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ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,
TUESDAY, February 1, 2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission created by chapter 550, of the Laws of 1880, to revise, vacate, or modify assessments for local improvements in the city of New York, met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—All the members, viz.:

Commissioners Edward Cooper (Chairman), John Kelly, Allan Campbell, George H. Andrews, and Daniel Lord, Jr.

The Clerk presented copies of the CITY RECORD and "Daily Register" of January 31 and February 1, 1881, showing due publication of notices of the present meeting.

The minutes of the meeting held January 18, 1881, were read and approved.

Commissioner Campbell stated that he had executed the lease of the room occupied by the Commissioners on the terms prescribed in the resolution adopted at the last meeting.

The Calendar of petitions noticed or set down for the present meeting was then called by the Clerk, and action taken on each case as follows:

No. 320—Petition of James Prior, for relief in the matter of the assessment for regulating, grading, etc., Worth street, from Broadway to Chatham street, confirmed July 12, 1876.

On motion of Mr. W. J. A. McGrath, attorney for the petitioner, the Corporation Counsel not objecting, the further hearing of the case was postponed to the next meeting.

No. 644—Petition of Latimer Bailey, for relief in the matter of the assessment for paving Fourteenth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, confirmed March 28, 1870.

On motion of Mr. W. J. A. McGrath, attorney for the petitioner, the Corporation Counsel not objecting, the hearing of this case was postponed for two weeks.

No. 922—Petition of H. S. & A. H. Mott for relief in the matter of the assessment for paving Fifty-fourth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue. Confirmed October 2, 1874.

The Corporation Counsel, by his representatives, Mr. J. A. Beall and A. L. Cole, objected to any evidence being received in this case, claiming that the petitioners were not properly before the Commissioners, for the reason that the General Term of the Supreme Court, on the 30th of December, 1880, had denied the application of the petitioners for the vacation of the assessment referred to, and under the eighth section of the act the matter having been passed on by the Court upon the merits the petitioners have no standing before the Commissioners.

After hearing Mr. Anderson Price, attorney for the petitioners in opposition, the Chairman, Commissioner Cooper, on behalf of the Commissioners, stated that they would proceed to take the evidence in the case, reserving their decision on the point raised by the Corporation Counsel.

Under objection of the Corporation Counsel, the testimony presented on behalf of the petitioners was received, and, no testimony being offered on behalf of the city, the case was closed, decision in the matter being reserved by the Commissioners.

Nos. 16 and 23—Petitions of Abraham B. Cox et al., and Jacob G. Sanders, for relief in the matter of the assessment for flagging Sixty-third street, from First to Second avenue, confirmed July 12, 1877.

After hearing the testimony offered on behalf of the petitioners, and also on behalf of the City of New York, and after hearing Mr. Henry R. Beekman, counsel for the petitioners, and the Corporation Counsel, by his Assistants, Mr. Beall and Cole, for the City of New York, the cases were closed, and decision reserved by the Commissioners.

On motion of Commissioner Campbell, the following bills, presented by the Clerk, were approved and ordered to be transmitted to the Finance Department for payment, viz.:

Bill of the "Daily Register," \$7.50, for advertising notices of meetings to February 1, 1881.

Bill of Martin B. Brown, \$9.60, for printing the minutes of November 10, December 7 and 21, 1880.

Bill of Maverick & Wissinger, \$15.70, for printing blank subpoenas and notices of meetings.

On motion of Commissioner Andrews, the seventh rule, relating to meetings of the Commission, was suspended.

On motion of Commissioner Andrews, it was

Resolved, That when the Commission adjourns, it do so to meet on Tuesday, February 15, 1881, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

On motion of Commissioner Lord, the Commission then adjourned.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending January 22, 1881.

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

The Central Park, North and East River R. R. Co. vs. The Mayor, etc., N. Y., and Martin T. McMahon—Summons only, served.

The Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co. vs. Martin T. McMahon, Receiver Taxes, N. Y., et al.—To be allowed to deposit \$3,575.37, amount of tax for 1880, into Court, and that the Mayor, etc., N. Y., and the City of Brooklyn interplead.

Matter of Catharine Curtis—Habeas corpus.

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Bernard Merkent—Damages to building east side of Fourth avenue (Ward No. 1, block 410), between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets, by change of grade of street, \$175.

Garrett Flynn as administrator, etc., of John Daly, deceased—Damages for alleged personal injuries resulting in death of plaintiff's intestate, \$5,000.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

George A. Hoyt, No. 86—To set aside sale and to be refunded \$28.81 and interest.
George A. Hoyt, No. 87—To set aside sale and to be refunded \$82.18 and interest.
George A. Hoyt, No. 88—To set aside sale and to be refunded \$110.98 and interest.
George A. Hoyt, No. 89—To set aside sale and to be refunded \$487.48 and interest.
George A. Hoyt, No. 90—To set aside sale and to be refunded \$58.69 and interest.
George A. Hoyt, No. 91—To set aside sale and to be refunded \$12.67 and interest.

George A. Hoyt, No. 92—To set aside sale and to be refunded \$56.06 and interest.
George A. Hoyt, No. 93—To set aside sale and to be refunded \$103.05 and interest.
George A. Hoyt, No. 94—To set aside sale and to be refunded \$110.98 and interest.
George A. Hoyt, No. 95—To set aside sale and to be refunded \$46.61 and interest.
The Shepherd's Fold of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the State of New York—To recover donations alleged to be due for years 1875, 1876, 1877, 1878, and 1879, \$5,000 per annum, \$25,000.
John C. Campbell—Salary as Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, between October 23, 1878, and October 8, 1880, at \$7,000 per annum \$13,698.87.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF N. Y.

William Wray vs. The Mayor, etc., of the City of N. Y., M. T. McMahon, Receiver of Taxes, City of N. Y., and The Nassau Bank—To restrain collection of taxes assessed on complainant pending ascertainment of rate assessable.

Matter of Benjamin W. Hitchcock, a bankrupt—(The city a creditor).

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Gilbert L. Crowell, National Bank of Commerce—Temporary injunction order entered.
Henrietta A. Lenox, Ex., etc.—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff reforming deeds and for \$111.45 disbursements.

Mayor etc. vs. Masterson—Referee's report of sale filed, paid Collector of City Revenue \$2,379.86.

People, ex rel. Fulton National Bank vs. Tax Commissioners (1)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of \$15 costs.

People, ex rel. Fulton National Bank vs. Tax Commissioners (2)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of \$15 costs.

People, ex rel. Fulton National Bank vs. Tax Commissioners (3)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of \$15 costs.

People, ex rel. National City Bank of New York vs. Tax Commissioners (1)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of \$15 costs.

People, ex rel. National City Bank of New York vs. Tax Commissioners (2)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of \$15 costs.

People, ex rel. National City Bank of New York vs. Tax Commissioners (3)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of \$15 costs.

In re G. Waite Tubbs, Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth street underground drains—Order to vacate assessment entered.

People, ex rel. Mark Haggerty vs. Police Commissioners—General Term order of affirmance with costs entered.

The National Mechanics' Banking Association—Temporary injunction order entered by consent.

Ninth National Bank of City of N. Y. do do

The National Butchers' and Drovers' Bank do do

Merchants' Exchange Bank do do

National City Bank of New York do do

People, ex rel. The Irving National Bank vs. Tax Commissioners (1)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of costs.

People, ex rel. The Irving National Bank vs. Tax Commissioners (2)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of costs.

People, ex rel. The Irving National Bank vs. Tax Commissioners (3)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of costs.

People, ex rel. Manhattan Co. vs. Tax Commissioners (1)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of costs.

People, ex rel. Manhattan Co. vs. Tax Commissioners (2)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of costs.

People, ex rel. Manhattan Co. vs. Tax Commissioners (3)—General Term order of discontinuance entered on payment of costs.

Union National Bank—Temporary injunction order entered by consent.

Wm. Wray do do

Fulton National Bank do do

Gallatin National Bank do do

N. Y. National Exchange Bank do do

People, Dennis Leary vs. Board Police Commissioners, etc.—Judgment entered in favor of Board

Police Commissioners for \$33.94 costs, etc.

John W. Clark vs. Board of Police, etc.—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$1,425.57.

Citizens' Bank of City of New York vs. Bank of New York Banking Association—Temporary in-

junction order entered by consent.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Application Metropolitan Elevated Railroad Co.—Motion for appointment of Commissioners made, decision reserved.

People, ex rel. Willard F. Hanssee vs. Police Commissioners, etc.—Argued at General Term, decision reserved.

People, ex rel. Samuel A. Stevens vs. Police Commissioners, etc.—Argued at General Term, decision reserved.

People, Mary Ann Dunn—Reference proceeded.

In re Mary G. Pinckney, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Eighth street—Argued at Court of Appeals, decision reserved.

In re Max Weil, regulating, etc., Ninth avenue—Argued at Court of Appeals, decision reserved.

Clarence Levey—Reference proceeded.

People, ex rel. Sophia G. Vandervoort vs. The Mayor of New York, and the Comptroller of New York—Argued at General Term, decision reserved.

William Cauldwell and another—Reference proceeded.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 9th day of February, 1881.

Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, and Mason.

Resolved, That the pay-rolls of the Bureau of Street Cleaning for the month of January, 1881, amounting to \$58,020.52, as per schedule, be and are hereby ordered to be paid by the Treasurer—all aye.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller for the sum of \$25,897.00, to pay expenses incurred in removing snow and ice during the month of January, 1881.

Whereas, The appropriation for "Cleaning the streets under the Police Department for the year 1881," amounting to \$735,000, specified the amount of \$40,000 "for removing snow and ice"; and Whereas, The said amount of \$40,000 has already been nearly expended in removing snow and ice, and to properly prosecute said work a large sum of money in addition thereto will be required; therefore

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to transfer the sum of \$19,000 from the unexpended balance of account entitled "Cleaning the streets under Police Department—Removal of ice and snow," for the year 1880, which is in excess of the amount required for the purposes and objects thereof, to the account entitled "Cleaning the streets under Police Department—For removing snow and ice, for the year 1881," which is insufficient.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending January 29, 1881, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending January 22, 1881.

SIR—There were 707 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, January 29, 1881, which is an increase of 40, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 166 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1880. The actual mortality for the week ending January 22, 1881, was 693, which is 168.2 above the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 29.86 per 1,000 persons living, the population, according to the last U. S. Census, being 1, 266,577.

METEOROLOGY.		Week ending Jan. 29.	Week ending Jan. 22.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, JANUARY 22, 1881.								Total Actual Mortality during the week ending January 22, 1881.		Actual number of Deaths for the corresponding week of 1880.		Average number of Deaths in the corresponding week of the past five years.		Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 12,065,571).		AGE BY YEARS.																	SEX.						
				DATE.																																							
				Jan. 16.	Jan. 17.	Jan. 18.	Jan. 19.	Jan. 20.	Jan. 21.	Jan. 22.																																	
		Total Deaths reported during the week ending Jan. 29, 1881.	Total Deaths reported during the week ending Jan. 22, 1881.																																								
				Jan. 16.	Jan. 17.	Jan. 18.	Jan. 19.	Jan. 20.	Jan. 21.	Jan. 22.										Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.	Male.	Female.	COLOR.	
Total Deaths from all Causes.....		707	667	102	97	103	93	98	109	91	693	519	554.8	29.86	130	66	46	19	15	276	39	12	18	26	30	38	33	33	32	37	25	25	24	45	397	296	7						
Total Zymotic Diseases.....		185	157	25	22	25	22	25	31	30	183	120	126.8	7.98	33	33	32	11	9	120	27	4	6	26	30	38	33	33	32	37	25	25	24	45	397	296	7						
Total Constitutional Diseases.....		156	166	18	20	24	25	30	25	13	133	125.0	6.72	11	9	4	1	2	26	37	4	6	10	10	10	17	20	14	17	13	9	9	8	2	99	84	3						
Total Local Diseases.....		303	293	47	40	51	42	35	46	37	258	210	219.6	12.84	66	25	10	7	4	112	34	4	4	112	34	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4			
Total Developmental Diseases.....		403	397	39	7	10	6	3	7	4	41	38	38.2	1.76	18	18			
Deaths by Violence.....		22	12	2	2	2	2	1	1	3	15	18	15.2	.65	1	1	1	1			
Small-pox.....		5	9	2	1	2	2	7	4	4.0	.30	3	3	3		
Measles.....		4	3	..	1	3	26	9.2	.13	1		
Scarlatina.....		48	40	5	3	9	5	9	6	8	45	10	22.8	1.94	4	7	13	3	2	29	14	1	2	14	1	
Diphtheria.....		39	37	10	5	2	6	3	10	6	44	15	29.0	2.90	3	12	8	5	4	32	7	2	2	1	..</																		

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.			
		NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHTHERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHOEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																		
		Actual Mortality during the Week ending January 22, 1881.																		
		Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Puerperal Fever.	All Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Other Zymotic Diseases.	Total Deaths from Zymotic Diseases.					
First.....	154	1	1	1	1	..	4	7	7	17,939	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot, ..; U. S. Marine Hospital (Bedloe's Island), ..; Trinity Mission,
Second.....	81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1,608	Twenty-seventh Precinct Station, ..; House of Relief, 160 Chambers street, 1; Newsboys' Lodgings,	1
Third.....	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	3,582	Fourth Precinct Station, ..; Mission Home, ..; St. James' Home,	1
Fourth.....	83	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	5	21,075	Fifth Precinct Station, ..; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street,	1
Fifth.....	168	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	10	16,134	City Prison, ..; Home of Industry, 1; Centre Street Dispensary, ..; Park Street Mission Home,	1
Sixth.....	86	1	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	17	20,193	Seventh Precinct Station, ..; Sailors' Home, ..; Nursery and Child's Protectory, East Broadway,	1
Seventh.....	198	..	..	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	7	24	50,060	Eighth Precinct Station, ..; Home for Old Men and Aged Couples, ..; Northern Dispensary	6
Eighth.....	153	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	22	35,880	St. Vincent's Hospital, 6; Home for Old Men and Aged Couples, ..; Northern Dispensary	6
Ninth.....	322	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	36	54,593	Essex Street Prison, ..; Tenth Precinct Station, ..; Ludlow Street Jail,	6
Tenth.....	110	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	26	47,553	St. Francis' Hospital, 4; Eleventh Precinct Station,	4
Eleventh.....	196	..	..	2	4	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	12	29	68,779	Reception Hospital, 90th street, 1; Infants' Hospital, 6; Sheltering Arms, ..; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 5; Colored Orphan Asylum, ..; Ward's Island, 6; 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, ..; Deborah Nursery, ..; Homoeopathic Hospital, 10; Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews, ..; Leake and Watts Orphan Home, ..; Unsectarian Home, ..; Convent of Sacred Heart, ..; Sheltering Arms,	28
Twelfth.....	5,504.13	3	2	2	1	1	5	14	59	31	81,802	Thirteenth Precinct Station, ..; Unsectarian Home, ..; Convent of Sacred Heart, ..; Sheltering Arms,
Thirteenth.....	107	..	..	4	1	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	9	23	37,797	R. C. Orphan Asylum, ..; Lying-in Asylum, ..; Fourteenth Precinct Station, ..; House of Mercy, .....	..
Fourteenth.....	90	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	6	19	30,172	Fifteenth Precinct Station, ..; Midnight Mission, ..; Society for the Care of Infants and Young Children, 3.....	3
Fifteenth.....	198	1	..	1	2	14	11	31,873	St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, ..; Home of the Church of the Holy Communion, ..; House of Holy Comforter Association for Befriending Young Girls, ..; Eye and Ear Infirmary, ..; House of the Holy Family for
Sixteenth.....	348.77	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	7	29	52,186	Home for Respectable Aged and Indigent Females, ..; New York Hospital, 6; New York Infirmary for ..	6
Seventeenth.....	331	..	..	2	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	10	43	104,895	Women and Children, ..; N. Y. Ophthalmic Hospital, ..; Reception Hospital, ..	..
Eighteenth.....	449.89	..	1	3	4	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	12	46	66,610	Presbyterian Home, ..; Presbyterian Hospital, ..; German Hospital, 1; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 2; Foundling Hospital, 6; Women's Asylum, ..; City Lunatic Asylum, 6; Almshouse, 5; Penitentiary, ..; Small-pox Hospital, 4; Charity Hospital, 11; Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital, ..; Colored Home Hospital, 1; Nursery and Child's Hospital, 1; St. Luke's Hospital, 5; Workhouse, 3; Fever Hospital, ..; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, ..; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, ..; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of the Poor), ..; Chapin Home for the Aged 1; Hahnemann's Hospital; Orphans' Home and Asylum (Protestant Episcopal), 49th	

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

aged 66 years; 5 feet 11½ inches high; gray hair and eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Maggie Dowdell; aged 45 years; 5 feet high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted broche shawl, calico dress, striped petticoat, striped stockings, laced shoes.

Nellie Holmes; aged 33 years; 4 feet 10 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted calico dress, black and white woolen shawl, straw hat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—William P. Cole; aged 30 years; 4 feet 8½ inches high. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Charles Stripp; aged 39 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown hair; black eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Valentine Estel; aged 50 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Elizabeth Scheyler, alias Bridget Coyle; aged 37 years; 4 feet 9 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, February 4, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 127.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING THE OLD PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, N. R., AND PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER NEAR THE FOOT OF WEST TWENTY-SIXTH STREET, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER, NEW 56, N. R.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING ALL OF THE old pier at the foot of West Twenty-sixth street, North river, and building a new wooden pier near the foot of West Twenty-sixth street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1881,

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

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

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

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

1. Yellow Pine Timber—
3" plank.... 17,136 feet, B. M., measured in the work.
4" x 10".... 14,007 " " "
4" plank.... 129,280 " " "
5" x 10".... 30,993 " " "
5" plank.... 48,310 " " "
6" x 12".... 9,840 " " "
8" x 8".... 5,266 " " "
8" x 12".... 560 " " "
10" x 10".... 91,317 " " "
10" x 12".... 101,520 " " "
12" x 12".... 201,200 " " "
Total..... 649,429 " " "

2. White Oak Timber—
6" x 12".... 300 feet, B. M., measured in the work.
7" x 12".... 140 " " "
12" x 12".... 912 " " "
Total..... 1,352 " " "

3. White Oak Timber (crossed)—
8" x 12".... 11,872 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

4. North Carolina Yellow Pine Timber—
3" plank.... 105,570 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

5. White or Yellow Pine Boards—
1" x 4".... 2,205 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

6. Locust Treennails—
About..... 3,240 " " "

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

7. 15" Yellow Pine, White Pine, or Cypress Piles.... 775

(These piles will be from 75 to 85 feet in length, to average about 80 feet in length.)

8. 2", 1½", 1¼", 1", ¾", and ¾" wrought-iron screw-bolts and wrought-iron washers, about..... 21,812 pounds.

9. ¾" x 20", ¾" x 22", ¾" x 24", ¾" x 26", ¾" x 28", ¾" x 30", ¾" x 32", ¾" x 34", ¾" x 36", ¾" x 38", ¾" x 40", ¾" x 42", ¾" x 44", ¾" x 46", ¾" x 48", ¾" x 50", ¾" x 52", ¾" x 54", ¾" x 56", ¾" x 58", ¾" x 60", ¾" x 62", ¾" x 64", ¾" x 66", ¾" x 68", ¾" x 70", ¾" x 72", ¾" x 74", ¾" x 76", ¾" x 78", ¾" x 80", ¾" x 82", ¾" x 84", ¾" x 86", ¾" x 88", ¾" x 90", ¾" x 92", ¾" x 94", ¾" x 96", ¾" x 98", ¾" x 100", ¾" x 102", ¾" x 104", ¾" x 106", ¾" x 108", ¾" x 110", ¾" x 112", ¾" x 114", ¾" x 116", ¾" x 118", ¾" x 120", ¾" x 122", ¾" x 124", ¾" x 126", ¾" x 128", ¾" x 130", ¾" x 132", ¾" x 134", ¾" x 136", ¾" x 138", ¾" x 140", ¾" x 142", ¾" x 144", ¾" x 146", ¾" x 148", ¾" x 150", ¾" x 152", ¾" x 154", ¾" x 156", ¾" x 158", ¾" x 160", ¾" x 162", ¾" x 164", ¾" x 166", ¾" x 168", ¾" x 170", ¾" x 172", ¾" x 174", ¾" x 176", ¾" x 178", ¾" x 180", ¾" x 182", ¾" x 184", ¾" x 186", ¾" x 188", ¾" x 190", ¾" x 192", ¾" x 194", ¾" x 196", ¾" x 198", ¾" x 200", ¾" x 202", ¾" x 204", ¾" x 206", ¾" 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