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### APPROVED PAPERS.

Ordinances, resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending January 14, 1882.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby authorized and directed, pursuant to the provisions of section 1093, chapter 448, Laws of 1876, to pay to Thomas Dunlap, late Commissioner of Jurors, the sum of two thousand and sixty dollars and ninety-two cents, the amount of deficiency in the receipts of said office, from January 1, 1881, to September 14, 1881.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 6, 1881.

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

Resolved, That John B. Toner be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Achille D'Angelo, whose term of office expires January 7, 1882.

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

Approved by the Mayor, January 12, 1882.

Resolved, That Richard Grundmann be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Henry E. Rothschild, whose term of office expired June 25, 1879.

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

Approved by the Mayor, January 12, 1882.

Resolved, That Philip N. Gaulon be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Philip M. Ganlon, whose term of office expires January 21, 1882.

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

Approved by the Mayor, January 12, 1882.

Resolved, That Marks L. Frank be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of James P. Rogers, whose term of office expired November 19, 1879.

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

Approved by the Mayor, January 12, 1882.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place respectively of the persons whose names appear opposite, whose terms of office expire at the time stated:

	Term Expires.
William R. Farrell, in place of William R. Farrell	January 19, 1882.
Joseph A. Jacobs, " Joseph A. Jacobs	" 7, "
Cornelius J. Kane, " Cornelius J. Kane	" 19, "
John Sigerson, " John Sigerson	" 7, "
Nicholas Seagrist, " Nicholas Seagrist	" 19, "
Patrick J. Scully, " Patrick J. Scully	" 19, "
Frank Schaeffler, " Frank Schaeffler	" 19, "
David S. White, " David S. White	" 2, "
Elliot J. Arthur, " David Calbert	" 7, "
Charles S. Hayes, " James M. Jarvis	" 9, "
George A. Moore, " George A. Moore	" 7, "
Joseph Ullman, " Joseph Ullman	" 7, "
Meyer Elsas, " William B. Vondersmith	" 7, "
Eugene S. Ives, " John J. Finnegan	" 19, "
Philip Rapp, " Henry Morgenthau	" 9, "
Louis Steckler, " Robert Lyon, Jr	" 19, "
John M. Kyle, " D. K. Schuster	May 25, 1879.
William F. Harnett, " Emanuel A. Schwarz	July 6, "

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

Approved by the Mayor, January 12, 1882.

Resolved, That the rooms in Essex Market, lately used by the Fifth Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., be and they are hereby assigned for the use and occupation of the Eleventh Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., for armory and drill-room purposes.

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

Approved by the Mayor, January 13, 1882.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk of the Common Council.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, DECEMBER 27 TO 31, 1881.

#### Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—

List of prisoners received during the week ending December 24, 1881: Males, 49; females, 5. On file.

List of 31 prisoners to be discharged from January 1 to 7, 1882. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 5 patients received during week ending December 24, 1881. On file.

From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 9 patients received during week ending December 24, 1881. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending December 24, 1881, \$260. On file.

#### Resolutions.

Resolved, That a reduction of fourteen per cent. be made from the salaries of the employees of this Department for the month of December, 1881. Adopted.

Resolved, That the heads of all institutions be directed to take an inventory of all property, with the value thereof on the 31st day of December of each year, and enter same in journal and forward copy to the Board. Adopted.

Resolved, That the proposals of Edward Burt to furnish 10,000 pounds of soap at 5 44-100 cents per pound;

J. M. Ingersoll 1,000 yards gray cadet cassimere at 44 97-100 cents per yard;  
—be accepted, and the awards made to them, they being the lowest bidders. Adopted.

#### Appointments.

December 29. Maria Wadsworth, Nurse, Charity Hospital.

30. William Parker, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

30. Ezekiel Boaz, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

30. James Angus, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane

#### Resignations.

December 29. Geo. B. Edgworth, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

29. P. M. Carolan, Orderly, Charity Hospital.

30. Charles H. Solbach, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

#### Dismissals.

December 28. Daniel O'Reilly, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

28. Alex. Heeney, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

28. Joseph F. Meehan, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

28. John Slater, Attendant, New York City Asylum for Insane.

29. Frank Murray, Orderly, Chanty Hospital.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

### BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY HALL,  
SATURDAY, January 14th, 1882, 11 o'clock A. M.

The Board met in pursuance of the following call:

OFFICE OF THE MAYORALTY,  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT—CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, January 12, 1882.

In pursuance of the authority contained in the 112th section of chapter 335, being an act entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 30, 1873; and section 1 of chapter 779, being an act entitled "An act in relation to raising money by taxation in the County of New York, for county purposes," passed June 14, 1873; and chapter 304, being an act entitled "An act to consolidate the government of the City and County of New York, and further to regulate the same," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 303, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the County of New York," passed April 30, 1874; and chapter 308, being an act entitled "An act in relation to the estimates and apportionment for the support of the government of the City of New York," passed May 1, 1874—a meeting is hereby called of the Mayor, Comptroller, President of the Board of Aldermen, and the President of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, constituting a Board of Estimate and Apportionment, to be held at the office of the Mayor, on Saturday, January 14, 1882, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purposes specified in request of the Comptroller, dated January 12, 1882.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 12, 1882.

Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor:

SIR—You are requested to call a meeting of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for Saturday, January 14, 1882, at such hour as you may designate, for the purpose of authorizing the issue of "Assessment Bonds of the Corporation of the City of New York," to the amount of \$150,000, under chapter 397, Laws of 1852, and chapter 580, Laws of 1872, to meet the cost of street improvements in progress, and also for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the Board.

Respectfully,

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller.

INDORSED:

Admission of a copy of the within, as served upon us this 12th day of January, 1882.

W. R. GRACE,

Mayor;

ALLAN CAMPBELL,

Comptroller;

THOS. B. ASTEN,

President of the Department of

Taxes and Assessments.

Present—Wm. R. Grace, Mayor; Allan Campbell, Comptroller.

Absent—Wm. Sauer, President of the Board of Aldermen; Thos. B. Asten, President of the Department of Taxes and Assessment.

No quorum being present, the Chairman declared the Board adjourned.

THOS. B. ASTEN, Secretary.

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 13th day of January, 1882.

Present—Commissioners French, Mason, and Matthews.

#### Leaves of Absence Granted.

Sergeant William Kirchner, Thirty-first Precinct, five days.

Patrolman Ed. Butlinger, Eighteenth Precinct, one and a half days, without pay.

Report of the Superintendent pursuant to Rule 435 (arrests by Detective Squad in December, 1881), was ordered on file.

#### N. Y. MARINE COURT.

Philip Blake

agst.

John H. Brown and Harriet A., his wife,

} Summons and complaint.

Application to have Corporation Counsel to defend denied.

Application of Patrolman George A. Hess, Eighth Precinct, for permission to employ counsel, was granted, provided the case be tried at the time fixed.

#### Masked Balls Allowed.

Bunden Deutscher Frauen, at Germania Assembly Rooms, January 14.

Erste Karsenen Augusta,

Allemania Frauen Verein,

Toecklerder Rebecca,

Harmonia Society,

" " " 30.

" " " 28.

" " " 21.

" " " 30.



Frauen K. U. V. Cosmopolitan, at Concordia Hall, January 28.  
N. Y. Deutschen Frauen Bund, " " 14.  
N. Y. K. U. V. Columbia, No. 2, " " 21.  
Sausages' Annual, at Clarendon Hall, January 24.  
Weinlander Dancing Academy, at Harmony Rooms, January 27.  
Independent Butcher Guard, at Teutonia Rooms, February 9.  
German American Turn Verein, at Central Hall, February 13.  
Prof. L. Klacel Association, at Washington Hall, February 18.

Application of Patrolman William J. Navell, First Precinct, for full pay while sick, was referred to the Superintendent and Board of Surgeons for report.

The following applications for promotion were referred to the Superintendent to cite for examination:

Patrolman John McCue, Eighth Precinct.  
" Matthew Smith, Seventeenth Precinct.

Communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, approving form of contract for building a steamboat, was ordered on file.

Communication from J. W. Haggerty, relative to blotters, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Communication from the Board of Excise, submitting list of unlicensed liquor dealers, was referred to the Superintendent to enforce the law.

Whereupon, it was

Resolved, That the attention of the Board of Excise be again called to the request of the Board of Police for list of licensed liquor dealers in this city.

Resolved, That until further orders Captains of Police be and are hereby relieved from the operation of Rule 232, so far as it relates to the entering upon the blotter, in their own handwriting, the time of leaving and returning to the station-house; that such entry shall be made by the Sergeant on desk duty.

Resolved, That Rule 284 be referred to the Superintendent for such amendment or modification as he may deem necessary, and report the same to this Board.

Resolved, That the rules and regulations of the Department be referred to a Committee consisting of the Chief Clerk, Superintendent, and four Inspectors, for such amendments or modifications as they may deem necessary, and report the same to this Board.

#### Appointments—Patrolmen.

Maxamillian J. Fisher, to take effect February 1.

Resolved, That the following transfers be ordered:

Captain Jeremiah Petty, from Seventh Precinct to Sixth Precinct.  
" Robert O. Webb, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Seventh Precinct.  
" William C. F. Berghold, from Central Office to Twenty-seventh Precinct.  
Sergeant Andrew Doyle, from Thirty-fourth Precinct to Eleventh Precinct.  
" William H. Webb, from Eleventh Precinct to Thirty-fourth Precinct.  
Roundsman Henry F. Jacoby, from Twentieth Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct.  
Patrolman Daniel Mladen, from Twenty-second Precinct to Tenth Precinct.  
" Edward Washington, from Eighteenth Precinct to Fourth Precinct.  
" James Lawler, from First Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct.  
" Joseph Miller, from Tenth Precinct to Thirty-third Precinct.  
" John H. Condon, from Thirty-third Precinct to Tenth Precinct.  
" Joseph R. Kettner, from Eleventh Precinct to First Precinct.  
" Henry M. Brown, from Eleventh Precinct to Fourth Precinct.

Resolved, That the matter of compiling and printing the opinions of the Counsel to the Corporation, relating to this Department, be referred to Commissioner Matthews and the Chief Clerk for report.

#### Judgments—Dismissals.

Patrolman Walter Burke, Tenth Precinct.

" Theodore A. Moritz, Twenty-third Precinct.

#### Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Joseph A. Gardner, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.

" George W. Conklin, Eighth Precinct, three days' pay.  
" William H. Hughes, Tenth Precinct, two days' pay.  
" Patrick H. Ryan, Thirteenth Precinct, one day's pay.  
" Bernard F. Birmingham, Thirteenth Precinct, one day's pay.  
" James Nealis, Seventeenth Precinct, ten days' pay.  
" Patrick Walton, Seventeenth Precinct, ten days' pay.  
" Edward Butlinger, Eighteenth Precinct, three days' pay.  
" Michael Beehan, Eighteenth Precinct, one day's pay.  
" Lawrence McGovern, Nineteenth Precinct, three days' pay.  
" Frederick S. White, Twenty-third Precinct, three days' pay.  
" John Gould, Twenty-seventh Precinct, ten days' pay.  
" Chester L. Ketchum, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one day's pay.  
" Thomas Kearney, Thirty-second Precinct, one day's pay.  
" Thomas McParlan, Steamboat Squad, one day's pay.

#### Complaints Dismissed.

Precinct.	Patrolman	Precinct.	Patrolman
1	Charles White	16	Patrick McNeice
4	James Flanagan	16	George H. Covert
4	John Conovan	17	Edward J. Keely
7	Michael Lee	17	Nathaniel N. Shire
7	Michael H. Swift	17	Julius J. Klein
10	Sergeant Michael H. Swift	21	James Cunningham
14	Patrolman George L. Arfken	27	John Gould
15	James Dougherty		
	Edward Dunn		

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held November 30, 1881.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meetings held November 16, 17, 19, and 23, were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and

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

From G. W. Ryerson, lessee—Advising that the bulkhead foot of Thirty-ninth street, East river, is incumbered with lumber. Secretary directed to reply that the Department has caused the lumber to be removed.

From Arrow Line Steamers, lessees—Agreeing that shed on Pier, new 56, North river, shall revert to the Corporation on the termination of lease.

From C. H. Delamater & Co.—In reference to reducing the length of Pier at Thirteenth street, North river.

From New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company—In reference to derrick on pier at Thirty-eighth street, East river.

From Funch, Edye & Co., lessees—Acceptance of terms for lease of Pier, new 54, North river.

From Assembly Committee on Investigation—Advising date on which the Committee will convene to complete investigation. Secretary directed to reply that every facility will be extended to the Committee in the discharge of their duties.

From Wilson & Adams—Advising that the Pier at Thirty-ninth street, East river, is clear of lumber. Secretary directed to notify lessees that the incumbrance complained of is removed.

From D. Whipple—Application for permission to retain small shelter house on Pier 11, East river. The Corporation Wharfinger to be directed to extend the time already given for its removal for six days.

From Department of Public Works—Requesting that cleats be put on the bulkhead at Seventeenth street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to do the work.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting the upsetting of the scow "Willie," on the 15th instant, and the suspension of Timothy Ring.

2d. Report of repairs made to bulkhead at Pier 27, North river.

3d. Report that repairs were made at Pier at Ward's Island, opposite One Hundred and Tenth street, East river, by the Commissioners of Emigration.

4th. Report of dredging done at Pier at Thirty-eighth street, North river.

5th. Reporting cost of repairs to Pier at Fifth street, East river, to be \$127.97. Treasurer requested to present claim therefor to the lessee of the pier.

6th. Reporting the bad condition of Pier at Forty-sixth street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to make necessary repairs, to place the pier in safe condition for public use.

7th. Advising that the Union Ferry Company had driven piles between the ferry rack and the easterly side of Pier 21, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report.

8th. Reporting condition of Pier at Fifty-first street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to make necessary repairs thereto.

9th. Reporting that the Union Ferry Company had not commenced the repairs to Pier 15, East river, ordered to be made on 2d instant. Secretary directed to notify the said company, lessees of the easterly half, and the alleged owners of the westerly half of said pier to make the repairs within ten days.

10th. Reporting that no repairs had been made to the bulkhead between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets, North river, by Ogden & Co., under permit of July 13, 1881. Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to examine and report whether or not the title to the premises is vested in the Corporation.

11th. Reporting repairs required to Upper Coal Docks at Blackwell's Island, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to make the repairs at a cost of about \$250.

12th. Reporting condition of Pier 23, East river. Secretary directed to notify the owners of the easterly half and lessees of the westerly half of said pier, to make the necessary repairs thereto.

13th. Reporting bad condition of plank roadway to Pier, new 26, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to make the necessary repairs thereto.

An application was received from Van Vleck & Co., for permission to retain on Pier 11, East river, a small house, required by their clerks for the proper transaction of their business, and, being read, was

On motion, referred to Commissioner Laimbeer, who immediately reported that all such obstructions on piers should be removed, and recommended that the application be denied.

On motion, the report was received and the recommendation therein contained approved and adopted.

A communication was received from William A. Butler, Jr., attorney for New York City and Northern Railroad Company, asking consent to withdraw the application of that company for permission to erect a shed on the bulkhead westerly of Pier 44, East river, and, being read,

On motion, the request was granted. Commissioner Laimbeer requesting that his vote be recorded in the negative.

The Engineer-in-Chief submitted draft of specifications and contract for rebuilding Pier at foot of Seventy-ninth street, East river; for repairing Homeopathic Hospital Pier at Ward's Island; and for building an extension to the Hospital Pier; and for repairing the Branch Workhouse Pier at Hart's Island, the work being divided into four classes, and estimates to be invited on each class respectively, and, being read,

On motion, it was

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

The following communications were received, read, and,

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

From George V. Hecker & Co.—Application for permission to lay an eight-inch iron water-pipe on Pier 43, East river.

The application of the Maine Steamship Company to erect shed on Pier 38, East river, was

On motion, taken from the table and placed on file, and the following preamble and resolution unanimously adopted:

Whereas, A shed was erected on Pier 38, East river, in 1865, by permission of the proper authority then having control of the water-front of the city, which shed was maintained thereon continuously up to and including the year 1875 and until recently, removed to enable the pier to be repaired; therefore

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to the Maine Steamship Company, lessees of Pier 38, East river, to reconstruct and maintain thereon a shed (to replace the one recently removed by direction of this Department in order to repair the pier), for the protection of property received and discharged thereat by steam transportation, the said shed to be constructed subject to the regulations required by chapter 249, Laws of 1875, and in conformity with the plans approved by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and on file in this office; provided that all the work shall be done under the supervision of that officer, and that the said lessees shall file in this Department, within five days after receipt hereof, a written agreement, that the said shed shall revert to and become the property of the corporation of the City of New York, upon the expiration or sooner termination of the lease of said pier, free of all claims of every kind whatsoever.

The application of the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company, for permission to erect a shed on bulkhead between Piers, new 20 and new 21, North river, was,

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

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company, lessees of the bulkhead between Piers, new 20 and 21, North river, to erect and temporarily maintain, at the pleasure of the Board, said permission however not to extend beyond June 1, 1882, a shed for the protection of property received and discharged thereat by steam transportation; the said shed to be constructed subject to the regulations required by chapter 249, Laws of 1875, and in conformity with the plans submitted to this Department by the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company, marked Plan No. 2, and on file in this office; provided that all the work shall be done under the supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, and that the said lessees shall file in this Department, within five days after the receipt hereof, a written agreement, that the said shed shall revert to and become the property of the Corporation of the City of New York, upon the expiration or sooner termination of this license or permit, free of all claims of every kind whatsoever.

On motion of the President the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and he hereby is directed to prepare and submit to the Board in suitable form, for the reception of estimates and proposals thereon, the necessary plans and specifications for the grading and paving with granite blocks, from a point commencing at or near the foot of Canal street to a point at or near the foot of West Tenth street, the new made ground between the present line of pavement on the westerly side of West street, and the bulkhead facing the North river; also in like manner to prepare and submit plans and specifications for paving the new made ground in front of and adjoining Pier 1, North river.

On motion of Commissioner Vanderpoel the following resolution was unanimously adopted.

Resolved, That the preamble and resolution adopted by this Board on the 17th instant, whereby George S. Hunt, a Messenger in the Department is to be discharged on and after this date, be and hereby is rescinded and annulled, and that he be assigned as Messenger to the Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Commissioner Vanderpoel offered the following resolution:

Resolved, that the compensation of the Secretary of this Board be and hereby is fixed at \$3,000 per annum.

The President having moved to amend by inserting \$2,500 instead of \$3,000,

The amendment was not adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Aye—The President.

Noes—Commissioners Vanderpoel and Laimbeer.

The resolution as offered by Commissioner Vanderpoel was then adopted by the following vote, to wit:

Ayes—Commissioners Vanderpoel and Laimbeer.

No—The President.

On motion the five pay-rolls for the current month, amounting in the aggregate to the sum of \$5,662.12 were approved and audited, and the Secretary directed to forward the said pay-rolls, together with proper requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment.

Captain Wright, the Superintendent of the Union Ferry Company, appeared and was heard relative to repairing the easterly half of Pier 15, East river, and being informed that the Board would require the premises to be placed in good condition, he requested that further consideration of the subject be postponed until the 5th proximo, at 12 o'clock, M., to afford an opportunity to the company to consult as to the terms of the lease made by the city in May last.

On motion, the plans for the front and river elevation of the shed to be erected on Pier, new 54, North river, leased by Funch, Edye & Co., presented by their architect, were referred to the Engineer-in-Chief for examination and report.

On motion of Commissioner Laimbeer, it was

Resolved, That when the meeting adjourns, it shall adjourn to meet on the 1st proximo, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.



METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY  
OF THE  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

## ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS

For the Week Ending January 7, 1882.

## Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
JANUARY.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 1	29.724	29.700	29.588	29.670	29.764	9 A. M.
Monday, 2	29.688	29.742	29.890	29.773	29.908	12 P. M.
Tuesday, 3	29.988	29.950	29.996	29.978	30.062	12 P. M.
Wednesday, 4	30.350	30.402	30.502	30.418	30.502	12 P. M.
Thursday, 5	30.538	30.496	30.438	30.491	30.592	9 A. M.
Friday, 6	30.298	30.096	29.862	30.085	30.396	9 A. M.
Saturday, 7	29.900	29.998	30.088	29.995	30.088	9 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 30.058 inches.  
Maximum " at 9 A. M., January 5..... 30.592 "  
Minimum " at 12 P. M., " 1..... 29.568 "  
Range " ..... 1.024 "

## Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
JANUARY.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 1	25	25	31	28	22	26.0	25.0
Monday, 2	9	9	17	13	13	13.0	13.0
Tuesday, 3	12	12	25	23	27	21.6	20.6
Wednesday, 4	6	6	15	14	12	11.0	10.7
Thursday, 5	10	10	19	18	23	17.3	17.0
Friday, 6	28	28	34	34	40	34.0	34.0
Saturday, 7	35	35	38	37	35	36.3	35.6

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.  
Mean for the week..... 22.7 degrees..... 22.2 degrees  
Maximum for the week, at 9 P. M., 6th..... 40. " at 9 P. M., 6th..... 40. "  
Minimum " at 8 A. M., 4th..... 6. " at 8 A. M., 4th..... 6. "  
Range " ..... 34. " ..... 34. "

## Wind.

DATE. JANUARY.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT					
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.	
Sunday,	1....	W	ESE	N	102	22	82	206	0	0	1	5¾	5.50 P. M.	
Monday,	2....	NW	NW	NW	155	119	89	363	4¾	4¾	¾	6¾	10.40 A. M.	
Tuesday,	3....	WNW	W	W	78	69	90	237	0	1¾	2¾	10¾	9.50 P. M.	
Wednesday,	4....	NW	NNW	N	167	92	48	307	1	¾	0	7¾	1.00 A. M.	
Thursday,	5....	NNE	NE	NE	58	62	59	179	0	¾	¾	2¾	10.00 A. M.	
Friday,	6....	NE	ENE	WSW	70	54	46	170	½	¾	3¾	3¾	9.15 P. M.	
Saturday,	7....	W	WNW	WNW	139	72	36	247	2	¾	0	3¾	4.15 A. M.	

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,709 miles.  
Maximum force " ..... 10 3/4 pounds.

DATE.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.*					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
JANUARY.															
Sunday,	1	.135	.119	.118	100	68	100	2 Cir.	9 Cu.	10	6.30 P. M.	.....	....	.02	1"
Monday,	2	.065	.094	.078	100	100	100	0	1 Cir.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Tuesday,	3	.075	.100	.136	100	74	88	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Wednesday,	4	.057	.071	.075	100	82	100	0	1 Cir. S.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Thursday,	5	.068	.087	.123	100	84	100	9 Cu.	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	..
Friday,	6	.153	.196	.248	100	100	100	10	10	10	9.15 A. M.	2 P. M.	4.45	.05	..
Saturday,	7	.204	.207	.191	100	90	90	10	9 Cu.	4 Cu.	5.40 P. M.	10 P. M.	4.20	.07	..

Total amount of water for the week..... .14 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE—BUREAU OF LICENSES,  
NEW YORK, January 14, 1882.  
Number of Licenses issued and amount received therefor, for the week ending January 13, 1882:

DATE.	LICENSES.	AMOUNT.
January 7, 1882.....	23	\$56 25
" 9, " .....	60	147 00
" 10, " .....	62	147 75
" 11, " .....	39	160 75
" 12, " .....	60	571 25
" 13, " .....	13	71 00
Total .....	257	\$1,154 00

GEO. A. McDERMOTT,  
Mayor's First Marshal.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

Permit Bureau Office.  
No. 13 1/2 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
HENRY WOLTMAN, Register.

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

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

Bureau of 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.  
MARTIN J. KEENE, 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. STOKES, Deputy Comptroller.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.  
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS F. DeVOS, 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 VERDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.  
Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MOORE 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.  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.  
ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

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

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

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.  
WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. (Saturdays to 3 P. M.)

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

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

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

Hospital Stables.  
No. 199 Christie street.  
DEDERICK 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 1d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 11 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN R. VOORHIS, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; 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. 11 1/2, 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.

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

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; CHAS. BEARDSLEY, Deputy County Clerk.



## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.  
O A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN McKEON, District Attorney;  
Chief Clerk.

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

## SUPREME COURT.

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

## SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
General Term, Room No. 29.  
Special Term, Room No. 30.  
Chambers, Room No. 31.  
Part I., Room No. 32.  
Part II., Room No. 33.  
Part III., Room No. 34.  
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 35.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 36.  
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 37.  
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Justice; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.  
General Term, Room No. 23.  
Special Term, Room No. 24.  
Chambers, Room No. 25.  
Part I., Room No. 26.  
Part II., Room No. 27.  
Part III., Room No. 28.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 29.  
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

## MARINE COURT.

General Term, Room 15, City Hall.  
Trial Room, Parts I., II., and III., second floor, City Hall.  
Special Term, Chambers, Room 21, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, Room 10, City Hall.  
GEORGE SHEA, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Clerk.

## OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

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

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

## DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.  
Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards Nos. 112 and 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.  
Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards Sixth avenue, corner West Tenth street.  
GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.  
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Nos. 20 and 22 Second avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.  
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.  
JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.  
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.  
WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.  
Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.  
AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.  
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue.  
FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.  
Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.  
HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.  
Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of College avenue and Kingsbridge Road.  
JAMES R. ANGEL, Justice.

## POLICE COURTS.

Judges—BUTLER H. BIXBY, MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBRETH, BANKSON T. MORGAN, HENRY MURRAY, MARCUS OTTERBOURG, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, and HUGH GARDINER.  
GEORGE W. CREIGER, Secretary.  
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.  
First District—Tombs, Centre street.  
Second District—Jefferson Market.  
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.  
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.  
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.  
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

## JURORS.

## NOTICE

## IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 14, 1882.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with Four (4) Steam Fire Engines, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.  
Any person making an estimate for the work shall present 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 engines are to be what is known as first-size double-pump and cylinder steam fire-engines.  
The boilers to be vertical, 35 inches diameter, and 63 inches high, to be made of best steel boiler plate, having copper smoke-flues, and hanging tubes of lap-welded iron, each hanging tube having circulating strips. To be of sufficient strength to bear twice the pressure ever required in doing fire duty, and to have ample steaming capacity to keep up a full head of steam while doing the heaviest work. To be covered with Russia iron, properly banded with brass bands, nickel-plated. To have one safety valve made of composition.

The boilers to be in all respects as to form and construction exactly similar to that now on Engine No. 33 of this Department, being M. R. Clapp's Circulating Tubular Boiler, patent of 1878.

The boiler to be surmounted with a dome of brass.  
The main pumps to be double-acting, made entirely of composition, with cylinders each 3 1/2 inches diameter, and having a stroke of 7 inches, to have 3 discharge gates and an automatic relief valve.

The steam cylinders to be 8 inches diameter, each having a stroke of 7 inches, and to be fitted to a bed plate containing the steam passages.

The steam cylinders, steam chest, and bed plate to be cased in brass, nickel-plated.

The air chambers to be made of copper, nickel-plated.

There is to be a fresh-water tank to connect with feed pumps, also suitable fresh water connection.

The wheels to be the Archibald Pattern, made of selected timber, prepared in the best manner, painted with best English vermilion and striped with gold leaf.

The tires to be 3 inches wide, 3/4 inch thick.

The coal bunker to be of strong iron, and to be painted same as wheels.

The axles, frames, braces, etc., to be made of Bessemer steel.

The boilers to be hung on half elliptical springs, similar in every respect to the crane-neck engines now in use in this Department.

The brake to be arranged to bear upon the rear wheels, and so constructed as to be controlled by the driver.

The suction hose to be smooth bore, in two lengths, and each length to have suitable couplings, the thread to be the same as on suction and hydrants in use by this Department.

The hydrant connection to have two female couplings, one 4 1/2 inches diameter, and one 2 1/2 inches diameter, and to have same thread as suction on large coupling, and regulation thread on the 2 1/2 inch.

The drawing rig to be such that the engines may be drawn by horses.

There is to be a driver's seat upon the forward part of the engines, fitted with cushions, two lanterns, and whip-sockets.

The engines to be fitted up with pole and whiffletrees for horses.

All stuffing boxes to be so constructed as to take up while engine is running.

Each engine to be supplied with—  
One nickel-plated steam-gauge.  
One glass water-gauge, same as in use in this Department.

Four gauge-cocks tapped in boiler.

One surface blow-cock and attachment for thaw-hose.

Two heater connection pipes.

One nickel-plated signal whistle.

One variable exhaust nozzle and steam jet.

Two number plates on water tank.

One suction basket.

Two brass hose pipes, to have regulation thread.

Five nozzles.

One length thaw hose, 18 feet, and nozzle.

One fresh water connection of composition metal.

The safety and throttle valves, feed pumps, eccentric straps, connecting rod bearings, and pipe holders to be of composition.

All parts of the apparatus to be painted with English vermilion and striped with gold leaf, except air chamber, steam cylinders, dome, and working parts.

The engines to be what is known as "crane neck," and to be fully supplied with all necessary tools.

The engines are to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department within 180 days after the execution of the contract, in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and to replace, at the expense of the contractor, such parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is

properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship. Said engines shall have a full and complete trial of their working powers at New York, under the superintendence of a competent engineer.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

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-five (\$25) dollars per day.

The Fire Department 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate; 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 before the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

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

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate, in addition to inserting the same in figures.  
The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 14, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles, to wit:

250,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Good Sweet Timothy.  
55,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.  
2,000 bags clean White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.  
1,300 bags Fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Any person making an estimate for the articles shall present 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 articles to which it relates.

Proposals must include all of the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and feed.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

The Fire Department 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate; 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 before the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

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

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

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

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 14, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles, to wit:

1,800 tons Egg Coal.  
1,200 tons Stove Coal.  
500 tons Furnace Coal.

—to be of the best quality of Pittston, Scranton, or Lackawanna Valley, weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Any person making an estimate for the articles shall present 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 articles to which it relates.

Proposals may be made for one or more of the items, specifying the price per ton.

All of the coal is to be delivered and weighed upon scales furnished by the Department (which are to be transported from place to place by the contractor), in the presence of an Inspector to be designated by the Department for that purpose, at the various houses, etc., of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed.

The Fire Department 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate; 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 before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.



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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, neglect or refuse to accept to 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.

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

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 14, 1882.

#### SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with  
FOUR 4-WHEEL HOSE TENDERS  
—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, 28th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

Any person making an estimate for the articles shall present 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 articles to which it relates.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

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-five (\$25) dollars per day.

The Fire Department 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate; 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 before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

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

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

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

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

JOHN J. GORMAN,  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 23, 1881.

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

By order of  
JOHN J. GORMAN, President.  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET (Room No. 39),  
NEW YORK, January 16, 1882.

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: Boats, rope, iron, butter, clothing (male and female), revolvers, watches, jewelry, cotton, tobacco, case brushes and mirrors, wool, horse blankets, and coffee, also several amounts of money found and taken from prisoners by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

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

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A SIDE-wheel Steamboat will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York until 10 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, the 31st day of January, 1882.

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

The nature and extent of the work to be done, as near as it can be stated, is as follows: The building of a Side-wheel Steamboat—length over all, 155 feet; breadth moulded, 27 feet 6 inches; depth of hold, 9 feet.

For further particulars reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the Steamboat complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings, and form of agreement.

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

The entire work is to be completed within five months from the date of the contract. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security, in the manner prescribed by law, for the performance of the contract, in the sum of sixty thousand dollars.

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

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

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.

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

No estimate for a sum in excess of sixty thousand dollars can be considered.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

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

NEW YORK, January 13, 1882.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 4, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A horse, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kerney, Auctioneers, No. 110 East Thirteenth street, on Tuesday, January 17, 1882, at ten o'clock A. M.

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,  
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE (Room No. 39),  
NEW YORK, December 17, 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: Boats, rope, iron, butter, clothing (male and female), revolvers, watches, jewelry, cotton, tobacco, case brushes and mirrors, wool, horse blankets, and coffee, also several amounts of money found and taken from prisoners by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

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

#### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to that certain street or avenue, called Riverdale avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, from Broadway to Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 27th day of January, 1882, at the opening of the court on 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 extent and nature of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, to all the land and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Riverdale avenue, from Broadway to Bailey avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point (the intersection of the southern line of Riverdale avenue with the eastern line of Broadway) distant 850 70-100 feet east from the eastern line of Tenth avenue, measured on a line at right angles to the same from a point 19,482 3-100 feet northerly from the southeastern corner of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Tenth avenue.

1. Thence northerly along a line whose direction is  $0^{\circ} 49' 4''$  northwest of that of the eastern line of Tenth avenue for 60 62-1000 feet.

2. Thence, deflecting  $87^{\circ} 23' 26''$  to the right, southeasterly for 637 645-1000 feet.

3. Thence, deflecting  $96^{\circ} 15' 32''$  to the right, southeasterly for 36 36-100 feet.

4. Thence, deflecting  $83^{\circ} 41' 28''$  to the right, northerly for 633 799-1000 feet to the point of beginning.

Said piece or parcel of land is shown on a map or maps dated January 7, 1878, and filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the Department of Public Parks, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York.

Dated New York, December 28, 1881.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation.  
Tryon Row.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Sixty-fourth street, from Tenth avenue to the East River, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York hereby give notice that the Counsel to the Corporation will apply to the Supreme Court, at the Special Term thereof at Chambers, held in and for the First Judicial District, on Tuesday, the seventeenth day of January, 1882, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of a Commissioner of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled proceeding, in the place and stead of Abraham Lent, who has refused and declined to act.

Dated New York, December 10th, 1881.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of Edward Cooper, Mayor of the City of New York; John Kelly, Comptroller of said city; John J. Morris, John W. Jacobus, and Bernard Goodwin, Aldermen of said city, in the Aldermanic District consisting of the Eighth, Ninth, Fifteenth, and Sixteenth Wards of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, under and pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to provide for the Establishment and Maintenance of a Public Market Place for Farmers and Market Gardeners in the City of New York, for the acquisition of Lands for this purpose, and for the Regulation and Management of the same," passed May 7, 1880, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment for the purposes prescribed in said act.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, to present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to B. P. Fairchild, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 261 Broadway, Room 23, in the city, on or before the 28th day of January, 1882, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties objecting within ten week days next after the said 28th day of January, 1882, and for that purpose will be at attendance at our office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimate and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain till the 31st day of January, 1882.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, included within the following boundaries, viz.: Commencing at the junction of the easterly side of Eleventh avenue and the southerly side of West Sixteenth street; thence easterly along the southerly side of West Sixteenth street to the westerly side of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Eighth avenue to the northerly side of West Twelfth street (formerly Troy street); thence westerly along the northerly side of West Twelfth street to the westerly side of Hudson street; thence southerly along the westerly side of Hudson street

to the northerly side of West Eleventh street; thence westerly along the northerly side of West Eleventh street to the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue to the easterly side of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Eleventh avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Excepting from all the lands and premises above described so much thereof as is included within the areas of streets and avenues now opened and proposed to be opened by this proceeding. And also excepting from said land and premises all those certain lots, pieces and parcels of land belonging to the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, and situate on the easterly side of Thirteenth avenue, and between the northerly side of Bloomfield street and the southerly side of Twelfth street, commonly known as Little Twelfth street.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 10th day of February, 1882, at the opening of court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 19, 1881.  
B. P. FAIRCHILD,  
WILLIAM H. WICKHAM,  
N. NAUGHTON,  
Commissioners.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, January 13, 1882.

#### PROPOSALS FOR 920 TONS WHITE-ASH COAL.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 30 o'clock A. M., Thursday, January 26, 1882, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering 920 tons of White Ash Coal, of the best quality, to be well screened and in good order. Each ton to consist of 2,240 pounds. None other will be accepted. All of said coal to be delivered as required, in about the following sizes and quantities, free of all expense, at the following places:

At Tombs, Centre Street, First District Prison—325 tons Egg size.

At Jefferson Market, Second District Prison—275 tons Egg size.

At Essex Street, Third District Prison—80 tons Egg size.

At 57th Street, Fourth District Prison—60 tons Egg size.

At 126th Street, Fifth District Prison—40 tons Egg size.

At No. 66 Third Avenue—80 tons Egg size.

At 99th Street Reception Hospital—50 tons Egg size.

Proposals to state the particular description of coal to be delivered as known in the market, from what mine produced, and all particulars, to enable the Board to arrive at a proper decision.

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that, if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

JACOB HESS,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
HENRY H. PORTER,  
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, January 13, 1882.

#### PROPOSALS FOR 24,200 TONS WHITE-ASH COAL.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9 30 o'clock A. M., Thursday, January 26, 1882, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering 24,200 tons of White Ash Coal, of the best quality, and in good order. Each ton to consist of 2,240 pounds. None other will be accepted. All of said coal to be delivered as required, in about the following sizes and quantities:

At Tombs, Centre Street, First District Prison—325 tons Egg size.

At Jefferson Market, Second District Prison—275 tons Egg size.

At Essex Street, Third District Prison—80 tons Egg size.

At 57th Street, Fourth District Prison—60 tons Egg size.

At 126th Street, Fifth District Prison—40 tons Egg size.

At No. 66 Third Avenue—80 tons Egg size.

At 99th Street Reception Hospital—50 tons Egg size.



ties, free of all expense, without allowance for demurrage, at the following places:

Blackwell's Island—  
6,500 tons Grate size.  
3,000 tons Egg size.  
300 tons Stove size.  
Ward's Island—  
5,500 tons Grate size.  
Randall's Island—  
1,000 tons Grate size.  
1,000 tons Egg size.  
400 tons Stove size.  
Hart's Island—  
1,500 tons Egg size.  
Bellevue Hospital—  
2,800 tons Grate size.  
200 tons Stove size.  
At Steamboat Dock, foot East Twenty-sixth street, for use of Steamboats, in cargoes of about 200 tons per month—  
2,000 tons Grate size.

Proposals to state the particular description of coal to be delivered as known in the market, from what mine produced, and all particulars, to enable the Board to arrive at a proper decision.

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that, if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in the estimated amount of fifty per cent. for its faithful performance, which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all proposals if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept an offer for the whole bid, or for any single article included in the proposal, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

JACOB HESS,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
HENRY H. PORTER,  
Commissioners of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, FEED, CROCKERY, HARDWARE, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, FEED, ETC.  
50,000 pounds Brown Sugar.  
50,000 " Hard Soap.  
10,000 " Rice.  
10,000 " Beans.  
6,000 " Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition January 19, 1882.  
5,000 pounds Cheese.  
5,000 " Dried Apples.  
2,500 " Coffee Sugar.  
2,500 " Castile Soap.  
1,000 " Cocoa.  
500 bushels Beans.  
200 " Peas.  
300 quintals best quality Grand Bank Codfish, to be delivered in boxes of 4 quintals each.  
200 sacks good quality Liverpool Salt, sacks to be full and clean, and to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.  
100 barrels Crackers.  
50 " Syrup.  
100 Hams, prime city cured, to average not over 14 pounds each.  
100 Tongues, prime city cured.  
50 pieces Bacon, prime city cured.  
25,000 Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.  
50 gross Matches.  
50 dozen Canned Tomatoes, 3 lb.  
25 " " Peas, 2 lb.  
20 " " Plums, 2 lb.  
20 " " Peaches, 3 lb.  
20 " " Lima Beans, 3 lb.  
10 " " Salmon, 2 lb.  
12 " Extract Lemon.  
12 " " Vanilla.  
1 case (100 halves) Sardines in Oil.  
1,000 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.  
500 bales prime quality Timothy Hay.  
500 " long bright Rye Stray.

CROCKERY.  
5 gross Mugs.  
5 " Bowls.  
5 " Cups.  
5 " Saucers.  
5 " Dinner Plates.  
2 " Chambers.  
2 " Tumblers.  
2 " Spitoons.  
1 " Bed Pans.  
1 " Soup Plates.  
1 " Spit Cups.

PAINTS.  
112 pounds Ult. Marine Blue.  
250 " Chrome Green.  
50 " Yellow Ochre.  
50 " Drop Black.  
50 " Raw Sienna.

HARDWARE, ETC.  
10 kegs 6d Cut Nails.  
20 " 8d " "  
10 " rod " "  
25 dozen Shoe Brushes.  
10 " Dust Brushes.  
100 pounds Sill Twine.

LIME.  
50 barrels W. W. Lime.  
25 " Common Lime.  
10 " Plaster Paris.

—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 20th day of January, 1882. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed en-

velope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Feed, Crockery, Hardware, etc.," 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 time 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; and 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 his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the 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 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 his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be 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 prices for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time as the Commissioners may determine. Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

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

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

Dated New York, January 7, 1882.  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
JACOB HESS,  
HENRY H. PORTER,  
Commissioners of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction.

### DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 9, 1882.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE books of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York for the year 1882, will be opened for inspection and revision, on and after Monday, January 9, 1882, and will remain open until the 30th day of April, 1882, inclusive, for the correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners during the period above mentioned, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

By order of the Board.  
ALBERT STORER,  
Secretary.

### THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, January 17, 1882, at 4 o'clock P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN,  
Secretary.

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 201 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 27, 1881.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the 27th day of December, 1881, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That, under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional ordinance of the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health, be and the same is hereby adopted, and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

§ 206. That no privy vault or cess-pool shall be allowed within thirty feet of any tenement or lodging house, hotel or manufactory in the City of New York, of a greater depth than two feet; nor unless it be connected at the upper end with the Croton-water and at the lower end with the street sewer, and provided with an outlet at the lowest point and on the bottom, so as to admit of the complete discharge of the contents whenever the outlet is opened and the vault or sink is flushed with water. The sides and bottom of every privy vault, cess-pool, or school sink in the City of New York must be impermeable and secured against any saturation of the walls or the ground about the same.

CHARLES F. CHANDLER,  
President.

[L. S.]  
ENMONS CLARK, Secretary.

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

#### INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

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

The transfer-books will be closed from January 18 to February 1, 1882.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, January 12, 1882.

#### 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 Sheriffs' sales, in 6 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00  
The same, in 25 volumes, half bound, " 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 on which said assessment-rolls and warrants shall have been delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes to the date of payment.

The same rate of interest shall be so charged and 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 from 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 "The Bureau for the Collection 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 of 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 Tuesday, January 17, 1882, 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 Morningside avenues, notices must be filed within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

The notice must specify the particular assessment 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.