

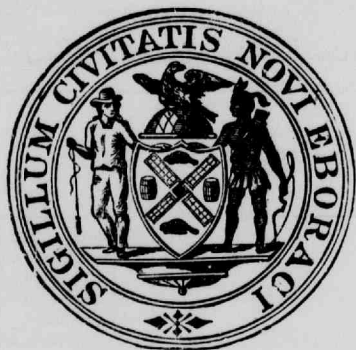
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BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESSMENTS.

A meeting of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments was held at the Comptroller's office, in the New Court-house, on Friday, March 1, 1878, at 1.10 o'clock P. M.
Present—John Kelly, Comptroller; Wm. C. Whitney, Counsel to the Corporation.
Absent—John K. Hackett, Recorder.

The reading of the minutes of meeting held February 25, 1878, was dispensed with.

An affidavit of Matthew Baird, 306 East Fifty-seventh street, contractor, respecting the price for performing the work for regulating, etc., the part of the Eastern Boulevard known as One Hundred and Sixteenth street, presented by Messrs. Wakeman & Latting, attorneys, was submitted to the Board by the Comptroller.

On motion, the same was ordered to be filed with the other papers in said matter.

The assessment lists for the improvement of the Eastern Boulevard, laid over at the last meeting of the Board, on motion were taken up.

Upon consideration of the same it was, on motion,

Resolved, That the said assessment lists be returned to the Board of Assessors, requesting said Board to reapportion the assessments by a proportionate distribution of the amount designated to be assessed for each work, as follows:

Regulating, grading, etc., and paving with Telford-macadamized pavement, Avenue A, from Fifty-seventh street to Eighty-sixth street, \$229,895.94.

Regulating, grading, etc., and superstructure of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue, \$132,826.15.

Regulating, grading, etc., and superstructure of Seventy-second street, from Avenue A to Fifth avenue, \$101,709.50.

At 1.25 o'clock P. M., on motion, the Board adjourned.

RICHARD A. STORRS,
Chief Clerk Board of Revision and Correction.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS, March 5, 1878.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register.

SIR—522 deaths were reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, March 2, 1878. This is a decrease of 2 as compared with the preceding week, and 35 less than were reported during the corresponding week of 1877.

The actual mortality for the week ending February 22 was 542, which is 24.8 below the average mortality for the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 26.13 per 1,000 inhabitants, the population estimated at 1,078,414.

Compared with the deaths of the previous week diphtheria showed a decrease of 1; croup, 4; cerebro-spinal fever, 2; malarial fevers, 2; puerperal diseases, 3; diarrhoeal diseases, 3; alcoholism, 1; rheumatism and gout, 1; phthisis pulmonalis, 8; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 1; diseases of the brain and nervous system, 4; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 6; enteritis, gastritis, and peritonitis, 3; premature and preterm births, 3; while measles increased 2; scarlatina, 7; whooping cough, 1; erysipelas, 2; typhoid fever, 2; inanition, 1; cancer, 1; bronchitis, 5; pneumonia, 1; diseases of the heart, 3; aneurism, 1; marasmus and scrofula, 1; Bright's disease and nephritis, 9; cyanosis and atelectasis, 3; and suicide, 1. 321 of the deaths of the week were from the following 8 diseases, viz.: phthisis pulmonalis, 82; pneumonia, 63; bronchitis, 41; diseases of the nervous system, 37; scarlatina, 29; Bright's disease and nephritis, 8; diseases of the heart, 21; and diphtheria, 20. The only contagious diseases that were more fatal the past week than that of the corresponding week of 1877, were measles, 11, and scarlatina, 7.

Of the total number of deaths reported for the week, 70 were in institutions, 284 in tenement-houses, 159 in houses containing three families or less, 4 in hotels and boarding-houses, 4 in rivers, streets, boats, etc.; 14 were on the basement floor, 104 on the first, 173 on the second, 85 on the third, 57 on the fourth, 12 on the fifth, 2 on the sixth; 520 were stated to be residents of New York City and 2 non-resident, 59 were stated to be single, 134 married, 40 widowed, and the condition of 289 was not stated, these were children who had not attained a marriageable age.

The disposition of 499 deaths and still-births, or 88.48 per cent. of the total number reported were in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 14; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 221; City pauper burial-ground (undenominational), 57; Greenwood (undenominational), 33; Lutheran (undenominational), 65; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 28; Evergreen (undenominational), 28; Woodlawn (undenominational), 18; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 5; Union (Methodist Protestant), 1; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 9; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 7; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 5; Washington (undenominational), 8.

The distribution of deaths for the week ending February 23, was in the following wards, viz.: First, 6; Second, 0; Third, 6; Fourth, 10; Fifth, 6; Sixth, 4; Seventh, 19; Eighth, 18; Ninth, 30; Tenth, 22; Eleventh, 43; Twelfth, 42; Thirteenth, 20; Fourteenth, 17; Fifteenth, 13; Sixteenth, 27; Seventeenth, 45; Eighteenth, 24; Nineteenth, 69; Twentieth, 29; Twenty-first, 37; Twenty-second, 35; Twenty-third, 14; Twenty-fourth, 6.

The mean temperature for the week ending March 2, 1878, was 40.1 degrees Fahr., the mean reading of the barometer was 29.953, the mean humidity was 55, saturation being 100, the number of miles traveled by the wind was 1276, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.13 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living, of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Philadelphia, was 17.29; Brooklyn, 17.71; St. Louis, 9.15; Chicago, 15.14; Baltimore, 17.87; Cincinnati, 14.90; Richmond, 18.11; Charleston, 31.86; Dayton, 11.24; Erie, 21.17; Lowell, 15.74; Worcester, 13.04; Cambridge, 18.40; Fall River, 20.39; Lynn, 26.86; Springfield, 9.93. Monthly returns—Washington, 22.65; Milwaukee, 15.24; Yonkers, 13.76; Knoxville, 15.32; Norfolk, 29.22; Chattanooga, 17.00. Foreign cities, weekly returns—London, 28.1; Liverpool, 32.0; Birmingham, 29.6; Manchester, 37.1; Glasgow, 25.8; Edinburgh, 26.2; Dundee, 23.9; Dublin, 35.5; Belfast, 34; Cork, 24; Brussels, 22.2; Antwerp, 23.1; Ghent, 33.7; Buda-Pesth, 40.3; Paris, 27.5; Rome, 25.6; Naples, 37.7; Turin, 30.1; Venice, 26.3; Berlin, 22.1; Munich, 35; Breslau, 29.8; Vienna, 31.4; Trieste, 53.3; Copenhagen, 25.9; Stockholm, 23.7; Christiania (with suburbs), 19.31; Amsterdam, 28.9; Rotterdam, 28.3; The Hague, 26.5; Calcutta, 40.8; Bombay, 43.4; Madras, 83.7; Geneva (with suburbs), 33.4; Basel, 19.9; Bern, 31.7; St. Petersburg, 53.72.

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

Births* reported during the week ending March 2, 1878.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.								NAME OF CHILD.		
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Sated.	Not stated.
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
543	533	10	269	274	....	313	130	69	28	....	....	1	2	....	385	185

Marriages* reported during the week ending March 2, 1878.

TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.						CONDITION.											
	WHITE.		COLORED.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
147	145	145	2	2	87	70	55	72	..	..	5	5	120	119	19	14	..	3	..	..	8	11

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

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending March 2, 1878, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending February 23, 1878.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	NATIVITY OF PARENTS OF DECEASED.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Father.	Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
3	Austria	9	8	3	2	3	..	1	..
2	British America	1	2	2	3	1	2	..	..
9	England	20	15	20	13	7	4	..	1
5	France	8	9	14	12	2	1	..	..
62	Germany	141	142	159	140	45	36	11	14
83	Ireland	178	184	132	126	14	13	10	12
1	Italy	5	5	3	2	6	5	..	..
1	Poland	2	2	14	13	1	1	..	..
4	Scotland	10	7	3	7	1	2	1	..
1	Switzerland	1	2	7	5	1	1	..	..
305	United States	135	141	159	201	55	72	16	13
2	Unknown or not stated	22	19	3	..	5	5	2	1
2	West Indies	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
1	Other countries	7	3	24	19	6	5	1	..

Still-Births reported during the week ending March 2, 1878.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Not stated.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Unknown or not
42	18	23	1	39	3	16	24	2	13	23	1	..	1	..	3	1	3	3	6	25	..	..

Deaths reported during the week ending March 2, 1878.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.													RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.					
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses.	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated	FLOORS.							New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not stated. †		
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.								Top.	Not stated.
522	70	284	159	4	4	..	14	104	173	85	57	12	2	..	..	520	2	..	59	134	40	28

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending March 2, 1878, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending February 23, 1878.

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WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES.	DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES.												Total Deaths from all Causes.	Total Deaths exclusive of those in Public Institutions.	Total Population (in Wards). (Census of 1875).	REMARKS.	Total in Institutions.		
		Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Puerperal Fever.	All Diarrheal Diseases.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.						Other Zymotic Diseases.	Total Deaths from Zymotic Diseases.
NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHThERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																				
Actual Mortality during the Week ending February 23, 1878.																				
First	154	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	6	14,298	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot, ...; First Precinct Station, .....	..	
Second	81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,012	Twenty-seventh Precinct Station, ...; House of Relief, 106 Chambers street, 3 .....	..	
Third	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,874	Fourth Precinct Station, ...; Mission Home,	3
Fourth	83	1	1	10	9	20,828	Fifth Precinct Station, ...; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street,	
Fifth	168	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15,951	City Prison, ...; Home of Industry, ...; Centre Street Dispensary, ...; Park Street Mission Home, .....	..	
Sixth	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19,861	Seventh Precinct Station, .....	..	
Seventh	198	1	2	2	5	10	10	45,036	Eighth Precinct Station,	
Eighth	183	1	1	2	18	18	32,465	St. Vincent's Hospital, 4; Jefferson Market Prison, ...; Home for Old Men and Aged Couples,	4	
Ninth	322	..	..	1	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	30	26	49,403	Essex Street Prison, ...; Tenth Precinct Station, .....	..	
Tenth	110	1	1	2	22	22	41,757	St. Francis' Hospital, 6; Eleventh Precinct Station,	6	
Eleventh	196	..	3	1	2	1	2	9	43	37	63,855	Reception Hospital, 90th street, ...; Infants' Hospital, 8; Soldiers' Retreat, ...; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 4; Colored Orphan Asylum, ...; Ward's Island, 2; Randall's Island, ...; Bloomingdale Lunatic Asylum, ...; St. Joseph's Asylum, ...; House of Refuge, ...; House of Mercy, ...; Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island, ...; Union Home and School, ...; House of Good Shepherd, ...; Deaf and Dumb Asylum, 1; Home for Old People, ...; Homeopathic Hospital, 2; Home for Aged and Infirmit Hebrews, ...; Leake's ...; Wagon Orphan Home, ...; St. Luke's Home, ...; Unsectarian Home,	17	
Twelfth	5,504.13	2	..	2	1	3	1	6	15	42	25	60,510	Thirteenth Precinct Station, ...; R. C. Orphan Asylum, ...; Lying-in Asylum, ...; Fourteenth Precinct Station, ...; House of Detention, ...; Fifteenth Precinct Station, ...; New York Infant Asylum, 1; Midnight Mission, ...; Samaritan Home for the Aged, ...; St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, ...; Home for the Blind, ...; Seventeenth Precinct Station, ...; Home for Respectable Aged and Indigent Females, ...; New York Hospital, ...; New York Infirmary for Women and Children, 2; Homeopathic Dispensary, ...; Inebriate Asylum, ...; Presbyterian Home, 1; German Hospital, 1; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 2; Foundling Hospital, 5; Women's Hospital, ...; City Lunatic Asylum, ...; Almshouse, 3; Penitentiary, 8; Small-pox Hospital, ...; Charity Hospital, ...; Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital, ...; Colored Home Hospital, 3; Nursery and Child's Hospital, 1; St. Luke's Hospital, 1; Workhouse, 2; Fever Hospital, ...; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, 1; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, ...; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of the Poor), ...; Chapin Home for the Aged, ...; St. Joseph's Industrial Home, ...; Orphans' Home and Asylum (Protestant Episcopal), 45th street and Lexington avenue, ...; Hebrew Orphan Asylum, ...; Baptist Home, ...; 57th Street Prison, ...; Maternity Hospital, 1; Orthopedic, ...; Trinity Chapel Home, ...; St. Elizabeth's Hospital, ...; St. Mary's Hospital, ...; Twenty-ninth Precinct Station, ...; Bellevue Hospital, 12; in Ambulances, ...; Morgue, ...; Women's Hospital and College, 2; St. Stephen's Home, ...; Twenty-first Precinct Station, ...; Home of the Friendless, 1; Emergency Hospital, ...; Roosevelt Hospital, 1; Old Ladies' Home, ...; New York Infant Asylum, ...; Hahnemann's Hospital, ...; New York Orphan Asylum, ...; Twenty-second Precinct Station, ...; Methodist Home,
Thirteenth	107	..	1	..	3	..	1	1	6	20	20	34,013	Home for the Aged, ...; St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, ...; Home for the Blind, ...; Seventeenth Precinct Station, ...; Home for Respectable Aged and Indigent Females, ...; New York Hospital, ...; New York Infirmary for Women and Children, 2; Homeopathic Dispensary, ...; Inebriate Asylum, ...; Presbyterian Home, 1; German Hospital, 1; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 2; Foundling Hospital, 5; Women's Hospital, ...; City Lunatic Asylum, ...; Almshouse, 3; Penitentiary, 8; Small-pox Hospital, ...; Charity Hospital, ...; Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital, ...; Colored Home Hospital, 3; Nursery and Child's Hospital, 1; St. Luke's Hospital, 1; Workhouse, 2; Fever Hospital, ...; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, 1; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, ...; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of the Poor), ...; Chapin Home for the Aged, ...; St. Joseph's Industrial Home, ...; Orphans' Home and Asylum (Protestant Episcopal), 45th street and Lexington avenue, ...; Hebrew Orphan Asylum, ...; Baptist Home, ...; 57th Street Prison, ...; Maternity Hospital, 1; Orthopedic, ...; Trinity Chapel Home, ...; St. Elizabeth's Hospital, ...; St. Mary's Hospital, ...; Twenty-ninth Precinct Station, ...; Bellevue Hospital, 12; in Ambulances, ...; Morgue, ...; Women's Hospital and College, 2; St. Stephen's Home, ...; Twenty-first Precinct Station, ...; Home of the Friendless, 1; Emergency Hospital, ...; Roosevelt Hospital, 1; Old Ladies' Home, ...; New York Infant Asylum, ...; Hahnemann's Hospital, ...; New York Orphan Asylum, ...; Twenty-second Precinct Station, ...; Methodist Home,
Fourteenth	96	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	17	17	20,453	Home for the Aged, ...; St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, ...; Home for the Blind, ...; Seventeenth Precinct Station, ...; Home for Respectable Aged and Indigent Females, ...; New York Hospital, ...; New York Infirmary for Women and Children, 2; Homeopathic Dispensary, ...; Inebriate Asylum, ...; Presbyterian Home, 1; German Hospital, 1; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 2; Foundling Hospital, 5; Women's Hospital, ...; City Lunatic Asylum, ...; Almshouse, 3; Penitentiary, 8; Small-pox Hospital, ...; Charity Hospital, ...; Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital, ...; Colored Home Hospital, 3; Nursery and Child's Hospital, 1; St. Luke's Hospital, 1; Workhouse, 2;

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 5, 1878.

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 Saturday, March 2, 1878:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rent.....	\$7,060 05
For penalties on Croton water rent.....	225 60
For tapping Croton pipes.....	97 00
For sewer permits.....	190 00
For removing obstructions.....	4 00
Total.....	\$7,576 65

Permits Issued.

- 15 permits to make sewer connections.
- 35 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 22 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 45 permits to repair water connections.
- 96 permits to place building material on streets.
- 1 permit to cut down shade trees.

Obstructions Removed.

- 16 cartloads of stone and refuse material from various streets in the city.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 124 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 200 lineal feet of sewers cleaned.
- 5 lineal feet of sewers rebuilt.
- 7 lineal feet of culvert rebuilt.
- 3 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
- 10 receiving-basins repaired.
- 2 man-holes repaired.
- 1 new basin-cover put on.
- 4 new man-hole covers put on.
- 2 new man-hole frames put on.
- 5 square yards pavement relaid.
- 165 loads of dirt removed.

Public Lamps.

- 5 new lamps lighted.
- 2 old lamps relighted.
- 6 lamps discontinued.
- 11 lamp-posts removed.
- 3 lamp-posts reset.
- 1 lamp-post straightened.
- 3 columns refitted.
- 3 columns releaded.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending March 2, 1878, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure at point of Ignition.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Feb. 25	11 A.M.	64.	30.	New York.....	Sugg-Letheby....	.05	5.02	123.0	16.65	17.00
" 26	12 M.	68.	30.078	" .....	" .....	.05	5.02	117.0	18.70	18.16
" 27	11 A.M.	69.	30.102	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	124.2	15.86	16.41
" 28	10.30 A.M.	76.	30.110	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	121.2	16.32	16.49
Mar. 1	9 A.M.	71.	30.472	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	120.0	16.12	16.12
" 2	12 M.	67.	30.267	" .....	" .....	.05	5.02	120.0	16.70	16.63
Average.									16.80	
Feb. 25	9.30 A.M.	63.	30.	Manhattan .....	" .....	.05	5.00	123.0	17.04	17.46
" 26	11 A.M.	66.	30.078	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	120.0	16.10	16.10
" 27	11.30 A.M.	70.	30.102	" .....	" .....	.05	5.03	117.0	16.94	16.41
" 28	11 A.M.	74.	30.110	" .....	" .....	.05	5.04	120.0	16.26	16.13
Mar. 1	9.30 A.M.	71.	30.472	" .....	" .....	.05	4.97	123.6	15.94	16.51
" 2	11.30 A.M.	66.	30.267	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	117.0	17.76	17.31
Average.									16.65	
Feb. 25	10 A.M.	64.	30.	N. Y. Mutual..	" .....	.05	4.36	124.8	16.50	19.67*
" 26	10.30 A.M.	64.	30.078	" .....	" .....	.05	4.24	126.0	15.88	19.66*
" 27	12 M.	70.	30.102	" .....	" .....	.05	4.04	121.2	15.66	19.57*
" 28	10.30 A.M.	73.	30.110	" .....	" .....	.05	4.33	117.6	15.42	18.02*
Mar. 1	10 A.M.	71.	30.472	" .....	" .....	.05	4.29	126.0	14.98	18.33*
" 2	11 A.M.	65.	30.267	" .....	" .....	.05	4.14	120.0	15.24	18.40*
Average.									18.94	
Feb. 25	2.30 P.M.	75.	29.97	Metropolitan....	" .....	.05	5.00	120.0	16.72	16.72
" 26	3 P.M.	71.	30.07	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	119.1	16.38	16.25
" 27	3 P.M.	78.	30.08	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	118.2	16.52	16.27
" 28	3 P.M.	74.	30.06	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	124.2	16.56	17.14
Mar. 1	1 P.M.	72.	30.58	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	124.2	16.44	17.01
" 2	9.30 A.M.	71.	30.43	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	120.6	16.52	16.60
Average.									16.66	
Feb. 25	2 P.M.	74.	29.97	Harlem.....	" .....	.05	4.96	118.8	17.56	17.52*
" 26	3.30 P.M.	72.	30.07	" .....	" .....	.05	5.01	122.7	17.10	17.45*
" 27	2.30 P.M.	77.	30.08	" .....	" .....	.05	4.98	123.0	16.60	17.08*
" 28	3.30 P.M.	75.	30.06	" .....	" .....	.05	5.04	123.0	17.44	17.73*
Mar. 1	12.30 P.M.	75.	30.58	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	119.4	17.56	17.47*
" 2	10 A.M.	73.	30.43	" .....	" .....	.05	5.00	119.2	17.56	17.29*
Average.									17.42	

* Presence of Sulphuretted Hydrogen in gas.

E. G. LOVE, Gas Examiner.

STATEMENT of Laboring Force employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending March 2, 1878.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	2	49	3	..
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street....	2	10	..	..
Laying and repairing Croton pipes.....	16	52	..	7
Repairing pavements.....	2	5	..	..
Cleaning and repairing sewers.....	3	20	..	6
Maintenance of Boulevards and Avenues.....	1	28	4	10
Repairing roads.....	..	14	8	2
Total.....	26	178	15	25
Increase over previous week.....	..	..	..	..
Decrease from previous week.....	..	4	..	2

Appointments.

Edward H. McGurk, Water Inspector.
Robert McKay, Water Inspector.

Discharged on Completion of Work.

Frederick Thileman, Jr., Inspector on Sewer.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department upon the Comptroller during the week is \$49,316.07.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Whereas, In the construction of the elevated railroads in the Sixth avenue and other public thoroughfares, for some apparently inexplicable reason, the posts are being placed directly in the centre of the space formed by the intersection of the cross streets, thus presenting a seemingly unnecessary and dangerous obstruction, which might be avoided by erecting the posts a few feet further north or south of their present location; be it therefore

Resolved, In order to avoid damage by vehicles coming in collision with such posts, in the night time, that the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to compel the company or companies owning such posts to cause proper and efficient lights to be displayed therefrom during the night time.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 12, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, February 25, 1878.

Resolved, That crosswalks be laid at each of the intersections of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-first streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 12, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, February 25, 1878.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to place a fire-hydrant on the southeast corner of New Bowery and James street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 12, 1878.

Approved by the Mayor, February 25, 1878.

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.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Mayor's Office, No. 6, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Mayor's Marshal, No. 7, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Permit Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
License Bureau, No. 1, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Board of Aldermen and Supervisors, No. 9, City Hall, office hours from 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk of the Common Council and of Board of Supervisors, No. 8, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, OFFICE HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.
Comptroller's Office, second floor, rooms 19 and 20.

1. Bureau for the collection of the revenue accruing from rents and interest on bonds and mortgages, and revenue arising from the use or sale of property belonging to or managed by the City, first floor, room 6.

2. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes; Brown stone building, City Hall Park.

3. Bureau for the Collection of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and Water Rents, first floor, room 5.

4. Auditing Bureau, second floor, west end, room 19.

5. Bureau of Licenses, first floor, room 6.

6. Bureau of Markets, first floor, room 6.

7. Bureau for the reception of all moneys paid into the Treasury in the City, and for the payment of money on warrants drawn by the Comptroller and countersigned by the Mayor, at the Office of Chamberlain and County Treasurer, second floor, room 18.

8. Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, second floor, room 16.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Counsel to the Corporation, Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Public Administrator, 115 and 117, Nassau street, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Corporation Attorney, 49 Beekman street, 8 1/2 A. M. to 4 1/2 P. M.

Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, No. 51 Chambers street, second floor.

Attorney to the Department of Buildings, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ALWAYS OPEN.

Commissioners' Office, second floor.

Superintendent's Office, first floor.

Inspectors' Office, first floor.

Chief Clerk's Office, second floor, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Property Clerk, first floor (rear) " " " "

Bureau of Street Cleaning, Avenue C, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Bureau of Elections, second floor (rear), 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

CITY HALL, 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

Commissioner's Office, No. 19.

Chief Clerk's Office, No. 20.

Contract Clerk's Office, No. 21.

Engineer in charge of Sewers, No. 21.

" " Boulevards and Avenues, No. 184.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies, No. 18.

" Lamps and Gas, No. 13.

" Incumbrances, No. 13.

" Street Improvements, No. 11.

" Chief Engineer Croton Aqueduct, No. 11 1/2.

" Water Register, No. 10.

" Water Purveyor, No. 4.

" Streets and Roads, No. 13.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Commissioners' Office, No. 66 Third avenue, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Out Door Poor Department, No. 66 Third avenue, always open, entrance on Eleventh street.

Reception Hospital, Ninety-ninth street and Tenth avenue, always open.

Bellevue Hospital, foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river, always open.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

NOS. 153, 155 AND 157 MERCER ST., 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

Commissioners' Office, Chief of Department.

Inspectors of Combustibles, Fire Marshal.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

NO. 301 MOTT STREET.

Commissioners' Office, second floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Attorney's Office, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Sanitary Superintendent, always open, third floor.

Register of Records, third floor, for granting burial permits, on all days of the week, except Sunday, from 7 A. M. to 6 P. M., and on Sundays, from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Commissioners' Office, 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Surveyor's Bureau, 19 Chatham street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Board of Assessors, " "

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Commissioners' Office, 117 and 119 Duane street, A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Commissioners' Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. On Saturday, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

Superintendent's Office, 2 Fourth avenue, 9 A. M.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Commissioners' Office, first floor, 299 Mulberry street, A. M. to 4 P. M.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

CORNER GRAND AND ELM STREETS

Office of the Board, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Superintendent of Schools, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Commissioners' Office, 27 Chambers street, second floor, rent office.

COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.

Office, Room 28, third floor, northwest corner County Court-house.

THE CITY RECORD.

Office, No. 2 City Hall, northwest corner basement, 8 A. to 6 P. M.

MISCELLANEOUS OFFICES.

HOURS 9 A. M. TO 4 P. M.

Coroners' Office, 40 East Houston street, second floor.

Sheriff's Office, first floor, southwest corner of New County Court-house, rooms 3 and 4.

County Clerk's Office, first floor, northeast corner of New County Court-house, rooms 7 and 8.

Surrogate's Office, first floor, southeast corner of New County Court-house, room 1.

Surrogate's Court, first floor, southeast corner of New County Court-house, room 2.

Register's Office, Hall of Records, City Hall Park.

District Attorney's Office, second floor, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Commissioner's Office, room 17, second floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

COURTS.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Room No. 21.
Chambers, Room No. 21.
Part I, Room No. 25.
Part II, Room No. 26.
Part III, Room No. 27.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Trial Term Part I, room 15, City Hall; Trial Term Part II, Trial Term Part III, third floor, 27 Chambers street; Special Term, Chambers, second floor, 27 Chambers street, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Clerk's Office, basement, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GENERAL SESSIONS.

Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone building, City Hall Park, second floor, room 14, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

OVER AND TERMINER.

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

SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

DISTRICT COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards, No. 514 Pearl street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards, No. 12 Greenwich avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 16 East Houston street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.

JURORS.

NOTICE
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR
STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1877.

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

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

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

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON LAW DEPARTMENT of the Board of Aldermen will meet in Room No. 9, City Hall, on Saturday, March 9, 1878, at 10 o'clock P. M.

LOUIS C. WALKNER,
GEORGE HALL,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
Committee on Law Department.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF the Board of Aldermen will meet in Room No. 9, City Hall, every Monday at 1 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS SHELLS,
THOMAS CARROLL,
GEORGE HALL,
JOSEPH C. PINCKNEY,
BERNARD BIGLIN,
Committee on Public Works

CORPORATION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE following Assessment Lists have been received by the Board of Assessors from the Commissioner of Public Works, for—

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones, and flagging, four feet wide, Tenth avenue, from Eighty-first to Eighty-second street, \$1,631.49.

No. 2. Receiving basin, southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Lexington avenue, \$144.10.

No. 3. Belgian pavement, One Hundred and Third street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue, and Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fourth street, \$3,346.23.

No. 4. Belgian pavement, One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from First avenue to Avenue A, \$2,688.44.

No. 5. Receiving basin, southwest corner of Grand and Ridge streets, \$202.20.

No. 6. Sewer, in Washington street, between Fulton and Vesey streets, \$543.86.

No. 7. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging, Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-ninth to Seventy-second streets, \$42,152.24.

No. 8. Sewer, in Fortieth street, between Tenth avenue and Hudson river, with alterations and improvements to existing sewers, \$25,358.70.

No. 9. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter, and flagging, One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, \$9,215.06.

No. 10. Sewer, in Fifth avenue, west of Mount Morris square, between One Hundred and Twenty-second and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets, \$705.

No. 11. Receiving basins, in Fifth avenue, opposite One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Ninth streets, \$266.

No. 12. Crosswalks at the northerly and southerly intersection of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Seventeenth street, \$165.45.

No. 13. Regulating, grading, setting and resetting curb, flagging and reflagging, and paving, with Macadam pavement, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, Avenue A to Sixth avenue, \$30,030.49.

No. 14. Sewer and its appurtenances, in One Hundred and Forty-third street, from a point seventy-five feet west of Third avenue to said avenue, and in Third avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-third street to One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, Twenty-third Ward, \$1,570.87.

No. 15. Receiving basin and sewer connection, at Lincoln avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, (northeast corner), Twenty-fifth Ward, \$186.81.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 19 CHATHAM STREET,
NEW YORK, March 7, 1878.

JOHN R. MUMFORD,
Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
March 7, 1878.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED PROPOSALS, INDORSED WITH THE name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the Central Department of Police until nine o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, March 19, 1878, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read, for cleaning the streets, collecting ashes and garbage, and removal of all material from the city of New York, in pursuance of chapter 677, of the Laws of 1872.

The award of the contract will be made to the lowest bidder with adequate security, as soon thereafter as possible.

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 two 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 thereupon the work will be readvertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed; the work to commence at such time as the Board of Police may designate.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals, under oath, their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid or proposals for the above 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. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested. Each proposal shall also 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 in the amount of one hundred and fifty thousand (\$150,000) dollars; and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to any higher bidder to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above-mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that each is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of security required for the completion of the contract, as stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by section 27, article 2, chapter 8, of the Revised Ordinances of 1859, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered to be determined and certified by the Comptroller.

N. B.—The price must be written in the bid and also stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or proposal, and the right is expressly reserved by the Board of Police to reject any or all bids which they may deem prejudicial to the public interests. No bid will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation on debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation, nor for an amount in excess of the unexpended balance of the appropriation made for street cleaning for the year 1878.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a check, certified by one of the designated banks for the deposit of city funds, payable to the order of the Treasurer of the Police Department for ten per cent. of the amount bid by such bidder for the performance of all the work required by said contract.

All bids must be made with reference to the form of contract, and the requirements thereof, on file at the Police Department, or they will be rejected; and the same is referred to as a part of this notice.

Blank forms of specifications and proposals may be obtained at the Chief Clerk's office, Central Department of Police, 300 Mulberry Street, New York City, on and after Monday, March 11, 1878.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
March 7, 1878.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Central Department of Police until 9 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, March 19, 1878, at which time and place proposals will be publicly opened and read, for building a Stable on the easterly side of Washington avenue, north of the Thirty-third Precinct Station-house, in the City of New York.

Proposals must be addressed to the President of the Board of Police, be indorsed "Proposals for building a Stable," and must contain the name and address of the parties making the same.

Two responsible sureties, freeholders in this city, will be required with each proposal, who must justify in the sum of ten thousand dollars each.

The Department reserves the right to reject any or all proposals not deemed beneficial or satisfactory.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank proposals obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department, on and after Monday, March 11, 1878.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM 39,
March 4, 1878.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk, Police Department, City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Two boats, truck and furniture, male and female clothing, clock, silver watch, barrel oil and sulphur, two tubs butter, revolvers, rope, blankets, etc., also a small amount of money found and taken from prisoners.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 2, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR CAST-IRON WATER PIPES.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Friday, March 15, 1878, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department and read.

For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Public Works, at the Pipe Yard, Twenty-fourth street, East river,

3,800 TONS OF CAST-IRON WATER PIPES,
200 TONS OF BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids, and any further information can be obtained on application to the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, at his office, Room 11 1/2 City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, March 2, 1878.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 1, chapter 498, Laws of 1875, inclosed in sealed envelope, which must be indorsed with the name of the bidder, the title of the work and the number of the work, as designated in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Friday, March 15, 1878, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened and read by the head of the Department, for Paving the following mentioned streets and avenues:

No. 1. WASHINGTON SQUARE roadway, between Fifth and South Fifth avenues, and MERCER STREET, between Canal and Bleecker streets, with Granite-block Pavement, and laying Crosswalks, where required, at the several intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. IRVING PLACE, between Fourteenth and Twentieth streets, and FIFTEENTH STREET, between Broadway and Fifth avenue, and

FIFTEENTH STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues, with Granite-block Pavement, and laying Crosswalks, where required, at the several intersecting streets.

No. 3. BARCLAY STREET, between Broadway and College place, and MORRIS STREET, between Broadway and Greenwich street, with Granite-block Pavement, and laying Crosswalks where required at the several intersecting streets.

No. 4. FOURTEENTH STREET, between University place and Ninth avenue, with Granite-block Pavement, and laying Crosswalks where required at the several intersecting streets.

No. 5. SEVENTH AVENUE, between Fourteenth and Forty-third streets, except the horse-paths of the Seventh Avenue Railroad, with Granite-block Pavement, and laying Crosswalks where required at the several intersecting streets.

No. 6. BARROW STREET, between Washington place and West street, and

WHITE STREET, between Broadway and Centre street, with Belgian or Trap-block Pavement, and laying Crosswalks where required at the several intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 7. MADISON STREET, between Pearl and Market streets, and

MARKET STREET, between Division street and East river, and

CLINTON STREET, between Division street and East river, with Belgian or Trap-block Pavement, and laying Crosswalks, where required, at the several intersecting streets.

No. 8. PEARL STREET, between Broadway and New Bowery, and

WATER STREET, between Whitehall and Fulton streets, with Belgian or Trap-block Pavement, and laying Crosswalks, where required, at the several intersecting streets.

No. 9. TWENTY-THIRD STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues, and

FORTY-SECOND STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues, with Belgian or Trap-block Pavement, and laying Crosswalks, where required, at the several intersecting streets and avenues.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelope in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room 4, City Hall.

Contractors before depositing their bids in the estimate box, are particularly requested to take notice of the changes which have been made in the specifications.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, as he may deem for the best interests of the city.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, February 8, 1878.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 8th day of February, 1878, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the following sections of the Sanitary Code be and are hereby annulled:

Section 33. That no person shall, in the built-up portion of the City of New York, or adjacent thereto, sell or have for sale any fish in or from any vehicle, or in any street or public place, from which all parts which are not usually cooked for food have been removed.

Section 62. That no person shall become, or continue, or engage as, or in the business of a butcher, at or in any public or private market or stand in the City of New York, without a permit therefor from this Department.

Section 66. That no person engaged in the selling or keeping for sale of any fish, meat, birds, fowl, fruit, or vegetables, shall, without a permit from this Department, occupy or encroach upon any portion of any street or sidewalk, or public place in the City of New York.

And Section 168 amended so as to read as follows:

Section 168. That every car used for the transportation of passengers in the City of New York, shall be so constructed as at all times to provide and secure good ventilation.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER,
President.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, March 4, 1878.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with fifteen thousand (15,000) feet of hose, with couplings attached, to conform in all respects to the subjoined specification, will be received at these headquarters until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 20th instant, when they will be publicly opened and read.

SPECIFICATION.

The hose is to be seamless, made of best Gulf cotton, not less than three (3) ply, to be lined with best Para rubber, to be of two and one-half (2 1/2) inches internal diameter, and in lengths of fifty (50) feet each, with New York Fire Department standard couplings attached.

The hose and couplings is to be capable of resisting a pressure test of four hundred (400) pounds to the square inch, without twisting or turning more than two (2) revolutions, or elongating more than four (4) feet in each length, or increasing in exterior diameter more than one-eighth (1/8) of an inch at any point; and the hose and couplings is to weigh not more than sixty (60) pounds to each fifty (50) feet.

The hose and couplings is to be warranted to bear the wear and tear of use in the Department for a term of three (3) years, for which a special guarantee will be required in the contract.

A sample length of hose with couplings attached must be submitted with each proposal.

The contractor will be required to furnish all of the said hose within sixty (60) days after the execution of the contract.

Two responsible sureties will be required, who must each justify in an amount equivalent to one-half of the amount of the proposal.

The form of contract, to which special attention is called, can be seen on application to these Headquarters, where any further required information and forms of proposals may also be obtained.

Proposals must be addressed upon the envelope to the Board of Commissioners of this Department, be indorsed "Proposal for Furnishing Hose," and state the names of the bidders.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

VINCENT C. KING,
JOSEPH L. PERLEY,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, 4th March, 1878.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER, WILL sell at Public Auction, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, on

THURSDAY, 14th MARCH, 1878,

at 12 o'clock M., the right to collect and retain all wharfage which may accrue for the use and occupation by vessels of more than five tons burthen, of the following-named Piers and Bulkheads, to wit:

ON NORTH RIVER.

For and during the term of one year, from 1st May, 1878: Lot 1. Northerly half of Pier, old 34, at Harrison street.

For and during the term of three years, from 1st May, 1878: Lot 2. Pier, new 47, and Bulkhead adjoining southerly side.

Lot 3. Bulkhead, about 474 feet in length, extending along the easterly side of the approach to Piers, new 46 and 47.

Lot 4. Pier, old 54, at Perry street.

Lot 5. Bulkhead adjacent to the southerly side of Pier, old 54, and extending along West street, on the easterly side of the basin east of the Bulkhead wall at Piers, new 46 and 47, or such portion of said Bulkhead as may be vested in the Corporation.

Lot 6. Pier at West Eleventh street, and Bulkhead extending easterly from southerly side thereof to west line of West street.

Lot 7. Bulkhead at foot of Bank street.

Lot 8. Pier at Bethune street (except reservation on northerly side for berth for Public Bath during Summer seasons).

Lot 9. Pier at Jane street.

Lot 10. Pier at Horatio street.

Lot 11. Bulkhead extending from northerly side of Pier at Gansevoort street, to southerly side of Pier between Bogart and Bloomfield streets.

Lot 12. Pier between Bloomfield and Little Twelfth streets.

Lot 13. Bulkhead extending from northerly side of Pier between Bloomfield and Little Twelfth streets, to southerly side of Pier at Little Twelfth street.

Lot 14. Pier at Little Twelfth street.

Lot 15. Northerly half of Pier at West Thirtieth street.

Lot 16. Bulkhead at West Fourteenth street.

Lot 17. Pier at West Fifteenth street.

Lot 18. Pier at West Sixteenth street.

Lot 19. Pier at West Seventeenth street.

Lot 20. Pier at West Eighteenth street.

Lot 21. Pier at West Twenty-fourth street.

Lot 22. Pier at West Twenty-fifth street.

Lot 23. Pier at West Twenty-sixth street.

Lot 24. Pier at West Thirtieth street.

Lot 25. Pier at West Thirty-fourth street.

Lot 26. Pier at West Thirty-fifth street.

Lot 27. Pier at West Fortieth street.

- Lot 41. Pier 7 (except reservation for the right to fill in inside of the exterior line of South street, extended, at such time as the law may provide, free of claim consequent upon the length of the pier being reduced thereby).
- Lot 42. Westerly half of Pier 12 and bulkhead adjoining.
- Lot 43. Bulkhead between Piers 18 and 19, including use of platform, etc., thereat.
- Lot 44. Westerly half of Pier 19.
- Lot 45. Westerly half of Pier 21.
- Lot 46. Pier 43 (except inshore half of westerly side.)
- Lot 47. Pier 44 and bulkhead adjoining westerly side.
- Lot 48. Pier 45.
- Lot 49. Easterly half of Pier 51 and westerly half of small pier east thereof and bulkhead between (except reservation for berth at end of said small pier for Public Bath during summer seasons).
- Lot 50. Westerly half of Pier 52 and easterly half of small pier west thereof and bulkhead between (except reservation for berth at end of said small pier for Public Bath during summer seasons).
- Lot 51. Easterly half of Pier 53.
- Lot 52. Pier 60, and Bulkhead extending westerly therefrom along the northerly side of Rivington street to line of Tompkins street.
- Lot 53. Pier 61 and 55 feet of Bulkhead adjoining northerly side (except reservation on southerly side for dumping-board).
- Lot 54. Northerly half of Pier 62.
- Lot 55. Bulkhead at East Fourteenth street.
- Lot 56. Bulkhead at East Fifteenth street.
- Lot 57. Pier at East Thirty-third street (except reservation of outer end for a steamboat landing).
- Lot 58. Pier at East Thirty-seventh street (except reservation, on northerly side, for berth for Public Bath, during summer seasons).
- Lot 59. Pier at East Thirty-eighth street (except reservation on northerly side for dumping-board).
- Lot 60. Bulkhead at East Forty-eighth street.
- Lot 61. Pier at East Fifty-third street.
- Lot 62. Pier at East Fifty-fourth street, to extend the entire width of the street and average 35 feet in length (now under contract to be erected and ready for use 1st May, 1878).
- Lot 63. Pier at East Seventy-ninth street.
- Lot 64. Bulkhead at East Eighty-sixth street.
- For and during the term of three years from 1st June, 1878:
- Lot 65. Northerly half of Pier 58 and one-half of Bulkhead adjoining.
- Lot 66. Southerly half of Pier 59 and one-half of Bulkhead adjoining.
- Lot 67. Bulkhead between East Twenty-third and East Twenty-fourth streets, north of the ferry premises.
- ON HARLEM RIVER.
- For and during the term of three years from 1st May, 1878:
- Lot 68. Pier at East One Hundred and Sixth street.
- Lot 69. Pier at East One Hundred and Seventeenth street.
- Lot 70. Right to moor floats, for small boats, at the steps at either end of Third Avenue Bridge.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

The Department will make, prior to the 1st May, 1878, such repairs to any of the above premises, in the judgment of the Commissioners, needing them, as they may consider necessary to place them in suitable condition for service during the terms for which leases are to be sold; but all the premises must be taken in the condition in which they may be on the date of commencement of said terms, respectively; and no claim that the property is not in suitable condition at the commencement of the lease, will be allowed by the Department; and all repairs and rebuilding required and necessary, during the terms leased, are to be done at the expense and cost of the lessees.

Purchasers will be allowed three months, from date of commencement of their leases, in which to notify the Department that dredging is required at the premises leased; and the Commissioners guarantee to do all possible dredging, as soon after being notified of the necessity thereof, as the work of the Department will permit; but in no case will the Department dredge where a depth of ten feet at mean low water already exists, nor after that depth shall have been obtained by dredging; and no claim will be received or considered by the Department, for loss of wharfage or otherwise, consequent upon any delay in doing the work of such dredging, or consequent upon the premises being occupied for dredging purposes. All dredging required at any of the above premises, of which the purchaser of the lease thereof, shall neglect or omit to notify the Department during the first three months of the term of the lease, and all dredging necessary during the remainder of such term, is to be done at the expense and cost of the lessee.

The up-set price for each of the above-named premises will be fixed by the Department of Docks, and announced by the auctioneer at the time of the sale. Each purchaser of a lease will be required at the time of the sale, and in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to pay to the Department of Docks twenty-five per cent. of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, and which twenty-five per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or forfeited, if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease and bond within five days after being duly notified that the lease is prepared and ready for signature. The Commissioners reserve the right to resell the leases bid off by those failing to comply with these terms; the party so failing to be liable for any deficiency which may result from such resale.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly, in advance, in compliance with a stipulation therefor in the form of lease adopted by the Department. Two sureties, each a freeholder and householder in the City of New York, and to be approved by the Commissioners of Docks, will be required, under each lease, to enter into a bond jointly with the lessee, in the sum of an amount double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants of the lease; and each purchaser will be required to submit, at the time of the sale, the names and addresses of his proposed sureties. Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will, upon being notified so to do, execute a lease prepared upon the printed form adopted by the Department, which can be seen upon application to the Secretary, at the office, 119 Duane street.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation; and no bid will be accepted from 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.

JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
HENRY F. DIMOCK,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
Commissioners of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
119 AND 110 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, 28th February, 1878.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A WOODEN CRIB PIER AT FOOT OF FIFTY-FOURTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A Wooden Crib Pier at foot of Fifty-fourth street, East river, indorsed as above, and with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same and the date of presentation, and addressed to "The President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of

TUESDAY, 12TH MARCH, 1878, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of

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

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

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

	Feet B. M., Measured in the work.
1. Yellow pine timber, 12 x 12 in.....	18,040
" " " 10 x 12 in.....	1,005
" " " 6 x 12 in.....	720
" " " 3 x 12 in.....	96
Total.....	19,841
2. Spruce timber, 4 x 4 in.....	152
" " " 3 in plank.....	255
" " " 2 in.....	512
Total.....	919

3. Wrought-iron screw-bolts, short link chain of $\frac{3}{8}$ -in. wire, and cut spikes, about..... 200 pounds.
4. 26 x $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 22 x $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 20 x $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 22 x $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 18 x $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 14 x $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 15 x $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 10 x $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 10 x $\frac{3}{4}$ in., and 8 x $\frac{1}{2}$ in. wrought-iron spike-pointed bolts, about..... 3,500 "
5. Boiler plate corner band, about..... 640 "
6. 12 spruce piles, about 35 feet long.
7. 34 spruce piles, furnished by Department of Docks, to be driven.
8. Bottom flooring of spruce poles, about 1,300 square feet.
9. Covering for sewer space of spruce poles, about 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet long, about 208 square feet.
10. 8 spruce logs for side, 42 feet long, not less than 9 inches at small end.
11. About 180 round spruce logs, not less than 8 inches at small end, and running from 10 feet to 46 feet in length as required for the work.
12. 5 oak spring piles, about 42 feet long.
13. 2 mooring posts, of spruce or white pine.
14. 18 oak fenders, about 13 feet long.
15. Stone filling for crib and for levelling to top of caps, about 550 cubic yards, in place.
16. Earth filling on top of stone filling, about 50 cubic yards.
17. Labor of removing so much of stone embankment and earth filling at end of street as may be required to make room for the pier.
18. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, joining, planing, bolting, spiking, pile-driving, rigging, and placing stone filling, and labor of every description.

The foregoing are the quantities which have been estimated approximately for the construction of the work. They form, however, no part of the contract, and persons bidding are cautioned that the Department of Docks do not hold themselves responsible that any of them shall strictly obtain in the construction of the work, and bidders are required to examine the plans and the premises, and to judge for themselves of the quantity and other circumstances affecting the cost of the work.

The time allowed for the completion of the work is to the 30th day of April, 1878, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled, after the said time has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at fifty dollars per day. Bidders will state in their proposals the price for the whole of the work to be done in conformity with the annexed specifications, by which the bids will be tested. This price is to cover the expenses of furnishing all the necessary materials and labor, and the performance of all the work set forth in the annexed agreement.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the proposal shall distinctly state the fact; also that the bid is made without any connection with any other person, 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 thereof, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which proposals must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the bid, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, and by section 27 of chapter VIII. of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief. No proposal will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The right to decline all the proposals is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation. Bidders are requested, in making their bids, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application at the office of the Department, Room No. 6.

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

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 5, 1878.

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 N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Cesar Rawley; aged 49 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, black coat, dark pants and vest, black hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Peter A. Isador; aged 52 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 6, 1878.

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 N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—August Henckle; aged 50 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; black hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 4, 1878.

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 Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Elizabeth Sloan; aged 30 years; 5 feet 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,

JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 2, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO MUSEUM AND MORGUE BUILDING.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Friday, March 15, 1878, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for alterations and repairs to Museum and Morgue Building, as per plans and specifications to be seen at this office.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals, if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid, or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal 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 defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
ISAAC H. BAILEY,
TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR 2,000 TONS WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Friday, March 8, 1878, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for 2,000 tons White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality; to be delivered in cargoes alongside such piers on the east and west side of the city, and at such times as the Commissioners may direct. Each ton to consist of 2,240 pounds.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal 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 defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR 3,000 BARRELS OF FLOUR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Friday, March 8, 1878, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering at the Bake-house, Blackwell's Island, free of all expense to the Department—

3,000 barrels of good extra Wheat Flour, to be equal in quality to samples to be seen at this office (empty barrels to be returned and deducted in proposals from the price of flour), to be delivered in quantities as required, free of all expense to the Department.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal 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 defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
ISAAC H. BAILEY,
TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HAY, ETC.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Friday, March 8, 1878, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, free of all expense to the Department—

- 5,000 lbs. good sweet Dairy Table Butter; to be delivered in quantities as required.
- 1,000 bbls. good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 lbs. to the barrel, net; to be delivered at Store-house dock, Blackwell's Island.
- 100 bbls. Onions.
- 100 bales Best Timothy Hay; to be delivered in quantities as required.
- 250 doz. Men's Straw Hats.
- 100 boxes best quality I. C., 14 x 20 Charcoal Roofing Tin.
- 6 doz. Wash Boards.
- 100 Pick Handles.
- 100 Sledge Handles.
- 100 Striking Hammer Handles.
- 100 Hand Hammer Handles.
- 5 bbls. Raw Linseed Oil.
- 5 bbls. Boiled Linseed Oil.
- 3 bbls. Spirits Turpentine.

The quality of the goods furnished must conform in every respect to the samples of the above to be seen at this office.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal 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 defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, February 21, 1878.

PROPOSALS FOR CARTING AND HOISTING 2,000 TONS OF WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 o'clock A. M. of Friday, March 8, 1878, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for carting and hoisting and delivering 2,000 tons White Ash Coal (each ton to consist of 2,240 pounds) in such quantities and in such parts of the city as the Commissioners may direct.

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

No proposal will be considered unless 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 under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal 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 defaulter, as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
ISAAC H. BAILEY,
TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
CORNER OF THIRD AVENUE AND ELEVENTH ST.,
NEW YORK, March 2, 1878.
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 Commis-
sioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:
At Hart's Island Hospital—John Straw; aged 38 years;
5 feet 6 inches high. Had on when admitted, gray
corduroy pants, blue coat, brogan shoes, black felt hat.
Nothing known of his friends or relatives.
By Order,
JOSHUA PHILLIPS,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 12, 1878.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS
of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real
and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York
for the year 1878, will be open for inspection and revision,
on and after Monday, January 14, 1878, and will remain
open until the 30th day of April, 1878, inclusive, for the
correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments
of the aforesaid real and personal estate.
All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make
application to the Commissioners during the period above
mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.
By order of the Board,
ALBERT STORER,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of
Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Al-
dermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York,
relative to the opening of One Hundred and
Twenty-seventh street from the northeasterly line of
Lawrence street, parallel with One Hundred and
Twenty-sixth street, to the westerly side of a certain
road or avenue in the City of New York, closed by act
of the Legislature, chapter 290, section 10, passed April
5, 1871; as said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh
street appears upon a map made by the Commissioners
of the Central Park and filed in the office of the Register
of the City and County of New York, on October
23, 1867.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assess-
ment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings,
or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be
opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing,
duly verified, to Elliot F. Shepard, Esq., our Chairman,
at the office, or the Commissioners, No. 154 Nassau
street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the
thirtieth day of March, 1878, and that we, the said Com-
missioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten
week-days next after the said thirtieth day of March,
1878, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said
office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock in the after-
noon.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assess-
ment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits,
estimates, and other documents which were used by us
in making our report, have been deposited in the office
of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New
York, there to remain until the fourth day of April, 1878.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment
aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or
parcels of land situate, lying, and being in the City of New
York, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning
at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly line
of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street with the
northeasterly line of Lawrence street, running thence
northerly and at right angles to said One Hundred and
Twenty-seventh street 100 feet; thence easterly and
parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 619
feet and 8 1/4 inches to what was formerly the easterly line
of a certain new avenue closed by an act of the Legislature,
passed April 5th, 1871 (Laws of 1871, chapter 290); thence
in a southerly direction 281 feet and 7 inches to a point;
thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Twenty-
seventh street 408 feet and 10 inches to the northeasterly
line of Lawrence street; thence northwesterly along the
northeasterly line of Lawrence street 217 feet and 6 inches,
be the same more or less, to the corner formed by the in-
tersection of the northeasterly line of Lawrence street with
the southerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh
street; thence easterly along the southerly line of One
Hundred and Twenty-seventh street 493 feet and 3/4 of an
inch to the westerly line of said new avenue closed by an
act of the Legislature passed April 5, 1871, as aforesaid;
thence northerly along the westerly line of said new avenue,
closed as aforesaid, 63 feet and 8 1/4 inches to the
northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street;
thence westerly along the northerly line of One Hundred
and Twenty-seventh street 585 feet and 7 1/4 inches to the
point or place of beginning.

Also all those other certain lots, pieces or parcels of land
bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point
on the southwesterly side of Lawrence street, distant 206
feet and 3 inches from a point formed by the intersection
of the northwesterly line of Lawrence street with the easterly
side of the Tenth avenue; running thence northeasterly
along the southwesterly line of Lawrence street, 185
feet 3 inches to a point; thence westerly and parallel to
One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, 164 feet and 4
inches to a point; thence northerly and at right angles to
said One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, 85 feet and
4 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the
Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special
Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, at the
City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twelfth day of
April, 1878, 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, February 10, 1878.

ELLIOTT F. SHEPARD,
NEVIN W. BUTLER,
LOUIS MESIER,
Commissioners.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 7, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 31, 1877
96th street, sewer, between 8th and 10th avenues.
44th street, regulating, grading, etc., from 1st to 3d
avenue.

3d avenue, regulating and paving, from Westchester
avenue to 163d street.

3d avenue, regulating and paving, from 163d street to
northern boundary 23d Ward.
All payments made on the above assessments on or before
March 8, 1878, will be exempt (according to law) from
interest. After that date interest will be charged at the
rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirmation.
The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2
P. M. for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for
general information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, February 14, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED FEBRUARY 7, 1878; ENTERED FEBRUARY 8, 1878.
Avenue A, paving from 86th to 93d street.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before
April 15, 1878, will be exempt (according to law) from
interest. After that date interest will be charged at the
rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.
The Collector's office is open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.,
for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M., for general
information.

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16, NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 17, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 15, 1877.
Fourth avenue crosswalks, south side of Seventy-fifth
street.

Fourth avenue crosswalks, south side of Eighty-first
street.

All payments made on the above assessments on or
before March 18, 1878, will be exempt (according to law)
from interest. After that date interest will be charged at
the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirma-
tion.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
No. 16 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 23, 1878.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED JANUARY 17, 1878.
131st street, regulating, grading, etc., from 6th to 8th
avenue.

Boston avenue (23d Ward), grading, etc., from 3d ave-
nue to 165th street.

112th street, paving, from 3d avenue to Harlem river.

118th street, paving, from 3d avenue to Harlem river.

119th street, paving, from Avenue A to Harlem river.

50th street, fencing north side, between Lexington and
4th avenues.

Eastern Boulevard (Avenue B), regulating, grading,
etc., from 79th to 86th street.

All payments made on the above assessments on or be-
fore March 25, 1878, will be exempt (according to law),
from interest. After that date interest will be charged at
the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of confirma-
tion.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISES.

THE FRANCHISES TO RUN THE FOLLOWING
ferries and a lease of the wharf property belonging
to the city, if any, set apart for ferry purposes at each of
said ferries, will be sold at public auction to the highest
bidder, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New
York, on Thursday, November 8, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon,
for the period of five years from November 1, 1877, except
as otherwise stated:

Ferry from Peck Slip, New York City, to the foot of
One Hundred and Thirtieth street at Third avenue, Har-
lem, with an intermediate landing at or near Eighty-
fourth street, East river.

Ferry from Fulton Market slip, New York City, to
Mott Haven, with an intermediate landing at or near
Eighty-fourth street, East river, until May 1, 1879.

Ferry as now established from foot of Roosevelt street,
in the City of New York, East river, to South Seventh
street, Brooklyn, Eastern District, together with the bul-
heads and slips adjacent to and east of the wharf property
at foot of Roosevelt street, East river, owned by the Bridge
Company, and now occupied for said ferry.

Bidders must bid for the franchise and lease of wharf
property of each ferry separately, but no bid will be
received unless it includes an offer for both the ferry
franchise and wharf property.

The form of the lease required to be executed by the
highest bidder can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

All bids will be regarded as made with reference to
said form of lease, and in case the highest bidder shall
neglect to execute a lease according to said form, for ten
days after said sale, his bid will, at the option of the
Comptroller and the Board of the Department of Docks,
be rejected.

The leases will contain a covenant requiring the lessees
to pay rent quarter-yearly to the Comptroller.

The minimum rate for which the ferry franchise or
license to operate such ferries shall be used or enjoyed has
been appraised and set by the Commissioners of the Sink-
ing Fund at five per cent. per annum upon the gross
receipts for ferriage collected at the New York landing-
place for the ferry as now established from the foot of
Roosevelt street, New York, to South Seventh street,
Brooklyn, and at two and one-half per cent. per annum
upon the gross receipts collected for ferriage for the ferries
from Peck slip, New York, to the foot of One Hundred
and Thirtieth street, Third avenue, Harlem; and from
Fulton Market slip, New York, to Mott Haven, such
percentage to be paid quarter-yearly to the Corporation,
and a covenant will be contained in each lease requiring
the lessees to make and deliver to the Comptroller of the
City of New York, quarter-yearly, a statement in writ-
ing, verified by oath or affirmation of the lessee, or of
such proper officer of the lessee as may be designated by
the Comptroller, of the actual total gross receipts for
ferriage received by such lessee during the preceding
three months, and also, that the lessee shall keep regular
books of account, showing the daily gross receipts of the
ferry leased, and allow said Comptroller, or any person
designated by him, to examine such books.

The franchise will be put up and knocked down to the
person offering to pay the largest percentage.

All moneys received for the conveyance of passengers,
animals, vehicles or freight from New York to be col-
lected at the landing place in New York, or, if collected
elsewhere, to be included in the receipts upon which such
percentage is to be calculated and paid.

No bid less than such percentage on such gross receipts
will be entertained.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the
Collector of City Revenue the sum of fifteen hundred
dollars immediately after the franchise shall have been
struck down to him, as security for the execution and
performance of the lease, such amount to be credited on
the rent when the same becomes due.

Security, satisfactory to the Comptroller, will be re-
quired for the punctual performance by the lessees of the
covenants of the lease of the franchise in their behalf.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time
of the sale, and in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to pay
to the Department of Docks twenty-five per cent. of the
amount of the annual rent bid for the wharf property, as
security for the execution of the lease, and which twenty-
five per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent
for such property first accruing under the lease, when
executed, or forfeited if the lessee neglects or refuses to
execute the lease and bond after being duly notified that
the lease is prepared and ready for signature, or, in case
the bid be finally rejected, will be returned to the bidder.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent for the wharf
property quarterly, in advance, in compliance with a
stipulation therefor in the form of the lease adopted.

The franchise and the lease of the wharf property, if
any, of each ferry will be put up and sold together to the
highest bidder, subject to the condition hereinafter ex-
pressed, and subject also to the right of the Comptroller
and the Board of the Department of Docks to reject any
or all bids, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

The right to reject any bid, if deemed to be to the
interest of the City of New York, is reserved by the
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

JOHN KELLY,

Comptroller;
JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
HENRY F. DIMOCK,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
Board of Department of Docks.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 1, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 15,
1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 8, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 22,
1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 15, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, December 13,
1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 22, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, December 27,
1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, December 13, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 10,
1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, December 27, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 17,
1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 31,
1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 17, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, February 14,
1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 31, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, February 28,
1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 14, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, February 28,
1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 28, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, March 14,
1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 28, 1878.

WILLIAM KENNELLY, AUCTIONEER.

SALE OF FERRY FRANCHISE.

PURSUANT TO ADJOURNMENT.

THE FRANCHISE TO RUN THE FOLLOWING
ferry and a lease of the wharf property belonging
to the city, set apart for ferry purposes at said ferry, will be
sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the office
of the Comptroller of the City of New York, on Thursday,
October 25, 1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the period of five
years from November 1, 1877, namely:

Ferry from Ninety-second street, East river, to Astoria,
Queens County, Long Island.

Bidders must bid for the franchise and lease wharf
property of said ferry separately, but no bid will be
received unless it includes an offer for both the ferry
franchise and wharf property.

The form of the lease required to be executed by the
highest bidder can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

All bids will be regarded as made with reference to said
form of lease, and in case the highest bidder shall neglect
to execute a lease according to said form for ten days after
said sale, his bid will, at the option of the Comptroller and
the Board of the Department of Docks, be rejected.

The leases will contain a covenant requiring the lessees
to pay rent quarter-yearly to the Comptroller.

The successful bidder will be required to pay to the
Collector of City Revenue the sum of fifteen hundred dol-
lars immediately after the franchise shall have been struck
down to him, as security for the execution and perform-
ance of the lease, such amount to be credited on the rent
when the same becomes due.

Security, satisfactory to the Comptroller, will be required
for the punctual performance by the lessees of the cove-
nants of the lease of the franchise in their behalf.

The minimum price for which the lease of said wharf
property connected with the ferry from Ninety-second
street, East river, to Astoria, Long Island, will be sold, has
been fixed by the Board of the Department of Docks at the
following sum, namely:

For bulkhead at foot of Ninety-second street, East river,
and for premises at foot of Fulton street, Astoria, as now
occupied for ferry purposes, at \$250 per annum.

The premises connected with the said ferry, to be taken
in the condition in which they were in on the 1st day of
August, 1877, and all repairs and rebuilding thereof, and
dredging at said ferry during the term leased, to be done
at the expense and cost of the lessees.

The purchase of the lease will be required, at the time
of the sale, and in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to pay
to the Department of Docks twenty-five per cent. of the

amount of the annual rent bid for the wharf property, as
security for the execution of the lease, and which twenty-
five per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent
for such property first accruing under the lease, when
executed, or forfeited if the lessee neglects or refuses to
execute the lease and bond after being duly notified that
the lease is prepared and ready for signature, or, in case
the bid be finally rejected, will be returned to the bidder.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent for the wharf
property quarterly, in advance, in compliance with a
stipulation therefor in the form of the lease adopted.

The franchise and the lease of the wharf property, if
any, of each ferry will be put up and sold together to the
highest bidder, subject to the condition hereinafter ex-
pressed, and subject also to the right of the Comptroller
and the Board of the Department of Docks to reject any
or all bids, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

The right to reject any bid, if deemed to be to the
interest of the City of New York, is reserved by the
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Dated New York, October 20, 1877.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller;
JACOB A. WESTERVELT,
HENRY F. DIMOCK,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
Board of Department of Docks.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 8,
1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, October 25, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 15,
1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 8, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, November 22,
1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 15, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, December 13,
1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, November 22, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, December 27,
1877, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, December 13, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 10,
1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, December 27, 1877.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 17,
1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same place.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1878.

The above sale is adjourned to Thursday, January 31,
1878, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the same