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TOGETHER WITH RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND  
DURING THE SAME PERIOD.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, August 31, 1881.

“Section 108. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller to publish in the CITY RECORD, two months before the election of Charter officers, a full and detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Corporation during the year ending on the first day of the month in which such publication is made, and the cash balance or surplus; and in every such statement the different sources of city revenue, and the amount received from each; the several appropriations made, the objects for which the same were made, and the amount of moneys expended under each; the moneys borrowed on the credit of the Corporation, the authority under which each loan was made, and the terms on which the same was obtained, shall be clearly and particularly specified.”

The annual election of Charter Officers, under the Charter of 1830, was held in April, but the time of holding the election has since been changed to the day of the general State election in November.

The following is a summary of the operations of the City Treasury ; of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, and of the Sinking Fund for the payment of Interest on the City Debt.

*From August 1, 1880, to August 1, 1881.*

Revenues of the General Fund .....	\$1,956,245	90
Taxes .....	27,823,053	08
Amounts returned to Appropriation Accounts ..	13,900	36
Special and Trust Accounts .....	761,419	97
Loans (including Revenue Bonds) .....	29,331,123	55

On Appropriation Account—For State Taxes, Interest on City Debt, Redemption of certain Bonds, and the general expenses of the City Government .....	\$29,207,886	19
On Special and Trust Accounts.....	5,819,921	57
Redemption of Bonds—		
Revenue Bonds of 1879.....	\$2,611,900	00
Revenue Bonds of 1880.....	22,287,642	38
Assessment Bonds .....	119,000	00

*From August 1, 1880, to August 1, 1881.*

Cash receipts from all sources, as per Detailed Statement, herewith,  
during the year ending August 1, 1881, as follows :

From the ordinary sources of revenue, pledged  
to this Fund, including interest on invest-  
ments . . . . . \$3,384,020 26

Cash balance in this Fund, August 1, 1881.....	\$921,135 72
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For interest on that portion of the City Debt, which by law is payable from this Fund.....	\$580,620 00
For amount of surplus transferred to "Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt," as provided by chapter 383, Laws 1878 .....	2,100,000 00
For amount transferred to City Treasury to refund amounts of Croton Water Rent paid in error.....	5,000 00
For amount refunded on account of fines and penalties, paid to this Fund through error .....	110 00
For difference in outstanding warrants, August 1, 1880, and August 1, 1881, paid.....	82 00
	<hr/> 2,685,812 00

### RECAPITULATION.

Total.....	\$2,590 208 66
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The following comparative statement of the amount of the debt (except Revenue Bonds), and of the amount in the Sinking Fund, July 31, 1880, and July 31, 1881, shows that there has been a reduction of the net Funded Debt in the past year, ending July 31, 1881, of \$4,164,420.78.

Amount of Net Funded Debt, July 31, 1880.....	\$103,564.395 27
“ “ “ July 31, 1881.....	99,399.974 49
Decrease.....	\$4,164.420 78



## REVENUE BONDS.

The following statement shows the amount of Revenue Bonds outstanding, July 31, 1881:

Issued under special acts of Legislature.....	\$316,189 79
Issued in anticipation of Taxes of 1879.....	200,000 00
Issued in anticipation of Taxes of 1880.....	2,200,000 00
Issued in anticipation of Taxes of 1881.....	15,465,400 00
Total Revenue Bonds.....	\$18,181,589 79

The amount of Revenue Bonds issued in anticipation of the taxes of the present year as shown above is \$15,465,400, which amount was borrowed at the following rates of interest, viz.:

At 3 per cent. per annum.....	\$4,325,600 00
At 3½ per cent. per annum.....	9,053,800 00
At 4 per cent. per annum.....	2,086,000 00
Total.....	\$15,465,400 00

Further issues of Revenue Bonds will be made to meet current expenditures of the City Government, until the tax books for 1881 are opened in the latter part of October, when the bonds will be redeemed and canceled as the taxes are collected.

At the close of the year 1881, the outstanding Revenue Bonds will be largely paid off and the debt they represent extinguished.

Revenue Bonds for 1879 and 1880, outstanding on the first of last January, have been redeemed and canceled amounting to \$2,837,300 up to July 31, 1881, as follows:

Issued in anticipation of taxes of 1879.....	\$325,000 00
Issued in anticipation of taxes of 1880.....	2,512,300 00
Total.....	\$2,837,300 00

The balance of the Revenue Bonds for the years 1879 and 1880, outstanding July 31, 1881, amounting to \$2,400,000, will be paid off and canceled as the taxes in arrears are collected, and by the end of the present year they will be nearly all redeemed and canceled.

A much larger amount of Revenue Bonds for 1880 would have been paid off before the present date, if the city banks and other corporations had paid their taxes for that year. But on account of legal questions, now pending in the Courts, relating to the liability of banks and other corporations to pay City taxes on their capital, the taxes of 1880 levied on them have remained unpaid, amounting on July 31, 1881, to \$1,941,927.17.

Proceedings are now pending relative to the collection of these taxes, to which the city is justly entitled, as they were raised for the purpose of meeting the appropriations for 1880, and the city has paid the State tax included in the appropriations based on the assessed valuations of banks and corporations.

## ISSUES OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

Stocks and bonds have been issued for various purposes, under the authority of special laws in the year 1881, prior to July 31st, except revenue bonds, as follows:

For Public Works—Street Openings and Improvements.....	\$388,000 00
For Public Works—Croton Water Purposes.....	131,000 00
For Docks and Slips.....	529,500 00
For Brooklyn Bridge.....	116,000 00
For Bridge over Harlem River.....	15,000 00
For New York County Court-house.....	1,000 00
For Assessment Commission, Expenses of (Revenue Bonds, Special).....	4,000 00
For Expenses of Proceedings against Public Officers in the City of New York (Revenue Bonds, Special).....	20,245 21
For Revision of Special and Local Laws relating to the City of New York (Revenue Bonds, Special).....	5,000 00
For Museums of Art and Natural History.....	2,000 00
For City Parks Improvements.....	17,000 00
Total.....	\$1,228,745 21

Statement No. II., hereto annexed, shows the total debt of the Corporation and of the Annexed Territory, outstanding August 1, 1881, and the amount of each class of Stocks and Bonds due in each successive year, together with the rates of interest payable thereon.

## REDEMPTION OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

During the same period stocks and bonds, except Revenue Bonds, have been redeemed by the Sinking Fund, as follows:

Seven per cent. Bonds for State Sinking Fund Deficiency of 1872.....	\$389,949 48
Five per cent. Bonds for Fitting up Armories and Drill Rooms.....	43,563 32
Total.....	\$433,512 80

On the first of November next stocks and bonds become due, amounting to \$2,497,700, to be paid and redeemed by the Sinking Fund, without resort to taxation, as follows:

Seven per cent. Street Opening and Improvement Bonds.....	\$250,000 00
Six per cent. Soldiers' Substitute and Relief Redemption Bonds.....	446,700 00
Six per cent. New York County Court-house Stock.....	260,000 00
Five per cent. Assessment Bonds and Assessment Fund Stock.....	1,541,000 00
Total.....	\$2,497,700 00

This amount due in November, in addition to the amount of bonds already paid and redeemed by the Sinking Fund in 1881, as above stated, make a total amount of bonds redeemed and provided for from that fund in the present year, of \$2,931,112.80.

Bonds and Stocks payable from taxation, amounting to \$337,514.79, outstanding July 31, 1881, and issued under special laws, fall due in November and December next, to be redeemed from taxes included in the appropriations for the present year.

## DECREASE OF THE BOND DEBT.

Some eight or ten years ago, as is well known, the city debt, by reason of extravagant expenditures, mal-administration, and fraud, had swollen to enormous proportions, causing alarm in the public mind as to the ability of the Corporation to meet its obligations, without resort to crushing taxation. During the years 1876 and 1877, by a more conservative course in carrying on various city improvements, proceeding only with such as were actually necessary, and by abolishing as far as possible the wasteful day-work system, a check was finally put upon the further excessive issue of bonds which had been necessary.

## NET REDUCTION OF THE FUNDED DEBT SINCE 1876.

The following statement shows the reduction of the Funded Debt, embracing all city stocks and bonds and the debt of the Annexed Territory outstanding at the respective dates, since December 31,

1876, except Revenue Bonds, and deducting the amount in the Sinking Fund at the end of each year and on July 31, 1881.

	NET DEBT.	DECREASE.
December 31, 1876..... Stocks and Bonds outstanding.....	\$114,948,611 76	
" 31, 1877..... " " " " " " " "	112,811,553 33	\$2,137,058 43
" 31, 1878..... " " " " " " " "	108,571,752 95	4,239,800 38
" 31, 1879..... " " " " " " " "	104,422,062 54	4,149,690 41
" 31, 1880..... " " " " " " " "	101,509,891 56	2,902,170 98
July 31, 1881..... " " " " " " " "	99,399,974 49	2,109,917 07

Total Decrease, July 31, 1881..... \$15,538,637 27

As previously stated in detail, \$2,497,700 of the Funded Debt falls due and will be paid off and redeemed on the first of next November by the Sinking Fund. On the other hand, further issues of stocks and bonds for a considerable amount will be made during the remainder of the present year, on account of works for increasing the supply of water, building docks and slips, street openings and improvements, completing the New York and Brooklyn Bridge, erecting a bridge over the Harlem river, and for other purposes.

The accumulations in the Sinking Fund, however, will, in the meantime, more than offset these charges for the remainder of the year, and at its close the net funded debt will be considerably less than on July 31, 1881.

STATEMENT No. IV., hereto annexed, shows the total amount of each class of stocks and bonds of the City and County of New York, outstanding on the 31st day of December of each year from 1870 to 1880, and on July 31, 1881, inclusive, and also the amount of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt at the same dates, giving the net debt, including Revenue Bonds.

## THE SINKING FUND.

The history of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York from its foundation in 1813, its growth, operation and value in meeting the obligations of the city as they fall due from time to time, and as a measure for the final extinguishment of the whole debt at maturity, is one of great interest; and at the close of the present fiscal year (December 31), I propose in the Annual Report of this Department to present my views more fully upon the subject. At present it is only necessary to touch upon a few leading points connected with the matter, to correct some misapprehensions which have arisen in regard to the obligations, operation and effect of the Sinking Fund.

Objections have been made to the system as intricate and cumbersome, and some have even gone so far as to propose its abolishment or such radical changes as would materially impair its usefulness. While it must be admitted that there are some grounds for perplexity to those who are not familiar with the city finances in regard to the operation of the Sinking Fund, yet these difficulties relate rather to the theory upon which the system was established than to its actual operation, and certainly no one acquainted with the subject can take exception to the results which have been attained in securing the redemption of the city debt, for which purpose the Sinking Fund was created.

If the system could be established anew, it could doubtless be simplified and improved in certain particulars, yet as adopted by its founders it has become so firmly established by the ordinances of the Common Council and the laws of the State, that any radical change is not advisable, and could not be made without a violation of the good faith of the city and of an express contract with the public creditors.

Any attempt to abolish the Sinking Fund or to evade or impair its obligations in any particular should be discountenanced by all who value the honor and integrity of the city above the mere temporary relief from taxation.

In a report made by the Hon. A. C. Flagg, Comptroller of the City, dated January 27, 1853, to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, he said:

"The whole history of the debt and the pledged fund for forty years, exhibits a bright and unbroken chain of good faith, and, so far as the ordinances of the Common Council and the acts of the Legislature are concerned, a commendable regard to the credit of the city."

"The declaration made in the ordinance for establishing the Sinking Fund, that it should be under the Mayor, Recorder, etc., and the assurance given by the sovereign power of the state that this arrangement should not be altered by the Common Council, was a pledge in the nature of a contract so far as money was borrowed under it, which in good faith could not be changed or destroyed, either by the Common Council or the Legislature of the State."

The pledge of good faith which in 1853 was regarded to be "in the nature of a contract," has since been made and declared to be "a contract," in fact, between the city and its creditors, by chapter 383 of the Laws of 1878, which provides as follows:

"Sec. 4. Between the city and its creditors, holders of its bonds and stocks as aforesaid, there shall be and there is hereby declared to be a contract that the funds and revenues of the city and the funds to be collected from assessments as aforesaid, by this statute pledged to the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the city debt, shall be accumulated and applied only to the purposes of said Sinking Fund, until all of said debt is fully redeemed and paid, as herein provided."

The pledges of the Sinking Fund are considered of so sacred and obligatory a nature that Governor Robinson refused to approve of the original act of 1878, extending the application of its surplus revenues and accumulations to the redemption of bonds payable from taxation, until it was amended by making the then outstanding city debt, payable from the Sinking Fund, a "preferred charge," by an express provision, as follows:

"Sec. 5. Nothing in this act contained shall be held to require or authorize the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to use or apply any part or portion of the accumulations in said Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt or the revenues of said fund, in any manner whatsoever, whereby the security of said fund, for the payment of the bonds and stocks of said city, for which said fund is now pledged by law, and which are a charge on said fund, shall be alienated or impaired, and the said bonds and stocks, so secured by law, are hereby declared to constitute a preferred charge on said Sinking Fund until the same are fully and finally paid and redeemed."

Mr. Flagg said: "The chain of good faith has been bright and unbroken for forty years, from 1813 to 1853." The same good faith has been maintained and continued for a further term of nearly thirty years, up to the present time, through periods of extraordinary business depression and financial pressure, and through years of extravagance, mal-administration and fraud in the government of the city, whereby a burden of debt has been imposed of which no conception could have been formed thirty years ago. The prospect of continued good faith, and of the ability of the city to meet all its obligations to the public creditors was never brighter nor its credit higher than at the present time.

While the act of 1878 secured the payment and redemption of a portion of the city debt by making it a "preferred charge" against the Sinking Fund, under a sacred pledge and contract, it also provided in effect for the redemption, by the Sinking Fund, of the whole funded debt of the city, under the same obligation of a contract between the city and "the public creditors."

Again as to the operation and effect of the Sinking Fund. As before observed, the Sinking Fund, though somewhat complex in its nature, in practice works smoothly and easily, being governed and regulated by law in every movement. The accounts of the Fund are kept in the Finance Department, according to the most approved methods, and are clear and readily understood by good accountants. They have been often examined by experts, and specially by the Commissioners of Accounts, who have certified their correctness, not a dollar having ever been lost or unlawfully applied or diverted from the Fund.

There exists an erroneous impression that the city bonds, taken up and paid off by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, are retained uncanceled, affording opportunity to re-issue them. When such bonds and stocks are finally paid and redeemed, they are thoroughly canceled by cutting the signatures and figures on the face of the bonds, so that their fraudulent re-issue is rendered impossible. It has also been said that there must be expense and risk in taking care of city bonds to the amount of thirty million dollars in the Sinking Fund, and that the number of bonds held by the Sinking Fund for small amounts is so great as to cause a vast amount of detail in the accounts. In reality, the city



debt held by the Sinking Fund, now amounting to about thirty-five million dollars, is represented by only a few certificates for large amounts, the issue of bonds made from time to time for the Sinking Fund being merged in large certificates, according to the class and title, causing no difficulty whatever as to their safekeeping or ready examination and verification.

Among other important provisions relating to the bond debt and the issue of city bonds, the act of 1878 provided for the direct application of the surplus revenues and accumulations of the Sinking Fund to the redemption of bonds payable from taxation, thereby effecting a corresponding reduction of bond debt, and annual tax for that purpose which would otherwise have been necessary. This provision applies to the whole city debt then outstanding, until it is finally redeemed, canceled, and extinguished.

Under the act of 1878 the Sinking Fund has redeemed and canceled from its Surplus Revenues, Stocks and Bonds originally payable by law from taxation, since January 1, 1879, up to July 31, 1881, as follows:

In 1879.....	\$3,443,774 48
In 1880.....	2,182,265 48
In 1881 to July 31.....	389,949 48
Total.....	\$6,015,989 44

The surplus revenues of the Sinking Fund besides redeeming the "preferred bonds," which will fall due in the next five years, will be quite sufficient to pay off and finally redeem all the bonds payable from taxation during the same period, without raising a dollar for that purpose by annual taxes, the amount of such bonds being \$14,337,538.40, as follows:

1882—Bonds due payable from taxation.....	\$1,757,153 94
1883—.....	989,949 48
1884—.....	4,227,535 96
1885—.....	3,707,949 48
1886—.....	3,654,949 54
Total.....	\$14,337,538 40

In the year 1887 bonds payable from taxation fall due amounting to \$10,108,671. Instead of raising this immense sum by tax in that year, it is believed that by judicious management of the revenues and accumulations of the Sinking Fund the whole amount can and will be paid off by the Fund without resort to taxation. Reference is made to statement No. I, showing the amount of each class of city bonds outstanding August 1, 1881, falling due in each successive year.

It will thus be seen that the Sinking Fund performs an important function in effecting a more general and equal distribution of taxes over a series of years. In some way the city debt must be paid either by direct taxation when due, or by the revenues of the Sinking Fund, and so far as they can be used for this purpose they afford relief to the taxpayers. The public are really concerned only with practical results, and are indifferent to theories, if the management be honest, and the results satisfactory.

City stocks and bonds have been issued from time to time in accordance with the laws authorizing them, for many purposes, under different titles, and in a variety of colors, forms, and styles of execution of the certificates. It would be desirable to establish uniformity in the title, form, and style of all the bonds of the City of New York. I have under consideration a plan to make all city stocks and bonds uniformly the same in general appearance in future issues, and bearing one common title, with sub-titles indicating the various purposes for which they were issued.

The investments and cash in the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the City Debt have increased \$1,339,512.29 during the year ending July 31, 1881, as follows:

	INVESTMENTS, CITY BONDS.	CASH.	TOTAL.
July 31, 1881—Amount of Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.	\$34,779,796 86	\$921,135 72	\$35,700,932 58
July 31, 1880—Amount of Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.	34,141,452 52	219,967 77	34,361,420 29
Increase.....	\$638,344 34	\$701,167 95	\$1,339,512 29

It is estimated that within the next twenty years the revenues of the Sinking Fund will so greatly increase that the amount of its accumulations will be sufficient to extinguish the whole present city debt.

Statement No. III. shows in detail the stocks and bonds of all classes held as investments in the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.

#### REFUNDING THE BOND DEBT.

Under the act of 1878 (chapter 383, commonly known as the Bonded Indebtedness Act), a portion of the bond debt was refunded on November 1, 1880, amounting to \$2,800,000, by the issue of "Consolidated Stock" bearing 4 per cent. interest, the principal payable in thirty years, November 1, 1910.

By authority of chapter 552, Laws of 1880, the stock was made exempt from municipal taxation as therein provided:

"Section 1. The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York for the Redemption of the City Debt, when duly authorized by ordinance of the Common Council, may, by concurrent resolution, direct that the bonds and stocks of said city, hereafter issued pursuant to law, shall be exempt from taxation by said city and by the county of New York, but not from taxation for State purposes; and all bonds and stocks issued pursuant to such authority shall be exempt from taxation accordingly, provided that said bonds and stocks shall not bear interest exceeding the rate of four and one-half per cent. per annum.

"Section 2. The bonds and stocks of the City of New York, issued pursuant to the provisions of this statute, shall express upon their face the fact that they are exempt from taxation by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, and shall refer to this act, and to the ordinance of the Common Council, and the resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund authorizing their issue."

This four per cent. Consolidated Stock was put upon the market and sold by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to the highest bidder, on sealed bids, October 25, 1880, at an average rate of \$105.015 per \$100.

The redemption of all stocks and bonds falling due in 1881, have been paid or are provided for without requiring any to be refunded.

#### PROSPECTIVE INCREASE OF THE CITY DEBT.

Besides the ordinary expenditures for public purposes met by the issue of bonds, heavy expenses of an extraordinary character are authorized by existing laws, which will require the issue of bonds and a corresponding increase of the city debt. Principally among works for the execution of which the city debt will be increased are, those for an additional water supply now in progress, for bringing the Bronx and Byram rivers into the water system of the City of New York, estimated to cost about two and a half millions, and the proposed new aqueduct from the Croton basin, costing probably fifteen million dollars more, within the next six or eight years. Such bonds will not probably bear a higher rate of interest than 3½ per cent.

#### APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES.

The total amount of the appropriations made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in the Final Estimate for 1881 was \$31,354,322.59.

The following statement shows the amount of the appropriations for 1881, the estimated amount to be supplied by the General Fund for the reduction of taxation, and the estimated amount to be added by the Board of Supervisors to meet the deficiencies on the actual product of the levy:

#### APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1881.

For State Taxes.....	\$4,270,760 00
For City Purposes.....	27,083,562 59
	\$31,354,322 59
Less amount supplied by the General Fund for the reduction of taxation.....	1,500,000 00
Amount of Final Estimate.....	29,854,322 59
For Appropriations under Special Laws—Estimated.....	504,967 50
	\$30,358,290 09
Add estimated amount to supply deficiency in the actual product of tax levy.....	900,000 00
Estimated amount of tax levy.....	\$31,258,290 09

The estimated rate of tax for 1881 based on the above estimated amount of the tax levy and the assessed valuations given in another place will be about 2.67 per cent.

The increase in the taxes for 1881 over the taxes of 1880, and the increased rate of tax, are accounted for by the increased amount of the State tax and by additional amounts required by several city departments, as follows:

DEPARTMENTS AND PURPOSES.	APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1880.	APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1881.	INCREASE.
State Tax.....	\$3,571,322 91	\$4,270,760 00	\$699,437 09
Department of Public Works.....	2,049,600 00	2,445,350 00	395,750 00
Department of Public Parks.....	593,500 00	641,500 00	48,000 00
Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	1,348,383 34	1,487,416 00	139,032 66
Health Department.....	251,540 00	271,063 32	19,523 32
Police Department.....	3,282,740 00	3,400,740 00	118,000 00
Fire Department.....	1,307,670 00	1,568,959 00	261,289 00
Board of Education.....	3,500,000 00	3,620,095 00	120,095 00
Total.....			\$1,801,127 07

While the appropriations for 1881 have been largely increased for various purposes as shown by the above table, they were diminished to some extent on other accounts.

Besides the increased appropriations for the city departments in 1881, as above stated, special appropriations estimated to amount to \$504,967.50 may be added to the taxes of 1881, under acts passed at the last session of the Legislature, as follows:

Chapter 246, entitled "An act to prevent the spread of contagious and infectious diseases in the City of New York".....	\$30,000 00
Chapter 289, entitled "An act to improve and regulate the use of Fourth avenue at Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets in the City of New York".....	10,000 00
Chapter 324, entitled "An act to provide for the completion of the entrances into Central Park, on Eighth avenue, at Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first streets and between said streets".....	50,000 00
Chapter 333, entitled "An act for the relief of the Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank of the City of New York".....	3,967 50
Chapter 367, entitled "An act to create a Department of Street Cleaning in the City of New York," etc.....	350,000 00
Chapter 447, entitled "An act to provide for the construction and maintenance of an additional public bath in the City of New York".....	11,500 00
Chapter 450, entitled "An act to secure the registration of plumbers," etc.....	6,000 00
Chapter 456, entitled "An act for the removal of the reservoir situated in the City of New York, between Fortieth and Forty-second streets".....	6,500 00
Chapter 461, entitled "An act to authorize the improvement of the public parks or places at the intersection of Third avenue and Boston avenue, and of Franklin and Fulton avenues in the City of New York".....	12,000 00
Chapter 478, entitled "An act to provide for the annexation of the island known as North Brother's Island," etc.....	25,000 00
Total.....	\$504,967 50

#### DEFICIENCIES IN TAXES.

To provide for deficiencies in the actual product of the tax levy a certain amount is required to be added, by section 4 of chapter 756, of the Laws of 1873, as follows:

"Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Board of Supervisors of the County of New York to include in any and every ordinance or resolution passed by them, imposing and levying taxes for any purpose or purposes authorized by law, within the City and County of New York, such sum, in addition to the aggregate amount required for such purposes, as they shall deem necessary, not exceeding three per cent. of said aggregate amount, to provide for deficiencies in the actual product of the amount imposed and levied therefor."

I consider it expedient that the sum of \$900,000 shall be added to the taxes for 1881, on account of deficiency in the product of the tax levy, being within the percentage provided for in the above statute.

For these reasons the amount and rate of tax for 1881 will exceed those of 1880.

Statement No. V. shows the amount of appropriations for every purpose in the year 1881, and also the amount for each year from 1876 to 1881, inclusive, together with the sums supplied by the General Fund for the Reduction of Taxation, and amounts added by the Board of Supervisors, to meet deficiencies in the actual product of the tax levies.

#### VALUATIONS FOR 1881.

The total amount of the assessed valuations of real and personal estate within the City and County of New York, subject to taxation, in 1881, as returned by the Commissioners of Taxes, is \$1,185,948,098.96, against \$1,143,765,227.09 in 1880, making a total increase of \$42,182,871.87, as follows:

TOTAL VALUATIONS.	ASSESSMENTS FOR 1880.	ASSESSMENTS FOR 1881.	INCREASE.
Real Estate.....	\$942,571,190 00	\$976,735,199 00	\$34,164,009 00
Personal Estate.....	201,194,037 09	209,212,899 96	8,018,862 87
Total.....	\$1,143,765,227 09	\$1,185,948,098 96	\$42,182,871 87

Statement No. VI. shows the assessed valuation of real estate in each ward of the City for the years 1880 and 1881, the increase and decrease of valuations in certain wards, and the amount of assessed valuations of personal estate for which taxes are imposed on residents, non-residents, and shareholders of banks and other corporations.

Statement No. VII. shows the valuations of real and personal estate, the tax rate and the amount of the tax levy in each year, from 1870 to 1881, inclusive.



## COLLECTIONS OF TAXES FOR 1881.

The Receiver of Taxes collects the taxes of one year on real estate up to June 1st of the year following, when unpaid taxes are returned by him to the Clerk of Arrears for collection.

The amount of taxes on both real estate and personal estate collected by the Receiver of Taxes from August 1, 1880, to August 1, 1881, less \$73,086.81 for discount or payments made before the first of November on the taxes for the year 1880, was \$23,499,777.12. The amount of interest collected by the Receiver of Taxes during the same period was \$76,950.93.

## COLLECTION OF ARREARS OF TAXES BY THE CLERK OF ARREARS.

The total amount of arrears of taxes on real estate collected by the Clerk of Arrears during the year ending June 1, 1881, was \$4,323,275.96, to which was added \$917,063.28 for interest, making the total amount received for arrears of taxes \$5,240,339.24.

## ARREARS OF TAXES ON REAL ESTATE.

The total amount of taxes on real estate remaining unpaid on July 31, 1881, was \$8,253,945.36, of which the principal amount is for taxes levied since 1876, including \$2,900,464.97 of the taxes for 1880.

## TAX SALE.

A sale of property for unpaid taxes for the years 1871 to 1876 inclusive, and of Croton water rents for the years 1870 to 1875 inclusive, will be held on the 10th of next October. Several acts of the Legislature passed since 1874, extending the time of payment of taxes, operating as stay laws, have prevented tax sales since that date, causing a large accumulation of arrears of taxes. At the last session of the Legislature, however, an act (chapter 331), was passed, entitled "An act relative to the collection of Taxes and Assessments, and Croton Water Rents in the City of New York." Under the operation of this law the earliest opportunity has been taken to collect taxes in arrears by a tax sale. By the act of 1881 above referred to, all provisions of law imposing the charge of interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum on arrears of taxes and assessments were repealed, and the rate of interest was fixed at 7 per cent. per annum on arrears, but no change was made in the rate of interest chargeable for redemption of tax sales.

Statement No. IX. shows the amount of arrears of taxes on real estate, on July 31, 1881, including taxes for 1880, and also Croton water rents in arrears for years previous to 1880.

## ARREARS OF PERSONAL TAXES.

The total amount of personal taxes remaining unpaid on July 31, 1881, was \$13,790,197.71.

Of this amount the sum of \$2,120,386.95 is due for taxes of 1880, including \$1,941,927.17 due by banks and other corporations as before stated.

Of unpaid personal taxes for former years, a very inconsiderable amount can ever be collected, and much more than ten millions may be set down as a total loss to the city.

Statement No. X. shows the amount of unpaid personal taxes on July 31, 1880, for every year to which they belong.

## COLLECTION OF CROTON WATER RENTS.

The total amount of Croton water rents and penalties collected and deposited in the Treasury during the year ending July 31, 1881, was \$1,568,712.84, as follows:

By Water Register.....	\$1,499,829 12
" Receiver of Taxes.....	27,453 81
" Clerk of Arrears.....	41,429 91
Total.....	\$1,568,712 84

## COLLECTIONS OF ASSESSMENTS.

The total amount of Assessments for street improvements, such as regulating, grading, paving, sewers, etc., and for street openings, collected during the year ending July 31, 1881, was as follows:

Street improvements.....	\$403,529 92
Third avenue (Morrisania) opening and improvements.....	2,766 15
Street openings.....	145,907 64
Total.....	\$552 203 71

The above amount was deposited as follows:

Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$548,277 86
City Treasury.....	3,925 85
Total.....	\$552,203 71

## VACATIONS OF ASSESSMENTS.

Assessments for local improvements have been vacated by order of the courts and canceled of record on the books of the Finance Department, during the year ending July 31, 1881, amounting to \$711,683.72.

## UNPAID ASSESSMENTS.

The amount of assessments confirmed remaining unpaid on July 31, 1881, was:

Street Improvement Fund—for local improvements.....	\$8,043,188 40
Assessment Fund—for street openings, etc.....	974,259 76
Total.....	\$9,017,448 16

## THE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

By an act of the legislature (chapter 550) passed in 1880, a commission was appointed to revise, vacate, and modify assessments for local improvements confirmed prior to the passage of the act. This commission has acted on several cases of local improvement assessments, and are engaged in the examination of others.

The whole amount of unpaid assessments outstanding originally upon which the Commission had power to act was about eight and a half million dollars.

The courts, however, have subsequently vacated many of these assessments, in whole or in part, in certain cases excepted by the law.

One-half the amount of the unpaid assessments will probably be recovered and paid into the City Treasury.

## REVENUES.

The following statements present in detail the revenues and receipts into the City Treasury and the Sinking Funds during the year ending August 1, 1881, showing the sources of each item and the actual amounts, not including transfers of accounts which appear in the Detailed Statements.

## REVENUES FROM TAXES AND THE GENERAL FUND PAID INTO THE CITY TREASURY.

Sources of Revenue.	Amount.
Taxes.....	\$27,823,053 08
Interest on Taxes.....	994,014 21
Interest on Assessments.....	173,609 80
Licenses.....	52,049 75
School Money from the State.....	593,182 98
CITY RECORD—Sales of.....	772 93
Commissions—Public Administrator.....	3,348 96
Corporation Counsel—Costs, etc.....	4,253 51

## Sources of Revenue.

Sources of Revenue.	Amount.
County Clerk—Fees.....	\$9,300 30
Railroad Franchises.....	14,786 31
Connections with Sewers and Drains.....	27,150 96
Tapping Water Pipes.....	9,595 00
Forfeited Recognizances.....	20,812 71
Conscience Fund.....	70 00
Department of Public Charities and Correction—Ferriage, Steamboat Fares, Board, Licenses, and Sales of Sundries.....	23,897 91
Department of Public Parks—Licenses and Sales of Sundries.....	6,714 04
Dock Department—Sales old Materials.....	391 00
Fire Department—Sales of Manure and Materials.....	2,406 02
Health Department—Transcripts of Births, Marriages, and Deaths.....	995 25
Police Department—Sales Sundries, etc., and Unexpended Balances.....	13,223 90
Department of Public Works—Street Incumbrances, and Sales of old Materials.....	4,788 80
Miscellaneous Items.....	881 56
Total.....	\$29,779,298 98

## REVENUES OF THE SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.

Sources of Revenue.	Amount.
Redemption of the City Debt, amount raised annually (under Sec. 8, Ch. 383, L. 1878).....	\$63,212 13
Market Rents and Fees and Market Cellar Rent.....	297,825 07
Bonds and Mortgages.....	54,125 00
Licenses.....	24,124 00
Construction of Street Vaults.....	63,948 07
Dock and Slip Rent.....	958,238 43
Revenue from Investments.....	1,904,897 01
Interest on Deposits.....	71,060 30
Water Lot Quit Rent and Commutation of Quit Rent.....	4,121 90
Assessments collected under Chap. 383, Laws 1878, and 550 Laws 1880.....	548,277 86
West Farms Gas Tax.....	680 48
Chamberlain's Commission on State Tax.....	5,000 00
Sales of Real Estate.....	20,075 00
Total.....	\$4,015,585 25

## REVENUES OF THE SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

Sources of Revenue.	Amount.
Interest on Bonds and Mortgages.....	\$21,947 24
House Rent.....	14,237 04
Ground Rent.....	39,036 67
Ferry Rent (including \$300,000 back rent from Union Ferry Co.).....	392,875 51
Water Lot Rent.....	2,655 82
Croton Water Rent.....	1,568,712 84
Interest on Croton Water Rent.....	9,130 02
Court Fees and Fines, Stenographers' Fees, and Fines and Penalties.....	109,744 32
Interest on West Farms Gas Tax.....	82 59
Total.....	\$2,158,422 05

## SPECIAL RECEIPTS

from various sources which are appropriated by law, in some cases, and in others are applicable to different purposes, for the benefit of the city, as noted against each item.

Titles of Accounts.	Amounts.
American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals—Fines for Benefit of this Society.....	\$1,381 00
Collections of Assessments—Applicable to Redemption of Assessment Bonds.....	4,020 75
Charges on Arrears of Taxes and Assessments—Applicable to Expenses of Tax and Assessment Sales.....	857 50
Consolidated Debt Fund (Chapter 353, Laws 1878) Premium—Transferable to Sinking Fund and applicable to Redemption of City Debt.....	140,425 00
Dock Fund—Refund to this Account by Private Dock Owners, for Repairs.....	19,218 83
Dog License Fund—Applicable to Expenses of Dog Pound.....	6,097 48
Excise Licenses—Payable to Charitable Institutions by Board of Apportionment.....	453,462 46
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination—Payable to Physicians, for Services.....	4,833 79
Greenwich Street Elevated Railroad Fund.....	34,210 55
Intestate Estates—Unclaimed Amounts paid into the Treasury by Public Administrator.....	5,518 30
Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments, and Interest, etc.—For Redemption of—New York Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children—Fines for Benefit of this Society.....	1,070 00
Restoring and Repaving, Departments of Public Parks, and Public Works—Special Fund from Repairs of Pavements for private parties.....	29,225 00
Water Meter Fund—Applicable to Payment for Water Meters.....	25,538 69
Fire Department, Bureau of Buildings Fund—For Special Inspection.....	676 12
Commissioners of Excise Fund—Amount refunded for error.....	1 00
Total.....	\$736,419 97

## RECAPITULATION.

Revenues from Taxes and of the General Fund.....	\$29,779,298 98
Revenues of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt.....	4,015,585 25
Revenues of the Sinking Fund for the Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	2,158,422 05
Special receipts.....	736,419 97
Total.....	\$36,689,726 25

## REVENUES FROM FERRY RENTS.

The revenues received by the city for ferry franchises, under the head of ferry rents, will be considerably increased from the 1st of May last, amounting probably in all to \$250,000 per annum.

New leases have been made with the Union Ferry Company and other parties for ferries on the North and East rivers, from May 1, 1881.

A settlement has been made with the Union Ferry Company of the suit pending during the last six or seven years for rent claimed to be due on a lease to that Company from May 1, 1871, to May 1, 1881, and the City has received the sum of \$300,000 in full.

On the 21st of last April the lease of the franchise of the ferries run by that Company, between this City and Brooklyn, was sold to it at public auction for the term of five years, from the 1st of May, at a rental of 12½ per cent. upon the gross receipts of the Company; the charges for ferriage not to be increased.

The yearly rent under the new lease will probably amount to from one hundred and forty to one hundred and fifty thousand dollars per annum.



## REVENUES FROM STREET RAILROADS.

The revenues from street railroads for the use of the streets will be largely augmented by settlements of pending suits against them for old claims of unpaid car license fees, amounting in all to more than half a million dollars, a portion of which will probably be recovered under decisions recently made by the courts in favor of the City.

Negotiations are pending for a settlement of the old claims of the City against the street railroad companies, and also for the payment of car license fees by them in future regularly, securing an annual revenue from this source of probably seventy thousand dollars, instead of only five or six thousand heretofore received for such licenses. In addition to the amount received from car licenses percentages are paid by certain railroads for their franchises, as provided by law in their several charters, amounting to from fifteen to twenty thousand dollars per annum.

Under a decision of the Court of Appeals the horse railroads are also subject to an annual tax upon the value of the tracks of the road as real estate, from which source further revenue may also be anticipated.

The New York Elevated Railroad Company pays five per cent. upon the net amount of its income under a provision of the original charter, which now amounts to about thirty-five thousand dollars per annum.

The charter of the Metropolitan Railway, however, made no provision for a percentage to the City on its receipts, and no revenue is received from that road.

But all elevated railroads occupying the streets of the City are now subject to an annual tax upon their superstructures as real estate, under a decision of the Court of Appeals, and proceedings in the courts are pending to determine the claims of the City for such taxes.

## MARKET REVENUES.

The following is a statement of the revenues in each year from 1860 to 1880, inclusive, derived from the Public Markets, for market stands and cellars, wagon fees, and rent of old market premises now occupied for other than market purposes. It will be seen that the amount of annual revenues received from the public markets has fluctuated and fallen off since 1872, but that in late years they are nearly three times as much as they were twenty years ago, while the whole amount received from 1860 to 1880, is more than six million dollars.

Year.	Amount received.
1860.....	\$117,944 92
1861.....	155,671 70
1862.....	157,708 58
1863.....	177,463 44
1864.....	193,990 29
1865.....	204,365 39
1866.....	209,300 96
1867.....	269,538 36
1868.....	362,991 95
1869.....	377,923 03
1870.....	371,939 59
1871.....	379,754 31
1872.....	383,862 96
1873.....	378,180 87
1874.....	359,303 30
1875.....	348,193 09
1876.....	354,037 77
1877.....	354,988 65
1878.....	348,664 73
1879.....	313,363 05
1880.....	294,666 60
	<u>\$6,113,853 54</u>

The gross receipts from all the Public Markets are at the present time about three hundred thousand dollars per annum, and the expenses of all kinds attending their supervision, care and maintenance is about sixty thousand dollars, leaving a net income of about two hundred and forty thousand dollars per annum from this source of city revenue.

The number of Public Markets, now occupied as such, is eleven, viz.: Washington, West Washington, Fulton, Clinton, Tompkins, Jefferson, Centre, Essex, Catharine, Union, and Gansevoort or Farmers' market. Three former markets have ceased to exist as such, viz.: Gouverneur market, Franklin market, and the large building on the East river known as the Eighteenth Ward market.

It is well known that many of the public market buildings are in a decayed, dilapidated, disgraceful, and even dangerous condition. What revenue these buildings and the ground they occupy would afford the City if sold or leased to private parties I am not prepared at this time to say, but certainly the net revenue of \$240,000 per annum from markets as above set forth must be considered as large when we take into account the miserable condition of most of the buildings.

The character of the market business has changed very much within the last few years. There are now vast numbers of private markets throughout the city, which have materially affected the trade of the public markets and the rental values of some of the stands. In 1868 a large increase of rent was imposed by the city at some of the markets. Application has now been made for a reduction, and upon full investigation of the subject, I am satisfied that a reasonable reduction should be made at the Washington markets.

Some extensive improvements are necessary at several of the old markets. Eighty thousand dollars was appropriated for the present year to renew the outer walls, etc., of Fulton Market, and this work is now in progress. Washington and Jefferson Markets should also be rebuilt, and some action will probably be taken in the matter by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, in the appropriations for next year.

## UNCOLLECTED REVENUES.

On the books of the "Bureau of City Revenue and of Markets," are various outstanding accounts of unpaid dues to the city, which have accumulated during a long period, amounting to over half a million dollars. A large portion of these claims are outlawed, and are otherwise uncollectable. It is estimated that about \$75,000 may be collected, and suits are pending for about \$140,000, a part of which it is hoped will be recovered.

## EXPENSES OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

No exact comparison can be made between the expenses of the Corporation in 1860 and 1880, on account of the numerous changes which have been made in the organization of the City Departments, but a statement of the approximate amount at each date has been prepared, showing the amount expended by the Departments respectively, and for other purposes, including moneys raised by tax, and from the proceeds of stocks and bonds, in each of those years.

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF EXPENSES OF THE CORPORATION IN 1860 AND 1880.

	Expenses in 1860.	Expenses in 1880.
State Taxes.....	\$1,311,399 44	\$3,571,322 91
For Expenses of City and County Government, viz.:		
Interest on the City Debt, including amount paid from Sinking Fund.....	1,360,718 04	9,056,588 46
Redemption of City Debt *.....	71,657 36	221,610 57
The Common Council (and Board of Supervisors, 1860).....	181,273 03	122,712 86
The Mayoralty.....	28,198 59	39,701 61
Department of Finance.....	131,629 50	262,127 99
Law Department.....	45,574 40	160,186 51

\* Amount raised by tax, exclusive of the amount paid from "The Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt," and also exclusive of amount of Bonds refunded.

	Expenses in 1860.	Expenses in 1880.
Department of Public Works. (This Department was created in 1870. The expenses of 1860 are those of the Street Department, the Croton Aqueduct Department, and for building and repairs of docks).....	\$3,420,456 58	\$3,308,546 11
Department of Docks.....	.....	589,889 48
Department of Public Parks.....	908,661 17	694,400 67
Department of Buildings (including amount under Fire Department).....	.....	55,392 78
Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	746,199 00	1,318,793 03
Health Department.....	163,130 06	256,425 33
Police Department.....	1,398,132 64	3,277,069 20
Cleaning Streets.....	325,371 37	809,703 01
Fire Department.....	152,730 11	1,373,723 08
Board of Education.....	1,278,781 00	3,422,307 71
College of the City of New York.....	.....	138,905 31
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	58,515 80	107,784 33
The Judiciary.....	323,185 56	1,291,771 31
Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	153,473 31	166,352 67
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institutions.....	110,257 89	1,344,916 35
Election Expenses.....	148,913 84	177,469 31
Judgments and Claims.....	89,548 70	533,299 48
New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	.....	421,900 00
Street Openings.....	786,811 59	82,626 50
Miscellaneous Purposes.....	508,371 30	707,136 48
Totals.....	\$13,702,990 28	\$33,512,663 05

NOTE.—Since 1860 there have been important and radical changes in the organization of several City Departments. The Fire Department and the Department of Docks did not exist in 1860, and the present Department of Public Works embraces service then divided between the Street and Croton Aqueduct Departments, besides some of the duties now performed by the Dock Department. The expenditures of the Departments of Public Works and Public Parks include moneys raised by Tax and from Bonds, and those of the Department of Docks are wholly from the proceeds of Bonds.

The population of the City in 1880 was about 50 per cent. more than in 1860, and the taxable valuation of property about 100 per cent. greater, while the annual expenses, as shown in the above table, have increased about 145 per cent. This apparently disproportionate increase is accounted for in some measure by the general expansion of currency and prices, as well as by large additional expenditures rendered imperatively necessary by the demands of a great and rapidly growing commercial city.

By an analysis of the table we find that the State taxes for 1880 were nearly three times as great as those of 1860, which accounts for two and a quarter millions of the increase. The interest on the City Debt has increased within these twenty years seven and three quarter million dollars; and though the enormous debt upon which this interest accrues is the outgrowth in large part of extravagant, wasteful and premature expenditures, yet the interest must be promptly paid. Thus these two items alone (State Taxes and Interest on City Debt), account for ten millions of the increase exhibited in the table.

A paid Fire Department has been established since 1860, in place of the volunteer system then existing, which has increased the city expenses one and a quarter million dollars per annum, comparing the years 1860 and 1880; yet no one doubts that the actual saving to the public under the new system is infinitely greater than this apparent excess of cost.

The annual expenses of the Department of Charities and Correction have increased three-quarters of a million dollars since 1860, in addition to which the allowances for Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institutions, has increased from \$110,000 in 1860 to \$1,345,000 in 1880. This latter item has swollen so immensely as to require a very careful consideration of these allowances, many of which have sums fixed by State Laws, while others receive a per capita allowance for their inmates. But, on the other hand, it is easy to understand that the expenses of a great cosmopolitan City, in respect to pauperism and crime, may naturally increase in a much greater ratio than population. The effects of the war and a large foreign immigration have also tended to increase these charges.

An increase is shown of say half a million dollars for the construction of docks and piers in 1880, as compared with 1860. This is but a moderate additional outlay for the purpose of securing accommodations along the City's water front, of a respectable and commodious character, in comparison with the rude and inadequate structures of the past generation.

Thus the items above enumerated, of State Taxes, Interest on City Debt, Paid Fire Department, Charities and Correction, and Docks, with a small addition for other branches, will account in round numbers for more than twelve and a half million dollars of the great increase of 1880 over 1860, as shown in the table, and by deducting this amount from \$33,500,000, the total cost of 1880, there remains about twenty-one million dollars, a sum equal to the total expenses of 1860, increased by fifty per cent., which is the rate of increase in population of 1880 upon that of 1860; although, as before observed, the mere increase of population is not always a just standard of expenditure.

An examination of the table will show, however, that there are several Departments and branches of the City Government which exhibit a very marked increase in cost in 1880 over 1860. The Legislature has fixed by law certain of these expenses, so that if a reduction be effected, consent of the Legislature must first be obtained.

The Comptroller has, by authority of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, issued a circular addressed to all Departments and branches of the City Government, and to all institutions entitled by law to allowances of money from the city and county of New York, to send their estimates for the year 1882 to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on or before September 15, 1881. This circular concludes as follows: "The estimates should be made out in detail, accompanied by such 'explanations as will enable the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to determine upon the proper 'amount of the appropriations, and every item should be carefully examined and reduced to the 'lowest possible sum consistent with efficient service and actual necessity.'"

Observation and experience have satisfied me that one of the great evils of our City Government is the large and useless number of employees or attachées connected therewith, arising chiefly from political considerations, and very largely from the defect of the City Charter under which many of the Departments are governed by triple and quadruple heads. It is the duty of department officers in presenting their estimates for the coming year to cut down the list of employees to the number required by actual public necessity. But should any Department fail to do so, it must rest with the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, after hearing and duly considering the matter, to make appropriation for such number of employees as in its judgment will provide for efficient service and actual public need, so far as said Board is left free to act under the charter and various provisions of law affecting the organization of the different departments, courts and other branches of the City Government.

## REFERENCES TO SCHEDULES AND STATEMENTS.

Annexed hereto, besides a detailed statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Corporation during the year ending August 1, 1881, are Schedules A, B, and C, which exhibit the accounts in tables, as follows:

*Schedule A.* exhibits the several appropriations made for 1881, and previous years, as on August 1, 1881, the objects for which the same were made, the amount of moneys expended under each, as required by section 108 of chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the expenditures being for five months in 1880, and for seven months in 1881, comprising the year ending August 1, 1881.

*Schedule B.* exhibits "the moneys borrowed on the credit of the corporation, the authority under which each loan was made, and the terms on which the same was obtained," during the year ending August 1, 1881.



Schedule C. exhibits Payments from the City Treasury on account of State Taxes, and for each Department and branch of the City Government, the Board of Education, Charitable Institutions, and all other objects and purposes, during the year ending August 1, 1881, under the several heads of Taxes, Proceeds of Stocks and Bonds, and Special and Trust Accounts from which the moneys were paid.

The following Tabular Statements, showing important financial statistics, are also appended to this report:

*Statement No. I.*—Showing the amount of Stocks and Bonds of the City and County of New York, under their respective titles, including the Bonds of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County, outstanding August 1, 1880, and August 1, 1881; the dates at which they fall due, and the amounts issued and redeemed during the year.

*Statement No. II.*—Showing the Total Amount of Debt of the Corporation, including Debt of Annexed Territory, outstanding August 1, 1881, and the amount due in each successive year, payable from the Sinking Fund as "Preferred Bonds," under Act of 1878; as "Second Lien" and as Special Fund for Redemption of Bonds and Stocks issued after passage of Act of 1878, and of Bonds payable from Taxation, by laws authorizing their issue; also, Assessment and Revenue Bonds, together with the rates of Interest thereon.

*Statement No. III.*—Showing the Amount of Stocks and Bonds of the City and County of New York, held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, August 1, 1881, as Investments.

*Statement No. IV.*—Showing the Amount of each class of Stocks and Bonds of the City and County of New York, including Revenue Bonds, outstanding on the 31st day of December of every year from 1870 to 1880, inclusive, the amount of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the City Debt, and the Net Bonded Debt.

*Statement No. V.*—Showing the Annual Appropriations for State Taxes and the Expenses of the City Government, made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; the Estimated amount of the Revenues of the General Fund for the Reduction of Taxes; the Amount added Annually to Supply the Estimated Deficiencies in the actual Product of Taxes; and the Amount of Taxes Imposed and Levied by the Board of Supervisors in the years 1876 to 1881, inclusive, the Amount of taxes for the present year being estimated.

*Statement No. VI.*—Showing the Relative Value of the Real and Personal Estate in the City and County of New York, as Assessed for 1880 and 1881.

*Statement No. VII.*—Showing the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate, the Rate of Tax, and the Amount of Taxes in each year from 1870 to 1881, inclusive.

*Statement No. VIII.*—Showing the Amount of the Departmental Estimates, the Provisional Estimates, the Provisional Estimates as Rectified by the Board of Aldermen, and the Amount of the Final Estimates made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in each year from 1875 to 1881, inclusive.

*Statement No. IX.*—Showing the Amount of Taxes on Real Estate, and Croton Water Rents, remaining unpaid August 1, 1881, in the Bureau of Arrears, for each year from 1869 to 1880, inclusive.

*Statement No. X.*—Showing the Amount of Personal Taxes remaining unpaid on August 1, 1880, for each year from 1852 to 1880, inclusive.

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

## A FULL AND DETAILED STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING ON THE FIRST DAY OF AUGUST, 1881.

As required by Section 108 of Chapter 335, Laws of 1873.

### GENERAL SUMMARY.

Cash balances in the City Treasury August 1, 1880:	
To credit of the City Treasury.....	\$1,189,272 68
To credit of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
For Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$219,967 77
For Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	1,167,797 49
	1,387,765 26
Total.....	\$2,577,037 94
The total cash receipts for the year ending August 1, 1881, deposited in the City Treasury, were, viz.:	
To credit of the City Treasury.....	\$59,885,742 86
To credit of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
For Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$11,521,189 46
For Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	2,158,422 05
	13,679,611 51
Total.....	\$73,565,354 37
The total cash payments during the same period were, viz.:	
On City Treasury Account.....	\$60,046,350 14
On account of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
For Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$10,820,021 51
For Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	2,685,812 00
	13,505,833 51
Total.....	\$73,552,183 65
Cash Balance or Surplus August 1, 1881.....	\$2,590,208 66
Distributed as follows, viz.:	
To credit of the City Treasury.....	\$1,028,665 40
To credit of the Sinking Funds, viz.:	
For Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$921,135 72
For Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	640,407 54
	\$1,561,543 26
Total.....	\$2,590,208 66

### The Different Sources of Revenue and the Amount Derived from Each Source.

THE GENERAL FUND.	
The CITY RECORD, Sales of.....	\$772 93
Commissions—Public Administrator.....	3,348 96
Corporation Counsel—Costs, etc.....	4,253 51
County Clerk's Fees.....	9,300 30
Conscience.....	70 00
Department of Public Charities and Correction—Steamboat fares, ferriages, board, etc.....	23,897 91
Department of Public Parks—Rents, licenses, etc.....	6,714 04
Department of Docks—Sales of old material.....	391 00
Dividend on Stocks.....	22 75

Fire Department—Sales of condemned apparatus and horses, manure, etc.....	\$2,406 02
Forfeited Recognizances (District Attorney).....	20,812 71
Health Department—Transcripts of births, marriages and deaths.....	995 25
Interest on Taxes:	
Receiver of Taxes.....	\$76,950 93
Clerk of Arrears.....	917,063 28
	994,014 21
Interest on Assessments.....	173,609 80
Licenses—City Treasury:	
Register of Permits.....	\$17,944 00
Marshal's Permits.....	34,105 75
	52,049 75
Market Permits.....	60 00
Market Seizures.....	143 23
Police Department.....	13,223 90
Railroad Franchises.....	14,786 31
Rent—Law Telephone.....	225 00
Sales of old material—Department Public Works.....	3,617 50
Sales of indices, records, etc.....	50 00
Sewers and Drains.....	27,150 96
Street Incumbrances.....	1,171 30
School Money from State of New York.....	593,182 98
Tapping Water Pipes.....	9,595 00
Miscellaneous—Copying, subpoena fees, etc.....	380 58

Total revenue of the General Fund..... \$1,956,245 90

### TAXES.

Amount of Taxes collected by Receiver of Taxes.....	\$23,572,863 93
Less Discount on Taxes.....	73,086 81
	\$23,499,777 12
Amount collected by Clerk of Arrears—Arrears of Taxes.....	4,323,275 96
Total amount derived from Taxes.....	27,823,053 08

### APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.\*

Unexpended Balances, Errors, etc., Refunded:	
Charities and Correction.....	\$95 00
Health Fund.....	12 60
Public Instruction.....	795 86
Police Fund.....	3,552 23
Police—Supplies for.....	3,370 82
Alterations of Station-houses.....	239 06
Street Cleaning under Police.....	3,923 79
Repaving, 1878 (forfeit on contract).....	1,774 29
Salaries—Department of Buildings.....	133 71
Judgments.....	3 00
Total receipts on Appropriation Account.....	13,900 36

\* For full details of Appropriations see Schedule "A."

### SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals (Fines for Cruelty to Animals).....	\$1,381 00
Assessment Fund after June 9, 1880.....	3,925 85
Board of Education Building Fund—First Ward School (Transfer from Sinking Fund).....	20,000 00
Croton Water Rent Refunding Account—Transfer from Sinking Fund.....	5,000 00
Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	579 50
Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	278 00
Consolidated Debt Fund—Premium, Sale of Bonds.....	140,425 00
Dock Fund.....	19,218 83
Dog License Fund.....	6,097 48
Excise Licenses.....	453,462 46
Commissioners of Excise Fund—Refund.....	1 00
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	4,833 79
Fire Department—Bureau of Buildings Fund.....	676 12
Greenwich Street Elevated Railroad Fund.....	34,210 55
Intestate Estates.....	5,518 30
Interest on Assessments—Road or Public Drive north of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	1,150 80
Interest on Lands Purchased.....	3,068 79
Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments, Redemption of.....	905 18
Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	4,758 73
N. Y. Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	1,070 00
Restoring and Repaving (Special Fund), Department of Public Works.....	28,991 00
Restoring and Repaving (Special Fund), Department of Public Parks.....	234 00
Third Avenue, Morrisania, Opening and Improvement Fund.....	94 90
Water Meter Fund.....	25,538 69
Total amount received on Special and Trust Accounts.....	761,419 97

### LOANS.

(For Rates of Interest, Premium, Authority for Loans, etc., see Schedule "B.")

Assessment Bonds.....	\$744,000 00
Assessment Fund Bonds.....	23,000 00
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	381,000 00
Croton Water-main Stock.....	60,000 00
Consolidated Stock "N".....	17,000 00
Consolidated Stock "O".....	3,000 00
Consolidated Stock (Chap. 383, Laws 1878).....	2,800,000 00
Dock Bonds.....	828,000 00
Museums of Art and Natural History Stock.....	2,000 00
New York Bridge Bonds.....	166,000 00
New York County Court-house Stock.....	4,000 00
New York City Bonds for Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	35,000 00
Revenue Bonds issued under special laws.....	140,523 55
Revenue Bonds, 1879.....	525,000 00
Revenue Bonds, 1880.....	8,137,200 00
Revenue Bonds, 1881.....	15,465,400 00

Total amount derived from Loans..... 29,331,123 55

Total cash receipts deposited in the City Treasury (City Treasury Account), during the year ending August 1, 1881..... \$59,885,742 86

### Payments.

### APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

Total amount of Warrants drawn and registered for payment of the Current Expenses of the City Government during the year ending August 1, 1881.....	\$29,020,151 29
Add Warrants outstanding August 1, 1880.....	688,603 71
	\$29,708,755 00
Deduct Warrants outstanding August 1, 1881.....	\$401,494 20
Warrants canceled.....	99,374 61
	500,868 81
Total cash payments from the City Treasury on Appropriation Account.....	\$29,207,886 19



## SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

Assessment Fund, June 9, 1880.....	\$8,189 60
Assessment Fund, after June 9, 1880.....	23,580 73
American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	1,381 00
Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	44,120 55
Assessment Commission, Expenses of.....	3,882 12
Board of Education Building Fund—First Ward School.....	14,000 00
Croton Water Fund.....	380,429 20
Croton Water-main Fund.....	59,438 84
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	5,599 36
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	75,834 93
Construction of Bridge over Harlem river.....	36,300 21
Commission to Revise Laws relating to the City of New York.....	14,580 17
Consolidated Debt Fund (Chap. 383, Laws 1878).....	2,940,425 00
Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	1,891 97
Dock Fund.....	841,329 40
Dog License Fund.....	4,816 94
Excise Licenses.....	362,471 28
Expenses of Proceedings against certain Public Officers in the City of New York.....	33,345 21
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	3,234 95
Fund for Payment of District Court Clerks.....	2,951 61
Fourth Avenue Parks, Improvement of.....	15,740 66
Intestate Estates.....	1,229 41
Museum of Art Fund.....	1,936 00
Museum of Natural History Fund.....	7 50
Morningside Park Improvement Fund.....	2,430 03
New York County Court-house.....	4,017 07
New York Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	1,070 00
New York Bridge Fund.....	166,000 00
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	7,953 88
Refunding Assessments Paid in Error.....	1,223 61
Refunding and Adjustment of Interest on Contracts for certain Local Improvements.....	76,226 73
Restoring and Repaving (Special Fund), Department of Public Works.....	21,353 21
Restoring and Repaving (Special Fund), Department of Public Parks.....	108 00
Street Improvement Fund.....	968 80
Street Improvement Fund, June 9, 1880.....	362,863 56
Street Improvements, after June 9, 1880.....	165,594 00
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth street, June 9, 1880.....	5,835 48
Street Improvement Fund—Riverside Avenue.....	125,595 69
Sewers and Drains—Refunding Account.....	20 00
Water Meter Fund.....	34,849 20

Total..... \$5,852,825 90

## For Redemption of the City Debt:

Assessment Bonds (Riverside Avenue).....	\$119,000 00
Revenue Bonds, 1879.....	2,811,900 00
Revenue Bonds, 1880.....	22,287,042 38

Total Warrants drawn for Redemption City Debt..... 25,218,542 38

Total amount Warrants drawn on Special and Trust

Accounts..... \$31,071,368 28

Add Warrants drawn and outstanding August 1, 1880..... 58,047 95

Deduct Warrants drawn and outstanding August 1, 1881\*..... \$31,129,416 23

290,952 28

Total cash payments from City Treasury on Special and Trust Accounts..... 30,838,463 95

Total payments on City Treasury Account during the year ending August 1, 1881..... \$60,046,350 14

\* Of this amount of Warrants outstanding August 1, 1881, \$200,000 is for Revenue Bonds, 1879, due and payable August 1, 1881.

## The Sinking Funds.

## REVENUE OF THE SINKING FUNDS.

## SINKING FUND FOR REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.

Market Rents and Fees.....	\$279,243 12
Market Cellar Rent.....	18,581 95
Bonds and Mortgages.....	54,125 00
Licenses:	
Hackney Coach.....	\$2,994 00
Junk Dealers.....	6,310 00
Pawnbrokers.....	5,870 00
Second-hand Dealers.....	3,250 00
Stages.....	5,700 00

Street Vaults.....	24,124 00
Dock and Slip Rent.....	63,948 07
Revenue from Investments.....	958,238 43
Interest on Deposits.....	1,904,897 01
Water Lot Quit Rent.....	71,060 30
Commutation of Quit Rent.....	29 73
	4,092 17

## Assessments Collected under Chapter 550, Laws 1880:

Assessment Fund.....	\$139,496 23
Street Improvement Fund.....	392,018 99
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth Street.....	11,510 93
Assessment Fund—Road or Public Drive.....	2,485 56
Third Avenue (Morrisania), Opening and Improvement Fund.....	2,766 15

West Farms Gas Tax..... 548,277 86

Surplus Revenue of the Sinking Fund for Payment of Interest on the City Debt..... 680 48

Chamberlain's Commission on State Tax..... 2,100,000 00

Redemption of the City Debt, Amount raised Annually for, under Sec. 8, Chap. 383, Laws 1878..... 5,000 00

Sales of Real Estate..... 63,212 13

Consolidated Debt Fund, Amount Transferred from (Sec. 6, Chap. 383, Laws 1878)..... 20,075 00

Stock Investments Paid off:..... 2,940,425 00

Revenue Bonds—Special..... \$9,056,010 25

Water Stock, 1880..... \$39,466 41

Soldiers' Substitute and Relief Redemption Bonds..... 2,109,200 00

New York County Court-house Stock..... 123,500 00

Consolidated Stock "I"..... 100,000 00

Assessment Bonds, 1880..... 25,000 00

Bonds for Fitting up and Furnishing Armories and Drill-rooms..... 22,000 00

43,563 32

## New York City Bonds for State Sinking Fund

Deficiency.....	\$449 48
West Farms Bonds.....	2,000 00
	\$2,465,179 21

Total cash receipts of Redemption Fund..... \$11,521,189 46

## SINKING FUND FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

Interest on Bonds and Mortgages.....	\$21,947 24
House Rent.....	14,237 04
Ground Rent.....	39,030 67
Ferry Rent.....	392,875 51
Water Lot Rent.....	2,655 82

## Croton Water Rent:

Water Register.....	\$1,499,829 12
Receiver of Taxes.....	27,453 81
Clerk of Arrears.....	41,429 91

Interest on Croton Water Rent..... 1,568,712 84

Court Fees and Fines..... 9,130 02

Stenographers' Fees..... 88,021 41

Fines and Penalties..... 8,208 00

Interest on West Farms Gas Tax..... 13,514 91

82 59

Total Revenue of the Interest Fund..... 2,158,422 05

Total amount deposited in the City Treasury, to credit of the Sinking

Funds, during the year ending August 1, 1881..... \$13,679,611 51

## Payments.

## SINKING FUND FOR REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.

## Redemption of the City Debt:

Assessment Bonds.....	\$1,580,800 00
Assessment Fund Bonds.....	300,000 00
Croton Water Pipe Bonds.....	450,000 00
Central Park Commission Improvement Bonds.....	400,000 00
Department of Parks Improvement Bonds.....	927,000 00
New York County Court-house Stock.....	260,000 00
Revenue Bonds (Chap. 434, Laws 1879).....	5,466 41
Soldiers' Substitute and Relief Redemption Bonds.....	500,000 00
Street Improvement Fund Bonds.....	442,700 00
Street Opening and Improvement Bonds.....	250,000 00
Water Stock of 1880.....	2,147,000 00
New York City Bonds for State Sinking Fund Deficiency.....	389,949 48
Bonds for Fitting up and Furnishing Armories and Drill-rooms.....	43,563 32

Total amount of Bonds Redeemed and Canceled by

the Sinking Fund..... \$7,696,479 21

Transferred to City Treasury Account—"Board of Education

Building Fund, First Ward School"..... 20,000 00

Refund—Overpayment on street vault..... 18 75

## Investments:

Assessment Bonds.....	\$744,000 00
Assessment Fund Bonds.....	23,000 00
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	381,000 00
Croton Water-main Stock.....	60,000 00
Consolidated Stock "N".....	17,000 00
Consolidated Stock "O".....	3,000 00
Dock Bonds.....	828,000 00
Museums of Art and Natural History Stock.....	2,000 00
New York City Bonds for Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	35,000 00
New York Bridge Bonds.....	166,000 00
New York County Court-house Stock.....	4,000 00
Revenue Bonds—Special.....	140,523 55
Revenue Bonds, 1881.....	700,000 00

Total amount of Warrants drawn for Investments for

Account of the Sinking Fund for Redemption of

the City Debt..... 3,103,523 55

Total payments from the City Treasury for account of the Redemption

Fund..... \$10,820,021 51

## SINKING FUND FOR PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

Amount of Warrants drawn for payment of Interest on City Debt.....	\$580,620 00
Refund—Fines and Penalties in Error.....	1:00 00
Transfer to City Treasury Account—"Croton Water Rent—Re-	
funding Account".....	5,000 00
Surplus Revenue transferred to the Redemption Fund.....	2,100,000 00

Total Warrants drawn against the Interest Fund during

the year..... \$2,685,730 00

Add amount Warrants outstanding August 1, 1880..... \$706 91

Less Warrants outstanding August 1, 1881..... 624 91

82 00

Total cash payments from City Treasury on account of Interest Fund..... 2,685,812 00

Total payments from the City Treasury during the year ending August

1, 1881, on account of the Sinking Funds..... \$13,505,751 51

## RECAPITULATION.

	CITY TREASURY ACCOUNT.	SINKING FUND REDEMPTION.	SINKING FUND INTEREST.	TOTALS.
Cash balance in City Treasury August 1, 1880.....	\$1,189,272 68	\$219,967 77	\$1,167,797 49	\$2,577,037 94
Total cash receipts deposited in the City Treasury during the year ending August 1, 1881.....	59,885,742 86	11,521,189 46	2,158,422 05	73,565,354 37
Total.....	\$61,075,015 54	\$11,741,157 23	\$3,326,219 54	\$76,142,392 31
Total payments from City Treasury during the year.....	60,046,350 14	10,820,021 51	2,685,812 00	73,552,183 65
Cash balances in City Treasury August 1, 1881.....	\$1,028,665 40	\$921,135 72	\$640,407 54	\$2,590,208 66



## SCHEDULE "A."

Showing the several Appropriations made, the Objects for which the same were made, and the Amount of Money Expended under each, as required by Section 108, Chapter 335, Laws of 1873.

TITLES OF ACCOUNTS.	BALANCES OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1880 AND PREVIOUS YEARS UNEXPENDED AUGUST 1, 1880.	APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1881.	TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS.	APPROPRIATIONS CHANGED BY BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.	EXPENDITURES AUGUST 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1880.	EXPENDITURES JANUARY 1 TO JULY 31, 1881.	TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR.	BALANCES UNEXPENDED AUGUST 1, 1881.
<i>The Common Council.</i>								
City Contingencies.....	\$1,767 46	\$1,000 00	\$2,767 46	.....	\$67 16	\$832 41	\$899 57	\$1,867 89
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	494 75	250 00	744 75	.....	112 00	102 39	214 39	530 36
Salaries—Common Council.....	47,073 86	63,000 00	110,073 86	\$112,073 86	44,667 31	30,777 39	75,444 70	36,629 16
Advertising for the Common Council.....	2,237 94	.....	2,237 94	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,237 94
Contingencies—Legislative Department.....	1,853 52	.....	1,853 52	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,853 52
Printing for the Common Council.....	73 28	.....	73 28	.....	.....	.....	.....	73 28
Salaries—Legislative Department.....	12,185 31	.....	12,185 31	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,185 31
<i>The Mayoralty.</i>								
Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	6,015 95	4,000 00	10,015 95	.....	820 31	2,598 15	3,418 46	6,597 49
Salaries—Mayor's Office.....	15,781 63	26,000 00	41,781 63	.....	11,408 95	15,328 08	26,737 03	15,044 60
Salaries—Bureau of Permits.....	7,289 63	.....	7,289 63	.....	3,916 97	.....	3,916 97	3,372 66
Salaries and Contingencies—Bureau of Permits.....	262 06	.....	262 06	.....	.....	.....	.....	262 06
Contingencies—Bureau of Permits.....	1,941 80	.....	1,941 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,941 80
<i>The Department of Finance.</i>								
Expenses of Conducting the Department :								
Cleaning Markets.....	14,890 01	25,000 00	39,890 01	44,890 01	14,794 10	11,161 34	25,955 44	18,934 57
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	6,893 23	7,500 00	14,393 23	15,398 99	1,824 43	5,237 07	7,061 50	8,337 49
Salaries—Department of Finance.....	122,199 91	142,870 70	265,070 61	269,564 85	85,229 44	74,075 50	159,904 94	109,659 91
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....	14,677 42	30,000 00	44,677 42	.....	12,500 00	17,500 00	30,000 00	14,677 42
Errors and Delinquencies.....	5,670 46	.....	5,670 46	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,670 46
Reimbursement of Trust Funds.....	4,122 91	.....	4,122 91	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,122 91
Expenses, Department of Finance—Answering Legislative Inquiries.....	3,076 42	.....	3,076 42	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,076 42
Expenses of Conducting the City Government, as follows (for the State) :								
State Taxes.....	200,000 00	2,947,766 03	3,147,766 03	.....	200,000 00	2,547,766 03	2,747,766 03	400,000 00
Common Schools for State.....	.....	1,322,993 97	1,322,993 97	.....	.....	1,322,993 97	1,322,993 97	.....
Interest on, and Installments of Principal of the Debt of the Corporation of the City of New York :								
Interest on the City Debt.....	4,978,070 62	8,240,965 45	13,219,036 07	.....	4,101,121 22	4,226,241 70	8,327,362 92	4,891,673 15
Redemption of the Principal of the City Debt :								
For Redemption of Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, due November 1, 1880, issued pursuant to Chapter 177, Laws of 1879.....	25,000 00	.....	25,000 00	.....	25,000 00	.....	25,000 00	.....
For Redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, payable November 1, 1880, issued pursuant to Chapter 536, Laws of 1879.....	15,000 00	.....	15,000 00	.....	15,000 00	.....	15,000 00	.....
For Redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, payable November 1, 1880, issued pursuant to Chapter 444, Laws of 1877.....	22,264 62	.....	22,264 62	.....	16,000 00	.....	16,000 00	6,264 62
For amount to be raised by Tax Annually, sufficient, with the Accumulations of Interest thereon, to pay the Bonds and Stocks payable from Taxation, issued after June 3, 1878, pursuant to Section 8, Chapter 383, Laws of 1878.....	63,212 13	107,466 64	170,678 77	.....	63,212 13	.....	63,212 13	107,466 64
Redemption of the Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County.....	19,111 42	52,395 69	71,507 11	.....	500 00	52,395 69	52,895 69	18,611 42
Redemption of Bonds for Improving North End of Island, and Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	40,000 00	.....	40,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	40,000 00
For Redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, payable November 1, 1880, issued pursuant to Chapter 213, Laws of 1871.....	3,000 00	20,000 00	23,000 00	.....	3,000 00	.....	3,000 00	20,000 00
For Redemption of Consolidated Stock "N" of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of Chapter 322, Laws of 1871, and Chapter 558, Laws of 1880, payable November 1, 1881.....	.....	25,000 00	25,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,000 00
For Redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued and to be issued in pursuance of Chapter 587, Laws of 1880, payable December 1, 1881.....	.....	29,670 21	29,670 21	.....	.....	.....	.....	29,670 21
For Redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued and to be issued in pursuance of Chapter 550, Laws of 1880, payable December 1, 1881.....	.....	25,000 00	25,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,000 00
For Redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued and to be issued in pursuance of Chapter 594, Laws of 1880, payable December 1, 1881.....	.....	15,000 00	15,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,000 00
For Redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of Chapter 556, Laws of 1880, payable November 1 and December 1, 1881.....	.....	211,425 25	211,425 25	.....	.....	.....	.....	211,425 25
For Redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of Chapter 117, Laws of 1880, payable December 1, 1881.....	.....	28,419 33	28,419 33	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,419 33
For Redemption of Fund or Stock, authorized to be issued by Section 8 of Chapter 565, Laws of 1880 (for Improvement of Morningside Park), payable in 1881.....	.....	75,000 00	75,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	75,000 00
For Redemption of Revenue Bonds, authorized to be issued by Chapter 191, Laws of 1880, payable in 1881.....	.....	75,000 00	75,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	75,000 00
<i>Miscellaneous Purposes.</i>								
Judgments.....	104,605 62	350,000 00	454,605 62	.....	30,392 29	206,109 55	236,501 84	218,103 78
Armories and Drill-rooms—For Wages of Armors.....	11,955 00	15,330 00	27,285 00	.....	6,243 00	8,220 00	14,472 00	12,813 00
Armories and Drill-rooms, Rent of.....	63,566 68	57,250 00	120,816 68	.....	25,875 00	37,125 00	63,000 00	57,816 68
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of.....	8,741 51	5,000 00	13,741 51	.....	1,320 00	15 00	1,335 00	12,406 51
Incumbrances in Harbor, Removal of.....	6,677 75	1,000 00	7,677 75	.....	125 00	270 00	395 00	7,282 75
Rents.....	62,477 42	46,741 66	109,219 08	.....	24,975 00	28,141 66	53,116 66	56,102 42
Real Estate, Expenses of.....	200,656 34	25,000 00	225,656 34	.....	3 10	5,456 97	5,460 07	220,196 27
Claims payable under Special Acts of the Legislature.....	83 95	12,667 50	12,751 45	.....	.....	7,717 50	7,717 50	5,033 95
Lunacy Commissioners, Expenses of.....	400 00	.....	400 00	.....	.....	1,100 00	1,100 00	.....
Seventh Regiment New Armory Fund, Trustees of.....	.....	15,000 00	15,000 00	\$1,100 00	.....	15,000 00	15,000 00	.....



TITLES OF ACCOUNTS.	BALANCES OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1880 AND PREVIOUS YEARS UNEXPENDED AUGUST 1, 1880.	APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1881.	TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS.	APPROPRIATIONS CHANGED BY BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.	EXPENDITURES AUGUST 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1880.	EXPENDITURES JANUARY 1 TO JULY 31, 1881.	TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR.	BALANCES UNEXPENDED, AUGUST 1, 1881.
Seventh Regiment, Purchase of Furniture and Fixtures	\$34 15		\$34 15					\$34 15
Unsafe Buildings, Surveys of	1,475 00		1,475 00					1,475 00
Bureau of Municipal Correction, Expenses of	14,654 36		14,654 36					14,654 36
Coroners' Post Mortem Examinations	4,050 00		4,050 00					4,050 00
New City Prison Commission, Expenses of	471 08		471 08					471 08
Rents—Leases in Force	5,141 10		5,141 10					5,141 10
Rents—Leases Prospective	300 00		300 00					300 00
Rents—Counsel to Corporation Office	250 00		250 00					250 00
Salaries—Executive Departments (County)	4,747 27		4,747 27					4,747 27
State Tax of 1874 due by Towns Annexed from Westchester County	2,301 09		2,301 09					2,301 09
Arrears for Advertising		\$26,500 00	26,500 00	\$27,026 41		\$26,910 49	\$26,910 49	115 92
<i>The Department of Taxes and Assessments.</i>								
Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments	3,841 58	2,500 00	6,341 58		\$765 57	436 10	1,201 67	5,139 91
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments	40,390 20	80,700 00	121,090 20		37,053 16	40,803 97	77,857 13	43,233 07
Salaries—Board of Assessors	8,379 78	17,400 00	25,779 78		7,250 07	7,909 96	15,160 03	10,619 75
<i>The Law Department.</i>								
Contingencies—Law Department	10,784 64	37,500 00	48,284 64	51,484 64	9,040 50	30,770 02	39,810 52	11,674 12
Contingencies—Corporation Attorney's Office	1,537 24	250 00	1,787 24		8 50		8 50	1,778 74
Contingencies—Public Administrator's Office	1,760 00	1,000 00	2,760 00		393 00	537 00	930 00	1,830 00
For Procuring and Presenting Evidence relative to Frauds on the City and County of New York prior to January 1, 1872	1,052 00	10,000 00	11,052 00		1,000 00	5,012 29	6,012 29	5,039 71
Salaries—Law Department	53,501 91	94,728 00	148,229 91	145,089 91	47,761 20	53,125 86	100,887 06	44,202 85
Salaries—Bureau of Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes	5,281 33		5,281 33					5,281 33
For Services in Examining, Procuring, and Presenting of Evidence relative to Frauds prior to July 1, 1872, on the City or County	710 55		710 55					710 55
<i>The Department of Public Works.</i>								
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance	1,413 11		1,413 11					1,413 11
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening	129,536 34	221,000 00	350,536 34	346,189 54	116,299 75	86,940 99	203,240 74	142,948 80
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of	21,250 49	66,200 00	87,450 49		19,881 32	25,439 73	45,321 05	42,129 44
Contingencies—Department of Public Works	2,657 06	2,500 00	5,157 06	6,423 25	2,410 19	1,276 16	3,686 35	2,736 90
Expense of Laying Four-foot Croton Mains, etc.	14,265 30		14,265 30	17,103 00	9,295 20	4,245 12	13,540 32	3,562 68
Expense of Altering Map of the City, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, etc.	1,970 96		1,970 96	150 00		150 00	150 00	
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in Front of City Property	3,975 52	1,500 00	5,475 52	5,075 52	271 52	633 57	905 09	4,170 43
Free Floating Baths	5,513 29	18,000 00	23,513 29	21,600 18	2,661 87	9,404 42	12,066 29	9,533 89
Lamps and Gas	260,471 76	530,000 00	790,471 76	790,383 41	209,880 44	283,709 70	493,590 14	296,793 27
Laying Croton Pipes	176,106 19	235,000 00	411,106 19		124,944 45	45,352 04	170,296 49	240,809 70
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs	33,580 69	46,000 00	79,580 69	79,978 43	12,940 44	34,897 38	47,837 82	32,140 61
Public Drinking Hydrants	2,898 00	6,000 00	8,898 00	8,897 15	2,836 29	2,413 40	5,249 69	3,647 46
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues	1,773 22	4,200 00	5,973 22	6,273 22	946 50	1,988 16	2,934 66	3,338 56
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.	25,428 40	99,000 00	124,428 40	136,261 11	31,113 75	50,427 76	81,541 51	54,719 60
Repaving Streets and Avenues under Chapter 476, Laws of 1875	255,239 43	391,000 00	646,239 43	637,339 43	181,532 49	60,093 15	241,625 64	395,713 79
Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of, and Sprinkling	10,070 30		10,070 30		9,793 22	276 96	10,070 18	12
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements	59,921 55	29,100 00	89,021 55	59,048 64	56,885 22	11,973 19	11,973 19	17,126 81
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements, and Regrading		156,000 00	156,000 00			1,473 21	58,358 43	690 21
Salaries—Department of Public Works	115,541 61	358,100 00	473,641 61	476,301 32	106,282 76	175,609 35	281,892 11	120,654 31
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning	19,929 60	91,500 00	111,429 60	111,929 60	16,960 56	51,409 69	68,370 25	43,559 35
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices, etc.	33,937 22	63,500 00	97,437 22	99,748 43	28,747 81	51,279 59	80,027 40	19,721 03
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting, and Numbering Streets	3,000 00	1,000 00	4,000 00	2,100 00	653 04	363 20	1,016 24	1,083 76
Wells and Pumps—Repairing and Cleaning	1,222 94	500 00	1,722 94	1,039 18	112 33	39 06	151 39	887 79
Water Supply for the Twenty-fourth Ward	5,103 14	12,250 00	17,353 14	16,699 94	3,666 66	867 96	4,534 62	12,165 32
Contract of P. I. Masterson, etc.	69		69					69
Croton Water Main Fund from Taxation	74,264 06		74,264 06			1,223 56	1,223 56	73,040 50
Expenses of Surveys and Maps				474 89	473 75		473 75	1 14
Free Floating Baths, etc., East Seventeenth street	732 00		732 00	111 73				111 73
Repaving under Chapter 476, Laws of 1875	20,014 91		20,014 91		2,993 54	2,554 76	5,548 30	14,466 61
Roads and Avenues and Sprinkling	368 47		368 47	368 40				368 40
Street Improvements—For Street Signs, etc.	72 00		72 00					72 00
Lamps and Gas, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	312 25		312 25					312 25
Monument in Greenwood Cemetery	9,100 00		9,100 00					9,100 00
New Stone Bridge at Kingsbridge	40,020 00		40,020 00					40,020 00
Repairing Maps, Department of Public Works	2,590 00		2,590 00					2,590 00
Printing for Departments and Civil and Police Courts	703 43		703 43					703 43
Public Drinking-Hydrants and Urinals	50 84		50 84					50 84
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Harbor	121 37		121 37					121 37
Repairing and Keeping in Order Wooden and Concrete Pavements	7,951 37		7,951 37					7,951 37
Repairing Stone Pavements	4 90		4 90					4 90
Roads and Avenues—Sprinkling	126 00		126 00					126 00
Stationery and Blank Books—Departments, Civil and Police Courts	759 48		759 48					759 48
Streets—Repaving and Repairs, Stone Pavements	471 90		471 90					471 90
Supplying Water to Shipping and for Building Purposes	10 00		10 00					10 00
Additional Alterations of Aqueduct	58 49		58 49					58 49
Third District Court-house Fund	65 36		65 36					65 36
Fitting up Fifth Regiment Armory, etc.		18,000 00	18,000 00					18,000 00
Fitting up Sixty-ninth Regiment Armory, etc.		15,000 00	15,000 00					15,000 00
Fulton Market, Alterations and Repairs		80,000 00	80,000 00			2,657 50	2,657 50	77,342 50
Bridge Across Fourth Avenue, at One Hundred and Sixteenth Street, under Chapter 393, Laws of 1878	2,289 73		2,289 73	1,612 28	1,612 28		1,612 28	
Expenses of Grading, Paving, etc., the Fort Gansevoort Property, and Fitting up the same for use as a Stand for Farmers' Wagons for the Sale of Garden Produce, under resolution of the Common Council	2,164 47		2,164 47	2,162 05	2,162 05		2,162 05	
Construction and Maintenance of Additional Public Bath		11,500 00	11,500 00					11,500 00
<i>The Department of Public Parks.</i>								
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—For Salaries	17,782 47	27,000 00	44,782 47		14,304 47	12,413 99	26,718 46	18,064 01
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—For Police	42,257 01	88,500 00	130,757 01	128,757 01	33,833 50	52,178 21	86,011 71	42,745 30
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—For Labor, Maintenance and Supplies	90,389 53	250,000 00	340,389 53	340,277 74	78,776 45	120,484 06	199,260 51	141,017 23
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Maintenance of Museums	10,232 35	30,000 00	40,232 35		9,357 46	22,486 31	31,843 77	8,388 58
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—For Zoological Department	7,259 62	18,000 00	25,259 62		5,690 69	8,968 00	14,658 69	10,600 93



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Music—Central Park.....	\$2,811 84		\$2,811 84		\$2,085 00		\$2,085 00	\$726 84
Music—Central Park and Battery Park.....		\$5,000 00	5,000 00			\$2,760 00	2,760 00	2,240 00
Music—Battery Park and Tompkins Square.....	2,000 00		2,000 00		650 00		650 00	1,350 00
Maintenance Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	28,787 27	35,000 00	63,787 27		25,009 23	17,362 79	42,372 02	21,415 25
Manhattan Square—Improvement of.....	11,835 36	35,000 00	46,835 36		1,627 32	2,865 19	4,492 51	42,342 85
Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	6,451 13	7,000 00	13,451 13		4,597 43	4,299 48	8,896 91	4,554 22
For the Equipment and Furnishing of the Building of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and for Other Purposes, in pursuance of Chapter 385, Laws of 1878.....	2,762 84		2,762 84		2,762 29		2,762 29	55
For Laying New Walks and Repairing the Old Walks, etc., 1879.....	5,790 55		5,790 55		4,381 88	1,230 90	5,612 78	177 77
For Laying New Walks and Repairing the Old Walks, etc., 1880.....	49,213 70		49,213 70		24,944 87	1,160 00	26,104 87	23,108 83
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	10,473 21	20,000 00	30,473 21		3,792 72	9,435 18	13,227 90	17,245 31
Bronx River Bridges—Repairs and Maintenance of.....	4,799 45		4,799 45	\$785 65	480 55	305 10	785 65	
Bronx River Bridges—For Rebuilding, Repairing, etc Surveying, Laying Out, Monumenting, etc., North End of the Island and Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	4,570 13	10,000 00	14,570 13	24,013 80		1,270 88	1,270 88	22,742 92
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—For all Supplies, Wages, etc.....	1,954 56		1,954 56	2,066 35	1,940 14	111 79	2,051 93	5,524 58
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Roads, Avenues, and Bridges, including Bridges over the Bronx River, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,114 52		1,114 52					14 42
For Making and Completing maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for the use of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, as provided by Chapter 411, Laws of 1876.....	847 74		847 74					1,114 52
For Repairs of Walks and Sea Wall at Battery Park.....	12 33		12 33					847 74
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	2,747 30		2,747 30					12 33
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—For Maintenance, etc.....	173 29		173 29		37 80		37 80	2,747 30
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places, for Improving and Regulating the Public Squares and Places on Fourth avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Ninety-sixth Streets.....	61 99		61 99					135 49
Observatory, Museum and Gallery of Art—Maintenance and Government of.....	187 72		187 72					61 99
Harlem River Bridges—Maintenance and Government of.....	791 35		791 35					187 72
Independence Day—Celebration of.....	591 13		591 13					791 35
Sea Wall at Battery—Repair of.....	1,828 33		1,828 33					591 13
Supplies of Gas—Department of Public Parks, 1872 and 1873.....	6,829 83		6,829 83					1,828 33
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Streets, Roads, and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	88 96		88 96					6,829 83
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Special Rebuilding and Repairing Bridges over the Bronx River, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	678 81		678 81					88 96
City Hall Park Pavement.....	588 98		588 98					678 81
Tompkins Square—Expense of Restoring as a Public Park.....	428 08		428 08					588 98
Broadway—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, etc.....	24,320 50		24,320 50		20,264 51	3,120 50	23,385 01	428 08
Sedgwick Avenue—Maintenance and Improvement of.....		15,000 00	15,000 00			78 70	78 70	935 49
Southern Boulevard—Maintenance and Improvement of.....		15,000 00	15,000 00			1,806 51	1,806 51	14,921 30
Sewers and Drains.....		15,000 00	15,000 00			486 72	486 72	13,103 49
Surveys, Maps, and Plans, in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....		5,000 00	5,000 00			1,488 72	1,488 72	14,513 28
Walks—City Parks.....		6,000 00	6,000 00			535 77	535 77	3,511 28
Walks—Central Park.....		20,000 00	20,000 00			50 00	50 00	5,464 23
Entrances into Central Park on Eighth avenue, etc.,		50,000 00	50,000 00			5,187 57	5,187 57	19,950 00
<i>The Department of Buildings.</i>								
Contingencies—Department of Buildings.....	4,567 27		4,567 27	3,843 38	120 00	8 00	128 00	14,812 43
Salaries—Department of Buildings.....	30,293 84		30,293 84	16,195 81	2,052 11	11,272 59	13,324 70	50,000 00
Salaries and Contingencies—Department of Buildings.....	68 26		68 26					
<i>The Judiciary.</i>								
Salaries—City Courts.....	172,371 38	335,900 00	508,271 38		159,119 89	167,518 41	326,638 30	181,633 08
Salaries—Judiciary.....	391,987 79	872,983 38	1,264,971 17		372,078 71	447,147 58	819,226 29	445,744 88
<i>The Department of Public Charities and Correction.</i>								
Public Charities and Correction—For Salaries.....	158,655 40	285,416 00	444,071 40	442,671 40	130,431 43	169,598 22	300,029 65	142,641 75
Public Charities and Correction—For Supplies.....	371,304 80	875,000 00	1,246,304 80	1,242,254 05	275,261 66	518,328 29	793,589 95	448,664 10
Public Charities and Correction—For Repairs and Alterations to Buildings and Apparatus.....	30,722 78	35,000 00	65,722 78	60,622 78	15,407 96	18,865 35	34,273 31	26,349 47
Public Charities and Correction—For Poor Adult Blind.....	1,440 00	20,000 00	21,440 00		1,440 00	18,050 00	19,490 00	1,950 00
Public Charities and Correction—For Support of Outdoor Poor.....	10,764 22	45,000 00	55,764 22		2,474 47	42,825 40	45,299 87	10,464 35
Public Charities and Correction—For Construction of New Buildings.....	142,967 56	227,000 00	369,967 56	385,067 56	23,574 72	21,936 87	45,511 59	339,555 97
Public Charities and Correction.....	16,606 72		16,606 72		1,176 00		1,176 00	15,430 72
Public Charities and Correction—For Maternity Hospital, Blackwell's Island.....	83 13		83 13					83 13
Public Charities and Correction—For Mansard Roof to Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island.....	35 20		35 20					35 20
Public Charities and Correction—For Two Pavilions, Hart's Island, etc.....	10 95		10 95					10 95
Public Charities and Correction—For Additional Accommodation for the Insane on Ward's Island.....	21 14		21 14					21 14
Public Charities and Correction—For Extension to Bellevue Hospital for New Water-closets, as recommended by the Medical Faculty.....	12 10		12 10					12 10
Public Charities and Correction—For Additions, Alterations, and Repairs to Buildings and Apparatus.....	407 24		407 24		356 69		356 69	50 55
Public Charities and Correction—For the Erection of Two Towers at Bellevue Hospital.....	985 20		985 20					985 20
Public Charities and Correction—For Rebuilding the Lodge at Blackwell's Island.....	5,000 00		5,000 00	1,000 00				1,000 00
Public Charities and Correction—For Building Two New Pavilions for Insane Women on Hart's Island.....	577 17		577 17		574 66		574 66	2 51
Public Charities and Correction—For Rebuilding the Gas-works on Blackwell's Island, and Repairs to Gas-works on other islands.....	8,945 00		8,945 00	7,177 75	4,625 00	282 75	4,907 75	2,270 00
Public Charities and Correction—For New Boilers at Bellevue Hospital and the Penitentiary.....	5,561 13		5,561 13		2,042 29	863 23	2,905 52	2,655 61
Public Charities and Correction—For Completing West Wing of Insane Asylum, etc.....	19,502 55		19,502 55	16,720 55	16,350 25	370 30	16,720 55	
<i>The Health Department.</i>								
Health Fund—For Salaries.....	57,551 98	119,513 32	177,065 30	176,506 29	56,818 39	57,317 63	114,136 02	62,370 27
Health Fund—For Law Expenses, including Marshal's Fees.....	2,732 05	2,000 00	4,732 05		1,109 44	1,342 66	2,452 10	2,279 95
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	9,475 25	13,500 00	22,975 25		7,367 93	3,238 83	10,606 76	12,368 49
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	2,471 30	6,250 00	8,721 30		1,911 37	3,279 79	5,191 16	3,530 14
Health Fund—For Payment to the Board of Police, etc.....	16,002 64	36,000 00	52,002 64	51,502 64	15,072 30	18,000 00	33,072 30	18,430 34



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For Removal of Night-soil, Offal, and Dead Animals.	\$15,000 00	\$36,000 00	\$51,000 00	.....	\$12,000 00	\$21,000 00	\$33,000 00	\$18,000 00
Fund for Small-pox Hospital and Care of Contagious Diseases.	15,104 65	.....	15,104 65	\$15,663 66	11,549 37	3,743 87	15,293 24	370 42
Tenement-house Fund.	4,065 87	10,000 00	14,065 87	.....	3,659 10	5,029 00	8,688 10	5,377 77
Rebuilding Small-pox Hospital.	161 01	.....	161 01	.....	.....	.....	.....	161 01
Fund for Rebuilding Reception Hospital for Contagious Diseases.	50 00	.....	50 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	50 00
Health Fund—For Salaries of an Extra Corps of Physicians, etc.	4 14	.....	4 14	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 14
Hospitals for Care of Contagious Diseases.	.....	27,800 00	27,800 00	.....	.....	22,540 90	22,540 90	5,259 10
Night Medical Service Fund.	.....	3,000 00	3,000 00	3,500 00	500 00	1,000 00	1,500 00	2,000 00
Transportation, Contagious Diseases.	.....	7,000 00	7,000 00	.....	.....	5,898 47	5,898 47	1,101 53
For Equipment of North Brother Island, etc.	.....	10,000 00	10,000 00	.....	.....	410 39	410 39	9,589 61
Prevention of Dangers from Contagious and Infectious Diseases.	.....	30,000 00	30,000 00	.....	.....	5,446 36	5,446 36	24,553 64
Hospital Fund.	.....	25,000 00	25,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,000 00
Registration of Plumbers and the Supervision of Plumbing and Drainage.	.....	6,000 00	6,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,000 00
<i>The Police Department.</i>								
Police Fund.	1,354,356 82	3,183,350 00	4,537,706 82	4,534,863 08	1,329,229 19	1,588,249 91	2,917,479 10	1,617,383 98
Police Station Houses—Rents.	20,160 16	14,390 00	34,550 16	.....	5,007 50	5,424 84	10,432 34	24,117 82
Police Station Houses—Alterations, Fitting up, Additions to, and Repairs of Station Houses, Steamboat "Seneca," and Central Department.	12,619 65	16,000 00	28,619 65	28,380 59	8,333 38	7,760 92	16,094 30	12,286 29
Supplies for Police.	25,001 39	58,000 00	83,001 39	79,630 57	22,000 00	28,629 15	50,629 15	29,001 42
Cleaning Streets—Under Police Department.	318,898 46	735,000 00	1,053,898 46	704,733 82	271,388 18	425,179 20	696,567 38	8,166 44
Police Fund—For Building Two New Station Houses, one of which shall be in the Sixth Ward.	60,000 00	.....	60,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	60,000 00
Police Station Houses—Erection of.	25,000 00	.....	25,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,000 00
Police Station Houses—Nineteenth Precinct, for purchase of Site and Construction of Station House.	50,279 88	.....	50,279 88	.....	.....	.....	.....	50,279 88
Police Fund—For Salaries of Clerical Force, etc.	.....	64,000 00	64,000 00	.....	.....	31,999 92	31,999 92	32,000 08
Expenses of Detectives and Patrolmen, etc.	.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	.....	.....	2,499 96	2,499 96	2,500 04
Construction or Purchase of a Steamboat for Harbor Police.	.....	60,000 00	60,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	60,000 00
<i>Cleaning Streets.</i>								
Department of Street Cleaning.	.....	.....	.....	334,118 26	.....	58,001 78	58,001 78	276,116 48
<i>The Fire Department.</i>								
Fire Department Fund.	58,390 90	.....	58,390 90	.....	154 85	.....	154 85	58,236 05
Fire Department Fund—For Salaries.	550,639 81	1,117,709 00	1,668,348 81	1,656,973 81	529,175 28	538,108 65	1,067,283 93	589,689 88
Fire Department Fund—For Apparatus, Supplies, etc.	128,559 59	230,000 00	358,559 59	374,559 59	89,038 07	131,557 43	220,595 50	153,964 09
Fire Department Fund—For Repairs to Engine-houses.	20,000 00	60,000 00	80,000 00	75,375 00	.....	7,473 65	7,473 65	67,901 35
Fire Department Fund—For Construction of Three New Engine-houses.	30,000 00	.....	30,000 00	.....	5,984 37	23,844 88	29,829 25	170 75
Fire Department Fund—For Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.	.....	.....	.....	14,821 92	14,268 63	136 15	14,404 78	417 14
Fire Department Fund—For New Houses for Engine Companies Nos. 21, 27, and 37, and Hook and Ladder Companies Nos. 16 and 18.	.....	75,000 00	75,000 00	.....	.....	1,015 00	1,015 00	73,985 00
Fire Department Fund—For Special Appropriation for Apparatus.	.....	86,250 00	86,250 00	.....	.....	6,875 00	6,875 00	79,375 00
<i>The Board of Education.</i>								
Public Instruction.	2,043,702 42	3,620,095 00	5,663,797 42	.....	1,448,174 88	2,085,539 17	3,533,714 05	2,130,083 37
Public Instruction—For Salaries.	163 80	.....	163 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	163 80
Public Instruction—For Supplies, Rents, Incidental Expenses, etc.	50,532 67	.....	50,532 67	.....	.....	50 00	50 00	50,482 67
Public Instruction—For Purchasing, Leasing, and Procuring Sites, and Erecting Buildings, etc.	8,164 50	.....	8,164 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,164 50
<i>The College of the City of New York.</i>								
College of the City of New York.	66,139 71	140,000 00	206,139 71	.....	59,114 57	75,432 19	134,546 76	71,592 95
College of the City of New York—For Salaries, etc.	1,325 98	.....	1,325 98	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,325 98
College of the City of New York—For Repairs to Buildings.	2,337 45	.....	2,337 45	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,337 45
<i>Advertising, Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.</i>								
Publication of CITY RECORD.	14,563 15	34,000 00	48,563 15	53,563 15	12,870 23	24,863 32	37,733 55	15,829 60
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.	3,933 38	7,200 00	11,133 38	.....	2,947 90	3,563 87	6,511 77	4,621 61
Advertising.	5,435 98	5,000 00	10,435 98	.....	1,861 70	5,072 30	6,934 00	3,501 98
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.	37,770 32	125,000 00	162,770 32	168,770 32	36,458 89	74,469 68	110,928 57	57,841 75
Advertising—Including the Expenses of Advertising a Summary of the Official Canvass of the Election.	3,174 95	.....	3,174 95	.....	303 50	108 90	412 40	2,762 55
Publication of CITY RECORD, and Advertising.	1,752 77	.....	1,752 77	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,752 77
Printing, Stationery, Law Books for Courts of Record, County Clerk, Register, and Board of Supervisors, and for Law Books for Police Courts.	35 60	.....	35 60	.....	.....	.....	.....	35 60
Printing—Executive Department and Judiciary—(County).	1,331 57	.....	1,331 57	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,331 57
Printing—Legislative Department—(County).	987 80	.....	987 80	.....	.....	.....	.....	987 80
Contingencies—CITY RECORD—Supervisor's Office.	57 29	.....	57 29	.....	.....	.....	.....	57 29
<i>Asylums, Reformatories, and Charitable Institutions.</i>								
Asylum for Idiots.	750 00	600 00	1,350 00	.....	542 00	.....	542 00	808 00
American Female Guardian Society and Home for the Friendless.	25,000 00	25,000 00	50,000 00	.....	25,000 00	.....	25,000 00	25,000 00
Children's Aid Society.	23,333 34	70,000 00	93,333 34	.....	23,333 34	46,666 66	70,000 00	23,333 34
Children's Fold of the City of New York.	6,240 00	10,428 57	16,668 57	.....	4,160 00	7,294 28	11,454 28	5,214 29
Foundling Asylum under the Charge of the Sisters of Charity.	131,906 02	236,925 00	368,831 02	.....	96,661 05	135,741 26	232,402 31	136,428 71
Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society.	23,115 97	34,650 00	57,765 97	.....	8,502 15	25,780 48	34,282 63	23,483 34
Hudson River State Hospital.	336 07	2,400 41	2,736 48	.....	.....	1,934 93	1,934 93	801 55
Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.	13,592 29	12,600 00	26,192 29	.....	2,577 73	7,752 52	10,330 25	15,862 04
Institution for the Blind.	12,864 80	5,793 36	18,658 16	.....	.....	5,543 36	5,543 36	13,114 80
Le Couteux St. Mary's Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes in the City of Buffalo.	677 52	30 00	707 52	.....	30 00	.....	30 00	677 52
New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb.	21,835 27	29,400 00	51,235 27	.....	6,786 24	19,780 25	26,566 49	24,668 78
New York Magdalen Benevolent Society.	9,414 21	1,980 00	11,394 21	.....	183 03	.....	183 03	11,211 18
New York Juvenile Asylum.	45,684 28	99,000 00	144,684 28	.....	29,482 04	54,698 05	84,180 09	60,504 19
New York Infant Asylum.	26,917 24	47,647 50	74,564 74	.....	22,701 06	28,039 90	50,740 96	23,823 78
New York State Homeopathic Asylum for the Insane.	763 26	1,959 99	2,723 25	.....	438 93	1,702 28	2,141 21	582 04
New York State Lunatic Asylum.	1,763 48	500 00	2,263 48	.....	211 34	216 40	427 74	1,835 74
New York Catholic Protectory.	174,731 06	220,000 00	394,731 06	.....	86,691 57	116,962 58	203,654 15	191,076 91
New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.	13,976 68	27,000 00	40,976 68	.....	6,109 01	19,330 56	25,439 57	15,537 11
New York Infirmary for Women and Children.	1,896 00	3,148 00	5,044 00	.....	1,100 00	825 00	1,925 00	3,119 00
Nursery and Child's Hospital.	58,784 62	108,400 00	167,184 62	.....	42,253 85	58,877 29	101,131 14	66,053 48
Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy.	10,005 03	2,200 00	12,205 03	.....	707 78	1,204 81	1,912 59	10,292 44
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd.	18,300 35	15,400 00	33,700 35	.....	3,153 03	10,081 92	13,234 95	20,465 40
State Asylum for Insane Criminals at Auburn, N. Y.	850 29	1,165 00	2,015 29	.....	385 00	520 00	905 00	1,110 29
Shepherd's Fold.	9,544 99	5,000 00	14,544 99	.....	.....	1,250 00	1,250 00	13,294 99
St. Joseph's Improved Institute for the Instruction of Deaf Mutes.	9,360 00	21,030 00	30,390 00	.....	4,680 00	15,077 06	19,757 06	10,632 94
Union Home and School for Education of Children of Volunteer Soldiers.	9,645 15	15,000 00	24,645 15	.....	5,625 00	8,584 43	14,209 43	10,435 72
Five Points House of Industry in the City of New York.	.....	15,712 86	15,712 86	.....	.....	10,135 27	10,135 27	5,577 59
The Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.	.....	13,187 62	13,187 62	.....	.....	4,581 58	4,581 58	8,606 04



TITLES OF ACCOUNTS.	BALANCES OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1880 AND PREVIOUS YEARS UNEXPENDED AUGUST 1, 1880.	APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1881.	TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS.	APPROPRIATIONS CHANGED BY BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.	EXPENDITURES AUGUST 1 TO DECEMBER 31, 1880.	EXPENDITURES JANUARY 1 TO JULY 31, 1881.	TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR.	BALANCES UNEXPENDED AUGUST 1, 1881.
<i>Miscellaneous Purposes.</i>								
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.	\$1,000 00	\$2,400 00	\$3,400 00	.....	\$1,000 00	\$1,200 00	\$2,200 00	\$1,200 00
Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	22,649 54	46,000 00	68,649 54	.....	18,116 82	24,984 78	43,101 60	25,547 94
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	8,198 28	4,000 00	12,198 28	\$12,414 87	(* Less Canceled, ) 148 05	2,686 14	2,686 14	9,876 78
Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses.....	120,980 26	2,000 00	122,980 26	.....	500 00	500 00	1,000 00	121,980 26
Election Expenses, etc.....	175,405 17	161,150 00	336,555 17	.....	151,597 85	10,097 10	161,694 95	174,860 22
Jurors' Fees, etc.....	5,295 50	50,000 00	55,295 50	55,352 50	5,070 00	29,271 00	34,341 00	21,011 50
Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....	12,041 55	15,000 00	27,041 55	.....	4,578 66	4,908 18	9,576 84	17,464 71
Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....	7,739 02	10,000 00	17,739 02	20,239 02	4,190 50	5,608 89	9,799 39	10,439 63
Sheriff's Fees.....	25,731 54	40,000 00	65,731 54	.....	10,434 71	30,640 62	41,075 33	24,656 21
Salaries of Janitors of Civil and Police Courts.....	14,638 74	.....	14,638 74	.....	7,664 51	.....	7,664 51	6,974 23
Salary of the Physician to the Jail of the City and County of New York, etc.....	500 02	1,000 00	1,500 02	.....	416 65	583 35	1,000 00	500 02
Coroners' Fees.....	8,200 00	.....	8,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,200 00
For the Support, Treatment, and Care of Pauper, Destitute, and Delinquent Children Committed to Asylums and Institutions, under Chapter 404, Laws of 1878.....	10,000 00	.....	10,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000 00
Advertising (County).....	15,291 01	.....	15,291 01	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,291 01
Armories and Drill-rooms.....	22,971 74	.....	22,971 74	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,971 74
Board of Apportionment, Expenses of.....	108 75	.....	108 75	.....	.....	.....	.....	108 75
Cleaning and Supplies of Offices and Buildings formerly belonging to the County.....	13 81	.....	13 81	.....	.....	.....	.....	13 81
Eighteenth Ward Market, For Completion of.....	685 38	.....	685 38	.....	.....	.....	.....	685 38
Expenses of Examining Real Estate, 1871.....	500 00	.....	500 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	500 00
Indebtedness of late Town of Kingsbridge.....	1,142 50	.....	1,142 50	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,142 50
Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.....	136 11	.....	136 11	.....	.....	.....	.....	136 11
Salaries—Legislative Department (County).....	2,841 44	.....	2,841 44	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,841 44
Cornelia Townsend's Claim.....	1,300 00	.....	1,300 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,300 00
Care and Maintenance of Coles's or Harlem Bridge.....	1,832 48	.....	1,832 48	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,832 48
Commissioners of Record, Expenditures of.....	2,387 84	.....	2,387 84	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,387 84
Contingencies—Register's Office.....	200 00	.....	200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	200 00
Contingencies—Tax Commissioners' Office.....	375 00	.....	375 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	375 00
Copying Records in Office of Clerk of Court of Common Pleas.....	921 70	.....	921 70	.....	.....	.....	.....	921 70
Commissioners of Accounts, Expenses of.....	3,038 09	.....	3,038 09	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,038 09
Expenses of Board of Audit, 1867 and 1868.....	445 45	.....	445 45	.....	.....	.....	.....	445 45
Lighting County Offices.....	2,488 68	.....	2,488 68	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,488 68
Monument to Soldiers and Sailors, County of New York.....	30,000 00	.....	30,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,000 00
McComb's Dam—ridge, Care and Maintenance of.....	373 37	.....	373 37	.....	.....	.....	.....	373 37
Repairing and Preserving Records—County Clerk's Office.....	3 63	.....	3 63	.....	.....	.....	.....	3 63
Repairing and Preserving Records—Register's Office.....	6,824 32	.....	6,824 32	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,824 32
Stationery, Law and Blank Books.....	2,053 17	.....	2,053 17	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,053 17
Tax and Assessment Maps for Tax Commissioners' Office.....	1,332 00	.....	1,332 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,332 00
Taxes Collected in Error, Return of.....	8,750 00	.....	8,750 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,750 00
Roads and Avenues.....	3,500 00	.....	3,500 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,500 00
Printing, Engraving, and Furnishing Bonds and Certificates of Stock for the City of New York.....	25 00	.....	25 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	25 00
County Claims, Prior to Consolidation.....	15 16	.....	15 16	.....	.....	.....	.....	15 16
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books, 1872 and 1873.....	40 00	.....	40 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	40 00
Nautical School.....	38,926 48	.....	38,926 48	.....	.....	.....	.....	38,926 48
Bureau of Permits.....	.....	10,000 00	10,000 00	.....	.....	5,582 68	5,582 68	4,417 32
Codifying City Ordinances.....	.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	.....	.....	5,000 00	5,000 00	.....
Sheriff's Fees, Arrearages of 1877, 1878, and 1879.....	.....	9,103 03	9,103 03	.....	.....	9,030 83	9,030 83	72 20
Expenses of Bernard Reilly (late Sheriff).....	.....	11,981 62	11,981 62	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,981 62
Totals.....	\$15,544,489 98	\$31,480,790 09	\$47,025,280 07	.....	\$11,503,866 54	.....	\$28,907,024 37	.....
				* Less warrants canceled in excess of warrants drawn..	148 05	.....	148 05	.....
					\$11,503,718 49	\$17,403,157 83	\$28,906,876 32	\$18,118,403 75

Total Expenditures as above ..... \$28,906,876 32  
 Add for Sundry Amounts "Refunded" per General Statement deducted from Expenditures in above Statement ..... \$13,900 36  
 Add for Warrants canceled, also deducted from Expenditures..... 99,374 61

113,274 97

Total Warrants drawn, as per General Statement ..... \$29,020,151 29  
 Add amount of Warrants outstanding, August 1, 1880, in excess of amount canceled and outstanding, August 1, 1881..... 187,734 90

Total Payments from City Treasury on Appropriation Account, as per General Statement..... \$29,207,886 19

#### SCHEDULE "B."

Showing the "Moneys borrowed on the credit of the Corporation during the year ending August 1, 1881, the authority under which each Loan was made, and the terms on which the same was obtained," as required by Section 108, Chapter 335, Laws of 1873.

CITY STOCKS AND BONDS UPON WHICH LOANS HAVE BEEN OBTAINED.	WHEN PAYABLE.	RATE OF INTEREST, PER CENT.	AMOUNT OF LOAN.	TERMS UPON WHICH OBTAINED.	AMOUNT OF PREMIUM RECEIVED.	PURPOSE OF EACH LOAN.	AUTHORITY FOR EACH LOAN.
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1891	4 and 5	\$381,000 00	.....	.....	To provide a further supply of pure and wholesome water for the City of New York.....	Chaps. 56 and 328, Laws 1871, and Chap. 445, Laws 1877.
Assessment Bonds.....	1883 and 1885	4 and 5	510,000 00	.....	.....	Street improvements, regulating, grading, etc., paving, and building sewers.....	Chap. 397, Laws 1852; Chap. 580, Laws 1872.
Assessment Bonds—Riverside Avenue.....	1883 and 1884	4 and 5	234,000 00	.....	.....	Improvement of Riverside Avenue.....	Chap. 447, Laws 1876.
Assessment Fund Bonds.....	1883	4 and 5	23,000 00	.....	.....	Cost of opening new streets.....	Chap. 579, Laws 1853.
Consolidated Stock No. 2.....	1910	4	2,800,000 00	\$104.54 to \$105.79	\$140,425 00	Redemption of Assessment Bonds due 1880.....	Chap. 322, Laws 1871; Chap. 383, Laws 1878; Chap. 552, Laws 1880.
Consolidated Stock "N".....	1881	4 and 5	17,000 00	.....	.....	Fourth avenue parks, improvement of.....	Sec. 8, Chap. 383, Laws 1878; Chap. 558, Laws 1880.
Consolidated Stock "O".....	1881	4 and 5	3,000 00	.....	.....	Morningside avenue, improvement of.....	Sec. 8, Chap. 565, Laws 1880.
Croton Water-main Stock.....	1900 and 1906	4 and 5	60,000 00	.....	.....	Croton water-mains.....	Chap. 477, Laws 1875; Chap. 593, Laws 1872.
Dock Bonds.....	1910 and 1911	4 and 5	828,000 00	.....	.....	For docks and slips.....	Chap. 574, Laws 1871.
Museums of Art and Natural History Stock.....	1903	4	2,000 00	.....	.....	Museums of Art and Natural History Buildings.....	Chap. 290, Laws 1871.
New York Bridge Bonds.....	1928	4 and 5	166,000 00	.....	.....	New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	Chap. 105, Laws 1880.
New York City Bonds for Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	1891	4 and 5	35,000 00	.....	.....	(Suspension bridge north of High Bridge, over Harlem) river.....	Chap. 534, Laws 1871; Chap. 329, Laws 1874, etc.
New York County Court-house Stock.....	1898	5	4,000 00	.....	.....	New York County Court-house.....	Sec. 7, Chap. 583, Laws 1871.
Revenue Bonds (Special).....	1881 and 1882	5	8,000 00	.....	.....	For expense of placing water meters.....	Chap. 213, Laws 1871.
".....	1881	5	2,051 61	.....	.....	Claims of District Court Clerks, 1876.....	Chap. 117, Laws 1880.
".....	1881	4 and 5	5,000 00	.....	.....	Assessment Commission, Expenses of.....	Chap. 550, Laws 1880.
".....	1881	5	76,226 73	.....	.....	For refunding and adjustment of interest on contracts for certain local improvements.....	Chap. 556, Laws 1880.
".....	1881 and 1882	4 and 5	33,345 21	.....	.....	For expense of proceedings against certain public officers in the City of New York.....	Chap. 587, Laws 1880.
".....	1881	4 and 5	15,000 00	.....	.....	For expense of revising laws and ordinances relating to the City of New York.....	Chap. 594, Laws 1880.
".....	1879	1881	525,000 00	.....	.....	Current expenses of the City Government.....	"Charter," Chap. 335, Laws 1873.
".....	1880	1881	8,137,200 00	.....	.....		
".....	1881	3, 3½ and 4	15,465,490 00	.....	.....		
Total.....			\$29,331,123 55	.....	\$140,425 00		

NOTE.—For detailed statement of bonds outstanding, rates of interest, amounts held by Sinking Fund, etc., see Statements No. I. II. III and IV.



## SCHEDULE "C."

Showing Payments from the City Treasury on account of State Taxes, and for each Department and Branch of the City Government, the Board of Education, Charitable Institutions, and all other objects and purposes during the year ending August 1, 1881, under the several heads of Taxes, Proceeds of Stocks and Bonds, Special and Trust Accounts, from which the moneys were paid.

	Paid from Taxes on Account of Appropriations.	Paid from Proceeds of Stocks and Bonds.	Paid from Special and Trust Accounts.	TOTALS.
For State Taxes.....	\$4,070,760 00			\$4,070,760 00
For Expenses of the City Government, viz.:				
Interest on the City Debt.....	8,327,362 92			8,327,362 92
Redemption of the City Debt, including Annexed Territory of Westchester County.....	175,107 82	\$3,059,425 00		3,234,532 82
The Common Council.....	76,558 66			76,558 66
The Mayoralty.....	39,655 14			39,655 14
The Department of Finance.....	222,921 88			222,921 88
The Law Department.....	147,648 37			147,648 37
The Department of Public Works.....	1,887,402 73	1,009,979 08	\$21,353 21	2,918,735 02
The Department of Buildings, to July 27, 1880.....	513,758 23	182,010 09	108 00	695,876 32
The Department of Buildings, as Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, Fire Department, after July 27, 1880.....	13,452 70			13,452 70
The Fire Department.....	14,404 78			14,404 78
The Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	1,333,227 18			1,333,227 18
The Health Department.....	1,264,835 54			1,264,835 54
The Police Department.....	258,235 80		3,234 95	261,470 75
The Police Department—Cleaning Streets, to July 1, 1881.....	3,029,134 77			3,029,134 77
Department of Street Cleaning, after July 1, 1881.....	696,567 38			696,567 38
The Department of Docks.....	58,001 78			58,001 78
The Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	841,329 40			841,329 40
The Board of Education.....	94,218 83			94,218 83
The College of the City of New York.....	3,533,764 05		14,000 00	3,547,764 05
The Judiciary.....	134,546 76			134,546 76
The City Courts.....	819,226 29			819,226 29
Judgments.....	326,638 30	2,951 61		329,589 91
Asylums, Reformatories, and Charitable Institutions.....	236,501 84			236,501 84
Armories and Drill Rooms.....	953,895 02		362,471 28	1,316,366 30
Advertising, Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	77,472 00			77,472 00
Coroners' Fees, Salaries, and Expenses.....	189,430 78			189,430 78
Jurors' Fees.....	43,101 60			43,101 60
Sheriff's Fees.....	34,341 00			34,341 00
Election Expenses.....	50,106 16			50,106 16
Rents.....	161,634 95			161,634 95
Commissioners of Excise, Expenses of.....	53,116 66			53,116 66
Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded.....		75,834 93		75,834 93
Assessment Commission, Expenses of.....		44,120 55		44,120 55
New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....		3,882 12		3,882 12
New York County Court-house.....		166,000 00		166,000 00
Refunding Taxes, Assessments, Croton Water Rent, etc., paid in error.....		4,017 07		4,017 07
Opening Streets, Avenues, and Public Places.....		14,796 85		14,796 85
Seventh Regiment New Armory, Trustees of.....		31,770 33		31,770 33
Sundry Payments under Special Acts of the Legislature.....	15,000 00			15,000 00
Revising Laws and Ordinances Relating to the City of New York.....	7,717 50	76,226 73		83,944 23
Expense of Proceedings against certain Public Officers in the City of New York.....	5,000 00	14,580 17		19,580 17
Revenue Bonds Redeemed.....		33,345 21		33,345 21
Miscellaneous.....		25,099,542 38		25,099,542 38
		10,369 32		52,606 27
Totals.....	\$28,907,024 37	\$5,425,516 81	\$25,645,851 47	\$59,978,392 65
Add Amounts refunded on Appropriation Account, deducted from Expenditures \$13,900 36				
Add for Amount of Warrants outstanding August 1, 1880, in excess of amount outstanding August 1, 1881.....	287,109 51			287,109 51
Less Amount of Warrants canceled in excess, or Warrants drawn, "Contingencies—District Attorney," 1880.....	\$301,009 87			
	148 05			
Add payments from proceeds of Stocks and Bonds.....			5,425,516 81	5,425,516 81
Deduct Amount of Warrants outstanding August 1, 1881, in excess of amount outstanding August 1, 1880.....			\$31,071,368 28	
			232,904 33	232,904 33
Total payments, as per General Statement.....	\$29,207,886 19		\$30,838,463 95	\$60,046,350 14

\* Exclusive of amount of Interest paid from Sinking Fund for Payment of Interest on the City Debt.

## STATEMENT NO. I.

Showing the Amount of Stocks and Bonds of the City and County of New York, under their respective titles, including the Bonds of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County, Outstanding August 1, 1880, and August 1, 1881; the dates at which they fall due, and the amounts issued and redeemed during the year.

TITLE OF STOCKS AND BONDS.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING AUGUST 1, 1880.	ISSUED.	REDEEMED.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING AUGUST 1, 1881.
<b>FUNDED DEBT.</b>				
<i>Payable from the Sinking Fund.</i>				
Water Stock of 1880.....	\$2,147,000 00		\$2,147,000 00	
Water Stock of 1870, payable 1902.....	500,000 00			\$500,000 00
Croton Water Stock of 1883.....	1,900,000 00			1,900,000 00
Croton Water Stock of 1885.....	1,000,000 00			1,000,000 00
New Aqueduct Stock of 1884.....	250,000 00			250,000 00
Additional New Croton Aqueduct Stock of 1900.....	3,618,635 11			3,618,635 11
Croton Reservoir Bonds of 1907-1917.....	970,637 36			970,637 36
Croton Aqueduct Bonds of 1907-1917.....	490,000 00			490,000 00
Central Park Fund Stock of 1887.....	3,066,071 00			3,066,071 00
Central Park Fund Stock of 1898.....	674,300 00			674,300 00
Central Park Improvement Fund Stock of 1887.....	2,083,200 00			2,083,200 00
Central Park Improvement Fund Stock of 1895.....	1,766,600 00			1,766,600 00
Floating Debt Fund Stock of 1878.....	700 00			700 00
Total.....	\$13,467,143 47		\$2,147,000 00	\$16,320,143 47
<i>Payable from the Sinking Fund (Second Lien) under provisions of Chapter 383, Section 6, Laws of 1878.</i>				
Consolidated Stock of 1928, gold.....	\$6,900,000 00			\$6,900,000 00
Consolidated Stock of 1910.....		\$2,800,000 00		2,800,000 00
Total.....	\$6,900,000 00	\$2,800,000 00		\$9,700,000 00

TITLE OF STOCKS AND BONDS.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING AUGUST 1, 1880.	ISSUED.	REDEEMED.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING AUGUST 1, 1881.
<i>Payable from the Sinking Fund, secured by Special Fund derived from Annual Taxation, under provisions of Chapter 383, Section 8, Laws of 1878.</i>				
Dock Bonds of 1908-1911.....	\$1,075,000 00	\$828,000 00		\$1,903,000 00
City Improvement Stock of 1892.....	190,018 83			190,018 83
City Improvement Stock of 1900 (Consolidated Stock).....	13,616 52			13,616 52
Additional Croton Water Stock of 1891.....	204,000 00	381,000 00		585,000 00
Croton Water-main Stock of 1900.....	100,000 00	10,000 00		110,000 00
Croton Water-main Stock of 1906.....	550,000 00	50,000 00		600,000 00
City Parks Improvement Fund Stock of 1904.....	11,000 00			11,000 00
Museums of Art and Natural History Stock of 1903.....	31,000 00	2,000 00		33,000 00
Bonds for Fitting-up and Furnishing Armories and Drill-rooms of 1881.....	43,563 32		\$43,563 32	
New York County Court-house Stock, No. 5, of 1898.....	120,000 00	4,000 00		124,000 00
Assessment Fund Stock of 1903.....	500 00			500 00
Bonds for Construction of Bridge over Harlem River of 1891.....	35,000 00	35,000 00		70,000 00
New York Bridge Bonds of 1926 (Consolidated Stock).....	921,900 00			921,900 00
New York Bridge Bonds of 1928 (Consolidated Stock).....	250,000 00	166,000 00		416,000 00
Consolidated Stock (K) of 1889.....	3,500 00			3,500 00
Consolidated Stock (L) of 1899.....	28,173 19			28,173 19
Consolidated Stock (M) of 1899.....	12,235 17			12,235 17
Total.....	\$3,589,507 03	\$1,476,000 00	\$43,563 32	\$5,021,943 71
<i>Payable from Taxation, under the several statutes authorizing their issue.</i>				
Dock Bonds of 1901-1908.....	\$5,095,000 00			\$5,095,000 00
Dock Bonds of 1901 (gold).....	1,000,000 00			1,000,000 00
Market Stock of 1894 and 1897.....	296,000 00			296,000 00
City Cemetery Stock of 1888.....	75,000 00			75,000 00
City Improvement Stock of 1889.....	3,791,200 00			3,791,200 00
City Improvement Stock of 1892.....	3,995,296 30			3,995,296 30
City Improvement Stock of 1895 (Consolidated Stock) gold.....	820,000 00			820,000 00
City Improvement Stock of 1926 (Consolidated Stock).....	687,802 71			687,802 71
City Lunatic Asylum Stock of 1889.....	700,000 00			700,000 00
Fire Department Stock of 1899.....	521,932 87			521,932 87
Fire Telegraph Bonds of 1884.....	597,586 48			597,586 48
Tax Relief Bonds of 1890.....	3,000,000 00			3,000,000 00
Croton Water-pipe Bonds of 1880.....	450,000 00		\$450,000 00	
New York Bridge Bonds of 1905.....	1,500,000 00			1,500,000 00
New York Bridge Bonds of 1926 (Consolidated Stock).....	1,500,000 00			1,500,000 00
City Accumulated Debt Bonds of 1884-1888.....	6,500,000 00			6,500,000 00
Street Improvement Bonds of 1888.....	606,939 14			606,939 14
Additional Croton Water Stock of 1891.....	1,125,000 00			1,125,000 00
Street Opening and Improvement Bonds of 1881-1882.....	750,000 00		250,000 00	500,000 00
Third District Court-house Bonds of 1890.....	398,000 00			398,000 00
Ninth District Court-house Bonds of 1890.....	300,000 00			300,000 00
Croton Water-main Stock of 1900 and 1906.....	4,486,000 00			4,486,000 00
Normal School Fund Stock of 1891.....	200,000 00			200,000 00
Public School Building Fund Stock of 1891.....	636,000 00			636,000 00
City Parks Improvement Fund Stock of 1901-1904.....	4,788,000 00			4,788,000 00
City Parks Improvement Fund Stock of 1902 (Consolidated Stock) gold.....	862,000 00			862,000 00
Consolidated Stock of 1896 gold.....	1,564,000 00			1,564,000 00
Consolidated Stock of 1901 (gold).....	4,252,500 00			4,252,500 00
Consolidated Stock of 1894.....	2,455,000 00			2,455,000 00
Consolidated Stock (B) of 1896.....	3,377,500 00			3,377,500 00
Consolidated Stock (C) of 1896.....	2,947,200 00			2,947,200 00
Consolidated Stock (D) of 1926.....	1,436,525 00			1,436,525 00
Consolidated Stock (E) of 1916.....	121,824 40			121,824 40
Consolidated Stock (F) of 1916.....	300,000 00			300,000 00
Consolidated Stock (G) of 1897.....	200,000 00			200,000 00
Consolidated Stock (H) of 1880.....	25,000 00		25,000 00	
Consolidated Stock (N) of 1881.....		\$17,000 00		17,000 00
Consolidated Stock (O) of 1881.....		3,000 00		3,000 00
Sewer Repair Stock of 1882, 1885, and 1886.....	265,000 00			265,000 00
Museums of Art and Natural History Stock of 1903.....	925,000 00			925,000 00
Bonds for State Sinking Fund Deficiency of 1881-1886.....	2,339,696 94		389,949 48	1,949,747 46
New York County Court-house Stock, No. 1, of 1881-1892.....	1,300,000 00		100,000 00	1,200,000 00
New York County Court-house Stock, No. 2, of 1881 and 1882.....	320,000 00		160,000 00	160,000 00
New York County Court-house Stock, No. 3, of 1881-1888.....	600,000 00			600,000 00
New York County Court-house Stock, No. 4, of 1894.....	100,000 00			100,000 00
New York County Court-house Stock, No. 5, of 1896 and 1898.....	419,591 07			419,591 07
Assessment Fund Stock of 1887.....	1,719,400 00			1,719,400 00
Assessment Fund Stock of 1902.....	492,700 00			492,700 00
Assessment Fund Stock of 1910.....	900,450 00			900,450 00
Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds of 1883-1890.....	4,000,000 00			4,000,000 00
Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds, No. 3, of 1895-1897.....	745,800 00			745,800 00
Soldiers' Bounty Fund Redemption Bonds, No. 2, of 1891.....	376,600 00			376,600 00
Soldiers' Substitute and Relief Redemption Bonds of 1880-1881.....	946,700 00		500,000 00	446,700 00
Riot Damages Indemnity Bonds of 1882.....	855,204 46			855,204 46
County Accumulated Debt Bonds of 1884-1888.....	6,000,000 00			6,000,000 00
New York County Repairs to Building Stock of 1884-1888.....	100,000 00			100,000 00
New York and Westchester County Improvement Bonds of 1891.....	30,000 00			30,000 00
County Consolidated Stock of 1896.....	1,680,200 00			1,680,200 00
County Consolidated Stock of 1901 (gold).....	8,885,500 00			8,885,500 00
Total.....	\$94,364,169 37	\$20,000 00	\$1,874,949 48	\$92,509,219 89
<b>BONDED DEBT OF THE ANNEXED TERRITORY, FOR WHICH THE CITY OF NEW YORK IS LIABLE.</b>				
<b>WEST FARMS—</b>				
Central Avenue, Construction.....	\$265,000 00		\$1,000 00	\$264,000 00
Locust Avenue, Improvement.....	12,000 00		2,000 00	10,000 00
Southern Boulevard, Construction.....	289,000 00		10,500 00	278,500 00
Southern Boulevard, Macadamizing.....	24,000 00		2,000 00	22,000 00
Madison Avenue, Improvement.....	30,000 00		2,000 00	28,000 00
Franklin Avenue, Improvement.....	17,000 00		1,000 00	16,000 00
<b>MORRISANIA—</b>				
Military Bounty Fund.....	4,000 00			4,000 00
Central Avenue, Construction.....	99,500 00		1,000 00	98,500 00
Southern Boulevard, Construction.....	117,000 00		10,000 00	107,000 00
Southern Boulevard, Macadamizing.....	8,500 00		2,000 00	6,500 00
St. Ann's Avenue, Construction.....	30,000 00		1,000 00	29,000 00
Town Hall, Building.....	18,000 00		2,000 00	16,000 00
Survey and Map of Town.....	15,000 00		2,000 00	13,000 00
North Brother Island, Purchase.....	25,000 00		2,000 00	23,000 00
County of Westchester.....	14,395 69		14,395 69	
Total.....	\$968,395 69		\$52,895 69	\$915,500 00
<b>TEMPORARY DEBT.</b>				
<i>Payable from Assessments for Opening and Improving Streets, Avenues, and Boulevards.</i>				
Assessment Bonds of 1880.....	\$1,580,800 00		\$1,580,800 00	
Assessment Bonds of 1881.....	262,000 00			\$262,000 00
Assessment Bonds of 1882.....	465,600 00			465,600 00
Assessment Bonds of 1884.....	3,255,000 00			3,255,000 00



TITLE OF STOCKS AND BONDS.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING AUGUST 1, 1880.	ISSUED.	REDEEMED.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING AUGUST 1, 1881.	TITLE OF STOCKS AND BONDS.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING AUGUST 1, 1880.	ISSUED.	REDEEMED.	AMOUNTS OUTSTANDING AUGUST 1, 1881.
Assessment Bonds (Riverside Avenue Improvement) of 1880.....	\$119,000 00	.....	\$119,000 00	.....	REVENUE BONDS.				
Assessment Bonds (Riverside Avenue Improvement) of 1883.....	32,000 00	\$119,000 00	.....	\$151,000 00	Issued under Special Laws.				
Assessment Fund Bonds of 1880.....	300,000 00	.....	300,000 00	.....	Revenue Bonds Chap. 213, Laws 1871.....	\$18,000 00	\$8,000 00	\$3,000 00	\$23,000 00
Assessment Fund Bonds of 1882.....	50,000 00	.....	50,000 00	.....	Revenue Bonds Chap. 444, Laws 1877.....	16,000 00	.....	16,000 00	.....
Assessment Fund Bonds of 1884.....	700,000 00	.....	700,000 00	.....	Revenue Bonds Chap. 434, Laws 1879.....	5,466 41	.....	5,466 41	.....
Street Improvement Fund Bonds of 1880.....	442,700 00	.....	442,700 00	.....	Revenue Bonds Chap. 536, Laws 1879.....	15,000 00	.....	15,000 00	.....
Street Improvement Fund Bonds of 1881.....	1,267,500 00	.....	1,267,500 00	.....	Revenue Bonds Chap. 117, Laws 1880.....	25,467 72	2,951 61	.....	28,419 33
Street Improvement Fund Bonds of 1882.....	121,000 00	.....	121,000 00	.....	Revenue Bonds Chap. 556, Laws 1880.....	135,198 52	76,226 73	.....	211,425 25
Central Park Commission Improvement Bonds of 1880.....	400,000 00	.....	400,000 00	.....	Revenue Bonds Chap. 550, Laws 1880.....	.....	5,000 00	.....	5,000 00
Central Park Commission Improvement Bonds of 1884.....	333,000 00	.....	333,000 00	.....	Revenue Bonds Chap. 587, Laws 1880.....	.....	33,345 21	.....	33,345 21
Department of Parks Improvement Bonds of 1880.....	927,000 00	.....	927,000 00	.....	Revenue Bonds Chap. 594, Laws 1880.....	.....	15,000 00	.....	15,000 00
Department of Parks Improvement Bonds of 1882.....	31,000 00	.....	31,000 00	.....	Total.....	\$215,132 65	\$140,523 55	\$39,466 41	\$316,189 79
Department of Parks Improvement Bonds of 1884.....	1,210,000 00	.....	1,210,000 00	.....	REVENUE BONDS.				
Improvement Bonds of 1884.....	500,000 00	.....	500,000 00	.....	Issued in Anticipation of Taxes.				
Total.....	\$11,996,600 00	\$119,000 00	\$3,769,500 00	\$8,346,100 00	Revenue Bonds, 1879.....	\$2,286,900 00	\$525,000 00	\$2,611,900 00	\$200,000 00
Bonds Issued for Local Improvements Contracted for or Commenced prior to June 3, 1878.					Revenue Bonds, 1880.....	16,350,442 38	8,137,200 00	22,287,642 38	2,200,000 00
Assessment Bonds of 1883.....	\$860,000 00	.....	.....	\$860,000 00	Revenue Bonds, 1881.....	.....	15,465,400 00	.....	15,465,400 00
Assessment Bonds (Riverside Avenue Improvement) of 1883.....	216,000 00	\$115,000 00	.....	331,000 00	Total.....	\$18,637,342 38	\$24,127,600 00	\$24,899,542 38	\$17,865,400 00
Assessment Fund Bonds of 1883.....	77,000 00	23,000 00	.....	100,000 00	RECAPITULATION.				
Assessment Fund Stock of 1883.....	11,500 00	.....	.....	11,500 00	FUNDED DEBT—				
Total.....	\$1,164,500 00	\$138,000 00	.....	\$1,302,500 00	1. Payable from the Sinking Fund, under Ordinances of the Common Council.....	\$18,467,143 47	.....	\$2,147,000 00	\$16,320,143 47
Bonds Issued for Local Improvements Contracted for or Commenced after June 3, 1878.					2. Payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of Chapter 383, Section 6, Laws of 1878.....	6,900,000 00	2,800,000 00	.....	9,700,000 00
Assessment Bonds of 1883.....	\$460,000 00	.....	.....	\$460,000 00	3. Payable from the Sinking Fund, under provisions of Chapter 383, Section 8, Laws of 1878.....	3,589,507 03	1,476,000 00	43,563 32	5,021,943 71
Assessment Fund Stock of 1882.....	15,500 00	.....	.....	15,500 00	4. Payable from Taxation, under the several statutes authorizing their issue.....	94,364,169 37	20,000 00	1,874,949 48	92,509,219 89
Total.....	\$475,500 00	.....	.....	\$475,500 00	5. Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County.....	968,395 69	.....	52,895 69	975,500 00
Bonds Issued for Local Improvements after June 9, 1880.					TEMPORARY DEBT—				
Assessment Bonds of 1883.....	\$460,000 00	.....	.....	\$460,000 00	1. Bonds issued prior to June 3, 1878.....	11,996,600 00	119,000 00	3,769,500 00	8,346,100 00
Assessment Fund Stock of 1882.....	15,500 00	.....	.....	15,500 00	2. Bonds issued for Local Improvements contracted for or commenced prior to June 3, 1878.....	1,164,500 00	138,000 00	.....	1,302,500 00
Total.....	\$475,500 00	.....	.....	\$475,500 00	3. Bonds issued for Local Improvements contracted for or commenced after June 3, 1878.....	475,500 00	.....	.....	475,500 00
Assessment Bonds of 1883.....	.....	\$510,000 00	.....	\$510,000 00	4. Bonds issued for Local Improvements after June 9, 1880.....	.....	510,000 00	.....	510,000 00
					REVENUE BONDS—				
					1. Issued under Special Laws.....	215,132 65	140,523 55	39,466 41	316,189 79
					2. Issued in anticipation of Taxes, 1879.....	2,286,900 00	525,000 00	2,611,900 00	200,000 00
					3. Issued in anticipation of Taxes, 1880.....	16,350,442 38	8,137,200 00	22,287,642 38	2,200,000 00
					4. Issued in anticipation of Taxes, 1881.....	.....	15,465,400 00	.....	15,465,400 00
					Total amounts.....	\$156,778,290 59	\$29,331,123 55	\$32,826,917 28	\$153,282,496 86

## STATEMENT NO. II.

Showing the Total Amount of Debt of the Corporation, including Debt of Annexed Territory, Outstanding August 1, 1881, and the Amount due in each successive year, payable from the Sinking Fund as "Preferred Bonds," under Act of 1878; as "Second Lien" and as Special Fund for Redemption of Bonds and Stocks issued after passage of Act of 1878, and of Bonds Payable from Taxation, by laws authorizing their issue; also Assessment and Revenue Bonds, together with the rates of Interest thereon.

YEARS.	Amount of Preferred Sinking Fund Bonds and Stocks, Act of June 3, Laws 1878.	Amount of Second Lien Sinking Fund Bonds and Stocks, Act of June 3, Laws 1878.	Amount of Bonds and Stocks secured by Special Fund derived from Annual Taxation, Act of June 3, Laws 1878.	Amount of Bonds and Stocks Payable from Taxation at their Respective Maturities by Laws authorizing their Issue.	Total Funded Debt.	Bonds Payable from Assessments and the City Treasury.	Revenue Bonds Issued under Special Laws.	Revenue Bonds Payable from Current Taxation.	Debt of the Annexed Territory of Westchester County.	Total Amount Bonds and Stocks.
1881.....	.....	.....	.....	\$976,700 00	\$976,700 00	\$1,541,000 00	\$309,514 79	\$17,865,400 00	.....	\$20,692,614 79
1882.....	.....	.....	.....	1,757,153 94	1,757,153 94	683,100 00	6,675 00	.....	.....	2,486,928 94
1883.....	\$1,900,000 00	.....	.....	989,949 48	2,889,949 48	1,787,000 00	.....	.....	.....	4,714,949 48
1884.....	250,000 00	.....	.....	4,227,535 96	4,477,535 96	6,113,000 00	.....	.....	.....	10,670,535 96
1885.....	.....	.....	.....	3,707,949 48	3,707,949 48	510,000 00	.....	.....	.....	4,254,449 48
1886.....	.....	.....	.....	3,654,949 54	3,654,949 54	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,650,000 00
1887.....	5,149,271 00	.....	.....	4,959,400 00	10,108,671 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,143,671 00
1888.....	.....	.....	.....	3,921,939 14	3,921,939 14	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,953,939 14
1889.....	.....	.....	.....	5,091,200 00	5,094,700 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,126,700 00
1890.....	1,000,000 00	.....	.....	4,298,000 00	5,298,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,328,000 00
1891.....	.....	.....	.....	655,000 00	3,122,600 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,150,600 00
1892.....	.....	.....	.....	190,018 83	4,096,296 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,131,315 13
1893.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,630,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,670,000 00
1894.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	151,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	151,000 00
1895.....	1,756,600 00	.....	.....	.....	10,949,591 07	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,993,600 00
1896.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	614,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	614,200 00
1897.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,058,800 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,058,800 00
1898.....	674,300 00	.....	.....	.....	562,361 23	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,236,661 23
1899.....	.....	.....	.....	40,408 36	7,364,251 63	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,404,660 00
1900.....	3,618,635 11	.....	.....	123,616 52	16,476,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,488,000 00
1901.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,012,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,012,000 00
1902.....	500,000 00	.....	.....	.....	2,667,700 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,717,700 00
1903.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,874,800 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,874,800 00
1904.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,565,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,565,200 00
1905.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,892,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,892,000 00
1906.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	450,800 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	450,800 00
1907.....	390,000 00	.....	.....	.....	316,200 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	716,200 00
1908.....	100,000 00	.....	.....	.....	975,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,075,000 00
1909.....	475,000 00	.....	.....	.....	4,550,450 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,550,450 00
1910.....	330,000 00	\$2,800,000 00	.....	520,000 00	843,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	843,000 00
1911.....	185,000 00	.....	.....	658,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	658,000 00
1912.....	54,500 00	.....	.....	.....	54,500 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	54,500 00
1913.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1914.....	2,137 36	.....	.....	.....	2,137 36	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,137 36
1915.....	9,000 00	.....	.....	.....	9,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,000 00
1916.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	421,824 40	.....	.....	.....	.....	421,824 40
1917.....	5,000 00	.....	.....	.....	5,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,000 00
1918.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	921,900 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	921,900 00
1919.....	.....	6,900,000 00	.....	416,000 00	7,316,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,316,000 00
Payable after 1917.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Past due.....	700 00	.....	.....	.....	700 00	.....	.....	.....	.....	700 00
Total.....	\$16,320,143 47	\$9,700,000 00	\$5,021,943 71	\$92,509,219 89	\$123,551,307 07	\$10,634,100 00	\$316,189 79	\$17,865,400 00	\$915,500 00	\$153,282,496 86

## Rates of Interest.

Three per cent.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$5,675,600 00	.....	\$5,675,600 00
Three and a half per cent.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,103,800 00	.....	10,103,800 00
Four per cent.....	.....	\$2,800,000 00	\$710,000 00	\$17,000 00	\$3,527,000 00	\$366,000 00	\$29,945 21	2,086,000 00	.....	6,008,245 21
Five per cent.....	\$1,496,935 11	6,900,000 00	4,311,943 71	5,478,302 71	18,187,181 53	10,268,100 00	286,944 58	.....	.....	28,742,226 11
Six per cent.....	13,406,708 36	.....	.....	43,210,369 72	56,617,078 08	.....	.....	.....	.....	56,617,078 08
Seven per cent.....	1,416,500 00	.....	.....	43,803,547 46	45,220,047 46	.....	.....	.....	\$915,500 00	46,135,547 46
Total.....	\$16,320,143 47	\$9,700,000 00	\$5,021,943 71	\$92,509,219 89	\$123,551,307 07	\$10,634,100 00	\$316,189 79	\$17,865,400 00	\$915,500 00	\$153,282,496 86



TOTAL.

See Statement No. I. for details of the Bonds of the annexed territory.



## STATEMENT No. V.

Showing the Annual Appropriations for State Taxes and the Expenses of the City Government, made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment; the Estimated Amount of the Revenues of the General Fund for the Reduction of Taxes; the Amount added Annually to Supply the Estimated Deficiencies in the actual Product of Taxes; and the Amount of Taxes Imposed and Levied by the Board of Supervisors in the Years 1876 to 1881, inclusive, the Amount of Taxes for the Present Year being Estimated.

OBJECTS AND PURPOSES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNTS IN 1876.	AMOUNTS IN 1877.	AMOUNTS IN 1878.	AMOUNTS IN 1879.	AMOUNTS IN 1880.	AMOUNTS IN 1881.
FOR STATE TAXES.....	\$7,233,189 48	\$4,162,883 85	\$3,911,326 66	\$3,751,062 19	\$3,571,322 91	\$4,270,760 00
FOR EXPENSES OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT, viz.:						
Interest on City Debt.....	\$9,503,188 93	\$9,176,501 73	\$9,164,383 65	\$8,790,153 84	\$8,459,319 51	\$8,240,965 45
Redemption of City Debt.....	2,004,313 14	1,545,467 78	1,555,297 66	1,164,446 30	101,695 64	64,377 12
The Common Council.....	114,500 00	114,500 00	107,500 00	118,250 00	106,450 00	64,250 00
The Mayoralty.....	49,500 00	49,000 00	46,000 00	46,000 00	42,000 00	30,000 00
The Department of Finance.....	235,000 00	235,000 00	225,000 00	252,500 00	251,000 00	205,370 70
The Law Department.....	161,000 00	163,000 00	148,000 00	155,500 00	162,120 00	143,478 00
The Department of Public Works.....	1,434,000 00	1,632,000 00	1,611,000 00	1,576,860 00	2,049,600 00	\$ 2,473,350 00
The Department of Public Parks.....	495,000 00	357,000 00	341,000 00	479,000 00	593,500 00	\$ 703,500 00
The Department of Buildings.....	75,000 00	75,000 00	70,000 00	71,500 00	65,000 00	.....
The Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	1,165,000 00	1,190,000 00	1,160,000 00	1,257,000 00	1,348,383 34	1,487,416 00
The Health Department.....	220,000 00	204,872 00	190,000 00	190,000 00	251,540 00	11 332,063 32
The Police Department.....	3,364,475 00	3,305,175 00	3,299,895 00	3,358,100 00	3,282,740 00	3,400,740 00
The Police Department (Cleaning Streets)	725,000 00	725,000 00	700,000 00	690,000 00	825,000 00	\$ 100,881 74
Department of Street Cleaning.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	** 684,118 16
The Fire Department.....	1,248,086 00	1,226,670 00	1,230,870 00	1,254,970 00	1,307,670 00	1,568,959 00
The Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	120,000 00	114,600 00	108,900 00	107,900 00	107,800 00	100,600 00
The Board of Education.....	3,653,000 00	3,553,000 00	3,400,000 00	3,400,000 00	3,500,000 00	3,620,095 00
The College of the City of New York.....	150,000 00	150,000 00	135,000 00	140,000 00	140,000 00	140,000 00
The Judiciary.....	863,395 00	858,025 00	853,225 00	865,484 87	865,865 50	872,983 38
The City Courts.....	352,200 00	329,800 00	329,800 00	329,800 00	327,800 00	335,900 00
Judgments.....	75,000 00	200,000 00	300,000 00	450,000 00	500,000 00	350,000 00
Asylums, Reformatories, and Charitable Institutions.....	883,140 00	967,694 12	948,840 50	935,000 00	996,741 41	1,026,158 31
Advertising, Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	165,000 00	163,500 00	133,000 00	137,200 00	152,200 00	171,200 00
Coroners' Fees.....	75,000 00	75,000 00	70,000 00	70,000 00	46,000 00	46,000 00
Sheriff's Fees.....	30,000 00	30,000 00	30,000 00	40,000 00	40,000 00	40,000 00
Election Expenses.....	148,850 00	148,850 00	135,000 00	135,000 00	177,100 00	161,150 00
Rents—Public Offices, etc.....	82,700 00	73,150 00	70,175 00	61,200 00	55,538 84	46,741 66
Armories and Drill-rooms.....	10,000 00	67,080 00	69,037 50	62,250 00	62,700 00	72,580 00
Miscellaneous.....	268,858 09	91,500 00	148,726 15	358,573 00	188,913 83	†† 205,652 15
Total.....	\$31,109,521 60	\$29,178,940 47	\$28,008,888 26	\$28,226,988 84	\$28,937,272 90	\$31,259,290 09
Less amount supplied from General Fund, estimated at.....	\$30,964,395 64	\$28,484,269 48	\$27,604,077 12	\$27,747,750 20	\$28,167,991 98	\$30,359,290 09
Add to supply deficiencies, viz.:						
Estimated deficiency in the Product of the Taxes Levied, from Erroneous Assessments, Insolvencies, etc.....	145,125 96	694,670 99	404,811 14	479,238 64	769,280 92	900,000 00
Total amount of Taxes.....	\$31,109,521 60	\$29,178,940 47	\$28,008,888 26	\$28,226,988 84	\$28,937,272 90	\$31,259,290 09

\* Exclusive of the amount by law chargeable to the Sinking Fund for the payment of interest on the City Debt. † Including \$25,000 special appropriation by chapter 66, Laws of 1880. ‡ Including estimated special appropriations, \$10,000, chapter 289, §11,500, chapter 447, and §6,500, chapter 456, Laws 1881. § Including estimated special appropriations, \$50,000, chapter 324, and §12,000, chapter 461, Laws 1881. ¶ Expenditures for Street Cleaning Under Police Department to June 16, 1881. \*\* Embracing unexpended balance of appropriation to Police Department (Street Cleaning), and estimated special appropriation, \$350,000, chapter 367, Laws of 1881. †† Including special appropriation, \$3,967.50, chapter 333, Laws 1881.

## STATEMENT No. VI.

Showing the Relative Value of the Real and Personal Estate in the City and County of New York, as Assessed for 1880 and 1881.

WARDS.	ASSESSMENT FOR 1880.	ASSESSMENT FOR 1881.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
First.....	\$53,056,526	\$54,906,166	\$1,849,640	.....
Second.....	28,105,760	28,398,200	292,440	.....
Third.....	33,817,920	34,042,500	224,580	.....
Fourth.....	12,605,945	12,634,225	28,280	.....
Fifth.....	38,949,250	39,144,600	195,350	.....
Sixth.....	21,812,150	21,828,250	16,100	.....
Seventh.....	15,931,050	15,984,050	53,000	.....
Eighth.....	35,127,442	35,335,542	208,100	.....
Ninth.....	26,922,570	27,090,650	168,080	.....
Tenth.....	17,136,240	17,167,275	31,035	.....
Eleventh.....	15,834,470	15,898,770	64,300	.....
Twelfth.....	74,022,580	85,573,039	10,650,459	.....
Thirteenth.....	9,742,350	9,787,850	45,500	.....
Fourteenth.....	22,493,457	22,714,937	221,480	.....
Fifteenth.....	51,418,860	51,398,920	.....	\$19,940
Sixteenth.....	34,000,450	34,174,500	174,050	.....
Seventeenth.....	32,703,480	32,712,800	209,320	.....
Eighteenth.....	69,342,450	70,947,750	1,605,300	.....
Nineteenth.....	138,544,905	152,303,375	13,758,470	.....
Twentieth.....	38,591,150	39,270,250	679,100	.....
Twenty-first.....	76,623,800	77,194,250	570,450	.....
Twenty-second.....	71,986,340	74,580,475	2,594,135	.....
Twenty-third.....	13,478,300	13,336,060	357,780	.....
Twenty-fourth.....	9,423,685	9,504,765	81,080	.....
Total.....	\$942,571,190 00	\$976,735,199 00	\$34,164,009 00	\$19,940
Personal Estate.				
Resident.....	\$133,502,710 00	\$138,613,030 00	\$5,110,320 00	.....
Non-resident	12,089,720 00	12,175,475 00	85,755 00	.....
Shareholders of Banks.....	55,601,607 09	58,424,394 96	2,822,787 87	.....
Total Real and Personal for 1880.....	\$1,143,765,227 09	For 1881.....\$1,185,948,098 96	Total Inc., \$42,202,811 87	Total Dec. \$19,940
Increase of Valuation of Real Estate for 1881.....			\$34,164,009 00	
Increase of Valuation of Personal Estate for 1881.....			8,038,862 87	
Total Increase.....			\$42,202,811 87	
Total Valuation for 1880.....	\$1,143,765,227 09	Total Increase of Valuation for 1881.....	\$42,202,811 87	
Total Valuation for 1881.....	1,185,948,098 96	Total Decrease of Valuation for 1881.....	19,940 00	
Increase in 1881.....	\$42,182,871 87	Net Increase.....	\$42,182,871 87	

## STATEMENT No. VII.

Showing the Assessed Valuation of Real and Personal Estate, the Rate of Tax, and the Amount of Taxes in each year from 1870 to 1881, inclusive.

YEAR.	ASSESSED VALUATIONS OF REAL ESTATE.	ASSESSED VALUATIONS OF PERSONAL ESTATE.	TOTAL VALUATIONS.	RATE OF TAX.	AMOUNT OF TAXES.
1870.....	\$742,103,075 00	\$305,285,374 00	\$1,047,388,449 00	2.25	\$23,569,127 00
1871.....	769,306,410 00	306,947,223 00	1,076,253,633 00	2.17	23,362,527 00
1872.....	797,125,115 00	306,949,422 00	1,104,074,537 00	2.10	23,035,480 00
1873.....	836,691,980 00	292,447,643 00	1,129,139,623 00	2.50	28,230,996 00
1874.....	881,547,905 00	272,481,181 00	1,154,029,086 00	2.80	32,306,334 00
1875.....	883,643,545 00	217,300,154 00	1,100,943,699 00	2.94	32,368,800 53
1876.....	892,428,165 00	218,626,178 00	1,111,054,343 00	2.80	31,105,533 39
1877.....	895,063,933 00	206,028,160 00	1,101,092,093 00	2.65	29,178,940 46
1878.....	900,855,700 00	197,532,075 00	1,098,387,775 00	2.55	28,008,888 26
1879.....	918,134,380 00	175,934,955 00	1,094,069,335 00	2.58	28,226,988 84
1880.....	942,571,690 00	201,194,037 09	1,143,765,727 09	2.53	28,937,272 90
1881.....	976,735,199 00	209,212,899 96	1,185,948,098 96	.....	.....

NOTE.—The tax levy for 1881 not being confirmed by the Board of Supervisors of the County at the date of this report, the amount of taxes and rate are estimated.

## STATEMENT No. VIII.

Showing the Amount of the Departmental Estimates, the Provisional Estimates, the Provisional Estimates as Rectified by the Board of Aldermen, and the Amount of the Final Estimates made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in each year from 1875 to 1881, inclusive.

YEAR.	AMOUNT OF THE DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATES.	AMOUNT OF THE PROVISIONAL ESTIMATES.	PROVISIONAL ESTIMATES AS RECTIFIED BY BOARD OF ALDERMEN.	FINAL ESTIMATES MADE BY BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPOINTMENT.
1875.....	\$38,693,052 65	\$36,657,062 85	\$36,864,572 85	\$36,171,472 23
1876.....	37,893,682 34	35,423,231 64	35,547,691 64	34,904,395 64
1877.....	33,987,530 87	32,089,970 62	33,186,696 80	30,984,269 48
1878.....	31,848,282 13	30,082,385 13	30,346,085 13	30,104,077 12
1879.....	30,976,072 57	29,284,470 57	29,962,821 32	30,007,097 20
1880.....	30,698,728 82	29,297,072 73	29,328,872 73	29,642,991 98
1881.....	32,066,645 68	30,024,744 70	30,121,456 70	29,854,322 59

NOTE.—The appropriations made by special acts of the Legislature are not included in the above stated Final Estimates.

## STATEMENT No. IX.

Showing the Amount of Taxes on Real Estate, and Croton Water Rents, remaining unpaid August 1, 1881, in the Bureau of Arrears, for each year from 1869 to 1880, inclusive.

YEAR.	ARREARS OF TAXES.	CROTON WATER RENTS UNPAID.
Prior to 1869.....	\$78,340 71	\$2,460 55
1869.....	21,430 57	377 03
1870.....	30,652 72	2,088 93
1871.....	75,077 40	2,734 06
1872.....	142,362 18	3,857 82
1873.....	146,421 03	4,467 47
1874.....	247,909 43	5,944 49
1875.....	381,447 03	9,499 02
1876.....	470,159 71	13,496 08
1877.....	790,942 15	21,004 02
1878.....	1,075,283 87	28,441 61
1879.....	1,693,453 59	45,701 04
1880.....	2,900,464 97	.....
Total.....	\$8,253,945 36	\$140,072 12

## STATEMENT No. X.

Showing the Amount of Personal Taxes remaining unpaid on August 1, 1880, for each year from 1852 to 1880, inclusive.

YEAR LEVIED.	AMOUNT IN ARREARS.	YEAR LEVIED.	AMOUNT IN ARREARS.
1852.....	\$51,500 37	1868.....	\$890,369 97
1853.....	87,068 07	1869.....	645,031 34
1854.....	136,585 04	1870.....	908,642 91
1855.....	178,732 89	1871.....	1,056,275 65
1856.....	294,725 42	1872.....	1,516,754 53
1857.....	297,880 43	1873.....	1,057,432 01
1858.....	151,351 49	1874.....	883,701 09
1859.....	142,707 86	1875.....	270,736 73
1860.....	145,447 82	1876.....	244,041 69
1861.....	146,681 56	1877.....	206,795 80
1862.....	360,793 31	1878.....	249,330 49
1863.....	148,269 82	1879.....	195,016 62
1864.....	152,256 86	1880.....	2,120,386 95
1865.....	348,161 73		
1866.....	330,021 11		
1867.....	571,498 15		
Total.....			\$13,790,197 71



## LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, for the week ending August 27, 1881.

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

## SCHEDULE "A."

## SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the petition of Alfred C. Post—To vacate assessment for Boulevard sewers; confirmed May 24, 1881.

Margaret B. O'Donnell—Award for damages from change of grade of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Avenue A to Sixth avenue, \$670, with interest from July 16, 1881.

In the matter of the petition of Henry Alker } To vacate an assessment for sewer in Boulevard, from  
Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth street.

In the matter of the petition of Henry Draper, ex'r,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Sophia Furniss, R. C., trustee,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of R. Suydam Grant, ex'r,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Henrietta S. Gould	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Nathaniel D. Higgins	do	do
In the matter of the petition of George Jones	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Bennett J. King	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Francis C. Lawrence	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Charles H. Ludington	do	do
In the matter of the petition of William H. Macy	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Edward F. Smith	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Greenleaf K. Sheridan, ex'r,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Greenleaf K. Sheridan, ex'r,	do	do
of Fred'k H. Jackson	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Jacob R. Telfair	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Jacob D. Vermilyea and al.,	do	do
trustees,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Jacob D. Vermilyea and al.,	do	do
trustees of Zimmermann	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Jacob D. Vermilyea and al.,	do	do
trustees of Clementina Furniss	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Wm. Winterson et al.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Max Weil and ano.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Margaret E. Zimmermann and al.	do	do

In the matter of the petition of Charles J. Alvord, } To vacate an assessment for sewer in Boulevard,  
from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred  
and Fifty-third street.

In the matter of the petition of Benj. G. Arnold	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Morris B. Baer	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Joseph Bell	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Geo. H. Bissell	do	do
In the matter of the petition of D. L. Baker	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Mary E. Baker	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Mary J. Bumstead, ex'r,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Richard C. Combes, trustee,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Howard W. Coates, ex'r,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Sam'l M. Cohen, ex'r,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Howard W. Coates, ex'r estate	do	do
of George H. Peck and Joseph H. Godwin,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Amos Cotting	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Samuel F. Chalfin, ex'r, etc.,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Michael H. Cashman	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Geo. W. Carleton	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Citizens Insurance Company	do	do
In the matter of the petition of John L. Cadwalader	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Elizabeth M. Dunlap	do	do
In the matter of the petition of J. Watts DePeyster	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Geo. G. DeWitt	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Julian T. Davies	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Alfred L. Edwards	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Eugene Ellsworth, ex'r,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Hickson W. Field	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Robert Greacen	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Matilda A. Grosvenor and ano.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Wm. Garrett	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Theodore J. Husted	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Augustus Ireland	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Emma H. Ireland	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Peter A. H. Jackson	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Lewis Johnston	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Edward J. King	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Catharine A. Palmer	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Frederick T. Locke	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Robert P. Lee	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Emily Louise Landon	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Simon Lightstone	do	do
In the matter of the petition of J. Lawrence McKeever and	do	do
ano., trustees,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of H. W. Merriam	do	do
In the matter of the petition of John W. Miller	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Jordan L. Mott and ano.,	do	do
executors,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Fanny Meyer and ano.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of John McKesson and ano.,	do	do
trustees,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of James I. Nesmith	do	do
In the matter of the petition of James O'Donoghue	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Joel B. Post et al.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Joel B. Post, estate of,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of George B. Post, executor,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Frederick A. Post	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Mary Post	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Mary A. Peck	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Joel B. Post	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Alfred C. Post	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Wright E. Post	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Joel B. Post, Alfred C. Post,	do	do
and Mary Post	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Mary G. Pinkney	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Simon Rosenthal	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Charles N. Romaine	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Ellen Rhines	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Joseph Reckendorfer	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Emily A. Smith	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Alex. H. Stevens	do	do
In the matter of the petition of John Sloane	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Jacob Shipsey and ano.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of John L. Tonnelli	do	do
In the matter of the petition of James M. Varnum and al.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Margaret K. Watson	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Enos Wilder and ano.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Thomas H. Walter	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Edward J. Woolsey	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Antoinette C. Ward	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Kate L. Youmans	do	do

In the matter of the petition of Adolph Bernheimer } To vacate an assessment for sewer in Boulevard,  
from Seventy-seventh to Ninety-second street.

In the matter of the petition of Christian Blinn	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Augustus Blumenthal	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Edmund Coffin, Jr.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Henry S. Day	do	do
In the matter of the petition of J. W. Dimick	do	do

In the matter of the petition of D. M. Edgar	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Andrew Gilsey	do	do
In the matter of the petition of N. D. Higgins	do	do
In the matter of the petition of George Jones	do	do
In the matter of the petition of J. Harsen Purdy	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Geo. W. Poillon and al.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Lazarus Rosenfeld	do	do
In the matter of the petition of John Schmidt	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Selig Steinhardt	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Hugh Smith	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Charles Sanders	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Michael Treacy	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Joseph L. R. Wood, and ano.,	do	do
ex'rs,	do	do

In the matter of the petition of Marie E. Badeau et al., ex'rs, } To vacate an assessment for sewers  
in Boulevard, from Sixty-first to  
Seventy-seventh street.

In the matter of the petition of Annie M. Cudlipp	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Jeremiah J. Campion	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Jane M. Cudlipp	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Fred'k H. Cossitt	do	do
In the matter of the petition of James E. Dewey	do	do
In the matter of the petition of J. W. Dimick	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Mary H. Drake	do	do
In the matter of the petition of James D. Fish	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Joseph H. Godwin	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Rowland N. Hazard	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Charles G. Havens	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Elias S. Higgins	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Jacob Halstead	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Edward J. King	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Arnold Lustig	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Edward Livingston	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Wm. Mead	do	do
In the matter of the petition of John D. O'Keef	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Mary E. O'Keef	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Sarah J. Pirsson	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Geo. H. Peck, estate of,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of C. H. Russell	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Edward F. Smith	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Wm. H. Scott	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Hugh Smith	do	do
In the matter of the petition of R. L. Schieffelin	do	do
In the matter of the petition of John R. Vanderveer et al., ex'rs	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Joseph L. R. Wood et al., ex'rs	do	do
Abraham Galland—Work and materials, repairing the elevator of the New County Court-house,	do	do
\$563.15 and interest from January 9, 1881.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of James H. Kidabock et al., trustees of George J. Schmelyer, deceased,	do	do
to vacate assessment for sewer in Boulevard, from Seventy-seventh to Ninety-second street.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Lewis Hine et al. to vacate assessment for sewer in Boulevard,	do	do
between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Benjamin H. Hutton to vacate assessment for sewer in Boulevard,	do	do
between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Clarissa S. Crane et al. to vacate assessment for sewer in Boulevard,	do	do
Sixty-first to Seventy-seventh street.	do	do

In the matter of the petition of Robert H. Arkenburgh } To vacate an assessment for sewer in  
Boulevard, from Sixty-first to Seventy-  
seventh street.

In the matter of the petition of Sarah M. Acker	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Wm. P. Earle	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Charles P. Homes, ex'r,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of John T. McGowan	do	do
In the matter of the petition of J. Rufus Smith	do	do
In the matter of the petition of U. S. Life Insurance Company	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Philip G. Weaver	do	do
In the matter of the petition of J. & I. Wormser	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Fernando Wood, Jr.,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of estate of J. B. Aitken to vacate assessment for sewer in Boulevard,	do	do
from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of David Bonner to vacate assessment for sewer in Boulevard, from	do	do
One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Manhattan Life Insurance Company to vacate assessment for sewer	do	do
in Boulevard, from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Society of New York Hospital to vacate assessment for sewer in	do	do
Boulevard, from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Daniel F. Tremain to vacate assessment for sewer in Boulevard,	do	do
from One Hundred and Sixth to One Hundred and Fifty-third street.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of James W. Beekman } To vacate an assessment for sewer in Boulevard,	do	do
from Seventy-seventh to Ninety-second street.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Samuel Cohen	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Philip & Wm. Ebling	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Max Freund	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Bernard Fellmair	do	do
In the matter of the petition of German Savings Bank	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Edward King, estate of,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Fanny McCormack, ex'r,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Fernando Wood, Jr.,	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Margaret Blohm } To vacate assessment for sewer in Boulevard, from	do	do
Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth street.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Daniel B. Fearing	do	do
In the matter of the petition of M. S. Isaacs	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Robert Irwin and another	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Morgan Jones	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Isaiah Meyer	do	do
In the matter of the petition of George W. Watson	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Emma Barnsdall for the payment of award to unknown owners in	do	do
the opening of a diagonal street or avenue, intermediate the Tenth avenue and the Boulevard.	do	do
In the matter of the petition of Lucene Gunning for damages to building, for change of grade of	do	do
the land in regulating, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-second street, Boulevard to Hudson river.	do	do

## SCHEDULE "B."

## JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Philip Smith, One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer—Order entered to reduce assessment, August 19, 1881; Donohue, J.  
Cornelia T. Clapp—Judgment entered without answer in favor of plaintiff for \$425.64.  
Coleman Benedict, executor, etc.—Judgment entered without answer, in favor of plaintiff for \$2,767.93.  
James Monteith—Judgment entered without answer, in favor of plaintiff for \$2,858.  
Isaac D. Cole, Jr., regulating, etc., Tenth avenue—Order entered to vacate assessment August 4, 1881; Donohue, J.  
Joseph Maloney, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Ninth avenue to Hudson river—Order entered to vacate assessment August 4, 1881; Donohue, J.  
One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street opening (and other streets)—Order entered denying motion to vacate order for appointment of Commissioners and to annul all subsequent proceedings.  
Oscar F. G. Megie, Seventh avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street—Order entered to vacate assessment.  
Henry Hughes, Seventh avenue sewer, One Hundred and Twenty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street—Order entered to vacate assessment.  
Gottlieb Becker et al., paving Twentieth street—Order entered to vacate assessment.  
Marietta R. Stevens, ex'r.—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiffs, after motion, for \$20,671.54.

## SCHEDULE "C."

## SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Aaron H. Allen—Motion to restrain the Comptroller from paying any money in pursuance of a settlement; argued and denied.  
In the matter of William S. Wright and two others (habeas corpus; arrested for riding bicycles in the Central Park)—Further testimony taken before the Referee.  
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.



## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

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

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

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

**Bureau of Sewers.**  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

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

**Bureau of Street Improvements.**  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

**Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.**  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

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

**Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.**  
JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## LAW DEPARTMENT

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

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

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

**Headquarters.**  
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.  
**Bureau of Chief of Department.**  
ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

**Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.**  
PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

**Bureau of Fire Marshal.**  
GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

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

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

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

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

**Hospital Stables.**  
No. 109 Christie street.  
DREDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.  
**Civil and Topographical Office.**  
Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
**Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.**  
146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**  
51 Chambers Street, Rooms 10, 11 & 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

## 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).

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 20, 1881.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 142.)

**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING** AT THE FOOT OF WEST THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, AND AT THE FOOT OF EAST TWENTY-SECOND STREET, EAST RIVER.

**ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING AT THE ABOVE** named places on the North and East rivers, 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

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1881,

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

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

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

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

ON NORTH RIVER.

Foot of West Thirty-seventh street, . . . 8,600 cubic yards.

ON EAST RIVER.

Foot of East Twenty-second street, . . . 4,500 cubic yds.

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

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

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

The places at which the dredging is to be done under this contract will be cleared by the Department of Docks for such dredging, and the contractor will be prepared and required to work two dredges, provided both places are made ready by the Department for dredging at the same time.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date thereof, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the 20th day of September, 1881, or within as many days thereafter as there may have been days when there was not at least one place ready for dredging under the contract, through failure of the Department of Docks to cause such place to be cleared for the dredging to be carried on; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to

the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

HENRY F. DIMOCK,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
WILLIAM LAMBEER,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 23, 1881.

## TO WATER-PIPE MANUFACTURERS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED** envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE WORK AS IN THE ADVERTISEMENT, will be received at this office until Monday, September 5, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour and place they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read, for the following:

No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 475 TONS OF STRAIGHT PIPE AND 50 TONS OF BRANCHES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.  
No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING 1,650 TONS OF 48-INCH PIPE AND 10 TONS OF BRANCHES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS, AT BRONXVILLE, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained upon application at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 23, 1881.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED** envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Monday, September 5, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour and place they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT Eleventh street, from Second to Third avenue; Stanton street, from Columbia to Tompkins street, and West Tenth street, from Sixth avenue to Greenwich avenue, and lay crosswalks at intersecting streets and avenues where required.

No. 2. RELAYING THE PAVEMENT of Madison avenue, from Thirty-first to Forty-second street.

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



interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 23, 1881.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

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- No. 1. SEWER in Montgomery street, between Madison and Monroe streets.
- No. 2. SEWERS in Fourth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Second and One Hundred and Third streets, and in One Hundred and Second street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.
- No. 3. SEWERS in Fourth avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Tenth streets; in One Hundred and Ninth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues; and in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.
- No. 4. SEWERS in West End avenue, formerly Eleventh avenue, between Ninety-first and Ninety-sixth streets, and in Ninety-third street, between West End avenue and Boulevard.
- No. 5. SEWER in West End avenue, formerly Eleventh avenue, between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Fifth streets.
- No. 6. SEWERS in Seventy-second street, between Hudson river and Eleventh avenue, with branch in Riverside avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-sixth streets.
- No. 7. SEWER in Riverside and Twelfth avenues, between One Hundred and Twenty-second and Manhattan streets.
- No. 8. FILLING in the low and sunken land between One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, and between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
- No. 9. REGULATING, grading, and setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging sidewalks four feet wide in One Hundred and First street, from Ninth avenue to New avenue.
- No. 10. REGULATING and grading One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road.
- No. 11. PAVING with trap-block pavement the roadway of Forty-fourth street, from a line five feet east of and parallel with the east curb of Second avenue to a line five feet west of and parallel with the west curb of First avenue, and laying crosswalks of three courses of blue-stone at the terminating avenues across said street.
- No. 12. PAVING with trap-block pavement the roadway of Seventy-fifth street, from the west crosswalk of Third avenue to a line five feet east of and parallel with the east curb of Fourth avenue, and laying crosswalks of three courses of blue-stone at Fourth avenue across said street.
- No. 13. PAVING with Trap-block Pavement the roadway of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from the east crosswalk of Third avenue to a line five feet west of and parallel with the west curb of Avenue A, and laying crosswalks of three courses of blue-stone at the intersecting avenues and across the street at the westerly side of Avenue A.
- No. 14. PAVING with Macadamized Pavement the roadway of Tenth avenue, from a line five feet north of and parallel with the northerly curb line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street to the present pavement in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, except where heretofore paved, and paving the gutters and intersections with Belgian or trap-block pavement, and laying crosswalks of blue-stone as indicated upon the map on file in the Department of Public Works, which more specifically sets forth the exact nature and extent of all of the above work.
- No. 15. LAYING CROTON WATER-MAINS in Fifth avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Forty-third streets.
- No. 16. LAYING WATER-MAINS in Jerome avenue, between Croton avenue and Williamsbridge road.

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained for each class of work at the following offices: Paving, Room 1; regulating and grading, Room 5; sewers, Room 8, and laying water-mains, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,  
NEW YORK, August 23, 1881.

#### TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope,** with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Monday, September 5, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour and place they will be publicly opened by the head of the department and read, for the following:

- FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN BUILDING ONE FLOATING SWIMMING BATH.
- FURNISHING AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE ALTERATIONS OF PORTIONS OF ESSEX MARKET.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimates, the proper envelope in which to enclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained on application at the office of Douglas Smyth, architect, Room 31, No. 137 Broadway.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, August 13, 1881.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope,** with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Monday, September 5, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for

- FURNISHING, DELIVERING, AND LAYING A FORTY-EIGHT INCH CAST-IRON CONDUIT PIPE, FROM KENSICO TO BETWEEN HARTSDALE AND SCARSDALE, WESTCHESTER COUNTY, NEW YORK.

Full details relating to the nature and extent of the work to be done can be obtained by reference to the specifications and plans which can be seen at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

THE AMOUNT OF SECURITY REQUIRED IS ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS.

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

Blank forms of estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the agreement, and any further information desired, can be obtained on application at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

#### CROTON WATER RATES.

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

**ESTIMATES FOR THE FOLLOWING-NAMED** Works, viz:

1. Of mason work, iron work, carpenter work, painting, and materials required in the erection of fire engine house on Blackwell's Island;
2. Of plumbing work and gas-fitting required to be done in erysipelas pavilion now in course of erection on dock at Bellevue Hospital;

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, at the office of said Department, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, September 2d, 1881, at which place and time the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contracts, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the works 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 amount of security required in each of the above-named works, is as follows, viz:

1. The fire engine house, seven thousand five hundred dollars (\$7,500).
2. The plumbing and gas-fitting at erysipelas pavilion, four hundred dollars (\$400).

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which are annexed to and form part of these proposals, and the plans, which can be seen at the office of said Department.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract for five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or estimate, or if, after acceptance, he or they should refuse or neglect to execute the contract and give proper security, for five days after notice that the contract is ready for execution, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on, until it be accepted and executed.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued in the manner specified in the contract.

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

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, will be furnished at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, August 20, 1881.  
JACOB HESS,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
TOWNSEND COX,  
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, LEATHER, AND WHITE LEAD.

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-**ing

- GROCERIES.
- 6,000 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition September 1.
- 23,000 Fresh Eggs, (all to be candled).
- 100 best quality City Cured Hams; not to exceed 14 pounds weight.
- 150 quintals best quality Grand Bank Codfish; to be delivered in boxes of four quintals each.
- 5,000 pounds Dried Apples.
- 250 " Cocoa.
- 6 dozen Canned Salmon.
- 6 " Chow-Chow.
- 6 " Currant Jelly.
- 1 case Sardines (halves).

LEATHER.

500 sides Sole Leather.

WHITE LEAD.

1 ton strictly pure White Lead in oil.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 2d day of September, 1881. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Leather, and White Lead," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the



supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, August 20, 1881.

JACOB HESS,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
TOWNSEND COX,  
Commissioners of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, August 24, 1881.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Thirtieth Precinct Station-house—Unknown man, age about 55 years, 5 feet 7 inches high, brown hair mixed with gray, chin whiskers, blue eyes; had on dark coat, pants and vest, white shirt, white knit undershirt, gaiters, gray cotton socks, black Derby hat.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Barbara Osola, aged 60 years, 5 feet 2 inches high, brown hair mixed with gray, black eyes; had on when admitted black skirt, striped shawl, slippers. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Ludwig Geck; age 50 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, blue pants, dark vest, check jumper, laced shoes, black felt hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Esther Morse; age 32 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; light brown eyes and hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Margaret alias Mary Murphy; age 38 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; blue eyes; light brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By order,  
G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, August 17, 1881.

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

At Lunatic Asylum, B. I.—Mary Haney, alias Many, Ireland; age 29 years; 5 feet high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, black sack, gray petticoat, 3 gold rings. Nothing known of friends.

At Homeopathic Hospital, W. I.—Ann McGahan; age 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, light calico dress, striped shawl, brown straw hat, slippers. Nothing known of friends.

Julian Carmini; age 60 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted, dark suit of clothes, congress gaiters, black Derby hat. Nothing known of friends.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, W. I.—Henry Morgan; age 50 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; black hair; black eyes; born United States; gas-fitter, Protestant; single. Nothing known of friends.

John Lambert; age 41 years; 5 feet 3½ inches high; brown hair; brown eyes; born Austria; tinsmith; Catholic. Nothing known of friends.

Wenzel Straka; age 32 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray eyes; black hair; born Bohemia; tailor; Catholic. Nothing known of friends.

Edward Noonan; age 77 years; 5 feet high; blue eyes; gray hair; born Ireland; Catholic. Nothing known of friends.

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

By order of  
JOHN J. GORMAN, President.  
VINCENT C. KING,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
CARL JUSSEN, Secretary. Commissioners.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET (Room No. 39),  
NEW YORK, August 15, 1881.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Revolvers, male and female clothing, trunks, bag and contents, boots, shoes, blankets, hats, boats, gold and silver watches, pails, bale of cochineal bugs, and small amount of cash found and taken from prisoners by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE State of New York, in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby gives notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of said city will apply to the Supreme Court, in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1881, at ten and a half o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and in the behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, beginning at a point on the westerly side of Fourth avenue, distant two hundred and one feet and ten inches (201' 10") from the northwesterly corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Fourth avenue; thence westerly and parallel with said One Hundred and Twenty-first street, four hundred and five feet (405') to the easterly line of Madison avenue; thence northerly and along said line sixty feet (60'); thence easterly four hundred and five feet (405') to the westerly line of Fourth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty feet (60') to the point or place of beginning. Said street to be sixty feet (60') wide between the lines of Fourth and Madison avenues, and as said street is laid out on the map or plan of the City of New York, made under and by virtue of an act of the Legislature of the People of the State of New York, entitled "An act relative to improvement touching the laying out of streets and roads in the City of New York, and for other purposes," passed April 3, 1867.

Dated New York, August 20, 1881.  
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 16th day of July, 1881, and, on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

Eleventh avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from Fifty-ninth to Seventy-second street.

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

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

## REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00  
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00  
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, 15 00  
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, 10 00  
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

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

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

CHAPTER 33.  
AN ACT relative to the collection of taxes and assessments, and of arrears of taxes and assessments, and Croton water rents, in the City of New York.  
(Passed March 16, 1881; three-fifths being present.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.  
ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 18, 1881.

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CONSOLIDATING CERTAIN BUREAUX IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

## ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Thursday, September 1, 1881, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

JAMES J. MARTIN,  
Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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