. Wanmaker...	Wharfage received .....	289 99		
" 13	" Jas. Fitzpatrick.....	" " .....	222 83		
" 13	" Wm. L. McConkey. ....	" " .....	15 11		
" 13	" John Butler.....	" " .....	161 78		
				\$694 71	Oct. 17

Respectfully submitted,

JACOB VANDERPOEL, Treasurer.

(Signed)

NEW YORK, October 18, 1882.

The following requisitions were read, and,

On motion, approved:

Requisition No. 162, for repairs to water-closets.....	Estimated cost	\$30 00
" 163, for labor, etc., to paint Engineer-in-Chief's office.....	"	20 00
" 3849, for services of plumber at Pier, new 43, N. R.....	"	155 00
" 3850, for 1,000 cubic yards cobbles.....	"	980 00
" 3851, for 1,000 cubic yards rip-rap.....	"	620 00
" 3852, for 1,000 cubic yards cobbles.....	"	980 00
" 3853, for 2,000 cubic yards rip-rap.....	"	1,240 00
" 3856, for testing 10 samples of iron.....	"	30 00
" 3857, for 8 pieces white oak.....	"	48 00
" 3858, for 1 piece plate iron for P.D. No. 7.....	"	8 00
" 3859, for 100 tons of coal.....	"	455 00
" 3860, for 1,000 1-inch yellow pine wedges.....	"	20 00

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, held October 23, 1882.  
Present—The full Board.

A communication from the Comptroller of the City, informing this Board that Mr. John B. Devlin, the lowest bidder for paving from the south side of Pier, new 38, North river, to fifty feet north of Pier, new 41, North river, proposes to substitute Maurice B. Flynn and David Babcock as the sureties thereon in place of David P. Arnold and Edward C. Sheehy, the original sureties, and inclosing the original bid, together with agreement and affidavits of the said Maurice B. Flynn and David Babcock as sureties thereon, was received, read, and,

On motion, placed on file, and the following resolution unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That in compliance with the requirements of section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, consent be and hereby is given to the substitution of Maurice B. Flynn and David Babcock in place of David P. Arnold and Edward C. Sheehy, as sureties on the estimate of John B. Devlin for paving, etc., from south side of Pier, new 38, to fifty feet north of Pier, new 41, North river, publicly opened October 2, instant; and the consent for such substitutions hereby granted is not in any manner to affect or alter the terms and conditions of the proposed contract as to the time of the completion thereof.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 19, 1882.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending October 14, 1882:

### Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents.....	\$14,550 19
For penalties on Croton water rents.....	247 10
For tapping Croton pipes.....	261 50
For sewer permits.....	317 00
For vault permits.....	28 43
For removing incumbrances.....	7 00
For restoring and repaving—"Special Fund".....	488 00
Total.....	\$15,899 22

### Public Lamps.

- 12 new lamps lighted.
- 1 lamp discontinued.
- 2 lamp-posts removed.
- 1 lamp-post reset.
- 15 lamp-posts straightened.
- 3 columns refitted.
- 9 columns releaded.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending October 14, 1882, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Oct. 9	2 P.M.	75	30.03	Manhattan....	Empire 5 ft.....	.98	5.00	121.8	18.16	18.43
" 10	5 P.M.	75	30.00	" .....	" .....	.88	5.00	120.0	18.32	18.32
" 11	5 P.M.	70	30.09	" .....	" .....	.88	5.00	120.0	17.83	17.83
" 12	3 P.M.	69	30.24	" .....	" .....	.89	5.00	121.2	16.36	16.52
" 13	5 P.M.	71	30.12	" .....	" .....	.89	5.00	114.0	18.00	17.10
" 14	3 P.M.	70	30.00	" .....	" .....	.89	5.00	120.0	17.70	17.70
									Average.	17.65
Oct. 9	6 P.M.	75	30.00	Harlem.....	" .....	.93	5.00	122.4	17.76	18.11
" 10	6.30 P.M.	74	30.01	" .....	" .....	.92	5.00	126.0	17.12	17.97
" 11	6.30 P.M.	72	30.16	" .....	" .....	.92	5.00	120.0	17.62	17.62
" 12	6 P.M.	70	30.25	" .....	" .....	.92	5.00	123.0	17.02	17.44
" 13	6 P.M.	73	30.11	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	115.2	17.82	17.11
" 14	11.30 A.M.	77	30.06	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	121.2	17.24	17.41
									Average.	17.61
Oct. 9	4 P.M.	75	30.03	New York....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.80	5.00	121.2	22.96	23.19
" 10	3.30 P.M.	74	30.00	" .....	" .....	.73	5.00	122.4	24.36	24.85
" 11	2 P.M.	70	30.09	" .....	" .....	.78	5.00	120.0	24.08	24.08
" 12	4.30 P.M.	71	30.24	" .....	" .....	.80	5.00	114.0	25.00	23.75
" 13	3.30 P.M.	70	30.12	" .....	" .....	.81	5.00	114.0	23.96	22.76
" 14	4 P.M.	71	30.00	" .....	" .....	.81	5.00	121.2	19.32	19.51
									Average.	23.02
Oct. 9	3 P.M.	75	30.03	N. Y. Mutual.	" .....	.87	5.00	118.2	27.62	27.20
" 10	4 P.M.	74	30.00	" .....	" .....	.88	5.00	123.0	26.74	27.41
" 11	4 P.M.	70	30.09	" .....	" .....	.85	5.00	119.4	27.40	27.26
" 12	4 P.M.	70	30.24	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	120.0	27.29	27.29
" 13	4 P.M.	71	30.12	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	121.2	26.30	26.56
" 14	2 P.M.	71	30.00	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	120.6	26.82	26.95
									Average.	27.11
Oct. 9	5 P.M.	76	30.03	Municipal.....	" .....	.79	5.00	123.0	28.04	28.74
" 10	3 P.M.	74	30.00	" .....	" .....	.78	5.00	120.0	27.22	27.22
" 11	3 P.M.	70	30.09	" .....	" .....	.78	5.00	115.8	28.16	27.17
" 12	5 P.M.	71	30.24	" .....	" .....	.79	5.00	120.0	27.61	27.61
" 13	3 P.M.	70	30.12	" .....	" .....	.82	5.00	118.2	28.74	28.31
" 14	1 P.M.	71	30.00	" .....	" .....	.81	5.00	121.8	27.48	27.89
									Average.	27.82
Oct. 9	6.30 P.M.	77	30.00	Metropolitan...	" No. 6	.68	5.00	114.0	22.96	21.81
" 10	6 P.M.	73	30.01	" .....	" .....	.68	5.00	120.0	21.93	21.93
" 11	6 P.M.	70	30.16	" .....	" .....	.69	5.00	118.8	22.08	21.86
" 12	6.30 P.M.	71	30.25	" .....	" .....	.68	5.00	120.0	21.61	21.61
" 13	6.30 P.M.	75	30.11	" .....	" .....	.67	5.00	114.0	22.42	21.30
" 14	11 A.M.	76	30.06	" .....	" .....	.67	5.00	118.8	21.70	21.58
									Average.	21.68

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

### Permits Issued.

- 49 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 98 permits to open streets.
- 23 permits to make sewer connections.
- 18 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 1 permit to construct street vaults.
- 178 permits to place building material on streets.

### Obstructions Removed.

- Truck, from 136 Chambers street.
- Truck, from 37 Marion street.
- Stand, from southwest corner South street and Peck slip.
- Boxes, from southwest corner West Broadway and York street.
- Boxes, from southeast corner West Broadway and Reade street.
- Boxes, from southeast corner Elm and Pearl streets.
- Boxes, from Hubert and West streets.
- Sign, from 152 East Forty-seventh street.
- Dry goods, signs, etc., from Nos. 253, 295, 297, 303, 336, 372, 379 Grand street.
- Furniture, from 181 First avenue.
- Barrels, etc., from northeast corner Seventh avenue and Forty-eighth street.
- Furniture, from 413 East Seventeenth street.
- Stoves, etc., from 355 Eighth avenue.
- Barrels, etc., from southwest corner Barclay and Washington streets.
- Boxes, from Hudson and Duane streets.

### Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 47 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 730 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 266 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
- 18 lineal feet of spur pipe laid.
- 48 lineal feet of curb reset.



12 lineal feet of gutter-stone relaid.  
 11 receiving-basins repaired.  
 7 new basin-heads put on.  
 2 basin-heads reset.  
 29 manhole-heads repaired.  
 3 new manhole-heads put on.  
 2 manhole covers put on.  
 25 manhole-heads reset.  
 693 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.  
 147 square yards of pavement relaid.  
 15 square feet of flagging relaid.  
 119 cart-loads of dirt removed.

#### Pavement Repairs.

In Cherry street, between Rutgers and Jefferson streets.  
 In Oliver street, between Front and Water streets.  
 In Water street, between Pine and Cedar streets.  
 In South street, between Jefferson and Clinton streets.  
 In Cannon street, between Rivington and Delancey streets.  
 In Delancey street, between Attorney and Ridge streets.  
 In Leroy street, between Bedford and Hudson streets.  
 In Franklin street, between West Broadway and Hudson street.  
 In West Third street, between Broadway and Wooster street.  
 In Washington street, between West Eleventh and Bank streets.  
 In Mulberry street, between Hester and Bayard streets.  
 In King street, between Washington and West streets.  
 In Reade street, between Church street and West Broadway.  
 In Waverley place, between Broadway and Greene street.  
 In Norfolk street, between Delancey and Rivington streets.  
 In Orchard street, between Division and Hester streets.  
 In Pitt street, between Broome and Delancey streets.  
 In Avenue A, between and Eighteenth Nineteenth streets.  
 In Ninth street, between Avenue B and Avenue C.  
 In Eleventh street, between Avenue B and Avenue C.  
 In Thirty-seventh street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.  
 Foot of Rivington street.  
 In Fifty-sixth street, between First avenue and Avenue A.  
 In Sixty-third street, between First and Second avenues.  
 In Sixty-second street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.  
 In Sixty-fourth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.  
 In Eighteenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.  
 In Forty-seventh street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.  
 In Twenty-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.  
 In Thirty-eighth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.  
 In Fourth avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets.  
 In Fifth avenue, between Forty-second and Forty-third streets.  
 In Thirty-eighth street, between Eleventh avenue and North river.  
 In Broadway, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets.  
 In Forty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.  
 In Fifty-fourth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.  
 In Third avenue, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Eighth streets.  
 In Fifth avenue, between Forty-eighth and Fifty-fifth streets.  
 In Sixty-fourth street, between Third and Lexington avenues.  
 In Sixty-seventh street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

#### Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending October 14, 1882.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	15	209	13	4
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street.....	2	16	..	..
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.....	9	61	..	8
Repairing pavements.....	149	325	..	91
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	3	32	..	15
Maintenance and construction of boulevards and aves.	2	39	7	2
Repairing streets.....	..	14	6	1
Total.....	180	696	26	121
Increase over previous week.....	2	..	..	1
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	..	..

#### Appointments.

Alex. W. McDonald, Inspector on Sewers.  
 James Halpin, " "  
 Hiram J. Greene, " "  
 Arthur Flynn, " "  
 Patrick Carlin, " "  
 William Turner, Inspector on Regulating, etc.

#### Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week, is \$112,239.29.

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

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 24th day of October, 1882.  
 Present—Commissioners French, Mason, and Matthews.

#### Leave of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Thomas Bowes, Fourteenth Precinct, two days, without pay.

#### Deaths Reported.

Doorman James Ryan, Eleventh Precinct, at 4 P. M., 22d instant.  
 Patrolman Robert Moody, Twenty-second Precinct, at 3 A. M., 23d instant.  
 " Patrick B. McLaughlin, Steamboat Squad, at 10.50 A. M. 23d instant.

The following applications for full pay while sick were denied:

Patrolman Michael Flanagan, Nineteenth Precinct.  
 " Ferdinand Voss, Twenty-fourth Precinct.  
 " Charles G. Carroll, Twenty-seventh Precinct.

Application of Patrolman Peter J. Donnelly, Tenth Precinct, for full pay while sick, was referred to the Superintendent for further report and recommendation.

Application of Doorman George H. Empe, Twenty-third Precinct, for leave to employ counsel, was granted.

Application of Michael Cahill for appointment as Patrolman, was ordered on file.

Application of Captain Robbins, Thirty-fourth Precinct, for transfer of two Patrolmen to his precinct for mounted duty, was ordered on file.

Application of Roundsman Joseph H. Pratt, Central Office, for three months' extension of leave of absence, was granted; and the Chief Clerk directed to inform him that no further extension will be allowed.

Communication from Harry Hill, submitting a bill of \$245, for repairs to Steamboat Florence, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies for report.

Communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, approving form of contract and specifications for a supply of coal, was ordered on file.

Communication from the Comptroller, relative to detail of two Patrolmen at the Tax Receiver's Office, was ordered on file.

Resolved, That Patrolman Robert Hicenbotham, Thirty-fourth Precinct, be granted full pay while sick, from September 25th to October 1, 1882.

Resolved, That the report of arrests for the unlawful sale of intoxicating liquors by licensed liquor dealers, on Sunday, October 15, 1882, be placed on file, and a copy forwarded to the Board of Excise, that the licenses of dealers who violate the law and desecrate the Christian Sabbath may be revoked as the law directs.

#### Promotion to Second Grade.

Patrolman James Mackey, Twenty-seventh Precinct.

Resolved, That the following transfers be ordered:

Roundsman Francis McKenna, from Twelfth Precinct to Thirty-fourth Precinct.

" Walter L. Thompson, from Thirty-fourth Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.

Patrolman Garrett Doyle, from Eighth Precinct to Eighteenth Precinct.

" Louis Tancredi, from Eighteenth Precinct to Eighth Precinct.

" James Doyle, from Eighteenth Precinct to Thirty-fourth Precinct, for mounted patrol.

Resolved, That the bill of Frank Glaser, \$100, for carting ballot boxes, be referred to the Comptroller for payment.

Resolved, That, in accordance with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, dated October 20, 1882, the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of \$444.86 from the amount appropriated to the Police Department for the year 1880, entitled "Alterations, fitting up, additions to and repairs of Station Houses," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1880, entitled "Police Fund—Salaries of Patrolmen" which is insufficient; and also that the said Board be and is hereby respectfully requested to transfer the sum of \$1,200 from the amount appropriated to the Police Department for the year 1881, entitled "Alterations, fitting up, additions to and repairs of Station Houses," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for the year 1881, entitled account "Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Surgeons and uniformed force," which is insufficient to enable the Department to pay Lawrence Tallon, or to his attorney, the amount due for salary from June 20, 1880, the date when the said Tallon was restored to membership on the police force by order of the New York Supreme Court, until January 1, 1882.

Resolved, That whenever the Board of Estimate and Apportionment shall have transferred the necessary amounts in pursuance of the foregoing resolution, the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to Lawrence Tallon, or to his attorney, the sum of \$2,713.89, the following amounts being due the said Tallon for salary from June 20, 1880, the date when he was restored to membership on the police force by order of the New York Supreme Court, to October 5, 1882, when he was placed upon the pay-roll of the Sixth Precinct, viz.: 1880, \$603.28; 1881, \$1,200; 1882, \$910.61.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was

Resolved, That the following bills be approved, and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—all aye:

Thomas Byrnes, detective expenses.....	\$40 00	F. W. Devoe & Co, paint.....	\$7 20
William Adams, ".....	56 50	" " oil.....	5 45
Charles Bockhorn, ".....	12 80	Donegan & Reilly, repairs.....	134 82
Thomas Doyle, ".....	30 85	Thomas Fox, horseshoeing.....	38 50
Thomas Farley, ".....	21 95	E. P. Gleeson M't'g Co., gas fittings.....	20 59
William E. Brink, ".....	28 50	" " gas stand.....	8 00
Owen Haley, ".....	48 41	" " ".....	9 75
Charles Heidelberg, ".....	16 30	E. S. Higgins & Co., carpet.....	73 40
William F. Hinds, ".....	18 00	" " matting.....	15 93
James J. Langan, ".....	45 00	Hunt & Co., coal.....	5 75
George Lanthier, ".....	43 95	Louderback, Gilbert & Co., coal hods.....	111 65
Wm. W. McLaughlin, ".....	37 70	E. W. McClave & Co., timber.....	51 68
Edward Muret, ".....	39 45	" " lumber.....	104 56
Charles O'Connor, ".....	50 00	Stephen P. McClave, lumber.....	127 94
Philip Reilly, ".....	52 30	Miller, Morrison & Co., horse brushes.....	16 00
Silas W. Rogers, ".....	37 30	T. W. Morris & Co., glass.....	180 50
John Ruland, ".....	45 60	Hugh Nesbitt, painting.....	48 90
Joseph Weinberg, ".....	39 20	" " ".....	36 58
Albertus Wood, ".....	15 25	" " ".....	16 73
John Heard, ".....	7 00	Ely S. Parker, expenses.....	4 52
William Murray, expenses.....	5 35	Pollock & Van Wagenen, engineers' supplies.....	35 34
" " ".....	19 90	Pollock & Van Wagenen, engineers' supplies.....	65 62
Thos. W. Thorne, ".....	6 80	E. T. Reynolds & Co., paints, etc.....	455 53
Bazzoni & Wittkowsky, repairing wagons.....	21 17	A. Steers, lumber.....	88 83
Bazzoni & Wittkowsky, repairing wagons.....	4 68	James P. Talcott, horse feed.....	212 32
A. V. Benoit, drawing materials.....	29 30	Theodore F. Tone, coal.....	27 50
A. J. Brush, stretcher.....	11 50	Ward & Olyphant, ".....	150 00
N. L. Coe, photographs.....	1 900	White & Co., ".....	26 25
Joseph Comins, repairing wagon.....	6 00	Mary Webb, meals.....	51 60
Communipaw Coal Co., coal.....	222 50	" " ".....	45 60
E. J. Denning, muslin.....	21 40	W. T. Youngs, lumber.....	19 10
			\$2,546 69

#### Bureau of Elections.

Resolved, That in accordance with the opinions of the Attorney General and the Secretary of State, the name of the candidate for Representative of the State at large shall be placed on the ballot indorsed on the outside "Congress Number Three," which ballot on being cast at the election shall be deposited in box marked "Number Three—Congress." The form of the ballot shall be on its face, as follows:

For Representative in Congress for the State at large,

\* \* \* \* \* (One name) \* \* \* \* \*

For Representative in Congress for the \_\_\_\_\_ Congressional District,

\* \* \* \* \* (One name) \* \* \* \* \*

Indorsed on the outside, "Congress Number Three."

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

The Board of Police met on the 26th day of October, 1882.

Present—Commissioners French, Mason and Matthews.

#### Leaves of Absence Granted.

Sergeant William H. Lefferts, Twenty-fifth Precinct, five days.

Patrolman Owen Judge, Seventh Precinct, three days, without pay.

Weekly statement of the Comptroller, showing condition of the several accounts of the Police Department, was referred to the Treasurer.

Application of Patrolman John R. Spencer, Twenty-first Precinct, for full pay while sick, was referred to the Superintendent and Board of Surgeons for report.

The following communications were referred to the Superintendent:

From A. Coles, relative to bonfires.

From H. A. Riley, relative to disreputable firm—S. H. Wood & Co.

From James Borland & Co., relative to trucks on sidewalk in South street.

From J. J. Smith, Watkins, N. Y., relative to Mary McCarthy.

Communication from the Commissioners of Pilots, relative to scows for reception of ashes from steamers, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Resolved, That Patrolman John R. Spencer, Twenty-first Precinct, be and he is hereby detailed to duty at Bellevue Hospital.

#### NEW YORK SUPERIOR COURT.

Philip Lowenthal,  
 against  
 Sergeant Wm. H. Christie, Twentieth Precinct,  
 Patrolman Jas. A. Coyne, Twentieth Precinct.

} Summons.

Referred to the Corporation Counsel to defend, if there are good grounds therefor.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.



## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,  
FRIDAY, October 27, 1882—12 o'clock M.

The Board met in pursuance of an adjournment.

Present—All the members, viz.:

Wm. R. Grace, the Mayor; Allan Campbell, the Comptroller; Wm. Sauer, the President of the Board of Aldermen; Thos. B. Asten, the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments. The minutes of the meeting held October 26, 1882, were read and approved.

On motion, the Board proceeded to the consideration of the Provisional Estimate for 1883.

The Board took up the estimate of the Board of Education for consideration.

Messrs. Walker, Wetmore, Coudert, and Beardsley, Commissioners of Education, appeared before the Board and made statements relative to the estimate of the Board of Education.

The estimate of the Police Department was then taken up for consideration.

Messrs. Mason and Mathews, Commissioners of Police, appeared before the Board and made statements relative to the estimate of the Police Department.

The Comptroller offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of six hundred and twenty-four dollars and sixty cents (\$624.60) be and is hereby transferred from the appropriation made to the Police Department for the year 1880, for "Police Station-houses—alterations, fitting up, additions to and repairs of station-houses, etc.," which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the appropriation made to the same Department for 1883 for "Police Fund—Salaries of Patrolmen," for which it is required.

Which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments—4.

The Chairman presented the following:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE—NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 26, 1882.

Hon. WM. R. GRACE,

Mayor and Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Board the following:

The necessities of the Public Works under the charge of this Department require that the following transfers of appropriations be made from accounts where the amounts are not needed respectively, to wit:

"Aqueduct, Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening—Salaries, 1882," \$950; "Free Floating Baths—Salaries, 1882," \$830; "Laying Croton Pipes—Salaries, 1882," \$750, amounting to \$2,500, to the appropriation "Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning—Salaries," \$2,500; also from the appropriation "Repaving Streets and Avenues for 1882," \$2,100, to the appropriation "Repaving Streets and Avenues—Salaries, 1882," \$2,100, which latter is also insufficient for the objects and purposes for which the amount was set apart.

The early action of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is requested in relation to the subjects herein contained.

Very respectfully,

HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Comptroller.

The estimate of the Street Cleaning Department was then taken up for consideration.

Jas. S. Coleman, Esq., appeared before the Board and made a statement relative to the estimate of the said Department.

The President of the Board of Aldermen moved that when the Board adjourns, it do so to meet to-morrow (28th inst.), at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

Which was agreed to.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, OCTOBER 9 to 14, 1882.

## Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending October 7, 1882: Males, 39; females, 0. On file.

List of 35 prisoners to be discharged from October 15 to 21, 1882. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 2 patients received during week ending October 7, 1882. On file.

From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 3 patients received during week ending October 7, 1882. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending October 7, 1882, \$229. On file.

## Proposals.

Resolved, That the proposals of Fellows & Pratt, to furnish 3,000 pounds butter, at 16 68-100 cents per pound;

N. D. Hare, 25,000 eggs, at 26 41-100 cents per dozen;

C. P. Woodworth, 500 barrels potatoes, at \$1.70 per barrel;

S. T. Willets & Co., 100 barrels oat meal, at \$5.49 per barrel;

C. T. Goodwin & Son, 100 barrels crackers, at 5 cents per pound;

P. Griffing, 500 pounds cocoa, at 25 cents per pound;

Groht & McLaren, 50 boxes cheese, at 8 70-100 cents per pound;

Geo. Delano & Co., 50 boxes candles, at 14 3/4 cents per pound;

R. M. Masterton, 1 cask prunes, at 5 89-100 cents per pound;

C. Morningstar & Co., 10 boxes corn starch, at 6 1/2 cents per pound;

C. H. Townsend, 200 rubber blankets, at 66 cents each;

Horace Ingersoll, 500 bales straw, at 61 3/4 cents per 100 pounds;

—be accepted, and the awards made to them, they being the lowest bidders. Adopted.

## Appointments.

October 10. Maria Reynolds, Nurse, Charity Hospital; salary, \$120 per annum.

11. Marion F. Tracy, Nurse, Charity Hospital; salary, \$120 per annum.

12. John Lecombe, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane; salary, \$216 per annum.

12. William H. Hefferin, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane; salary, \$216 per annum.

12. E. C. Graham, Assistant Bookkeeper, Central Office; salary, \$900 per annum.

13. Alfred Murray, Night Orderly, Bellevue Hospital; salary, \$144 per annum.

13. Maurice Clifford, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane; salary, \$216 per annum.

14. Thomas I. Read, Coxswain, Charity Hospital; salary, \$300 per annum.

14. Maggie Marion, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital; salary, \$168 per annum.

## Resignations.

October 10. Amelia Sheehan, Attendant, Homoeopathic Hospital.

10. J. De Monray, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

12. Rose Waterhouse, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

13. Young Sloan, Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital.

## Dismissals.

October 9. John Ferris, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

10. George Coleman, Keeper, Penitentiary.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph A. Bluxome to erect a storm-door at Nos. 339 and 341 Sixth avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of Louis Kneisl, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Louis Kneisl.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That the ordinance hereto and on the 12th day of September passed by this Board, giving to Edward P. Beach the permission to erect two bay-windows on the building covering lots Nos. 119, 121, 123 and 125 Madison avenue, be and the same hereby is amended as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward P. Beach and others, on behalf of the corporation, No. 121 Madison avenue, to erect two bay-windows and one oriel window, in accordance with the diagram accompanying said ordinance, on the building to be erected by it on lots Nos. 119, 121, 123 and 125 Madison avenue, the work to be done at his own expense.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 16, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 3, 1882, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Whereas, The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, by certain grants made in or about the year 1858, conveyed the land under water, lying to the west of the Eleventh avenue, between the centre of West Twenty-fifth street and the centre of West Twenty-seventh street, and extending to the water front, to certain persons whose grantees now hold and occupy the said premises; and

Whereas, The Thirteenth avenue runs through said premises, and has been made and filled in under the direction of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty, by said grantees and their successors in interest under said grant, but has never been opened for public use; and

Whereas, Said grants obligate the grantees therein named to open and pave the streets comprised within the boundaries of the premises conveyed without any expense to the city whenever the same are required by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty to be opened and paved by said owners; and

Whereas, It is for the general interest of the public that said Thirteenth avenue should be opened and paved, and that West Twenty-fifth and West Twenty-sixth streets, between Eleventh avenue and the water front, should be graded and paved without delay; therefore

Resolved, That the owners of the land made out of the waters of the Hudson river, lying to the west of the Eleventh avenue, between West Twenty-fifth street and West Twenty-seventh street, and extending to the water front, be and they hereby are required, under, and in accordance with the terms of the respective grants through which they or their grantees acquired title to said premises from the city, to open Thirteenth avenue to public use, to regulate and grade and pave the same, and also to grade and pave West Twenty-fifth and West Twenty-sixth streets, from Eleventh avenue to the water front, as required in said grants; and that said work be proceeded with immediately upon the completion of the work now under contract, as to laying sewers in said streets and said avenue; and that said work be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 3, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 17, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Knickerbocker Gas-light Company to erect and keep a storm-door within the stoop-line in front of their premises, No. 2008 Third avenue; the same to remain during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to H. C. F. Koch to erect and keep two storm-doors, one in front of the entrance to his store at No. 319 Sixth avenue, and one in front of the side entrance on Twentieth street, about 100 feet west of Sixth avenue, both to be constructed within the stoop-line, and to remain during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the New York and Harlem Railroad to keep and retain the flagman's box at the northeast corner of Centre and Grand streets, said box to be placed against the west end of the south wall of Centre Market Building, the work done at their own expense, under the direction of Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Smith to erect a storm-door within the stoop-line in front of his premises, No. 501 West Fiftieth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of Daniel De Venny, who was recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected so as to read David De Venny.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 20, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles F. Wellstead to retain awning in front of Nos. 38 and 40 Madison street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 3, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 17, 1882, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen September 26, and approved by the Mayor October 9, 1882, giving permission to Heim Brothers to retain awning, awning-posts, etc., etc., in front of his premises, be amended by striking out the figures "63" before the words North Moore and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "62."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 10, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, October 17, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Charles G. Curtis to place a canvas sign across the sidewalk, from the house front No. 749 Sixth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 3, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 17, 1882, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thos. Kirkpatrick to place a bay or show window on his premises, situated corner Broadway and Nineteenth street, in accordance with diagram hereto attached, said window to be on the Nineteenth street side of his building; the same to be done under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department, and to continue during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 16, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 3, 1882, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Fred. Bach to retain and keep a small frame in front of his place of business, near the curb, No. 507 Eighth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 16, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, October 3, 1882, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, October 17, 1882, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 13, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.



## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

## CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

## ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the Week ending October 21, 1882.

## Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
OCTOBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 15	29.964	29.914	29.924	29.934	30.000	9 A. M.
Monday, 16	29.958	29.908	29.900	29.922	29.982	9 A. M.
Tuesday, 17	29.862	29.810	29.838	29.837	29.896	0 A. M.
Wednesday, 18	29.878	29.820	29.796	29.831	29.900	9 A. M.
Thursday, 19	29.782	29.776	29.868	29.809	29.900	12 P. M.
Friday, 20	30.010	30.008	30.080	30.033	30.088	12 P. M.
Saturday, 21	30.148	30.142	30.162	30.151	30.178	9 A. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.931 inches.

Maximum " at 9 A. M., October 21..... 30.178 "

Minimum " at 3 A. M., October 19..... 29.736 "

Range " ..... .442 "

## Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
OCTOBER.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 15	50	48	66	54	60	53	58.7
Monday, 16	60	52	65	60	61	58	62.0
Tuesday, 17	61	58	63	60	64	60	62.7
Wednesday, 18	62	59	67	63	65	61	64.7
Thursday, 19	62	59	64	60	65	55	60.7
Friday, 20	48	44	52	46	48	4	49.3
Saturday, 21	44	42	54	48	48	48	45.0

Mean for the week..... 58.1 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 18th..... 68. " at 4 P. M., 18th..... 63. "

Minimum " at 7 A. M., 21st..... 44. " at 7 A. M., 21st..... 42. "

Range " " ..... 24. " " ..... 21. "

## Wind.

DATE.	DIRECTION.	VELOCITY IN MILES.	FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.
OCTOBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sunday, 15	NNW	NNE	N
Monday, 16	NNE	NE	NE
Tuesday, 17	NE	ENE	E
Wednesday, 18	NE	NNE	N
Thursday, 19	NNW	NW	NNW
Friday, 20	N	N	N
Saturday, 21	NNE	ENE	NE

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,056 miles.

Maximum force " " ..... 12 pounds.

## Hygrometer.

## Clouds.

## Rain and Snow.

DATE.	FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.	CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.	DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.
OCTOBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.
Sunday, 15	.309	.259	.310	85
Monday, 16	.282	.451	.443	54
Tuesday, 17	.443	.478	.465	82
Wednesday, 18	.460	.522	.483	83
Thursday, 19	.460	.465	.363	83
Friday, 20	.236	.232	.236	70
Saturday, 21	.241	.256	.260	83

Total amount of water for the week..... .30 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

## NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN BRIDGE.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN BRIDGE,  
OFFICE, NO. 21 WATER STREET,  
BROOKLYN, October 24, 1882.

Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE,  
Mayor of the City of New York;

Hon. SETH LOW,  
Mayor of the City of Brooklyn;

GENTLEMEN—I have the honor to inform you that the work done on the Bridge during the last week embraces the following:

562 diagonals or eye-bars, 170 knee-braces, 61 intermediate chords erected, and 68 intermediate chords put in place for erection; 45 promenade floor-beams erected, and 77 promenade floor-beams got ready for erection; 72 main truss-pins put in place; 43 bent suspender rods, 17 intermediate floor-beams, 24 bridging trusses, 15 top chords, 7 bottom chords, and 25 posts erected; and 9 over-floor stays put up and connected at towers.

The paving has been continued on the New York approach, and the work on both the New York and Brooklyn approaches has been continued upon the foundations of the station buildings.

I am, most respectfully, yours,  
HENRY C. MURPHY.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Mayor's Office.

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

## Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

## Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13½ City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
HENRY WOLTMAN, Register.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.  
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

WILLIAM EYLER, Sealer First District; CHRISTOPHER HARRY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

## City Library.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

## Commissioner's Office.

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

## Bureau of Water Register.

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

## Bureau of Incumbances.

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

## Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

## Bureau of Streets.

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

## Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

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

## Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

## Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

## Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

## Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.  
MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## Comptroller's Office.

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

## Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

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

## Office of the Public Administrator.

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

## Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

## Central Office.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

## Central Office.

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

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

## Headquarters.

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

## Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

## Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

## Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, 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, 9 P. M.

## Attorney to Department.

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

## Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

## Repair Shops.

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

## Hospital Stables.

90th street, between 9th and 10th avenues (temporary).  
JAMES SHEA, Superintendent of Horses.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD P. 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.

146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; J. C. REED, Secretary.

## Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes

No. ....

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 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  
ALEX. V. DAVIDSON, Order Arrest Clerk.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GEORGE CAULFIELD, Commissioner; ALFRED J. KEEGAN, Deputy Commissioner.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
New York, October 17, 1882.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THREE

Horses will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Tuesday, 31st October, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirteenth street, at their sale, beginning at 10 o'clock, A. M.

By order Board of Commissioners,  
F. A. CUSHMAN, Supply Clerk.



# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, October 21, 1882.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Pier 39, North river—Unknown man; age about 39 years; 5 feet 7½ inches high; dark brown hair. Had on brown mixed sack coat and vest, dark pants, gray flannel shirt, white socks, gaiters.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Mary Martin; age 40 years; 5 feet high; dark brown hair; brown eyes. Clothing destroyed on her admission.

Annie Delamplé; age 74 years; 4 feet 10 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted light dress, black cape.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Ann Mead; age 75 years; 4 feet 11 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Had on when admitted old shawl, waterproof cloak, gray petticoat, slippers.

Gertrude Gunset; age 46 years; 5 feet 5½ inches high; dark brown eyes and hair.

Mary Gray; age 28 years; 5 feet 1¼ inches high; brown hair; blue eyes.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Jeremiah Tracy; age 40 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted black suit of clothes.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Maria Kallinger; age 64 years; brown eyes and hair.

Bridget Trainor alias Campbell; age 54 years; gray eyes; dark brown hair.

Margaret McNamara; age 65 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown eyes; gray hair.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Ninety-first street, from Fourth avenue to the East river, in the City of New York.

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

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the County Court House, in the City of New York, on Friday, the third day of November, 1882, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, September 27, 1882.

MICHAEL NORTON,  
GERSHEN COHEN,  
EUGENE H. POMEROY,  
Commissioners

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 30th day of October, 1882, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for erecting two stairways to Grammar School-house No. 35, on West Thirtieth street, near Sixth avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 145 Grand, corner of Elm street.

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

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

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

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

JOSEPH BRITTON,  
G. H. WYNKOOP, M. D.,  
JOHN M. KNOX,  
HENRY M. TABER,  
EDWARD SCHELL,  
Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

Dated New York, October 16, 1882.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
NEW YORK, October 12, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the buildings, fences, etc., standing within the lines of Boston road and Westchester avenue, from North Third avenue to the Bronx river, in the Twenty-third Ward, as opened and widened in accordance with the proceedings as confirmed by the Supreme Court, February 9, 1882, will be sold at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Monday, the 30th day of October, 1882.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock A. M., on the ground in front of premises No. 1 on the catalogue, and situated on the Boston road at One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.

For the terms of sale and further particulars, giving dimensions of the buildings and the parts of buildings, etc., to be sold, see catalogues, which may be obtained at the office of the Department of Public Parks, and on the ground on the day of sale.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

E. P. BARKER,  
Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 16, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office until 3 o'clock P. M. of Monday, October 30, 1882, for taking down and rebuilding certain walls of the unsafe buildings, Numbers 11, 13, 15 and 17 Jacob street, owned by Ambrose K. Ely, as ordered by Judge Van Brunt, of the Court of Common Pleas.

The precepts can be seen and full particulars obtained on application at this office.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.

W. P. ESTERBROOK,  
Inspector of Buildings

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 23, 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.  
CORNELIUS VAN COTI,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSSEN,  
Secretary

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 20, 1882.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 170.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE BULKHEAD AT THE DEPARTMENT YARD, AT FOOT OF SEVENTEENTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE BULKHEAD at the Department Yard, at foot of Seventeenth street, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

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

1. Yellow Pine Timber, hewed or sawed, 12"x12", 43,680 feet, B. M., measured in the work.
2. " " " 8"x8", 2,500 feet B. M., measured in the work.
3. " " " 6"x6", 450 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

Total..... 46,630 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

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

2. Spruce, Yellow Pine, White Pine, or Cypress Piles, about..... 186
3. Oak Fender Piles..... 6

(It is expected that the piles will be from 45 to 65 feet in length, but all of them must be of sufficient length to comply with the specifications for the work, as set forth in the approved form of contract.)

4. White Pine Mooring Posts..... 3
5. Crib Ties and Flooring Logs, about..... 660 pieces
6. 1"x32", 3/4"x22", 3/4"x22", 3/4"x20", 3/4"x16", and 3/4"x10" to 14", square, wrought-iron dock spikes, about..... 7,100 pounds
7. 1" wrought-iron screw bolts, and..... 100 pounds
8. Cast-iron pile shoes, about..... 4,400 pounds
9. Stone filling for rear of bulkhead..... 400 cubic yds.
10. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, and labor of every description.
11. Labor of removing from the premises all the old material, except that to be used in the work under this Contract.

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

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

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

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

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 January, 1883, 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 the portion of the bulkhead to be removed under the 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 agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

Bidders are required to state in their 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 estimates 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 to 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 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 to be done 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 will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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 by the Comptroller 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 by the Comptroller.

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.

WILLIAM LAMBEER,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 20, 1882.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 171.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIER AND BULKHEAD AT FIFTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIER AND BULKHEAD at the foot of Fifth street, East river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

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

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

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

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

- |  | Feet B. M.,<br>measured<br>in the work. |
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| 1. Yellow pine timber, sawed, 12"x12", | 122,358                                 |
| " " " 6"x12",                          | 6,186                                   |
| " " " 6"x plank,                       | 8,400                                   |
| " " " 5"x10",                          | 11,472                                  |
| " " " 4"x plank,                       | 50,800                                  |
| " " " 4"x4",                           | 6,900                                   |
| Total.....                             | 206,056                                 |

2. Pine timber, sawed, 4"x4", 1,380 feet B. M. measured in the work.
3. North Carolina yellow pine or spruce timber; 3" plank, 43,800 feet B. M., measured in the work.

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

4. Spruce, yellow pine, white pine or cypress piles, about..... 327
5. White pine mooring piles..... 12

(It is expected that the vertical piles will be from 45 to 55 feet in length, but all of them must be of sufficient length to comply with the specifications for the work, as set forth in the approved form of contract.)

6. White pine mooring posts..... 4
7. Half-round oak fenders..... 64
8. Crib ties and flooring logs, about..... 660 pieces
9. Stone for filling crib, about..... 380 cubic yards.

It is expected that about one-third of this crib stone, and of these pieces, may be had from the old work.

9. 3/4"x26", 3/4"x22", 3/4"x18", 3/4"x16", 3/4"x14", 3/4"x12", 3/4"x10", 7-16"x9", and 7-16"x6" square, and 3/4"x12" round, wrought-iron dock spikes, and 7" cut spikes, about..... 17,500 pounds.
10. 1" wrought-iron screw bolts, about..... 3,530 pounds.
11. Cast-iron pile shoes, about..... 7,000 pounds.
12. Wrought-iron corner bands, about..... 400 pounds.
13. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of every description, for an area of about 17,300 square feet of pier and about 60 linear feet of bulkhead.
14. Labor of removing the Dumping Board and other structures, and all of the pier and bulkhead at the foot of Fifth street, E. R., and of removing all the old material from the premises.

N. B.—As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their

estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of February, 1883, 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 pier and bulkhead inclusive of the dumping board and other structures, except the office of the Street Cleaning Department, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and the 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. These prices are 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 to do so, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their 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 to by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person 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, 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 subject to the approval of 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 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. 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 by the Comptroller.

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.

WILLIAM LAMBEER,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
Nos. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 20, 1882.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 172.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, EAST RIVER, AND AT THE DUMPING BOARDS ON PIER 61, EAST RIVER, AT THE FOOT OF EAST SEVENTEENTH STREET, AND EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, EAST RIVER, AND WEST FORTY-SEVENTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING on the north side and at the outer end of the pier at the foot of East Twenty-fourth street, East river, at the dumping boards on the south side of Pier 61, between the foot of Stanton street and Rivington street, East river, at the dumping board on the north side of Seventeenth street, extended, East river, on both sides of and at the outer end of the dumping board at the foot of Twenty-second street, East river, and at the dumping boards on the south side of the pier at Forty-seventh street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of



the Department of Docks, at the office of the said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until Twelve o'clock M. of

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

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

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

CLASS I.	Cubic Yards.
Pier at foot of Twenty-fourth street, East River.....	about 42,000
CLASS II.	
Dumping Boards at Pier 61, East River.....	about 2,500
Dumping Board foot of Seventeenth street, East River.....	3,500
Dumping Board foot of Twenty-second street, East River.....	5,250
Dumping Boards foot of Forty-seventh street, North River.....	6,500
Total under Class 2.....	17,750

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

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

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

Estimates may be made for either one, or both, of the above two classes.

The bidder to whom an award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars for Class 1, and in the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars for Class 2, and in case the contract for both of the above named classes be awarded to him, in the sum of the aggregate amount required for the two classes.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract and all the work contracted for under Class 1 is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of January, 1883, and all the work contracted for under Class 2 is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of January, 1883, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract or any part thereof may be unfulfilled after the time or times fixed for fulfillment has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed at Fifty Dollars per day. But the Board of Docks may extend the time for the completion of the work, if, in its judgment, the work has been delayed by ice in the river or harbor, or by very severe weather.

All the material excavated is to be removed by the contractor, and deposited, in all respects, according to law; and any material dredged, not so deposited, shall not be paid for.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in either or both of the above two classes respectively, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be tested. These prices are 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 each of the two classes of this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the securities offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be 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, upon 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 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 will be subject to the approval of 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 enclosed 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 mak-

ing 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.

WILLIAM LAIMBEER,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

## JURORS.

## NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

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

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

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

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

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

## ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

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

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

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

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

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

JAMES J. MARTIN,  
Clerk.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 23, 1882.

## NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS on Real Estate, Personal Property, and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York, for the year 1882, have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes thereon are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in the 29th section of the act of March 30, 1850, viz.:

A reduction at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, from the time of payment to the first day of December next.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,  
Receiver of Taxes.

## REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1882, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00  
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00  
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15 00  
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 20 00  
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."  
ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

## INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due November 1, 1882, will be paid on that day, by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The Transfer books will be closed from September 28 to November 1, 1882.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, September 23, 1882.

## 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. Planting elm trees on the Boulevard, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

No. 2. Bains on the northwest and southwest corners of Seventy-third street and Eighth avenue.

No. 3. Regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter stones, on Ninety-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 4. Sewer in Fifteenth street, between Irving place and Fourth avenue, from end of present sewer in Fifteenth street.

No. 5. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road.

No. 6. Regulating and paving with macadamized pavement, Fifth avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth street.

No. 7. Sewer in Broadway, east side, between Liberty street and Maiden Lane.

No. 8. Sewers in Tenth avenue, east side, between Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets; in Eighty-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and in Ninth avenue, west side, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-sixth streets.

No. 9. Extension of sewer in Eighty-first street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, from end of present sewer west of Fourth avenue.

No. 10. Filling in and fencing sunken lots on the northeasterly corner of Fulton avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street.

No. 11. Sewer in Second avenue, west side, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, with branch in Ninety-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 12. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

No. 13. Sewer in Sixty-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 14. Sewer in Cherry street, between Jackson and Corlears streets.

No. 15. Regulating and grading, setting curb stones and flagging, Ninety-eighth street, Third to Fourth avenues.

No. 16. Regulating and grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Sixth to Seventh avenues.

No. 17. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Sixth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 18. Paving Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to Boulevard.

No. 19. Flagging south side of Thirty-fourth street, from Eleventh to Twelfth avenue.

No. 20. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Seventh to Eighth avenue.

No. 21. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 22. Sewer in Seventieth street, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue.

No. 23. Sewer in Front street, between Old Slip and Cuyler's alley.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Boulevard, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

No. 2. West side of Eighth avenue, from Seventy-second to Seventy-fourth street.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninety-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Fifteenth street, from Irving place to Fourth avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to the Kingsbridge road.

No. 6. Both sides of Fifth avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 7. East side of Broadway, between Liberty street and Maiden Lane.

No. 8. Blocks bounded by Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets, Ninth and Tenth avenues. Also both sides of Eighty-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 9. Both sides Eighty-first street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 10. North side One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, extending 105 feet 2 inches easterly from Fulton avenue.

No. 11. Blocks bounded by Ninety-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, Second and Third avenues.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

No. 13. Both sides of Sixth-eighth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 14. Both sides of Cherry street, between Jackson and Corlears streets.

No. 15. Both sides of Ninety-eighth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 16. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 17. South side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

No. 18. Both sides of Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 19. South side Thirty-fourth street, between Eleventh and Twelfth avenues.

No. 20. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 21. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 22. Both sides of Seventieth street, from Boulevard to Ninth avenue.

No. 23. Both sides of Front street, between Old Slip and Cuyler's alley.

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. 11½ 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 1st day of November ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
DANIEL STANBURY,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, SEPT. 20, 1882.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS ST., ROOM 2,  
NEW YORK, October, 1882.

## CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, ACCORDING to law, ten per cent. additional will be added on the 1st of November next on all unpaid Croton water rates.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with fifteen hundred tons of best quality of Lehigh Coal, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until ten o'clock, A.M., of Friday the 3d day of November, 1882.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for furnishing Coal," 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 estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and size of coal required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

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

The entire quantity of coal is to be delivered within thirty days from the date of the execution and delivery of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

Blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

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

NEW YORK, October 20, 1882.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM NO. 39,  
NEW YORK, October 18, 1882.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, gold and silver watches, trunks and contents, bags and contents, musical instruments, boots, shoes, leather, revolvers, cheese, butter, etc.; also several amounts of money found and taken from prisoners by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.