

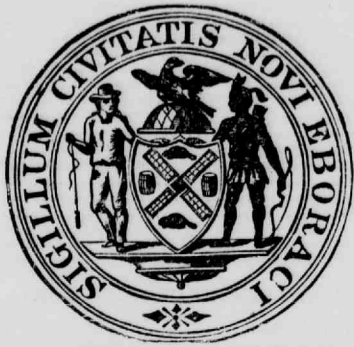
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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

SPECIAL SESSION.

WEDNESDAY, November 10, 1880, 12 o'clock, M.

The Board met in their chamber, No. 16 City Hall, pursuant to the following call:

NEW YORK, November 9, 1880.

F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council:

SIR—You are hereby directed to notify the members of the Board of Aldermen to meet in Special Session, in the chamber of the Board of Aldermen, in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 10th inst., at 12 o'clock, M., for the purpose of receiving the Provisional Estimate for the year 1881, from the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as required by section 112, chapter 335, Laws of 1873.

JOHN J. MORRIS,
PATRICK KEENAN,
JOSEPH P. STRACK,
HENRY C. PERLEY,
J. J. SLEVIN,
HENRY HAFEN,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
W. P. KIRK,
WM. WADE,
FREDERICK FINCK,
FREDERICK HELBIG,
CHARLES H. MARSHALL,
WM. SAUER,
J. MURPHY,
BERNARD GOODWIN,
THOMAS SHEILS,
ROBERT FOSTER,
J. W. JACOBUS.

PRESENT:

Hon. John J. Morris, President;

ALDERMEN

Matthew J. Coggey,
Frederick Finck,
Frederick Helbig,
John W. Jacobus,
Patrick Keenan,

William P. Kirk,
Charles H. Marshall,
John McClave,
Jeremiah Murphy,
Henry C. Perley,

William Sauer,
Thomas Sheils,
James J. Slevin,
Joseph P. Strack,
William Wade.

RESOLUTIONS.

By the President—

Resolved, That this Board will meet in Special Session as provided in section 112, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, for the consideration of the Provisional Estimate for the year 1881, on Monday, the 22d inst., at 12 o'clock, M., in this chamber.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

(G. O. 346.)

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 9, 1880.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I transmit herewith the Provisional Estimate of the amount required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each Department and branch thereof, for the next ensuing financial year, together with a statement of the reasons in detail for the same, as adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

EDWARD COOPER,

Mayor, and Chairman Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, as provided by section 112 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, and the amendments thereto, do, by the affirmative votes of all the members, hereby make the following Provisional Estimate of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit, for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881), in which estimate is included such sum as is necessary for the payment of the interest on the bonds of the city and county, which become due and payable within said year, and also such sum as is necessary to pay the principal of any bonds and stocks which become due and payable from taxes during the said year, and also so much as may be necessary to pay the proportion of the State Tax required to be paid by the City and County of New York in said year, to wit:

PROVISIONAL ESTIMATE FOR 1881.

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

City Contingencies.....	\$1,000 00
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	250 00
Salaries—Common Council:	
President of the Board of Aldermen.....	\$3,000 00
Twenty-one Aldermen, at \$2,000 each.....	42,000 00
Clerks and officers Board of Aldermen.....	18,000 00
	63,000 00
	\$64,250 00

THE MAYORALTY.

Contingencies—Mayor's office.....	\$4,000 00
Salaries—Mayor's office:	
Salary of the Mayor.....	\$10,000 00
Salaries of Clerks and subordinates.....	16,000 00
	26,000 00
Salaries—Bureau of Permits.....	10,000 00
	40,000 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE.

Expenses of Conducting the Department.

Cleaning markets.....	\$31,000 00
Contingencies—Comptroller's office.....	7,500 00

Salaries—Department of Finance:

Salary of the Comptroller.....	\$10,000 00
Salaries of the employees of the Department.....	150,000 00
Salaries of 25 Temporary Clerks in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, in months of October, November, and December, at \$2.70 per day each.....	5,940 00
	172,000 00
Salaries—Chamberlain's office.....	30,000 00
	240,500 00

Expenses of Conducting the City Government.

FOR THE STATE.

State Taxes:

For General Purposes, 1 475-1,000 mills, as per chapter 515, Laws of 1880.....	\$1,798,540 20
For Canals, 34-100 mills, as per chapter 248, Laws of 1880.....	414,378 76
For New Capitol, 6-10 mill as per chapter 515, Laws of 1880.....	731,609 57
For salary of Shore Inspector, as per chapter 604, Laws of 1875, and chapter 463, Laws of 1880.....	3,037 50
	\$2,947,566 03

Common Schools for the State:

For Common Schools, 1 85-1,000 mills, as per chapter 515, Laws of 1880.....	1,322,993 97
	4,270,760 00

INTEREST ON THE DEBT OF THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Interest on the City Debt (including interest on debt of the annexed territory of Westchester County). 8,265,965 45

REDEMPTION OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE CITY DEBT.

For redemption of the Debt of the annexed territory of Westchester County:

Town of West Farms.....	\$18,000 00
Town of Morrisania.....	20,000 00
County of Westchester, for proportion of Bounty Loan, incurred on account of annexed towns.....	14,395 69
	\$52,395 69
For redemption of Consolidated Stock (N.) of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 322, Laws of 1871, and chapter 558, Laws of 1880, payable November 1, 1881.....	25,000 00
For redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued and to be issued in pursuance of chapter 587, Laws of 1880, payable December 1, 1881.....	29,670 21
For redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued and to be issued in pursuance of chapter 550, Laws of 1880, payable December 1, 1881.....	25,000 00
For redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued and to be issued in pursuance of chapter 594, Laws of 1880, payable December 1, 1881.....	15,000 00
For redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 213, Laws of 1871, payable November 1, 1881.....	20,000 00
For redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 556, Laws of 1880, payable November 1, 1881, payable December 1, 1881.....	186,198 52
For redemption of Revenue Bonds of the City of New York, issued in pursuance of chapter 117, Laws of 1880, payable December 1, 1881.....	25,467 72
For amount to be raised by tax annually, sufficient, with the accumulations of interest thereon, to pay the bonds and stocks, payable from taxation, issued after June 3, 1878, pursuant to section 8, chapter 383, Laws of 1878.....	116,264 61
For redemption of Fund or Stock, authorized to be issued by section 8 of chapter 565, Laws of 1880 (for improvement of Morningside Park).....	75,000 00
	569,996 75

Armories and Drill-rooms:

For wages of Armorer, in pursuance of section 39, chapter 223, Laws of 1875. Fourteen Armorer at \$3.00 per day each.....	15,330 00
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Armories and Drill-rooms, Rent of:

For rent of the following premises for Armories and Drill-rooms, under leases made in conformity with section 120, chapter 223, Laws of 1875, viz:

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENT.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR IN 1880.
1875. May 10	Valentine G. Hall, sole surviving executor of John Tonnele.....	22d Regiment....	14th street, between 6th and 7th avenues.....	May 1 1881.	\$15,000 00	\$7,500 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			7,500 00
1876. May 18	Cassius H. Read.....	5th Regiment....	Halls and premises on 2d story of buildings Nos. 139, 141 and 143 W. 23d street, etc.	May 1 1881.	7,500 00	3,750 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			3,750 00
1877. Jan. 6	Chas. W. Dickel....	First Troop Cavalry.....	Nos. 7, 9, and 11 W. 13th street.....	Jan. 1 1882.	5,500 00	5,500 00
1877. Dec. 29	R. T. Ford.....	Washington Gray Troop.....	2d story of building, south side of 45th street, near Broadway.....	May 1 1881.	2,000 00	1,000 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			1,000 00
1877. Dec. 29	R. T. Ford.....	12th Regiment....	2d story of building, east side of Broadway, between 44th and 45th streets.....	May 1 1881.	7,000 00	3,750 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			3,750 00
1878. Jan. 4	Marietta R. Stevens, ex'x, and John L. Melcher and Chas. G. Stevens, ex'rs of the estate of Paran Stevens.....	9th Regiment....	26th street, between 6th and 7th avenues.....	May 1 1881.	8,000 00	4,000 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			4,000 00
1878. April 9	Cassius H. Read....	Battery K.....	1st floor, etc., of building Nos. 139, 141, and 143 W. 23d street.....	May 1 1881.	3,000 00	1,500 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			1,500 00
1879. Oct. 11	Wm. D. Manice and The Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., as guardians of the estates of Heaton, Catherine M., Edward A., and Arthur R. Manice.	71st Regiment....	2d story of building bounded by Broadway, 6th avenue, 35th and 36th streets.....	May 1 1881.	8,000 00	4,000 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			4,000 00
1880. Jan. 9	Charles Johnson and George Shepherd..	8th Regiment....	Southwest corner 9th avenue and 27th street.....	Jan. 1 1882.	5,000 00	5,000 00
						61,500 00

Rents:

For payment of rent of property leased to the Corporation for public offices and other purposes, except armories and drill-rooms and police station-houses, as follows:

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENT.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR IN 1881.
1880. May 4	Jane M. Cudlipp....	Reception Hospital.....	99th street, between 9th and 10th aves..	May 1, 1885.	1,500 00	1,500 00
1876. Nov. 26	Charles Johnson....	8th District Civil Court.....	S. W. corner 7th avenue and 22d street.	Jan. 1, 1882.	3,000 00	3,000 00
1878. May 1	Catherine Bradley....	6th District Civil Court.....	S. W. corner 4th avenue and 18th street.	May 1, 1883.	1,200 00	1,200 00
1878. Dec. 31	Abby B., Eleanor E., Wm. T., and Dan'l C. Blodgett, and Theodore Weston	9th District Civil and 5th District Police Courts.....	125th and 126th sts., and Lexington and 4th avenues.....	Jan. 1, 1884.	8,000 00	8,000 00
1880. April 30	Mary E. Brennan....	2d District Civil Court.....	No. 514 Pearl street	May 1, 1885.	2,500 00	2,500 00
1876. April 29	Oswald Ottendorfer	Counsel to the Corporation...	Staats Zeitung Building, 3d floor.....	May 1, 1881.	7,500 00	3,750 00
1871. Feb. 10	Benjamin Moore....	Formerly used as stables by Police Department.....	South side of West 24th street, between 10th and 11th aves.	May 1, 1892.	500 00	500 00
1876. April 10	Jane de Zea.....	Coroners' office & Excise office	No. 40 East Houston street.....	May 1, 1881.	3,000 00	
			Less one-half, payable from Excise licenses.....		1,500 00	
			If renewed, estimat'd		\$1,500 00	750 00
1880. July 1	George Peabody Wetmore.....	Department of Public Works	No. 31 Chambers st.	May 1, 1885.	12,500 00	12,500 00
1880. Oct. 2	David L. Einstein and Edwin Einstein	4th District Civil Court.....	N. E. corner of 2d ave. and 1st street.	May 1, 1881.	2,500 00	1,250 00
			If renewed, estimat'd			1,250 00
	Reuben Smith.....	Department of Buildings	No. 2 Fourth avenue.	May 1, 1881.	3,250 00	1,625 00
	John B. Haskin....	6th District Police and 10th District Civil Courts.....	N. E. corner Kingsbridge road and College avenue, 24th Ward.....	May 1, 1881.	1,500 00	750 00
			If renewed, estimat'd			750 00

Real Estate, Expenses of.....	25,000 00
Judgments:	
For payment of judgments against the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, not otherwise provided for.....	350,000 00
Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Expenses of.....	5,000 00
Seventh Regiment New Armory Fund, Trustees of—	
For amount as equivalent and in lieu of rental for an armory for said regiment, under chapter 57, Laws of 1879.....	15,000 00
Claim payable under Special Act of the Legislature—	
For claim of Sillocks and Cooley and Thomas Kirkpatrick, under chapter 484, Laws of 1879, subject to investigation and adjustment by the Comptroller.....	8,700 00
Arrears for Advertising—	
Bills have been presented to the Finance Department by various newspaper proprietors for advertising election notices and the official canvass for the year 1879. There have also been presented newspaper bills for advertising in the years 1878 and 1879, for the payment of which there is no provision. To pay these bills for advertising, as provided by law, it will be necessary for the Board of Estimate and Apportionment to make an appropriation. The amount to be provided, including the arrearages of the year 1880, is estimated at.....	15,000 00

THE LAW DEPARTMENT.

Contingencies—Law Department.....	\$37,500 00
Contingencies—Corporation Attorney's Office.....	500 00
Contingencies—Public Administrator's Office.....	1,000 00
Salaries—Law Department:	
(Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.)	
Salary of the Counsel to the Corporation.....	\$12,000 00
Salaries of Assistants, Clerks, and Messengers.....	58,500 00
	70,500 00
(Bureau of Corporation Attorney.)	
Salary of the Corporation Attorney.....	\$5,400 00
Salaries of Clerks and Assistants.....	4,968 00
Salary of the Janitor.....	810 00
	11,178 00
(Bureau of Public Administrator.)	
Salary of Public Administrator.....	\$4,500 00
Salaries of Clerks and Assistants.....	2,700 00
	7,200 00
(Bureau of the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.)	
Salary of the Attorney.....	\$4,500 00
Salary of the Clerk.....	1,350 00
	5,850 00
For procuring and presenting evidence relative to frauds on the City and County of New York prior to January 1, 1872.....	10,000 00

143,728 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance, and Strengthening.....	\$221,000 00
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	66,200 00
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	2,500 00
Flagging Sidewalks and Fencing Vacant Lots in front of City Property.....	1,500 00
Free Floating Baths.....	18,000 00
Lamps and Gas.....	495,000 00
Laying Croton Pipes (Chap. 381, Laws of 1879).....	235,000 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs (including Repairs to Armories).....	61,100 00
Public Drinking-hydrants.....	6,000 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	4,200 00
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	99,000 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	156,000 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues (under chapter 476, Laws of 1875).....	491,000 00
Roads, Streets, and Avenues Unpaved, Maintenance of, and Sprinkling.....	24,100 00

Salaries—Department of Public Works:

To pay entirely the salaries of all officers, Engineers, Superintendents, Inspectors, Clerks, and other salaried employees of the Department, except day Laborers receiving less than \$2 00 per day—

For General Salary Roll of the Department..... \$83,800 00

For Salaries charged to—

Aqueduct, Repairs, and Maintenance and Strengthening ..	49,000 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	8,800 00
Free Floating Baths.....	14,000 00
Lamps and Gas.....	5,400 00
Laying Croton Pipes (Chap. 381, Laws of 1879).....	15,000 00
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1,900 00
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	1,800 00
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, and Water Inspection.....	41,000 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	44,000 00
Repaving Streets and Avenues (under chap. 476, Laws of 1875).....	9,000 00
Roads, Streets and Avenues, Unpaved, Maintenance of, and Sprinkling.....	900 00
Sewers, Repairing and Cleaning.....	33,500 00
Sewerage System.....	13,000 00
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting, and Numbering Streets.....	250 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	30,000 00
Supplying Water to Shipping and for Building Purposes.....	8,000 00
Water Supply for the Twenty-fourth Ward.....	750 00
	360,100 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	91,500 00
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting, and Numbering Streets.....	1,000 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices (including the purchase of Law Books and the pay of Cleaners).....	63,500 00
Wells and Pumps—Repairing and Cleaning.....	500 00
Water Supply for the Twenty-fourth Ward.....	12,250 00

2,409,450 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places:

Salaries—To pay entirely the salaries of the President, Clerks, Engineers, Architects, and all employees of the Department, excepting Mechanics, Gardeners, Laborers, and their Foremen, employed in the work of maintaining the Parks and Places; also excepting the Topographical Engineer and his Assistants in charge of surveying, monumenting, etc., Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and also excepting the Superintendent and Engineer in charge of Public Places, Roads, Avenues, and Bridges, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards (sections 83 and 112, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, and the reduction of 10 per cent., as provided for by chapter 521, Laws of 1880):

President.....	\$6,500 00
Clerks, etc.....	25,650 00
	\$32,150 00
Police—Salaries of Captain, Surgeon, Sergeants, Patrolmen, Gate Keepers, Special Patrolmen, and Police Tailors.....	\$82,231 20
For Purchase of Uniforms and Supplies.....	10,000 00
	92,231 20
Labor, Maintenance, and Supplies—For all supplies and for wages of Laborers receiving less than \$2.00 per day, employed on works of maintenance, excepting those employed in the Zoological Department, and including the maintenance of the Meteorological Observatory.....	235,929 00
For salaries and compensation of employees receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	64,071 00
	300,000 00
Zoological Department—For the keeping, preservation, and exhibition of the collection in the Zoological Department of the Central Park, including repairs of buildings used for that purpose.....	18,000 00
Maintenance of Museums—For the keeping, preservation, and exhibition of the collection in the American Museum of Natural History and the Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	30,000 00
Music—Central Park.....	\$4,000 00
Music—Battery Park.....	2,000 00
	6,000 00
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements, and Maintenance, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	\$20,000 00
For salaries and compensation of employees receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	5,000 00
	25,000 00
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:	
Maintenance and Government of Public Places, Streets, Roads, and Avenues, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	\$42,500 00
For salaries and compensation of employees receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	7,500 00
	50,000 00
Broadway, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Improvement and Maintenance of, from Spuyten Duyvil creek to the northerly line of the city, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	15,000 00
Sedgwick Avenue, Improvement and Maintenance of, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	20,000 00
Bronx River Bridges—For Rebuilding Six Bridges, and Repairs and Maintenance of all the Bridges over the Bronx river, within city limits, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	25,000 00
Surveying, Laying-out, and Monumenting Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, including north end of Island, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	\$17,000 00
For salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	8,000 00
	25,000 00
Manhattan Square, Improvement of, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards, and including salary of one foreman not to exceed \$700 per annum.....	50,000 00
Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—For making and completing maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, for the use of the Department of Taxes and Assessments (as provided by chapter 411, Laws of 1876)—	
For books, expenses, etc.....	\$2,000 00
For salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	8,000 00
	10,000 00
Walks, City Parks—For laying new and repairing old walks in the city parks and places, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	50,000 00
Walks, Central Park—For laying new walks and repairing the old walks in Central Park, including resetting curb and laying new walk on the broad walk, north side of Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	100,000 00
Riverside Park, Improvement of, including the avenue, grading, filling-in, draining, maintenance and repairs, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	\$42,000 00
For salaries and compensation of employees receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	8,000 00
	50,000 00
Sewers and Drains—For cleaning and repairing sewers and drains in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	5,000 00
Surveys and Maps—For making surveys and maps for the opening of streets and avenues for the use of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards	10,000 00
Preliminary Surveys and Plans—For making preliminary surveys and plans of projected sewers and drains in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, not being chargeable to assessments, including rent of offices for the use of engineers in charge of the work, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2.00 per day and upwards.....	5,000 00
Maps for Drains:	
For making maps for acquiring right of way for building drains in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, excluding salaries and compensation of all persons receiving \$2 per day and upwards.....	1,000 00

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THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Public Charities and Correction:

For Salaries—To pay the salaries of the officers and employees of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	\$285,416 00
For contingent expenses of the Department.....	5,000 00
For Supplies—For all supplies for the Department of Public Charities and Correction, and for maintenance of children transferred from Randall's Island Nursery to various institutions.....	875,000 00
For repairs and alterations to buildings and apparatus.....	35,000 00
For poor adult blind.....	20,000 00
For support of Out-door Poor.....	45,000 00
For construction of new buildings, etc.:	
East wing to Insane Asylum, Ward's Island.....	100,000 00
Fire engine-house on Blackwell's Island.....	15,000 00
Laundry building on Hart's Island.....	15,000 00
Water-closet tower at Bellevue Hospital.....	14,000 00
Boiler for laundry at Charity Hospital.....	3,000 00
Two boilers and steamfittings at City Prison (Tombs).....	30,000 00
Additional amount for "Retreat" on Blackwell's Island.....	30,000 00
Additional amount for pavilion on Randall's Island.....	14,000 00

Additional amount for two pavilions at Almshouse, Blackwell's Island.....	18,000 00	
Additional amount for engine-house and laundry at Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island.....	5,000 00	
Additional amount for pavilion on Hart's Island.....	8,000 00	
	252,000 00	1,517,416 00

THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Fund:		
For Salaries.....	\$114,363 32	
For law expenses, including Marshals' fees.....	3,500 00	
For disinfection.....	13,500 00	
For contingent expenses, including expense of transportation of cases of contagious diseases, also including preparing maps of lands to be drained by other means than sewers, as provided by chapter 360, Laws of 1880.....	6,250 00	
For payment to Board of Police for the services of thirty Patrolmen detailed for the purpose of enforcing the provisions of chapter 504, Laws of 1879, and of chapter 908, Laws of 1867, at \$1,200 each.....	36,000 00	
For removal of Night-soil, Offal, and Dead Animals.....	36,000 00	
Fund for Small-Pox Hospital and for Care of Contagious Diseases:		
For salaries.....	\$7,450 00	
For supplies.....	17,800 00	
	25,250 00	
Tenement-house Fund (as provided by chapter 504, Laws of 1879).....	10,000 00	
Night Medical Service Fund, as provided by section 8, chapter 588, Laws of 1880..	3,000 00	
Transportation, Contagious Diseases—For Purchase of Steamboat and for Repairs and Supplies.....	5,500 00	
	253,363 32	

THE POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Police Fund:		
For salaries of Commissioners of Police.....	\$26,000 00	
For salary of Superintendent of Police.....	6,000 00	
For salaries of 4 Inspectors of Police, at \$3,500 each.....	14,000 00	
For salaries of 19 Sergeants, at \$2,025 each.....	38,475 00	
For salaries of 36 Captains, at \$2,000.....	72,000 00	
For salaries of 140 Sergeants, at \$1,600.....	224,000 00	
For salaries of Patrolmen.....	2,677,200 00	
(The salaries of 30 Patrolmen having been provided for in the appropriation made to the Health Department.)		
For salaries of 78 Doormen, at \$900.....	70,200 00	
For salaries of clerks, deputies, stenographers, superintendent of telegraph, telegraph operators, messengers, cleaners, steamboat and other employees.....	54,000 00	
	\$3,181,875 00	

Police Station-houses—Rents:

DATE OF LEASE.	NAME OF LESSORS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE.	LOCATION OF PREMISES.	EXPIRATION OF LEASE.	ANNUAL RENT.	AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED FOR IN 1881.
1870. Jan. 4	P. Goelet and others.....	29th Precinct Police.....	No. 34 East 29th street, Croton water, taxes and assessments.....	May 1, 1885.	\$1,500 00	\$1,500 00
1874. Aug. 1	Joseph H. Godwin.....	33d Precinct Police.....	24th Ward, all taxes, Croton water, and repairs.....	Aug. 1, 1884.	1,700 00	1,700 00
1880. Apr. 15	R. Goelet and others.....	1st Precinct Police.....	Nos. 52 and 54 New street, Croton water, taxes and repairs.....	May 1, 1881.	4,500 00	2,250 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			2,250 00
1879. Dec. 1	Marianna A. Ogden, Andrew H. Green, Edwin H. Sheldon, Wm. O. Wheeler, and Wm. E. Strong, executors of Wm. B. Ogden, deceased.....	27th Precinct Police.....	High Bridge, Croton water.....	Jan. 1, 1881.	700 00	
			If renewed, estimated.....			700 00
1880. Apr. 1	Herman T. Livingston.....	Inspector's Office 4th Dist.	8th avenue, southeast cor. of 130th street.....	May 1, 1881.	360 00	180 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			180 00
1880. Apr. 5	Charles E. Quackenbush.....	Inspector's Office 3d Dist.	Rooms Nos. 1 and 2, 3d avenue and 86th street (Parepa Hall).....	May 1, 1881.	480 00	240 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			240 00
1880. Mar. 9	Helen R. Perkins and o's.	Inspector's Office 2d Dist.	First story of No. 112 West 14th street.....	May 1, 1881.	900 00	450 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			450 00
1880. Apr. 19	Albert W. Lemcke, surviving executor, and Catherine Otten, heir-at-law of Cordt Otten, deceased.....	30th Precinct Police.....	126th street and 8th avenue, Croton water and repairs.....	May 1, 1881.	750 00	375 00
			If renewed, estimated.....			375 00
			Add for repairs, Croton water rents, etc.....			1,000 00
						2,500 00
			Estimated rent of station-house, Eleventh Precinct.....			14,390 00

Supplies for Police.....	75,050 00
Police Station-houses—Alterations, fitting up, additions to, and repairs of station-houses, and Central Department.....	20,000 00
Construction or purchase of a steamboat for Harbor Police.....	70,000 00
Cleaning Streets under Police Department:	
For salaries of Deputy Inspector, Superintendent of Boats, clerks, telegraph operators, foremen, inspectors, and all other employees.....	\$100,000 00
For wages of sweepers, laborers, trimmers at dumps, cart-drivers, and scowmen, and for expenses of hired carts, rents of stables, and for repairs, supplies, and all other expenses, except as herein otherwise provided; including \$7,500 for scows to receive the ashes, garbage or rubbish from the steamers plying in the Harbor of New York, as provided by chapter 148, Laws of 1875; and including a sum not exceeding \$40,000 for removing snow and ice.....	600,000 00
	\$700,000 00
For purchase of steam tugs, scows, additional apparatus, and new stock.....	100,000 00
	800,000 00
	\$4,161,315 00

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fire Department Fund:	
For salaries, viz.:	
Headquarters Pay-roll, including salary of Instructor of Sappers and Miners.....	\$45,710 00
Attorney to the Fire Department, chapter 521, Laws of 1880.....	4,000 00
Telegraph Force Pay-roll.....	19,740 00
Repair Shops Pay-roll.....	46,069 00
Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll.....	12,800 00
Bureau of Inspection of Buildings Pay-roll.....	36,000 00
Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll.....	7,200 00
Superintendent of Horses Pay-roll.....	7,000 00
Bureau of Chief of Department Pay-roll.....	38,100 00
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll—For pay of Foremen, Assistant Foremen, Engineers, Firemen, Privates, Laddermen, and Hosemen, of Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, and of the Fire Steamboat.....	901,750 00
	\$1,117,709 00
For apparatus, supplies, etc.:	
For new apparatus, horses, rents, hose, and all supplies and expenses of the Department not otherwise provided for, including maintenance of Fire Steam boat, and for repairs and alterations of buildings.....	\$230,000 00
For repairs to Engine-houses Nos. 1, 9, 13, 15, 26, 31.....	60,000 00
For new houses for Engine Companies Nos. 21, 27 and 37, and Hook and Ladder Companies Nos. 16 and 18.....	75,000 00
Special appropriation for apparatus:	
7 fourth-class steam fire engines.....	\$26,250 00
1 floating engine.....	60,000 00
	86,250 00
	451,250 00
	1,568,959 00

THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	\$2,500 00
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments:	
Salaries of Commissioners.....	\$16,500 00
Salaries of Deputies, Clerks, and employees.....	65,700 00
	82,200 00
Salaries—Board of Assessors:	
Salaries of the Assessors and their Clerks.....	17,400 00
	102,100 00

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Public Instruction:	
For salaries of Teachers, Janitors, Superintendents, Clerks, and employees; for supplies, rents, incidental expenses, and current repairs to buildings, furniture, and heating apparatus, including the expense of compulsory education, as provided by chapter 421, Laws of 1874; and for the support of the Nautical School, established by chapter 288, Laws of 1873; and all expenses of the Board of Education not included under any other head of account; for purchasing, leasing, and procuring sites, and erecting buildings for school purposes; for furnishing, fitting up, altering, enlarging, and repairing buildings and premises under the charge of the Board of Education, and for repairing the furniture and heating apparatus; for the support of schools which have been organized since the last annual apportionment of school moneys; and such further sum or sums as may be necessary for any of the purposes authorized by law; and for school moneys apportioned to the corporate schools.....	3,620,095 00

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

College of the City of New York:	
For salaries of professors and officers, scientific apparatus, books, and supplies, support and maintenance, and all other expenses, including repairs to buildings.....	140,000 00

ADVERTISING, PRINTING, STATIONERY, AND BLANK BOOKS.

Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	\$30,000 00
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	7,200 00
Advertising.....	5,000 00
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books:	
For all printing, stationery, and blank books required by the Common Council, and the Departments and Offices of the City Government, except printing the CITY RECORD, including the Publishing of Calendars of Courts, under chapter 656, Laws of 1874.....	110,000 00
	152,200 00

MISCELLANEOUS PURPOSES.

Coroners—Salaries and Expenses (chapter 256, Laws of 1878):	
Salaries of four Coroners, at \$5,000 each.....	\$20,000 00
Salaries of four Physicians, at \$3,000 each.....	12,000 00
Salary of Clerk of Board of Coroners.....	3,500 00
Contingent expenses of four Coroners, including Clerk and office hire, at \$2,000 each.....	8,000 00
Post-mortem examinations (chapter 620, Laws of 1875).....	2,500 00
	46,000 00
Contingencies—District Attorney's office.....	4,000 00
Disbursements and Fees of County Officers and Witnesses, exclusive of Sheriff's fees.....	2,000 00
Election Expenses—	
For compensation of Inspectors and Poll Clerks, as fixed by law.....	\$111,870 00
For rent of polling places, and fitting up same, new ballot-boxes, cartage of ballot-boxes, stationery, maps, printing, and advertising summary of official canvasses, etc.....	35,980 00
For the salary of the Chief of the Bureau of Elections and the Chief Clerk.....	6,300 00
	154,150 00
Jurors' Fees, including expense of jurors in criminal trials.....	35,000 00
Incumbrances in Harbor, Removal of.....	1,000 00
Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts:	
For salaries of two Commissioners of Accounts, at \$3,000 each.....	\$6,000 00
For Clerk hire and contingencies.....	4,000 00
	10,000 00
Support of Prisoners in County Jail (in pursuance of chapter 251, Laws of 1875).....	15,000 00
Sheriff's Fees.....	40,000 00
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	2,400 00
Salary of Physician to the Jail of the City and County of New York (as provided for in the new Code of Civil Procedure).....	1,000 00

THE JUDICIARY.

Salaries—City Courts:	
(Police Courts.)	
Salaries of eleven Police Justices, at \$8,000 each per annum.....	\$88,000 00
Salaries of clerks, attendants, stenographers, interpreters, the Record Clerk, and Secretary of the Board of Police Justices.....	62,600 00
	\$150,600 00
(District Courts.)	
Salaries of ten District Court Justices, at \$6,000 each per annum.....	\$60,000 00
Salaries of clerks, stenographers, interpreters, and attendants.....	117,200 00
For salaries of nine Janitors, in pursuance of chapter 392, Laws of 1880, at \$900.....	8,100 00
	185,300 00
	335,900 00
Salaries—Judiciary:	
(The Supreme Court.)	
Five Justices, at \$11,500 each.....	\$57,500 00
Clerks, criers, stenographers, and librarian.....	34,500 00
Twenty-four attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	28,800 00
Compensation of Judges from other districts.....	8,000 00
	\$128,800 00
(The Superior Court.)	
Six Justices, at \$15,000 each.....	\$90,000 00
Clerks, assistants, and stenographers.....	46,200 00
Fourteen attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	16,800 00
	153,000 00
(The Court of Common Pleas.)	
Six Justices, at \$15,000 each.....	\$90,000 00
Clerks, assistants, and stenographers.....	48,000 00
Fifteen attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	18,000 00
	156,000 00
(The Marine Court.)	
Six Justices, at \$10,000 each.....	\$60,000 00
Stenographers and interpreters.....	7,500 00
Clerks, deputy clerks, and assistant clerks.....	33,500 00
Thirteen attendants, at \$1,200 each.....	15,600 00
	116,600 00
(The Court of General Sessions and Oyer and Terminer.)	
Clerk.....	\$7,000 00
Deputy clerk.....	5,000 00
Assistant clerk.....	3,000 00
Two additional deputy clerks, one at \$2,500 and one at \$1,200 per annum.....	3,700 00
Two stenographers, one at \$2,500 and one at \$2,000 per annum.....	4,500 00
Two interpreters, one at \$2,500 and one at \$1,200 per annum.....	3,700 00
Thirty-six attendants, at \$1,200 each per annum.....	43,200 00
	70,100 00

(The Court of Special Sessions.)		
Clerk.....	\$6,000 00	
Deputy clerk.....	5,000 00	
Stenographer.....	2,500 00	
Interpreter.....	2,000 00	
Three subpoena servers, at \$2,000 each per annum.....	6,000 00	
Messenger.....	1,500 00	
		23,000 00
(The County Clerk's Office.)		
County Clerk, deputies, assistants, clerks, and messenger.....		40,725 00
(The Surrogate's Office.)		
The Surrogate.....	\$12,000 00	
Chief Clerk, clerks, assistants, stenographers, attendants, and messenger.....	45,400 00	
Law Clerk to Surrogate.....	2,500 00	
		59,900 00
(The District Attorney's Office.)		
The District Attorney.....	\$12,000 00	
Assistants, clerks, stenographers, and messenger.....	55,600 00	
		67,600 00
(The Recorder's Office.)		
The Recorder.....		12,000 00
(The City Judge's Office.)		
The City Judge.....		12,000 00
(Judge of the Court of General Sessions.)		
The Judge of the Court of General Sessions.....		12,000 00
(The Commissioner of Jurors' office.)		
Salary of the Commissioner of Jurors.....	\$15,000 00	
For estimated deficiency in fines and penalties collected in 1880, required to pay part of the salaries of assistants, clerks, etc., in 1880.....	2,500 00	
		17,500 00
		869,225 00

ASYLUMS, REFORMATORIES, AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Asylum for Idiots:		
(Chapter 739, Laws of 1867.)		
For furnishing clothing for twenty-five inmates from New York County, at \$24 each.....	\$600 00	
American Female Guardian Society and Home for the Friendless.....	25,000 00	
(Chapter 754, Laws of 1872.)		
Children's Aid Society.....	70,000 00	
(Chapter 70, Laws of 1865.)		
(Chapter 163, Laws of 1867.)		
(Chapter 180, Laws of 1871.)		
Children's Fold of the City of New York:		
(Chapter 506, Laws of 1874.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 100, at \$2 per week each.....	10,428 57	
Foundling Asylum, under charge of the Sisters of Charity:		
(Chapter 635, Laws of 1872.)		
(Chapter 644, Laws of 1874.)		
(Chapter 43, Laws of 1877.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 1,550, at 38 cents per day each.....	\$214,985 00	
Estimated number of homeless or needy mothers nursing their own infants, 90, at \$18 each per month.....	19,440 00	
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 100, at \$25 each.....	2,500 00	
		236,925 00
Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society:		
(Chapter 230, Laws of 1874.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 315, at \$110 each per annum.....	34,650 00	
Hudson River State Hospital:		
(Chapter 446, Laws of 1874.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 7, at \$4.50 per week each and expenses.....	\$1,775 00	
For deficiency on bills of 1879.....	193 39	
For deficiency on bills of 1880.....	432 02	
		2,400 41
Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes:		
(Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.)		
(Chapter 180, Laws of 1870.)		
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)		
For education and support of 40 county pupils, at \$300 each.....	\$12,000 00	
For clothing 20 State pupils, at \$30 each.....	600 00	
		12,600 00
Institution for the Blind:		
(Chapter 166, Laws of 1870.)		
For clothing 115 pupils, at \$50 each.....	\$5,750 00	
For deficiency, 1879.....	43 36	
		5,793 36
Le Couteux St. Mary's Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes in the City of Buffalo, N. Y.:		
(Chapter 548, Laws of 1871.)		
For clothing of one State pupil.....	30 00	
New York Catholic Protectory:		
(Chapter 647, Laws of 1866.)		
(Chapter 428, Laws of 1867.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 2,000, at \$110 each per annum.....	220,000 00	
New York Infant Asylum:		
(Chapter 263, Laws of 1872.)		
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1876.)		
(Chapter 90, Laws of 1877.)		
Estimated average number of children, 225, at 38 cents per day each.....	\$31,207 50	
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 95, at \$25 each.....	2,400 00	
Estimated number of homeless and needy mothers nursing their own infants, 65, at \$18 each per month.....	14,040 00	
		47,647 50
New York Infirmary for Women and Children:		
(Chapter 101, Laws of 1877.)		
Estimated number of obstetrical cases, 100, at \$25 each.....	\$2,500 00	
Estimated average number of homeless and needy mothers nursing their own infants, 3, at \$18 each per month.....	648 00	
		3,148 00
New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb:		
(Chapter 325, Laws of 1863.)		
(Chapter 386, Laws of 1864.)		
(Chapter 725, Laws of 1867.)		
(Chapter 253, Laws of 1874.)		
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)		
For furnishing clothing for 130 State pupils, by order of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, at \$30 each.....	\$3,900 00	
For education and support of 85 county pupils, at \$300 each.....	25,500 00	
		29,400 00
New York Juvenile Asylum:		
(Chapter 245, Laws of 1866.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 900, at \$110 per year each.....	99,000 00	
New York Magdalen Benevolent Society:		
(Chapter 409, Laws of 1867.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 18, at \$110 per year each.....	1,980 00	
New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled:		
(Chapter 835, Laws of 1872.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 180, at \$150 per annum each.....	27,000 00	
New York State Lunatic Asylum:		
(Chapter 135, Laws of 1842.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 2, at \$250 per annum each.....	500 00	
Nursery and Child's Hospital:		
(Chapter 650, Laws of 1866.)		
(Chapter 366, Laws of 1869.)		
(Chapter 643, Laws of 1874.)		
Estimated average number of children, 600, at \$120 per annum each.....	\$72,000 00	
Estimated average number of Lying-in Women, 140, at \$260 per annum each.....	36,400 00	
		108,400 00
Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy:		
(Chapter 409, Laws of 1867.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 20, at \$110 per annum each.....	2,200 00	
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd:		
(Chapter 409, Laws of 1867.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 140, at \$110 per annum each.....	15,400 00	
St. Joseph's Improved Institute for the Instruction of Deaf Mutes:		
(Chapter 213, Laws of 1875.)		
(Chapter 378, Laws of 1877.)		
For education and support of 67 county pupils, at \$300 per annum each.....	\$20,100 00	
For clothing of 31 State pupils, at \$30 each.....	930 00	
		21,030 00
Shepherd's Fold:		
(Chapter 269, Laws of 1871.)		
		5,000 00

State Asylum for Insane Criminals at Auburn:

(Chapter 895, Laws of 1869.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 5, at \$208 each per annum.....	1,040 00	
Clothing, \$25 each.....	125 00	
		1,165 00

State Homeopathic Asylum for the Insane:

(Chapter 446, Laws of 1874.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 7, at \$234 per annum each.....	\$1,638 00	
Clothing, \$26 each patient.....	182 00	
		1,820 00

Union Home and School for Education of Children of Volunteer Soldiers:

(Chapter 309, Laws of 1870.)		
(Chapter 583, Laws of 1871.)		
(Chapter 143, Laws of 1873.)		
Estimated average number of inmates, 100, at \$150 each per annum.....	15,000 00	

Five Points House of Industry in the City of New York:

(Chapter 597, Laws of 1880.)		
Number of inmates, 200, at \$52 per annum.....	\$10,400 00	
For deficiency of 1880.....	5,312 86	
		15,712 86

The Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls:

(Chapter 508, Laws of 1880.)		
Estimated number of inmates, 200, at \$1 per week.....	\$10,400 00	
For deficiency, 1880.....	2,787 62	
		13,187 62

Total appropriations..... \$31,524,744 70

Deduct amount of estimated revenues of the General Fund not otherwise specifically appropriated by law..... 1,500,000 00

Amount of Provisional Estimate..... \$30,024,744 70

Thirty millions and twenty-four thousand seven hundred and forty-four dollars and seventy cents. Adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, October 30, 1880.

JOHN WHEELER, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Provisional Estimate made by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment on October 30, 1880, of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the City and County of New York, in each department and branch thereof, and the Board of Education, for the next ensuing financial year, to wit: for the calendar year eighteen hundred and eighty-one (1881), be submitted to the Board of Aldermen, with the reasons for it in detail, as required by section 112 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873.

REASONS FOR THE PROVISIONAL ESTIMATE FOR THE YEAR 1881.

The Provisional Estimate for the calendar year 1881, herewith submitted to the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York, has been adopted and agreed on by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The amounts allowed are such as are prescribed or provided for by law, or such as conform to the Departmental Estimates and to the estimates of necessary expenditures other than those included in Departmental Estimates, except as to the amount of certain items, for which appropriations were asked for, that have been modified or disallowed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment in making such Provisional Estimate, in the manner and for the reasons stated in detail under the heads of appropriations respectively.

The Common Council.

The sum of \$64,250 is allowed and appropriated to pay the expenses of the Common Council for the year 1881, in conformity with the provisions of the law.

The amount allowed for the salaries of the President and members of the Board of Aldermen is \$44,000 less than the amount allowed for the same purpose for the year 1880, in pursuance of chapter 521 of the Laws of 1880. No reduction, however, has been made in the aggregate sum to be paid for salaries and compensation of the Clerk and officers of the Common Council under the provision of said statute requiring that the amount shall be at least ten per centum less than the aggregate amount paid therefor during the present year 1880, for the reason that, in the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, the said statute "does not comprehend the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen" as heads of Departments, to which the law providing for a reduction of salaries is restricted in its application.

It was stated by the President of the Board of Aldermen that the sum called for in the estimate for salaries of clerks would not be sufficient, and that a reduction had been made therein under the impression that it was required by chapter 521, Laws of 1880. The amount was increased by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment by allowing the sum of \$18,000, instead of \$14,580 asked for in the estimate, for the reason that, in the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, the provisions of said statute requiring a reduction of ten per cent. on salaries does not apply to the Common Council.

The opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation on this question, by which the Board of Estimate and Apportionment has been governed in making the Provisional Estimate for the Common Council for the year 1881, and for other purposes and objects, is as follows:

OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, September 23, 1880.

JAMES E. MORRISON, Esq., Secretary to the Mayor:

SIR—I am in receipt of your letter of the 20th, communicating the request of the Mayor, for my opinion as to "whether section 3 of chapter 521 of the Laws of 1880, which provides for a reduction of salaries, is restricted in its application to heads of departments, and the departments under their control, and whether the Mayor is the head of a department, and the Board of Aldermen the head of a department, in view of this law."

In answer, I advise you:

1st. That the provisions of the section cited apply only to the heads of departments, and prescribe their duty in making "the next Departmental Estimate of the amount required for the support of such department during the ensuing fiscal year."

2d. That the Mayor is not the head of any department constituted by the charter.

3d. That the Board of Aldermen is not the head of any department constituted by the charter. In Jones v. The Mayor, 7 Robertson, 209, the question whether restrictive provisions of the charter relating to departments of the city government limited the power of the Common Council, was discussed, and the Court held that the Common Council was not subject to limitations prescribed by law applicable only to "departments."

I am therefore of the opinion that the statute in question does not comprehend the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen.

I am, sir, yours respectfully,

W. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

(CITY RECORD, October 7, 1880.)

The Mayoralty.

The sum of \$40,000 is allowed and appropriated for the Mayoralty for the year 1881, being \$2,000 less for the salary of the Mayor in 1880, under the provision of chapter 521 of the Laws of 1880, fixing the salary at \$10,000, in place of \$12,000, per annum; but no reduction has been made in the aggregate amount of salaries of clerks and subordinates of "The Mayoralty," under the provision of said statute, for the reason that, in the foregoing opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, it does not apply to the Mayor, as the head of a department, and in accordance with the estimate submitted by the Mayor.

The Finance Department.

The sum of \$240,500 is allowed and appropriated for the Department of Finance for the year 1881, including the salary of the Comptroller of \$10,000 per annum, and the sum of \$30,000 to be paid to the Chamberlain, as provided by law, and deducting \$17,340 from the aggregate amount paid in the year 1880, for salaries and compensation of persons employed in and by the Department, other than the head thereof, and day laborers paid less than \$2 per day; and \$660 less than the amount of salaries paid to temporary Clerks employed in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, in pursuance of the provision of section 3 of chapter 521, Laws of 1880, and in accordance with the Departmental Estimate, submitted by the Comptroller to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

State Taxes, and Interest and Principal of the City Debt.

The State Taxes to be paid as the quota of the City and County of New York, to be raised by tax in 1881, including the salary of the Shore Inspector, fixed as provided by law, at \$4,270,760; the interest on the city debt payable from taxation in the year 1881, under the statutes authorizing the issue of the bonds and stocks upon which the interest will become due during said year, estimated at \$8,265,965.45; and the sum required to be paid during the year 1881, for the redemption of the principal of the city debt, amounting to \$569,996.75, and including \$52,395.69, on account of the bonded indebtedness of the towns annexed from the County of Westchester to the City of New York, have been severally allowed and appropriated at the sums mentioned, in conformity with the requirements of law.

Under the provisions of chapter 565, Laws of 1880, the sum of \$75,000 is included for the redemption of fund or stock for the improvement of Morningside Park, not embraced in the Departmental Estimate; also the sum of \$51,000 is included for redemption of revenue bonds under the provisions of chapter 556, Laws of 1880, making the total amount \$186,198.52.

Rent of Armories and Drill-rooms, and Other Purposes.

The sum of \$61,500 is appropriated for the rent of Armories and Drill-rooms, and the sum of \$48,041.66 for rent of premises for other purposes estimated to be necessary under leases made and to be made, as stated in detail in the Departmental Estimate, and also items for Wages of Armories; Expenses of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund; Real Estate Expenses; Seventh Regiment New Armory Fund, Trustees of; Claims payable under Acts of the Legislature, and Arrears for Advertising as stated in more full detail in the Departmental Estimate of the Comptroller.

Judgments.

The sum of \$350,000 is appropriated to pay judgments against the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, estimated to be required for that purpose in the year 1881.

The Law Department.

The sum of \$143,728 is appropriated for the Law Department, including salaries of the Bureau of the Corporation Attorney, \$11,178; the Public Administrator, \$7,200, and the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, \$5,850.

The salary of the Counsel to the Corporation in the year 1881 is reduced from \$15,000 to \$12,000, and ten per centum is deducted from the salaries of assistants, clerks and messengers attached to this Department, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 521, Laws of 1880. The Provisional Estimate corresponds with the Departmental Estimate, except as to the items for salaries of clerks and subordinates in the Bureau of the Corporation Attorney, the Public Administrator and the Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes, which, on the suggestion of the Corporation Counsel, have been fixed at amounts ten per cent. less than those estimated in the Departmental Estimate of the Law Department, in order to make the reduction of salaries required by the statute above referred to.

The Department of Public Works.

The sum of \$2,409,450 is appropriated for all purposes to the Department of Public Works in the year 1881, as required by various statutes and needs of the public service, according to the Departmental Estimate; and a reduction of ten per centum has been made upon the aggregate sum of salaries and compensation of all persons, other than the head of the Department and day laborers paid less than \$2.00 per day.

The Department of Public Parks.

The sum of \$919,381.20 is appropriated to the Department of Public Parks, for the maintenance and government of parks and places, including various improvements in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, surveying, monumenting, erecting bridges over the Bronx river, etc., as set forth in the Departmental Estimate. The amount for the year 1881 is \$350,881.20 more than the total appropriation for 1880.

As provided by chapter 521, Laws of 1880, ten per centum reduction is made in salaries of all persons other than the heads of the Department and laborers paid less than \$2 per day.

The amounts appropriated are those asked for in the Departmental Estimate, except the item for Police, which was estimated at \$150,000, and for which the sum allowed is \$92,231.20, including \$10,000 for the purchase of uniforms and supplies for Park Police. The amount was arrived at by deducting ten per cent. from the amount allowed for the pay of the Police in 1880, as stated by Commissioner Lane, and adding the amount required for uniforms and supplies.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction.

The sum of \$1,517,416 is allowed and appropriated to the Department of Public Charities and Correction for all purposes in the year 1881, as required under the Departmental Estimate, and a reduction of ten per centum is made on the aggregate sum of salaries of subordinates employed in the Department, as provided by chapter 521, Laws of 1880. The total amount of appropriations is \$60,032.66 more than was appropriated for 1880. The amounts allowed correspond for the several objects and purposes with those in the Departmental Estimate, except that the appropriation for contingent expenses of the Department has been allowed at \$5,000 instead of \$30,000 asked for, the smaller amount being deemed sufficient, and except that certain appropriations asked for have been omitted as unnecessary during the year 1881.

The Health Department.

The sum of \$253,363.32 is allowed and appropriated for the expenses of the Health Department in 1881, against \$251,540 in 1880, a reduction of ten per centum on the aggregate sum of salaries of subordinates being made, as provided by chapter 521, Laws of 1880. All the items are in accordance with the Departmental Estimate, except the item for transportation of persons with contagious diseases, for which the sum of \$5,500 was allowed as necessary to provide a proper steamboat and to pay the expenses of transportation.

The Police Department.

The sum of \$4,161,315 is appropriated for all purposes to the Police Department, including \$70,000 for a new steamboat for Harbor Police; \$700,000 for cleaning streets, and \$100,000 for purchase of steam tugs and scows and additional apparatus and new stock for the Street Cleaning Bureau, the whole amount of appropriations being \$53,575 more than was appropriated for all purposes in 1880. As provided by chapter 521, Laws of 1880, a deduction of ten per centum is made on the salaries of persons employed, other than the head, and the uniformed force of the Department, and day laborers paid less than \$2 per day. The items in each case correspond to those asked for in the Departmental Estimate, except that the amount allowed for the payment of captains, sergeants, patrolmen, and doormen are the same as the amounts allowed in the appropriations for the present year, with the addition of \$2,000, allowed for one additional captain, reinstated by order of court, after a successor had been appointed, which amounts were deemed sufficient, and except the amount of \$60,912, asked for in the Departmental Estimate for the payment of the salaries of the clerks, deputies, and other employees specified in the estimate, was reduced to \$54,000, in order to make a reduction of ten per cent. of the amount appropriated for the same purposes for the year 1880; and except that the item of Rents of Police Station-houses was increased \$2,500 to allow for the payment of rent of the station-house for the Eleventh Precinct; and except that the amount for street cleaning purposes has been modified so as to allow \$100,000 for salaries of inspectors, etc., as specified in the appropriation, instead of \$106,848 as asked for in the Departmental Estimate. The sum of \$600,000 was also allowed for wages of sweepers, etc., as specified in the Provisional Estimate, instead of the sum of \$877,795.50, as asked for in the Departmental Estimate, and the sum of \$100,000 was allowed for the purchase of steam tugs, scows, additional apparatus and new stock, instead of the sum of \$124,500, as asked for in the Departmental Estimate. The sums allowed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment being, in their opinion, sufficient for those purposes respectively. The amount for Election Expenses was allowed at the sum of \$154,150, being a reduction of \$700 (ten per cent. of the salaries of the Chief and Chief Clerk of the Bureau of Elections) from the Departmental Estimate.

The Fire Department.

The sum of \$1,568,959 is appropriated to the Fire Department for all purposes in the year 1881, including the Bureau for the Inspection of Buildings, and also special appropriations for three new engine-houses, two new houses for Hook and Ladder Companies, amounting to \$75,000, and \$26,250 for seven fourth-class fire engines, and also \$60,000 for one floating engine, asked for in the Departmental Estimate. The amount appropriated is \$260,869 more than the total appropriation for 1880.

A deduction of ten per centum has been made on salaries of subordinates and persons other than the heads of the Department and the uniformed force, and day laborers paid less than \$2 per day, as provided by chapter 521, Laws of 1880. The amounts allowed for each item are the same as those asked for in the Departmental Estimate.

The Department of Taxes and Assessments.

The sum of \$102,100 is appropriated for 1881, against \$107,800 appropriated for 1880, and including \$17,400 to the Board of Assessors, appointed by the Commissioners of Taxes.

A reduction of ten per centum is made upon the salaries of the clerks and employees of the Department of Taxes and Assessments, as provided by chapter 521, Laws of 1880. The Board of Assessors being an independent Board to which the statute requiring a reduction of ten per centum on the salaries of persons employed in Departments does not apply, the salaries of the Assessors and their clerks were fixed at the same amount as for the year 1880.

Except as to the salaries of the Assessors and their clerks each item in the Provisional Estimate corresponds with the amounts asked for in the Departmental Estimate.

The Board of Education.

The sum of \$3,620,095 is appropriated to the Board of Education, against \$3,500,000 in 1880, including \$100,000 for Corporate Schools, under special acts of the Legislature.

As provided by chapter 521, Laws of 1880, ten per centum is deducted from the salaries and compensation of janitors, clerks, and persons employed by the Board of Education, except teachers exempt under said statute. The amounts allowed in the Provisional Estimate are the amounts asked for by the Board of Education.

The College of the City of New York.

The sum of \$140,000 is appropriated to pay the salaries of officers and professors, supplies and other expense of the College in 1881, as provided by law, the same amount appropriated for 1880.

Advertising, Printing, etc.

The sum of \$152,200 is appropriated for these purposes in 1881, including the expenses of publishing the CITY RECORD and the salaries of the Supervisor and his subordinates, no reduction being made for salaries, as the office of the Supervisor does not belong to a department; and the amounts allowed in the Provisional Estimate are the amounts estimated as required by the Supervisor of the City Record.

Miscellaneous Purposes.

The amount allowed for Coroners—Salaries and Expenses is \$46,000, being \$2,500 less than the amount asked for by the Board of Coroners, a reduction being made in their estimate of \$2,500 in the item for post-mortem examinations.

The Sheriff's estimate for sheriff's fees was \$50,000, and for Support of Prisoners in the County Jail, \$17,500. In the Provisional Estimate, \$40,000 have been allowed for sheriff's fees, and \$15,000 for the support of prisoners, which amounts are the same as were appropriated for 1880, and are deemed sufficient for these purposes.

The appropriation of \$10,000 for Commissioners of Accounts was allowed as necessary to pay the salaries of the Commissioners and the clerks required.

The appropriation for Jurors Fees; Incumbrances in Harbor, Removal of; Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of; and the Salary of the Physician to the County Jail, are fixed at the amounts required for those purposes respectively, in the opinion of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

The Judiciary.

The sum of \$1,205,125 is appropriated to pay the salaries of judges, clerks, officers, and attendants of the courts, including the Police, and District Civil Courts, the offices of the County Clerk, the Surrogate, the District Attorney, and the Commissioner of Jurors. Chapter 521, Laws of 1880, provides for reductions in the salaries of persons elected or appointed after the passage of the act, and as no persons under these heads have been since elected or appointed, no changes have been made in their salaries for 1881.

The amounts allowed were arrived at by taking the estimates submitted from the various courts and offices comprised under this head, except as to the following items: The amount of \$67,600 was allowed for salaries of the District Attorney's office, being the amount allowed for 1880, instead of the sum of \$74,300 asked for; the sum of \$4,000 for contingencies of the District Attorney's office, being the amount allowed for 1880, was allowed instead of the sum of \$12,500 asked for; the sum of \$6,600 asked for by the Board of Police Justices for Court Attendants was not allowed; the items in the Estimates of the Civil Justices and the Marine Court for supplies were not allowed, as necessary supplies are furnished out of other appropriations.

The Supreme Court appropriation differs from the amounts asked for in that \$3,000 is added for compensation of judges from other districts, sitting in New York, and the sum of \$2,500 is deducted from the salaries of clerks, etc., the amount appropriated being the same as for 1880.

Asylums, Reformatories, and Charitable Institutions.

The sum of \$1,026,018.32 is appropriated as the estimated amount required for the support and maintenance of inmates of charitable institutions in the State and City of New York in the year 1881, payable from taxation as per capita allowances and specific sums to be paid under provisions of law. This amount is \$29,276.91 more than was appropriated for the same purposes in 1880. The increase is caused in part by acts of the last Legislature, chapters 597 and 598, providing for appropriations to the Five Points House of Industry and The Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls, respectively.

A printed statement of the Departmental and other estimates herein referred to, is herewith transmitted, and constitutes in part the statement of the reasons in detail for the Provisional Estimate which the Board of Estimate and Apportionment is required to transmit with such estimate to the Board of Aldermen.

Adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment, November 9, 1880.

Which was laid over.

On motion, the Board then adjourned.

JOHN WHEELER, Secretary.

F. J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

November 10, 1880.

Special meeting 9.30 A. M.

The Board met pursuant to the following:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, }
36 UNION SQUARE, November 8, 1880. }

Mr. E. P. BARKER, Secretary:

SIR—You will please issue notices for a meeting of the Board governing the Department of Public Parks, to be held on Wednesday next, 10th instant, at 9.30 o'clock, A. M., for the consideration of communications, reports of committees, and resolutions, and such other business as may be presented.

Yours, etc.,
(Signed) JAMES F. WENMAN, President D. P. P.

Present—Commissioner Wenman (President), Conover, Lane, and Green.

On motion of Commissioner Conover, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

A report was received from the Executive Committee, to whom was referred the subject of selecting a site in the Central Park for the statue of Alexander Hamilton, and recommending for adoption the following resolution:

Resolved, That the statue of Alexander Hamilton be accepted, and a site for the erection of the same on the Central Park be and is hereby designated as that on the lawn northwest of the Art Museum building, and between the East Drive and the old Reservoir, and that the whole subject of the erection of said statue be referred to the President and Treasurer, with power.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to the acceptance of said report and adoption of the said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Wenman, Conover, Lane, and Green—4.

Commissioner Conover offered the following:

Resolved, That the following named classes of workmen be and they are suspended until the further order of the Board.

William Cushing,	\$4 00 per day.
W. H. Berthoff, skilled laborer.....	2 50 "
Henry S. Kauski,	2 50 "
John McGuire, gardener.....	2 00 "
Conrad Dornier,	2 00 "
Emil Tischer,	2 00 "
John Hayes, carpenter.....	2 50 "
Owen McCafferty, carpenter.....	2 50 "
Rodney Mooney,	2 50 "
Michael Clancy,	2 50 "
Patrick White, painter.....	2 50 "
John Hart, double teams.....	4 50 "
James McGlynn, double teams	4 50 "
Thomas Hoary,	4 50 "
Michael Doyle,	4 50 "
Patrick McDonald,	4 50 "

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Wenman, Conover, Lane, and Green—4.

Commissioner Conover offered the following:

Resolved, That the further subject of the reduction of the forces of the Department be referred to the President and Treasurer, with power to reduce the expenditures for labor in such manner as they may deem best, that such expenditures may be kept within the appropriations of the Department for the present year.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to said resolution, and it was determined in the affirmative, a majority of all the members of the Board voting in favor thereof, as follows:

Ayes—Commissioners Wenman, Conover, Lane and Green—4.

On motion of Commissioner Green, at nine o'clock and forty-five minutes, the Board adjourned.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, }
NOVEMBER 4, 1880. }

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman, and Cornelius Van Cott.

Communications.

From—Inspector of Buildings, returning application of John Riley, with report of examination and certificate of qualification. Filed, and appointment as Examiner in Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, at a salary of \$900 per annum, from 5th instant, ordered.

Manchester Locomotive Works—Relative to trial of engine on 9th instant. Filed.

Eureka Fire Hose Co., requesting that defective length of hose be returned to be relined. Compliance directed.

N. Le Brun & Son, Architects, stating that building No. 417 West Seventeenth street is not progressing more rapidly than when previously reported upon. Laid over.

Resolution.

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be requested to authorize the transfer of the sum of four thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$4,625) from the appropriation for "Repairs to Engine-houses" for the current year, and of the sum of eleven thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$11,375) from the appropriation for "Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies pay-rolls" for the current year, the said sums being respectively in excess of the amounts required for such purposes, to the appropriation for "Apparatus, Supplies, etc.," for the current year, for which the appropriation is insufficient. Adopted.

Tender of resignation of Theodore F. Hascall, as Assistant Attorney to the Fire Department, was received, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the tender of resignation of Theodore F. Hascall, as Assistant Attorney to the Fire Department, to take effect from the time of his appointment as such, to wit, the 1st instant, be and the same is hereby accepted, and that he be and is hereby appointed a Temporary Clerk in the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, at a salary of \$300 per month, to take effect from the same date.

On motion, a djourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

NOVEMBER 6, 1880, 9 A. M.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott. Affidavit relative to publication of advertisement was read and filed, and approved form of contract submitted.

Proposals for furnishing Forage, received and opened in presence of the Comptroller:

No. 1. From R. J. Wright, for.....	\$6,458 50
No. 2. " John Moonan, for.....	6,270 00
No. 3. " F. W. Banks, for.....	545 00

Which were filed, and sureties on proposal No. 2 (John Moonan), having been approved by the Comptroller, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing Forage to this Department, as per advertisement in the CITY RECORD dated October 22, 1880, be and is awarded to John Moonan, No. 382 West Eleventh street, for the sum of \$6,270, on his proposal, dated 4th instant.

A recess was then taken.

Reconvened at 10 A. M.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott. Charges of "absence without leave" preferred against Fireman Richard Bell, of Engine Co. No. 29, (laid over on 27th ultimo) were taken up; evidence taken; accused being still absent, was found guilty, suspension from pay from 24th ultimo confirmed, and dismissal from service of the Department, from that date, ordered.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, OCTOBER 25 TO 30, 1880.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending October 23, 1880: Males, 26; females, 10. On file.

List of 24 prisoners to be discharged, from November 1 to 6, 1880. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 8 patients received during week ending October 23, 1880. On file.

From New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 9 patients received during week ending October 23, 1880. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending October 23, 1880, \$158. On file.

Proposals.

Resolved, That the proposals of L. I. Seaman, to furnish 5,000 lbs. dairy butter at 19 94-100 cents per lb.:

W. H. Burr & Co., 20,000 fresh eggs, at 21 78-100 cents per dozen;
R. M. Masterton, 10 hogsheads of molasses, at 21 97-100 cents per gallon; 1,500 lbs. granulated sugar, at 9 34-100 cents per lb.;
E. E. Finkenstaedt, 10 barrels pickles, at 9 90-100 cents per barrel;
C. & R. Barlow, 20 barrels wheaten grits, for \$497;
H. K. & F. B. Thurber & Co., 5,000 lbs. pearl barley, at 3 1/2 cents per lb.;
Duryee & Ludlam, 300 feet 1 1/4-inch clear pine plank, for \$18;
—be accepted, and the awards made to them.

Adopted.

Appointments.

October 27. Francis W. Maguire, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

27. Dennis Slattery, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

Dismissals..

October 26. John Dooley, Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital.

30. Herman Dierlam, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

Resignations.

October 26. Frank S. Middlebrook, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

G. F. BRITTON, Assistant Secretary.

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.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary; John Tracey, Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.

Permit and License Bureau Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; ELIJAH W. ROE, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Commissioner's Office.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.

No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORES, Deputy Comptroller.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau of Arrears.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADDY, Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.

No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Collector.

Bureau of City Revenue.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue.

Bureau of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.

LAW DEPARTMENT

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation
ANDREW T. CAMPELL, 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.

Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
TOWNSEND COX, President; JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155, and 157 Mercer street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

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.

JAMES F. WENMAN, President; 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.
Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN WHEELER, President; ALBERT STORER, Secretary.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Mulberry and Houston streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD J. MORRISON, President; J. B. ADAMSON, Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
FREDERICK W. LOEW, Register; AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JOHN W. BARROW.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

NEW YORK, November 1, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE DOG Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, which was designated on the ninth day of June, 1880, as the place of reception for dogs captured pursuant to the ordinance approved June 1, 1877, will be closed on November 2, 1880, and all authority given by me to capture dogs pursuant to said ordinance will cease on that date.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
NOS. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, November 8, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 123.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING ABOUT 220 FEET IN LENGTH OF THE OUTER END OF THE OLD PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, N. R., AND PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER NEAR THE FOOT OF WEST TWENTY-FOURTH STREET, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER NEW 54, N. R.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING ALL OF THE old Pier at the foot of West Twenty-fourth street, North River, which lies westerly of a line about forty feet

westerly of the new bulkhead line, and for building a new wooden pier near the foot of West Twenty-fourth street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 1880,

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

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

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

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

1. Yellow Pine Timber—
3" plank.... 17,136 feet, B. M., measured in the work.
4" x 10".... 13,676 " " "
4" plank.... 140,760 " " "
5" x 10".... 30,991 " " "
5" plank.... 48,310 " " "
6" x 12".... 9,840 " " "
8" x 8".... 5,355 " " "
8" x 12".... 560 " " "
10" x 10".... 91,317 " " "
10" x 12".... 101,520 " " "
12" x 12".... 201,600 " " "
Total..... 661,065 " " "

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

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

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

5. Locust Treennails—
About..... 3,240

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

6. 16" Yellow Pine, White Pine, Cypress or Spruce Piles..... 775

(These piles will be from 77 to 83 feet in length, to average about 80 feet in length.)

7. 2", 1 1/4", 1 1/2", 1", 3/4", and 3/8" wrought-iron screw-bolts and wrought-iron washers, about..... 21,830 pounds.

8. 7/8" x 26", 7/8" x 22", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 20", 3/4" x 18", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 9", 5/8" x 10", 5/8" x 10", 5/8" x 8", 5/8" x 6", and 7-16" x 8" square, and 3/8" x 12", 5/8" x 6", 5/8" x 5", and 3/8" x 4", round wrought-iron spike-pointed bolts, about..... 43,935 "

9. Boiler-plate armatures, wrought-iron corner bands and column and pile shoes, about..... 8,432 "

10. Cast-iron mooring posts, about..... 3,600 "

11. Cast-iron washers for 1 1/4", 1", 3/4", and 3/8" screw-bolts, about..... 11,362 "

12. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and the wedges for the treennails, etc., and labor of every description; for that part of the pier where the bays are 12' 6" span, 5,200 square feet; and for the remainder of the pier, 35,960 square feet.

13. Labor of removing all of the Pier at the foot of West Twenty-fourth street, N. R., which lies westerly of a line about 40 feet westerly of the new bulkhead line, an area of about 11,000 square feet; and of removing all the old material from the premises.

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

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

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

The work is to be commenced within five days after the execution of the contract to do the same; and the whole of the work (except about 100 feet of the shore end of the pier, which will not be constructed until the bulkhead wall in the rear is built), is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of April, 1881, or within as many days thereafter as the site of the new pier may have been actually occupied, after the day of the execution of the contract, by the Department of Docks in dredging for the said pier. And the said about 100 feet is to be completed within thirty days after notice shall be given by said Department of Docks that work on the said about 100 feet may be begun; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract or any part thereof may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for fulfillment has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the Pier at the foot of West Twenty-fourth street, North River, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates the price for the whole of the work. By that price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover the expenses of furnishing all the necessary materials and labor, and the performance of all the work set forth in the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth.

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits

thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, November 7, 1878.

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 the Board.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

HENRY C. PERLEY,
THOMAS SHELLS,
JOHN McCLAVE,
HENRY HAFEN,
BERNARD KENNEY,
Committee on Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS FOR 6,535 POUNDS TURKEYS, 7,395 pounds Chickens.

To be of good quality as to age and condition, and subject to careful inspection, and all delivered on Wednesday, 24th November, before six o'clock, A. M. Bids will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M., of Monday, November, 22, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate" for Poultry, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department; but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on the 24th of November, before 6 o'clock A. M., after the date of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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.

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, November 10, 1880.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING FLOUR.

2,000 barrels Flour.
1,000 barrels, as per Sample No. 1.
1,000 barrels, as per Sample No. 2.

—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 o'clock A. M., of Monday, the 22d day of November, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and re-let as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, November 10, 1880.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, AND PROVISIONS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING DRY GOODS.

1,000 yards Calico.
10,000 yards Brown Muslin.
20 bales Bandage Muslin.
250 dozen Women's Stockings.
GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.
10,000 pounds Rice.
25,000 Eggs (fresh, and all to be candled).
5,000 pounds Dairy Butter (sample on exhibition November 12th).
5,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
1,500 " Crushed Sugar.
1,000 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds to the barrel net.
1,000 bushels Oats.
500 bales long, bright Rye Straw, to be delivered at net weight only.
100 bags coarse Meal.
250 bushels Rye.

—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 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, the 13th day of November, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods, Groceries, and Provisions," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and re-let as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, November 10, 1880.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, November 3, 1880.

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

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—Arthur Fairry, aged 68 years; committed October 3, 1880. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Catharine Murray, aged 50 years; committed October 12, 1880. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Mary Downey, aged 20 years; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted brown sack, chemise, black skirt, laced shoes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Thomas Keating, aged 70 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, October 28, 1880.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from 343 Tenth avenue—Unknown man (colored); aged about 45 years; 5 feet 11 inches high; black hair; side whiskers and imperial. Had on blue coat, brown cardigan jacket, blue flannel pants, white knit under shirt, white drawers, blue check jumper, leather slippers, cloth cap.

Unknown man, from foot of Canal street, North river—Aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark brown hair; red moustache. Had on blue jean jumper, blue check jumper, blue check shirt, dark woolen pants, blue ribbed socks.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Hannah Murphy; aged 30 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; red hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, black skirt and basque, striped undershirt, black cloth gaiters. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Catharine Meyers; aged 34 years - 4 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Assistant Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until MONDAY, the 22d day of November, 1880, at 11 A. M., for supplying, for the use of the schools under the jurisdiction of said Board, books, stationery, and other articles required, for one year, commencing on the 1st day of January, 1881. City and country publishers of books, and dealers in the various articles required, are notified that preference will be given to the bids of principals, the Committee being desirous that commissions, if any, shall be deducted from the price of the articles bid for. A sample of each article must accompany the bid. A list of articles required, with the conditions upon which bids will be received, may be obtained on application to the Clerk of the Board. Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Supplies." The Committee reserve the right to reject any bid if deemed for the public interest.

Dated New York, November 6, 1880.

FERDINAND TRAUD,
BENJ. F. MANIERRE,
DAVID WEITMORE,
CHARLES PLACE,
HENRY P. WEST,
Committee on Supplies.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until MONDAY, the 22d day of November, 1880, at 11 A. M., for printing required by the said Board for the year 1881. Samples of the various documents, etc., required to be printed, may be seen at the office of the Clerk of the Board, where blank forms of proposals may also be obtained. Each proposal must be addressed to the Committee on Supplies, and indorsed "Proposals for Printing." Two sureties, satisfactory to said Committee, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. The Committee reserve the right to reject any bid if deemed for the public interest.

Dated New York November 6, 1880.

FERDINAND TRAUD,
BENJ. F. MANIERRE,
DAVID WEITMORE,
CHARLES PLACE,
HENRY P. WEST,
Committee on Supplies.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, October 26, 1880.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office on the twenty-sixth day of October, 1880, the following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, That, under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following amendment 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:

Resolved, That section 155 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended by inserting in line thirty-six after the word "Yonkers" the following, "and of Tarrytown," and after the word Yonkers in line thirty-nine the words, "or Tarrytown."

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

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

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

First. As to all assessments confirmed prior to June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1880.

Second. 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, 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 confirmation of the same, the property affected thereby, and in a brief and concise manner the objections thereto, showing that the assessment was unfair or unjust in respect to said real estate.

Dated New York, July 13, 1880.

EDWARD COOPER,
Mayor.
JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,
Commissioner under said Act.
DANIEL LORD, JR.,
Commissioner under said Act.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the Office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutters and flagging in Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets.

No. 2. Paving Fifty-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 3. Paving Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 4. Sewer in Sixty-ninth street, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue.

No. 5. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets.

No. 6. Basin northwest corner of One Hundred and Fifteenth street and avenue A.

No. 7. Sewer in Sylvan place, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets.

No. 8. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.

No. 9. Fencing vacant lots, Fifth and Madison avenues and Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.

No. 10. Basin at the junction of Beaver and Pearl streets.

No. 11. Cross-walk at the northerly and southerly intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

No. 12. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 13. Sewer in Fifty-eighth street, between First and Second avenues, from end of present sewer in First avenue.

No. 14. Sewer in Fifty-second street, between Third and Lexington avenues, from end of present sewer to near Lexington avenue.

No. 15. Fencing vacant lots, Seventy-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

No. 16. Fencing vacant lots, northeast corner of Eighty-sixth and Avenue A.

No. 17. Fencing vacant lots, Fifth and Madison avenues, Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets.

No. 18. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Sixth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

No. 19. Sewer in Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Fifth street.

No. 20. Sewer in Sixty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.

No. 21. Sewers in Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 22. Sewer in Forty-third street, between First avenue and East river.

No. 23. Crosswalks at the intersection of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-second street.

No. 24. Fencing vacant lots One Hundred and Tenth street, north side, from Seventh to New avenues, and south side, from Eighth to Ninth avenues.

No. 25. Fencing vacant lots east side Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

No. 26. Fencing vacant lots west side Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Seventh to One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

No. 27. Fencing vacant lots southwest corner One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Fifth avenue.

No. 28. Fencing vacant lots north and south side of Seventy-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and on Tenth avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.

No. 29. Fencing vacant lots west side of the Boulevard, from Seventy-second to Seventy-fourth street.

No. 30. Basins northeast corner of Front and Montgomery streets, and northwest corner of South and Montgomery streets.

No. 31. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Seventh avenue and a point 300 feet west of Seventh avenue.

No. 32. Fencing vacant lots southwest corner of First avenue and Sixty-first street.

No. 33. Fencing vacant lots south side Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 34. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutters in Eighty-first street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 35. Sewer in Front street between Dover and Roosevelt streets.

No. 36. Flagging south side Seventieth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 37. Sewer in Cliff street, between Beekman and Ferry streets.

No. 38. Fencing vacant lots both sides of Seventy-sixth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.

No. 39. Basins on the northeast and southeast corners of Jane street and Thirtieth avenue.

No. 40. Sewer in Mount Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 41. Fencing vacant lots south side Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.

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

No. 1. Both sides Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Forty-fourth street, between Second and Third avenues, and to the extent of half of the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Sixty-ninth street, between the Boulevard and Ninth avenue.

No. 5. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets; also, blocks bounded by One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets, Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 6. West side of Avenue A, between One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets, and north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, extending one hundred and sixty-six feet six inches west of Avenue A.

No. 7. Both sides of Sylvan place, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.

No. 9. Block bounded by Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets, Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 10. Property bounded by Hanover, Pearl and Beaver streets.

No. 11. To the extent of half the block on each side of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Lexington avenue.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of Fifty-eighth street, between First and Second avenues.

No. 14. Both sides of Fifty-second street, between Third and Lexington avenues.

No. 15. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues.

No. 16. East side of Avenue A, between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-seventh streets, and north side of Eighty-sixth street, extending 100 feet east of Avenue A.

No. 17. Block bounded by Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets, Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 18. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 19. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, and block bounded by One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 20. Both sides of Sixty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and the Boulevard.

No. 21. Both sides of Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 22. Both sides of Forty-third street, between First avenue and East river.

No. 23. To the extent of half of the block at the intersection of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-second street.

No. 24. Both sides of One Hundred and Tenth street, between Seventh and Ninth avenues.

No. 25. East side of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

No. 26. West side of Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

No. 27. South side of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and west side of Fifth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets.

No. 28. Both sides of Seventy-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and east side of Tenth avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.

No. 29. West side of the Boulevard, from Seventy-second to Seventy-fourth street.

No. 30. Both sides of Montgomery street, between Front, South, and Water streets.

No. 31. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 32. West side of First avenue, between Sixtieth and Sixty-first streets, and south side of Sixty-first street, extending 182 feet west from First avenue.

No. 33. South side of Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 34. Both sides of Eighty-first street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 35. Both sides of Front street, between Dover and Roosevelt streets.

No. 36. South side of Seventieth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 37. Both sides of Cliff street, between Beekman and Ferry streets.

No. 38. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

No. 39. Both sides of Jane street, extending 175 feet east of the easterly side of Thirtieth avenue, and east side of Thirtieth avenue, between West Twelfth and Horatio streets.

No. 40. West side of Mt. Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 41. South side of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, Room 12, City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above described lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 3d day of November ensuing.

THOMAS B. ASTEN,
EDWARD NORTH,
DANIEL STANBURY,
JOHN H. MOONEY,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
ROOM 12, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1880.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 39, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, November 9, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, Room No. 39, 300 Mulberry street, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, iron, rope, male and female clothing, gold and silver watches, boots, shoes, trunks and contents, lace, trimmings, revolvers, needles, billiard balls, coffee, etc.; also small amount of cash found and taken from prisoners by patrolmen of this Department.

E. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 39, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, November 10, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the following described property of this Department will be sold at public auction, on Tuesday, November 23, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, at the foot of East Seventeenth street, E. R., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, viz.:

One truck.

One safe.

Two light wagons.

One horse.

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
ROOM NO. 39, NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, October 10, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, Room No. 39, 300 Mulberry street, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, iron rope, earth closets, male and female clothing (made and unmade), gold and silver watches, diamond rings, pin, etc., boots, bags and contents, tobacco, revolvers, and sundry lot of miscellaneous; also small amount of cash found and taken from prisoners by Patrolmen of this Department.

A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Central Park, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Seventy-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

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

I. 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, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to Frederick Smyth, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the tenth day of November, 1880, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said tenth day of November, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance, at our said office, on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

II. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the nineteenth day of November, 1880.

III. That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in said City, and which, taken together, are bounded and joined as follows, to wit: Northerly, by the centre line of the blocks between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets; southerly, by the centre line of the blocks between Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets; easterly, by the centre line of the Eighth avenue, and westerly, by the established bulkhead line of the Hudson river.

IV. That our report herein will be presented 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 the 30th day of November, 1880, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, October 1st, 1880.

FREDERICK SMYTH,
JACOB F. OAKLEY,
WILLIAM M. IWED, JR.,
Commissioners.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
NO. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 1, 1880.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL PERSONS who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1880, to the Receiver of Taxes, that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office before the first day of December next, one per cent. will be collected on all taxes remaining unpaid on that day, and one per cent. in addition thereto on all taxes remaining unpaid on the 15th day of December next.

No money will be received after 2 o'clock P. M. Office hours from 8 A. M. to 2 P. M.

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

ARREARS OF ASSESSMENTS.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to the owners of real estate, that as provided by chapter 195, passed May 7, 1880, at any time before the first day of September, 1880, any person liable therefor may pay the amount of any assessment for any local improvement in the City of New York, confirmed prior to the passage of said act, and remaining unpaid with interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum, and after said first day of September, and before the first day of December, 1880, any such assessment may be paid as aforesaid with interest at the rate of nine per centum per annum, from the date of confirmation to the date of payment thereof.

If any such assessment shall not be paid before the first day of December, 1880, the rate of interest thereon will be twelve per centum per annum thereafter, as provided by law, from the date of confirmation to the date of payment. The said act of 1880 is published herewith.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 23, 1880.

CHAPTER 195.

AN ACT in relation to the payment of assessments for local improvements in the City of New York.

Passed May 7, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. At any time before the first day of September, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person liable therefor may pay, to the officer authorized to receive the same, the amount of any assessment for any local improvement in the City of New York, heretofore confirmed and now unpaid, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of confirmation to the date of payment, and before the first day of December, eighteen hundred and eighty, any such assessment may be paid as aforesaid, with interest at the rate of nine per centum per annum from the date of confirmation to the date of payment.

Sec. 2. Where any installment or installments of any assessments have been paid under the provisions of chapter one hundred and three of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-six, or of chapter one hundred and fifty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, or of chapter two hundred and fifty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, the amount of such assessment or assessments remaining unpaid may be paid within the same periods prescribed in the first section of this act and upon the same terms and conditions therein prescribed.

Sec. 3. Upon such payment in full, as hereinbefore provided, such assessment or assessments shall cease to be a lien upon the property, and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged; and there shall be no further interest or penalty by reason of such payment or assessments not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute heretofore requiring the payment of any penalty or interest over the rate hereinbefore provided for upon any unpaid assessment.

Sec. 4. No provision of this act hereinbefore contained shall be construed as applicable to or affecting any assessment for the collection of which assessment the property has been sold.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

ARREARS OF TAXES.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York hereby gives notice to owners of Real Estate in said city, that, as provided by chapter 123 of the Laws of 1880, they may now pay any arrears of taxes and Croton water rents levied prior to the year 1877, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum. If, however, such taxes and Croton water rents are not paid before the first day of October next, the property on which they are due will be sold for taxes immediately thereafter, with the addition of accrued interest thereon at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum from the respective dates on which they were levied.

Lists for such tax sale are now being prepared by the Clerk of Arrears.

The time of payment of taxes for the years 1877, 1878, and 1879, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, is extended to the first day of April, 1881, and if not paid before that date, interest will be payable at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum.

The Act, chapter 123, Laws of 1880, containing these provisions of law, is published below.

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, JUNE 4, 1880.

CHAPTER 123.

AN ACT in relation to arrears of taxes in the City of New York, and to provide for the reissuing of revenue bonds in anticipation of such taxes.

Passed April 15, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. At any time after the passage of this act, and before the first day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty, any person may pay to the Comptroller of the City of New York the amount of any tax upon real property belonging to such person, heretofore laid or imposed and now remaining unpaid, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the time that such tax was imposed to the time of such payment, provided, also, that the time when such payment may be made on the amount of any such tax laid or imposed in the years eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and eighteen hundred and seventy-nine shall extend to the first day of April, eighteen hundred and eighty-one. The comptroller shall make and deliver to the person making any such payment a receipt therefor, and shall forthwith cancel the record of any such tax on the books of the finance department; and upon such payment being made such tax shall cease to be a lien upon the property and shall be deemed fully paid, satisfied and discharged, and there shall be no right to any further interest or penalty by reason of such tax not having been paid within the time heretofore required by law, or by reason of any statute passed requiring the payment heretofore of any penalty or interest over even per centum per annum upon any unpaid tax.

Sec. 2. Any revenue bond heretofore issued in anticipation of the taxes in the first section specified which may fall due and become payable before said taxes are collected, may be reissued by the comptroller of said city, in whole or in part, for such period as he may determine, not exceeding one year.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, JUNE 4, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

CONFIRMED APRIL 16, ENTERED APRIL 24, 1880.

Opening of—

156th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

157th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

158th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.

159th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before August 3, 1880, will be exempt [according to law] from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

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