

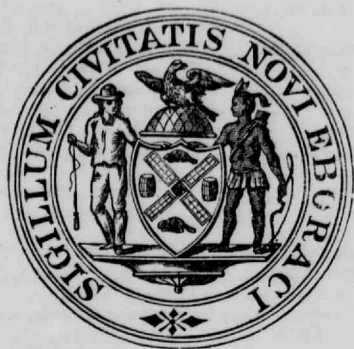
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## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
May 5, 1882.

Present—President John J. Gorman, Commissioners Cornelius Van Cott and Henry D. Purroy.  
The action of the President in transmitting to the Comptroller for payment bills and pay-rolls duly audited, was approved, viz.:

### For the Current Year—Schedule No. 15.

Clapp & Jones, Manufacturing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$528 00	Jussen, Carl, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$105 73
Dahlman, Isaac H., apparatus, supplies, etc.	920 00	Ketterer, Charles P., apparatus, supplies, etc.	74 85
Dobbs, William H., apparatus, supplies, etc.	48 00	Mehrbach, Sol., apparatus, supplies, etc.	300 00
Dorn, Charles W., apparatus, supplies, etc.	65 00	Moseman, C. M. & Bro., apparatus, supplies, etc.	107 00
Duryee & Ludlam, apparatus, supplies, etc.	150 00	New York Stencil Works, apparatus, supplies, etc.	11 00
Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	618 00	Pearce & Jones, apparatus, supplies, etc.	310 86
Hardy & Pinkman, apparatus, supplies, etc.	45 00	Quackenbush, Townsend & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	33 10
Housner, William H., apparatus, supplies, etc.	3 00	Sebastian, Jacob, apparatus, supplies, etc.	25 55
Hughes, Thomas, apparatus, supplies, etc.	90 00	Vandewater, W. C., apparatus, supplies, etc.	75 00
Joannes, Emile, apparatus, supplies, etc.	24 00		\$3,514 09

### For the Year 1881—Schedule No. 79.

Morrison, F. V., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$138 75
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### For the Current Year—Schedule No. 22.

Bangor Extension Ladder Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$279 80	Maguire, J. J., apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$5 00
Bowns, H. E., apparatus, supplies, etc.	862 01	Moonan, John, " "	1,204 61
Bruns, Wm., D., Jr., apparatus, supplies, etc.	97 50	McClave, E. W. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	7 47
Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	20 50	Patterson, H. T. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	9 16
Dahlman, Isaac H., apparatus, supplies, etc.	600 00	Pierson, J. W. J., Agent, apparatus, supplies, etc.	22 00
Dunham, Thomas, C., apparatus, supplies, etc.	29 25	Powers, John, Manager, apparatus, supplies, etc.	86 00
Early & Lane, apparatus, supplies, etc.	118 00	Quackenbush, Townsend & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	4 74
Hughes, Thomas, apparatus, supplies, etc.	90 00	Russell & Erwin Manufacturing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	188 58
Lazell, Marsh & Gardiner, apparatus, supplies, etc.	173 05	Sebastian, Jacob, apparatus, supplies, etc.	101 55
			\$3,899 22

### For the Current Year—Schedule No. 23.

Extra Telegraph Force, pay-roll for April, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$1,663 55	Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, No. 2, pay-roll for April	\$241 66
Headquarters, pay-roll for April	3,712 49	Bureau of Fire Marshal, pay-roll for April	600 00
Attorney to the Fire Department, pay-roll for April	333 33	Superintendent of Horses, pay-roll for April	525 00
Telegraph Force, pay-roll for April	1,670 00	Bureau of Chief of Department, pay-roll for April	3,174 96
Repair Shops, pay-roll for April	5,181 86	Engine and Hook and Ladder Cos., pay-roll for April	73,671 58
Bureau of Combustibles, pay-roll for April	1,016 64		\$94,507 72
Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, pay-roll for April	2,716 65		

### Communications.

From—  
Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph, forwarding, with recommendation, requisition for repairs to springs, ladders, hose, wagons, etc., estimated cost: \$3.50, \$11.90, \$15.39.50, \$58.25, and \$101.55, respectively. Ordered.  
Same—Requisition for articles required, estimated cost: \$36.87, \$190, \$272.73, \$323.20, and \$351.10, respectively. Purchase ordered.  
Chairman Committee on Repairs and Supplies, forwarding, with recommendation, requisitions for work required at company quarters, estimated cost: \$46, \$80, \$80, and \$159, respectively. Ordered.  
Same—Requisition for articles required, estimated cost: \$215 and \$600, respectively. Purchase ordered.  
Superintendent of Horses—Reports of selection and acceptance and recommending purchase of one horse each for Engine Cos. Nos. 25 and 30, at \$300 each, and of team for Engine Co. No. 31 at \$600. Purchase ordered.  
Same, recommending selection of one horse each for Engine Cos. Nos. 5 and 33. Ordered.  
Counsel to the Corporation, relative to expense incurred in perfecting title of property. Filed, and following resolution adopted:  
Resolved, That an expenditure of \$51.45 for expenses incurred by the Law Department in making examination of title to property in One Hundred and Forty-third street, near Alexander avenue, be and is hereby authorized.  
The action of the President in the following matters was approved and confirmed:  
Referring to the Chief of Department, report of Chief Ninth Battalion relative to special leaves of men of Engine Company No. 49, with instructions; application of detail of firemen at Madison Square Garden; communication from Shaw Fire Escape Ladder Manufacturing Company, relative to trial of ladder;  
Referring to the Inspector of Combustibles, certificates of New York Board of Fire Underwriters that buildings No. 77 Pearl street, Nos. 52 and 53 West street and Nos. 84 and 86 Washington street, have been approved for storage of vegetable fibre; application of Depot Quartermaster, U. S. A., for permit to deliver powder;

Referring to the Inspector of Buildings, reports of unsafe buildings, transmitted by Chief of Department (12), from Health Department (3), from New York Association for Improving Condition of the Poor (6); reports of inspection of buildings by company commanders (24); violation cases (42), fire-escape cases (30), and unsafe cases (4), returned by the Attorney, as directed; violation cases (6), fire-escape cases (7), and unsafe case (1), for compliance with recommendations of the Attorney; precepts issued by Court of Common Pleas in unsafe cases (8), and order of Supreme Court in violation case (1); communication from the Comptroller, requesting examination of Centre Market; resolutions of the Common Council (14) permitting erection of bay-windows, etc.; communications from his Honor the Mayor (7) transmitting resolutions of the Board of Aldermen for examination and report; reports of buildings in course of erection (53), and of alterations to buildings (12); communications from Police Department relative to fire in Twenty-seventh Precinct Station-house; from John J. Blauvelt applying for appointment as Examiner; from W. T. Standen, applying for permit to erect stable; from China & Japan Trading Company, requesting information relative to hatchways; from Robert MacGregor and others (9), requesting inspection of buildings;

Referring to Attorney, violation cases (59), fire escape cases (21), and unsafe cases (10), for prosecution; communications from the Inspector of Buildings requesting return of violation cases (55), fire escape cases (33), and unsafe cases (11); that violation case No. 56 be prosecuted and proceedings stayed in unsafe and violation cases (4); also enclosing summons served on him, with request that action be taken to protect himself and the Department; recommendations of Inspector of Combustibles that legal proceedings be instituted for violations of chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and against proprietor of Daly's Theatre for refusing to provide direct telegraphic communication; also report relative to open hatchways at No. 14 and 16 Vandewater street, for opinion; report of Foreman Engine Co. No. 43 of damage caused by tug Fuller, with directions to require payment of damages;

Referring to the Superintendent of Telegraph, for compliance, recommendation of Chief Ninth Battalion of special building signals for Ward's and Randall's Islands; communications from Law Department relative to claim of S. Boardman, Executor of Sarah, Bishop for repairs to cable; and from Department of Public Parks relative to erection of poles at One Hundred and Tenth street and Sixth avenue without permit, for report; application of Superintendent of Leake and Watts Orphan House for telegraphic connection, for recommendation;

Referring to the Bookkeeper statement of changes in the uniformed force for the month of March.

Granting leaves of absence to Chief of Department.  
Communicating to Department of Public Works, recommendations of Chief of Department of locations for fire hydrants.

Addressing a communication to his Honor the Mayor, requesting that action be taken to secure detection and punishment of parties tampering with the boxes of the fire-alarm system.

Directing compliance with request of Law Department for copies of orders, etc., in case of James Hunter; and return to writ of *certiorari* in matter of Ernest Drevet.

Transmitting to Police Department copy of report of Foreman Engine Company, No. 34, relative to an impostor soliciting contributions for relief of alleged family of an injured fireman.

Making application to the Comptroller for building at Elm and White streets for use of the Department.

Ordering that advancement of Private Charles Morganroe, Engine Company No. 34, to first grade, take effect from July 4, 1882.

Directing that check for \$50 received by the Inspector of Buildings from William Doyle, for violation of law at No. 39 Essex street, be paid to attorney; that check of R. J. Wright, security deposit accompanying proposal, be returned, not being in compliance with the law; also, reply to communication from Max Messner, South Norwalk, Conn., requesting information relative to fire at No. 702 Broadway.

Communicating to Finance Department report of N. LeBrun & Son, Architects, relative to number of days in default by contractor for alteration, etc., of house of Engine Co. No. 31.

Acceptance of resignation of Fireman George Archbold, of Engine Co. No. 3, from April 24, and directing that charges of "absence without leave," etc., be filed.

Advancement of Private James C. Brogan, of Engine Co. No. 17, from third to second grade from May 1; appointment of Michael J. McAuliffe as Private Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, 5th instant; appointment of James Crotty as laborer in repair shops, at \$1.90 per day, from March 22; promotion of Fireman David Hyde, Engine Co. No. 27, to rank of Assistant Foreman Engine Co. No. 34, from March 22.

Directing that Blackwell's, Ward's and Randall's Islands be assigned to Ninth Battalion, and that Foreman James Hunter be assigned to command of Engine Co. No. 49.

Directing the following

### Transfers

—to take effect March 23:  
Fireman Lawrence Murphy, Engine Co. No. 16 to Engine Co. No. 37.  
" Patrick Healey, Engine Co. No. 14 to Engine Co. No. 37.  
" Thomas Clark, Engine Co. No. 3 to Engine Co. No. 37.  
—to take effect April 5:  
Assistant Foreman David Hyde, Engine Co. No. 34 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8.  
" James J. Gerity, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8 to Engine Co. No. 34.  
Fireman Patrick Trainor, Engine Co. No. 30 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8.  
" Andrew Gilmartin, Engine Co. No. 29 to Engine Co. No. 4.  
Private Michael F. Reilly, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8.  
" Charles Morganroe, Engine Co. No. 34 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8.  
" John J. Kenny, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8 to Engine Co. No. 30.  
" Timothy F. Sullivan, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6.  
" John T. Conroy, Engine Co. No. 13 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8.  
" John F. Finnell, Engine Co. No. 4 to Engine Co. No. 29.

—to take effect April 10:  
Private William J. Kavanagh, Engine Co. No. 10 to Engine Co. No. 49.

—to take effect May 1:  
Assistant Foreman Henry Schuck, Engine Co. No. 45 to Engine Co. No. 49.

Fireman Moses Ryer, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2.  
" William Gallagher, Engine Co. No. 30 to Engine Co. No. 13.

Private Edward A. Scannell, Engine Co. No. 44 to Engine Co. No. 16.

—to take effect May 2:  
Fireman John Duane, Engine Co. No. 12 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 13.

The President reported that a meeting of the officials designated in section 13, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, for the purchase of real estate for use of the Department, was held at the Mayor's office, on the 4th instant, and that the purchase of property, 34x50 feet, in rear of quarters of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 18, was authorized at a cost of \$750, to be paid for by the issue of bond by the Comptroller, application therefor having been made to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment.

### Communications.

From—  
The President—Report relative to complaint of L. J. Callahan, of telegraph poles in Eleventh street. Filed.

The Treasurer—Statements of the Relief and Life Insurance Funds for quarter ending March 31. Filed, with directions to compile.

Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph, returning report of Foreman Hook and Ladder Co. No. 19, relative to truck in use by company, with information that a new truck is being built at repair shops. Filed.

Same, returning application of Commissioners of Emigration for alarm box, with the information that a box has been located at Castle Garden. Filed.

Same, returning communication from the Department of Public Works relative to temporary quarters for Engine Cos. Nos. 6 and 10, with permits received for erection of temporary structures. Filed.

Same, returning report of Superintendent of Telegraph relative to damage to box 487, and communications (18), relative to fire escapes, etc. with recommendation. Filed.

Chief of Department—Report of operations for month of March. Filed.

Same—Report of operations for quarter ending March 31. Filed, with directions to compile.

Same, recommending extension of twelve-inch water pipe in Elizabeth street. Filed, with directions to communicate to Department of Public Works.

Same, statement of changes in uniformed force for month of April. Filed.

Same, recommending that new steam fire engines be located with Engine Cos. Nos. 1, 4, 14, and 17, and new four-wheel tenders with Engine Cos. Nos. 1, 21, 23, and 44. Approved.

Same, reporting localities where hydrants are required or an insufficient supply of water. Filed, with directions to communicate to Department of Public Works.

Same—Tabular statement of fires, by days, etc., during year 1881. Filed.

Same—List of officers and men detailed to Engine Co. No. 49. Filed.



Same, recommending that hose towers be built in quarters of Engine Cos. Nos. 23 and 40. Filed.

Assistant Chief of Department, reporting violation of law at Madison Square Garden. Filed.  
 Chiefs of Battalion—Petition for amendment of General Orders No. 20, 1881. Approved.  
 Examining Board—Reports of examination on applications for promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman of Privates William Reilly, of Engine Co. No. 24, and Patrick T. Horan, of Engine Co. No. 25; and to rank of Assistant Engineer of Steamer of Privates Samuel T. Warren, of Engine Co. No. 1, and William E. Dodge, of Engine Co. No. 39. Filed.

Chief Ninth Battalion—Reports relative to fire protection on Blackwell's, Ward's and Randall's Islands. Filed.

Chief Fourth Battalion, reporting expiration of term as Notary Public. Filed.  
 Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph—Reports of fireman in charge of training stable to 4th instant. Filed.

#### Transfer.

Fireman Michael Gallagher, Engine Co. No. 13 to Engine Co. No. 30, 8th instant.  
 On motion, a recess was taken.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Reconvened at 1:30 P. M.

Present—President John J. Gorman, Commissioners Cornelius Van Cott and Henry D. Purroy.  
 The minutes of meetings held 19th, 20th, 21st and 27th, ultimo, were read and approved.

#### Transfers

—to take effect from 8th instant:  
 Fireman James H. Ballentine, Engine Co. No. 13 to Engine No. 30.  
 Private Joseph F. Manning, Engine Co. No. 30 to Engine Co. No. 13.

#### Communications.

From—  
 Chief Tenth Battalion—Recommending that an alarm box be located at One Hundred and Fiftieth street and Westchester road. Approved.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 29—Report relative to false alarm, station 64, and forwarding key found in box. Filed.

Assistant Foreman Engine Co. No. 5—Report relative to condition of hose on steamer Minnahamock. Filed.

Chief Fifth Battalion—Foremen Engine Cos. Nos. 5, 9, 35 and 37, and Hook and Ladder Co. No. 6, reporting cords on seals of horses broken. Referred to Property Record Clerk.

Chief Fifth Battalion—Report of inspection of Y. M. C. A. Building, Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 37—Report relative to protection against fire at Bloomingdale Lunatic Asylum. Filed.

Chief of Department, returning report relative to truck in use by Engine Co. No. 38, with the information that truck proposed to be substituted is unfit for service. Filed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 26, relative to fastenings for swinging harness. Filed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 48, reporting death of horse. Filed.

Foremen Engine Cos. Nos. 7, 9, 20 and 29—Reports of defective length of hose. Filed, with directions to require that same be replaced by contractors.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 41, reporting repairs required to quarters. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 5, reporting defective drainage in rear of quarters. Referred to Secretary with directions to communicate with Health Department.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 24, reporting repairs required to quarters. Filed.

Foremen Engine Cos. Nos. 13 and 33, and Hook and Ladder Co.'s Nos. 11 and 18, reporting horses furnished for trial not suitable. Referred to Superintendent of Horses.

Foremen Engine Cos. Nos. 23 and 24, and Hook and Ladder Co. No. 11, reporting satisfactory trials of horses. Referred to Superintendent of Horses.

Foreman Engine Co. 47, reporting horse unfit for service. Referred to Superintendent of Horses.

Foreman Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16—Report relative to false alarm, station 671, and forwarding key found in lock of box. Filed.

Foreman Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3, reporting loss and subsequent recovery of key located at 58 East Fourteenth street. Filed.

Foreman Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, reporting loss of key located at 225 West Fifty-second street. Filed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 39, reporting loss of key located at Chapin Home. Filed.

Chief of Department—Forwarding key found, lock of box 571; false alarm. Filed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 21, reporting loss of key located at 621 Third avenue. Filed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 34—Report relative to false alarm, station 452, and forwarding key found in lock of box. Filed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 10, reporting loss of key located at 2 South William street. Filed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 36, reporting loss of box key by Assistant Foreman John A. Munger. Filed, and a fine of \$5 imposed.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 14, reporting loss of belt and wrench by Fireman Michael Connors. Filed, and fined three days' pay.

Firemen John J. Golden, Samuel Reed and Lawrence J. Reilly, of Engine Cos. Nos. 5, 26 and 28, and Peter Mulvehill and John Trainor, of Hook and Ladder Cos. Nos. 10 and 17 respectively, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Foreman. Referred to Examining Board.

Privates Samuel T. Warren and Herman Busse, of Engine Cos. Nos. 1 and 23 respectively, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer of steamer. Referred to Examining Board.

Private Joseph F. Walsh, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 12, applying for advancement from third to second grade. Ordered from 1st proximo.

Assistant Foreman David Hyde and James J. Gerity, requesting transfer. Filed.

Assistant Foreman Charles McNamee, of Engine Co. No. 20, applying for full pay for five days' special leave. Granted.

Firemen Albert H. Hendrickson, of Engine Co. No. 11, applying for full pay while on sick leave. Laid over.

Engineer of steamer, John R. Day, of Engine Co. No. 30, requesting permission to attach fire escape to a Department building. Filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—Reports of operations for months of February, March and April. Filed.

Same—Report of operations for quarter ending March 31. Filed with directions to compile.

Same—Reports of licenses and permits issued to 2d instant. Filed.

Same—Reporting violations of law. Filed and following resolution adopted:  
 Resolved, That John H. Otten, 7 Pell street, be and is hereby fined \$50 for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871; that Frank Baldwin, 33 South street; Koch, Sons & Co., 156 William street, and George W. Dorr, 46 Harrison street, be and are hereby fined \$50 each for violation of section 8, chapter 742, Laws of 1871: that

Jacob Von Gerichten, 542 Greenwich street,  
 David Crossingham, 38 Horatio street,  
 Adam Hammiter, 60 New Bowery,  
 Tetta Childs, 160 East 71st street,  
 Julius Homer, 137 Avenue D,  
 J. Ives, 194 Franklin street,  
 Patrick Murphy, 54 Downing street,  
 S. P. Cox, 286 Fifth avenue,  
 Peter Matthews, 134 West 35th street,  
 Mary Londregan, Williamsbridge,  
 Margaret Deering, Concord avenue,  
 Isabella Woods, 318 East 25th street,  
 Charles Knowlton, 340 East 74th street,  
 Patrick Brannigan, 549 First avenue,  
 Aeter Harms, 829 First avenue,  
 Philip Callahan, 310 West 44th street,  
 Charles Zevinsky, 17 Forsyth street,  
 Louis B. Wright, 100 East 39th street,  
 Michael Phalen, 538 Tenth avenue,  
 Wm. Horstman, 84 Lewis avenue,  
 Ann Smith, 4th avenue and 176th street,  
 William Faust, 8 Orchard street,  
 Mrs. Simpson, 140 Essex street,  
 Bridget Slattery, 819 First avenue,  
 Mrs. Fahey, 230 Mott street,  
 Sarah Quinn, 87 Tenth avenue,  
 Henry Fleischman, 363 East Houston street,  
 Edward Schenck, 504 East 11th street,  
 Mary Cook, 239 Elizabeth street,  
 William Hamilton, 218 East 31st street,  
 —be and are hereby fined \$5 each for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871,

and that in each of the above-named cases the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Same, recommending discontinuance of legal proceedings against:  
 Mary Buddensick, 329 East 8th street,  
 John Nittenger, 305 East 11th street,  
 John G. Norman, 104 West 18th street,  
 Matthew Baird, 310 West street.

Approved and referred to Attorney.

Same, recommending that legal proceeding be instituted against James O'Brien, 552 West Fifty-first street, for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871. Referred to attorney for prosecution.

Same, recommending remission of penalties imposed for violations of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, for reasons assigned, viz.:

Henry Klee, 252 Tenth avenue.  
 William Schaffer, 311 East 126th street.  
 P. Strazino, 187 Mulberry street.  
 Elizabeth Monahan, 21 Morris street.  
 Moses Koch, 21 Henry street.  
 George Crawford, 6 Clarke street.  
 John Drummond, 61 East Broadway.  
 Alvis Ochs, 522 East 12th street.  
 J. V. Brokaw, 528 Fifth avenue.  
 Philip Wasser, 326 67th street.

Approved.

Same, reporting compliance with recommendations relative to fire appliances, etc., at Grand Opera House, Haverly's Fourteenth Street, Volks Garden, Miner's, Windsor, National and Grand Central Theatres, and Lexington Avenue Opera House. Filed.

Same, returning reports of inspection (3) by company officers, with information that directions given have been complied with. Filed.

Fire Marshal—Reports for the month, quarter and year ending December 31, 1881, and for months of January and February. Filed.

Inspector of Buildings—Report of operations for month of January. Filed.

Same—Report relative to additional means of exit required at Deaf and Dumb Institution, One Hundred and Sixty-second street and Eleventh avenue. Filed.

Same, returning copy of verdict of coroner's jury in the matter of fire in Potter building, with report that architects and builders have been notified in what manner furnace and boiler flues must be built. Filed.

Same, relative to delay in prosecution of fire escape and violation cases. Filed.

Same—Report of inspection of Centre Market building. Filed, with directions to communicate to Comptroller.

Same, returning orders of Court in fire escape cases No. 142 and 144 of 1881, as directed, with statement. Referred to attorney.

Same, preferring charges of neglect of duty against Examiner William McNamara. Laid over.

Same, returning communication from Finance Department, relative to bill against late Department of Buildings for telephone service in 1880, with statement of Chief Clerk Dumahant. Filed, with directions to communicate to Comptroller.

Same, returning application of John J. Blauvelt, for appointment as Examiner, with report that applicant was declared disqualified. Filed.

Attorney—Report of operations for year 1881. Filed.

Same—Opinion that the appropriation for ordinary uses of the Department cannot be legally expended in making permanent provision for fire extinguishing purposes on Hart's Island. Filed.

Same, returning violation case No. 25, with affidavit, and recommending that case be dismissed. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Same—Report of penalties collected for violation of building laws. Filed, with directions to inform Inspector of Buildings.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Report of operations for quarter ending March 31. Filed, with directions to compile.

Same, reporting that telegraphic communication has been established with quarters of Engine Co. No. 49. Filed.

Same, reporting completion of fire alarm system on Blackwell's Island, and that same has been connected with quarters of Engine Co. No. 49 and Central Office. Filed.

Same, recommending that alarm boxes be placed at signal stations 933, 936 and 937, and at St. Joseph's Asylum, Fordham. Approved.

Same, reporting change of location of signal station 128 and location of alarm box thereat; also, that duplicate box 5 has been placed at Castle Garden. Filed.

Same—List of additions and changes in General Order No. 26, 1881. Filed.

Same, relative to third alarm signal for station 452, received April 25.

Same, returning application of Watkins' Automatic Signal Telegraph Co., for permission to run wires on Department poles, with report as directed. Filed.

Same, daily reports of work and duty performed by employees. Filed.

Same—Report relative to false alarm sent from box 896. Filed.

Same, reporting that Windsor Hotel has been connected by telegraph, and a special building signal designated. Filed.

Same—List of special building signals for Blackwell's Island. Filed.

Same, reporting lineman William Dix, restored to pay and duty. Filed.

Same—Report relative to application of Superintendent of Leake and Watts Orphan House for telegraphic communication. Filed, with directions to communicate.

Same, returning communication from Department of Public Parks relative to removal of sidewalk at One Hundred and Tenth street and Sixth avenue, with report that work was discontinued and walk replaced. Filed.

Medical Officers—Report of examination of Fireman Joseph Saunders, of Engine Co. No. 4, as to his ability to perform duty. Laid over.

Same, recommending amendment of Sec. 2, Article 1, General Orders No. 23, 1881. Approved.

Same, reporting injury to Private Christopher Clarke, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7. Filed.

Chief of Battalion in Charge Repair Shops, relative to ambulance call sent out on 26th ultimo. Filed.

Same, reporting receipt of new four-wheel tender, and that same was sent to quarters of Engine Company No. 44. Filed.

Same, reporting that new truck, built at Repair Shops, has been placed in service with Engine Company No. 48. Filed.

Same, reporting receipt, from Clapp & Jones' Manufacturing Company, of Engine No. 18, and that same was tested and placed in service. Filed.

Same, recommending repairs to Ninth Battalion spare engine. Filed.

Same, reporting that defective hose has been replaced by contractor and delivered to Engine Company No. 7. Filed.

Same, reporting suspension from pay and duty of Watchman Thomas McNulty. Confirmed.

Superintendent of Horses—Reporting death of horses Nos. 68 and 131. Filed.

Same—Weekly reports to 30th ultimo. Filed.

Property Record Clerk—Referring to rendition of property returns. Referred to Commissioner Van Cott.

His Honor the Mayor—Acknowledging receipt of Department Report for 1881. Filed.

Same—Referring letter from O. B. Bird relative to fire escapes. Filed.

Board of Aldermen—Copy of resolution relative to preliminary requirements for granting permission for construction of bay-windows, etc. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Comptroller—Statements of condition of appropriation to 20th ultimo. Filed.

Council to Corporation—Directing attention to provisions of law relating to leaders, and requesting that action be taken to enforce the same. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Police Department—Copy of report relative to improper use of key. Filed.

Department of Public Works—Stating that repairs have been made to approach to bridge at Fourth avenue and Fifty-second street. Filed.

Same—Notice of change of number of quarters Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, from No. 195 to No. 209 Elizabeth street. Filed.

District Attorney, commending members of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 1, for extinguishing fire in his office. Filed.

New York Board of Fire Underwriters—Certificates that buildings Nos. 13 and 14 West street, 46 West street, and 20 Washington street, have been approved for storage of vegetable fibre. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles.

Superintendent New York Hospital—Regulations for response to calls for ambulance. Filed.

American District Telegraph Co., applying for additional alarm-box keys. Filed, with directions to reply that same will be furnished upon application to company commanders.

American Rapid Telegraph Co., requesting permission to place wires on Department poles in Seventieth street, from Third avenue to Avenue A. Referred to Superintendent of Telegraph for report.

Charles E. Berry, relative to patent hames for swinging harness on trial. Filed, with directions to reply.

Bookbinders' Provident Association, requesting permission to make presentation to Private John J. Horan, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, for meritorious conduct at fire in Potter building. Filed, having been granted by the President.

Bricklayer's Union No. 4, requesting appointment of an Examiner in Bureau of Inspection of Buildings (laid over 4th ultimo). Filed, with directions to reply.



Erastus Brooks, recommending Thomas Moore for appointment. Filed.  
 William Corkran, suggesting device for detecting numbers of keys used in sending out false alarms. Filed.  
 Dennison Manufacturing Co., proposing to furnish a boiler for a Department fire engine. Filed.  
 Nathan C. Ely, recommending Samuel Bailey for appointment. Filed.  
 W. A. Ewing—Claim against Private William T. Lear, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5. Filed, with directions to notify.  
 W. P. Greenough—Copy of patent for improvement in grappling projectiles. Filed.  
 Harkness Fire-Extinguisher Co., proposing a public competitive test under direction of the department. Filed.  
 George Hayes—Copy of decision in U. S. Circuit Court in the matter of Hayes against Barkel. Filed.  
 H. Higgins, Superintendent, commending the Department for services at fire in E. S. Higgins' carpet factory. Filed.  
 Christopher Iles, applying for reinstatement. Referred to Commissioner Van Cott.  
 S. Jenny & Son, requesting remission of penalty imposed for selling kerosene oil below test. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles, with directions to enforce collection.  
 Lord, Mignault & Vinet, submitting sample of Lord's patent coupling. Filed, with directions to reply.  
 G. F. G. Morgan, suggesting means for saving life at fires. Filed.  
 John H. Morrell—Invitation to inspect storage warehouses. Filed.  
 W. A. Morrison, directing attention to the Anchor projectile. Filed.  
 Mutual Union Telegraph Co., requesting permission to rebuild department line in Liberty or Cedar street. Referred to Superintendent of Telegraph for report.  
 N. Y. Newspaper Union, relative to insufficient water supply. Referred to Department of Public Works.  
 Hugh Pierson, requesting information relative to fire escapes. Filed.  
 William Poillon, relative to location of alarm-box key. Filed, with directions to reply.  
 L. L. Van Allen, Assembly Chamber—Relative to introduction and reference of bill. Filed.  
 James J. J. Fleming & Co.—Notice of claim against James Brady, contractor. Filed.  
 City Clerk, Rochester, N. Y., requesting information as to liability of electric light apparatus to cause or promote fires. Referred to superintendent of telegraph, with directions to reply.  
 James L. Klee, requesting return of communication relative to fire escapes. Filed, with directions to reply.  
 Antonio Brenguier, Santa Clara, Cuba, requesting information as to organization of a fire-brigade, etc. Filed, with directions to furnish copy of annual report.  
 John H. Laskey, requesting information as to method of construction of water-tower. Referred to Chief of Department.  
 Manning Merrill, requesting permission to make presentation to Fireman John L. Rooney, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 10, for meritorious service at fire in Potter building. Filed, having been granted by the President.  
 C. C. Hines, editor "Insurance Monitor," relative to corps of sappers and miners. Referred to Assistant Chief of Department for reply.  
 L. A. Levy, offering to exchange property No. 10 for No. 8 Stone street. Filed.  
 J. G. Stewart, requesting purchase of his fire escape and hose elevator. Filed, with directions to reply that law does not permit purchase in the manner proposed.  
 James F. Higgins, attorney—Claim against a member of the Department. Referred to the President.  
 Isaac H. Dahlman, relative to horses furnished on trial. Referred to Supply Clerk for report.  
 Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co.—Renewal of telephone exchange subscription for current year. Filed.  
 Police Department—Application for new alarm box keys (laid over February 4). Filed, keys having been furnished.

## Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment.

## For the Year 1881—Schedule No. 80.

Brady, James, new house for companies.....	\$8,14c 00	LeBrun, N. & Son, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$113 65
Graff & Company, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	723 00	LeBrun, N. & Son, new houses for companies.....	555 00
			<u>\$9,531 65</u>

## For the Current Year—Schedule No. 24.

Banta, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$40 00	Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$63 00
Bowns, H. E., ".....	3,951 02	New York Gas Light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	159 75
Central Gas Light Co., ".....	29 92	Oakley, Henry A., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	20 20
Dobbs, Edwin, ".....	40 00	Pearce & Jones, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	128 45
Dobbs, William H., ".....	225 00	Quackenbush, Townsend & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	8 00
Dudley, Henry, ".....	40 00	Tillotson, L. G. & Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	19 50
Duffey, Philip, ".....	25 00	White, B. F., apparatus, supplies, etc.,	10 90
Dumahant, E. G., ".....	135 41		
Flandrau, A. S. & Co., ".....	175 00		<u>\$6,176 77</u>
Fuller, A. P., ".....	29 85		
Haw, William, & Co., ".....	135 00		
Ilseley, Doubleday & Co., ".....	343 30		
Law Telegraph Co., ".....	30 00		
Manhattan Gas Light Co., ".....	496 12		
Metropolitan Gas Light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	71 55		

## For the Current Year—Schedule No. 25.

Byrnes, J., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$6 00	Kiernan, Bernard, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$39 00
Conlin, William, ".....	36 00	Lattimore & Dougherty, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	24 00
Cleary & Donnelly, ".....	12 00	Leyton, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	9 00
Donoghue, T. & M., ".....	12 00	Logan, Andrew, ".....	9 00
Dowd, James, ".....	24 00	Murray, Patrick, ".....	12 00
Dunn, John F., ".....	6 00	McAvoy, John, ".....	15 00
Duross, Neil, ".....	3 00	McCann, Patrick, ".....	15 00
Fallon, Owen, ".....	60 00	McKenna, Patrick, ".....	9 00
Fitzpatrick, John, ".....	24 00	McKenna, William, ".....	44 50
Fox, Thomas, ".....	21 00	McKenna & Mulholland, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	9 00
Gallon, Thomas J., ".....	33 00	O'Neil, Joseph, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	54 00
George, John, ".....	9 00	Roche, James, ".....	12 00
Gogerty, Michael, ".....	18 00	Russell, Thomas, ".....	24 00
Hassler, John A., ".....	15 00	Short, Joseph, ".....	21 00
Hayes, Dennis, ".....	9 75		
Hayes, John, ".....	15 00		<u>\$723 75</u>
Kennedy & Sheehan, ".....	45 00		
Kenny, Bernard, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	27 00		

On motion, adjourned.

CHARLES DE. F. BURNS, Assistant Secretary.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
 May 10, 1882.

Present—President, John J. Gorman, Commissioner Cornelius Van Cott, and Henry D. Purroy.  
 Affidavit relative to publication of advertisement inviting proposals was read and filed, and approved form of contract submitted.

## Proposal for Constructing a Floating Engine

was received and opened in the presence of the Comptroller, as follows:  
 No. 1. From the Pusey & Jones Co., Wilmington, Del., for \$45,800, with security deposit, \$1,150. Referred to the Comptroller for action upon the sureties.

## Trials.

Fireman Patrick J. Feehan, of Engine Co. No. 37, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty, and fined six days' pay.  
 Private Edward F. Slevin, of Engine Co. No. 31, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty, and fined six days' pay.  
 Fireman Lewis S. Hoagland, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8, charged with "violation of section 1, par. II., General Orders No. 21, 1881, and "neglect of duty." Found guilty, and fined six days' pay.

Charges preferred against engineer of steamer "Frank A. Aldrich," of Engine Co. No. 20 detailed to Engine Co. No. 15, were filed, and tender of resignation accepted, to take effect on the 8th instant.

## Appointments.

Michael F. Dwyer, as Machinist in Repair Shops, at \$3 per day.  
 James Goring, as Private, Engine Co. No. 7, 10th instant.  
 Thomas F. Kane, as Private, Engine Co. No. 12, 15th instant.

## Transfer.

Private Joseph F. Manning, Engine Co. No. 13, to Engine Co. No. 30, 12th instant.

## Communications.

From—

Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph, forwarding, with recommendation, requisitions for articles required; estimated cost, \$191.17; \$225 and \$282.34 respectively; for repairs to gauges and wagons, \$7, \$12.10, and 26.70; and for rental of telephones, \$60. Ordered.  
 Superintendent of Horses—Reports of selection and acceptance of horse for Engine Co. No. 23, and recommending purchase at \$300. Ordered.  
 Same—Recommending selection of horse for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 3. Ordered.  
 Foreman Engine Co. No. 14—Report of inspection of premises No. 22 East Seventeenth street. Filed.  
 Engineer of Steamer "John H. Leonard," of Engine Co. No. 5, applying for pay deducted by error on April pay-roll. Granted.  
 Assistant Engineer of Steamer "James Delaney," of Engine Co. No. 14, relative to claim of John Koster. Referred to Chief of Department for investigation.  
 Inspector of Combustibles—Report of licenses and permits issued to 9th instant. Filed.  
 Same, reporting violations of law. Filed, and following resolution adopted:  
 Resolved, That Calvin Goddard, 330 East Seventeenth street; Andrew Gardella, 6 Baxter street; John Malavy, 550 West Forty-third street; Patrick McCormack, 242 First avenue; Edward R. Holden, 115 East Seventy-ninth street; Hugh Gaskin, 2428 First avenue, and Lewis Fleischmann, 788 Broadway, be and are hereby fined \$5 each for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that in each of the above-named cases the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.  
 Same, recommending that legal proceedings for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, be instituted against:  
 Michael Kenny, 72 Mott street, Patrick Dillon, 326 East 39th street.  
 Ellen Seery, 327 East 48th street, Nicholas Scott, 239 East 42d street,  
 Richard Hogan, 200 East 44th street, Cornelia Buckalew, 91 West street,  
 Mary O'Connor, 336 East 48th street, Anna E. Angevine, 842 Second avenue.  
 Referred to the attorney for prosecution.  
 Same, recommending discontinuance of legal proceedings against:  
 Nicholas Heins, 1656 Second avenue, John H. Waterman, 427 West 40th street,  
 H. and A. Rancke, 1233 First avenue, Henry Petrie, 293 1/2 Delancey street,  
 Eliza Smith, 252 W. 47th street, Clara Rathjen, 62 Monroe street.  
 Approved and referred to the attorney.  
 Attorney—Stenographer's transcript of testimony in Court of Common Pleas, in matter of Windsor Theatre. Filed.  
 Superintendent of Telegraph—Daily reports of work and duty performed by employees. Filed.  
 Same, returning application of James Brussel & Co., for removal of telegraph pole in East Fifty-ninth street, with report as directed. Filed, with directions to communicate.  
 Superintendent of Horses—Report for week ending 8th instant. Filed.  
 Same, recommending sale of eight condemned horses. Filed, with directions to advertise sale at auction.  
 On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

MAY 11, 1882.

Present—President John J. Gorman, Commissioners Cornelius Van Cott and Henry D. Purroy.  
 The following resolution was, on motion, adopted:  
 Resolved, That in future no exhibitions of the Department outside of quarters be given unless the same be specially authorized by the Board. Adopted.  
 Chairman Committee on Repairs and Supplies submitted specifications for new house at 15 Great Jones street, for Engine Co. No. 33. Approved, with directions to advertise for proposals.

## Communications.

From—

Foreman Engine Co. No. 11, reporting strap of seal broken. Referred to Property Record Clerk.  
 Foreman Engine Co. 35, reporting loss of badge by Fireman Christopher Daly. Filed, and a fine of \$5 imposed.  
 Foreman Engine Co. No. 48, reporting satisfactory trial of horse. Referred to Superintendent of Horses.  
 Superintendent of Telegraph, returning application of Mutual Union Telegraph Co. to rebuild line in Cedar street, with recommendation that permission be granted, poles to be located as designated, and the Department to have choice of position for its wires. Approved.  
 His Honor the Mayor, referring communication from Yale Lock Co., proposing a change in locks of alarm boxes. Filed.  
 Comptroller—Statement of condition of appropriation to 5th instant. Filed.  
 Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Company, and Manhattan Locomotive Works—Relative to proposed trial of Engines. Filed.  
 Julia Dickell—Claim against Fireman Joseph Weidman of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7. Filed, with directions to notify.  
 P. G. Muller, relative to a claim against a member of the Department. Filed.  
 Henry C. Peck, applying for appointment as Examiner. Filed.  
 F. Pustel & Co., calling attention to lamp left burning at 50 Barclay street. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles.  
 J. G. Stewart—Proposing to furnish a Shaw fire escape ladder and hose elevator. Filed, with directions to reply.

## Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

## For the Current Year—Schedule No. 26.

Bates, Henry W., Agent, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$20 00	N. Y. Calcium Light Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	\$6 00
Bowns, H. E., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	914 02	Ogden & Wallace, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	45 75
Clapp & Jones Mfg. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	23 00	Peyser, John, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	37 03
Clapp & Jones Mfg. Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	936 00	Powers, John, Manager, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	26 75
Dahlman, Isaac H., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	600 00	Schmidt, A. & Bros., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	6 00
Dahlman, Isaac H., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	600 00	Sebastian, Jacob, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	3 50
Dean, Jeremiah, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	6 00	Seery, Peter, apparatus, supplies, etc.....	58 63
Dorn, Charles, H., ".....	82 00	Sheldon, George H., ".....	24 40
Dunham, Thomas C., ".....	118 00	Smith, J. Elliott, ".....	32 70
Gale, D. G., ".....	18 60	Swett, Moses, ".....	25 50
Hart, George H., ".....	132 56	Tillotson, L. G. & Co., ".....	15 30
Joannes, Emile, ".....	25 60	Walsh, John F., ".....	118 00
Ketterer, Charles P., ".....	141 05		
Moonan, John, ".....	986 63		<u>\$5,067 02</u>
Moseman, C. M. & Bro., apparatus, supplies, etc.....	64 00		

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

MAY 15, 1882.

Present—President John J. Gorman, Commissioners Van Cott and Henry D. Purroy.

## Communications.

From—

Chairman Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph, forwarding, with recommendation, requisition for repairs to hose, estimated cost, \$15. Ordered.  
 Chairman Committee on Repairs and Supplies, forwarding, with recommendation, requisitions for mason work at store-house, No. 180 Clinton street, and carpenter work at quarters Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16, estimated cost \$95 and \$685 respectively. Ordered.







1st. 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 an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. 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 to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of October, 1882, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at fifty dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the pier and bulkhead, to be removed, 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 a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract, and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and 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 work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 the amount of security required by 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 contract required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered, will be subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the City of New York, and A. Newbold Morris, Trustee, and others, owners of the southerly half of said pier, one half to each, any difference between the sum to which said person would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation and said owners may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of 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 contract required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered, will be subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the City of New York, and A. Newbold Morris, Trustee, and others, owners of the southerly half of said pier, represented by John F. Doyle, as agent, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York, or of A. Newbold Morris, Trustee, and others, represented by John F. Doyle, as agent, owners of the southerly half of said pier.

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.

WILLIAM LAMBEER,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 6, 1882.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 161.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING THE SLIPS IN THE VICINITY OF THE DUMPS AT THE FOOT OF WEST TWELFTH AND WEST THIRTY-SEVENTH STREETS, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING THE SLIPS IN the vicinity of the Dumps at the foot of West Twelfth and West Thirty-seventh streets, North river, 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

MONDAY, JUNE 19, 1882.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be 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 one thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of the material necessary to be dredged in order to secure at the premises mentioned the depth below mean low water, named in the specifications, is 12,000 cubic yards.

N. B.—As the above mentioned quantity, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible in advance, is 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 dredging, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantity, 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. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the price therefor per cubic yard to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 31st day of July, 1882, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract 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 material excavated is to be removed by the contractor, and deposited, in all respects, according to law; and any material dredged, not so deposited, shall not be paid for.

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

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and 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 person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation the amount of security required by 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 contract required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered, will be subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM LAMBEER,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

#### NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
Nos. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,  
NEW YORK, April 22, 1882.

**RULES AND REGULATIONS ESTABLISHED** for the government and proper care of piers, bulkheads, slips, and other wharf property, under the provisions of subdivision 7 of section 6 of chapter 574 of the Laws of 1871, by the Board of the Department of Docks, and published, to take effect on and after

MAY 1, 1882.

The said subdivision 7, among other things, provides as follows:

"The violation of or disobedience to any rule, regulation, or order of said Board shall be a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or by both such fine and imprisonment, on complaint of said Board."

And every person guilty of a violation of or disobedience to any of the following rules or regulations, in addition to the penalties thereby fixed and imposed, to be recovered in civil actions, is liable to be prosecuted for a misdemeanor and to be punished by such fine and imprisonment, or by both.

No. 1.—No piles shall be driven, nor shall any platform be erected, nor shall any filling-in of any kind be made on any part of the water-front of the city, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the Board, under a penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars, for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee, or occupant of any pier or bulkhead, or of any water-front property or right, who shall cause or permit any such work to be done upon his premises before such permit therefor has been obtained, and under the further penalty of fifty dollars for each and every day which shall elapse before any piles so driven, or platform so erected, or material so filled-in, without such permit being first obtained, shall be removed, after the expiration of the time which may be allowed for such removal, by a notice served upon such owner, lessee, or occupant, by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district, to be also recovered from such owner, lessee, or occupant.

No. 2.—No shed, building, office, tally-house, or other structure shall be erected, nor shall any derrick, hoisting-mast, coal-hopper, sign, or advertising device, or other erection or obstruction of any kind be placed or maintained upon any pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, nor upon any reclaimed land, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the Board; and if the owner, lessee, or occupant of any such premises, or the owner, lessee, or agent, of any such structure, erections, or obstructions, shall fail to comply with a notice served by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district to remove any such structure, erection, or obstruction, after the expiration of the time allowed by such notice for the removal, such owner, lessee, occupant or agent, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day, which shall elapse before any such structure, erection or obstruction, shall be removed, after the expiration of the time for the removal thereof specified in said notice.

No. 3.—No cargo shall be discharged from any vessel upon any bulkhead or wharf structure, at which such vessel is being unladen, after service by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district, upon the owner, consignee, master, or other officer, or stevedore, of such vessel, of a notice that such bulkhead or structure will be endangered by the placing of additional cargo thereon, under a penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars for every such offense, and a further penalty equal in amount to the damages of every description which shall be caused by the further discharging of cargo upon such bulkhead or wharf structure, after the service of the said notice, both of such penalties to be recovered from such owner, consignee, master or other officer or stevedore, severally and respectively.

No. 4.—All goods, merchandise, and materials of every kind, landed or placed on any pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, or upon reclaimed land, must be removed therefrom without unnecessary delay, and within twenty-four hours after the Corporation Wharfinger for the district shall have served upon the owner, shipper, or consignee, of such cargo, a notice to remove the same, under a penalty of fifty dollars per day for each and every day, during which any part of said cargo shall remain upon such pier, bulkhead, structure, or land, after the expiration of the said twenty-four hours, to be recovered from such owner, shipper, or consignee, severally and respectively.

No. 5.—All goods, merchandise and materials of every kind encumbering any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, or reclaimed land, after the time designated for the removal thereof shall have expired, will be liable to be removed by the Board to any warehouse or yard, at the sole risk and expense of the owner of any such property, and all expense incurred for such removal and storage or otherwise, shall be and become a lien thereon, and such goods, merchandise and materials will not be delivered to the owner until the expense of such removal and storage has been paid.

No. 6.—No person shall construct or maintain any engine-house, tally-house, or other small structure, under a permit of the Board, on any unshaded pier, or other wharf structure, unless the same be placed on wheels so as to admit of easy removal thereupon when required, and to prevent the accumulation of dirt or refuse thereunder, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day which may elapse before the discontinuance of such offense.

No. 7.—No vessel of any kind shall be loaded or discharged by horse power, nor shall stones or similar cargo be discharged from any vessel, upon any pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure, unless proper planking be provided to protect the surface of such pier, bulkhead or other wharf structure from injury consequent upon the travel of the horse, or the throwing of the stones or similar cargo thereupon, under a penalty of five dollars a day for each horse so employed, and of twenty-five dollars for each offense of discharging such stones or like cargo, upon such pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, to be recovered from the owner, consignee, master or stevedore of any such vessel, severally and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered for using horses, or discharging stones or similar cargo, upon wharf property belonging to the Corporation, under lease, it shall be paid to the lessee thereof, but if such penalty be recovered for discharging stones or similar cargo, upon wharf property not owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

No. 8.—No sand shall be discharged from any vessel unless canvas or similar material be extended from the vessel's side to the bulkhead or wharf structure at which such vessel is being unladen, to prevent the falling of the sand into the water, and if the surface of any such wharf structure is not sufficiently tight to prevent the sand dumped thereon from going through into the water, then no sand shall be discharged thereon from any vessel, unless canvas or similar material be first laid thereon to receive the sand, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be recovered from the owner, consignee, master or stevedore of any such vessel, severally and respectively; and if such penalty be recovered on account of sand discharged upon wharf property belonging to the Corporation, under lease, it shall be paid to the lessee thereof, but if such penalty be recovered on account of sand discharged upon wharf property not owned by the Corporation, it shall be paid to the owner thereof.

No. 9.—The owners, lessees and occupants of every pier, wharf and bulkhead in the City of New York shall keep the same in good repair, and the slips adjacent thereto properly dredged; and whenever, in the judgment of the Board, it shall be necessary so to do, written notices, signed by the President or Secretary of said Board, shall be served upon the owners, lessees or occupants, or col-

lector of wharfage of any such pier, wharf or bulkhead, or the slip adjoining the same, on or in which repairs or dredging are required by said Board, specifying the nature and extent of the repairs or dredging so required, and the time within which such repairs must be made, or such dredging done; and in case the owners, lessees or occupants so notified, fail to comply with the terms and requirements of such notice, they shall forfeit and pay a penalty of fifty dollars per day for every day which shall elapse before they comply with such notice.

No. 10.—No ashes, refuse, offal, fruit, vegetables or any other substances, shall be thrown into the waters surrounding or adjacent to any pier or bulkhead, or any other part of the water-front of the city, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for every such offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee, or occupant, severally and respectively, of any pier, bulkhead, wharf structure, or other property, from which any such substance shall be thrown, or from the person actually throwing the same; or if any such substance be thrown from any vessel lying in waters within the jurisdiction of the Department, whether berthed or not, then such penalty to be recovered from the owner, consignee, or master of such vessel, severally and respectively.

No. 11.—No snow or ice shall be dumped into the waters adjacent to the water-front of the city, except from the piers, bulkheads and other places designated from time to time, by the Board, for such dumping, under a penalty of twenty-five dollars for each offense, to be recovered from the owner, lessee or occupant of any pier, bulkhead or other wharf property, from which any such snow and ice shall be dumped, or from the person actually dumping the same, severally and respectively.

No. 12.—All lumber, brick, or other material in bulk discharged on any bulkhead not shedded, shall be at once removed, or, if not so removed, shall be placed at least twenty feet from the edge of the bulkhead, pending removal, under a penalty of fifty dollars per day, for each and every day such lumber, brick or other material shall remain on the bulkhead, to be recovered from the owner or consignee of such lumber, brick or other material, or from the person placing, or causing the same to be placed, on such bulkhead, severally and respectively.

No. 13.—The charges for wharfage and dockage of all vessels admitted to any of the piers or bulkheads constructed under the new plans adopted by the Department, shall be at the same rates as at now, or shall hereafter be, fixed and established by laws of this State, until otherwise ordered by the Board.

No. 14.—The term "Board," when used in the foregoing rules and regulations, shall be taken to mean "The Board of the Department of Docks of the City of New York," and the term "Corporation," when so used, shall be taken to mean "The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York."

JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
JACOB VANDERPOEL,  
WM. LAMBEER,  
Commissioners of Docks.

#### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED** by the Board of School Trustees of the several Wards, as hereinafter named, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, for repairs, etc., to be made on the various school buildings, as follows:

By the Trustees of the First Ward, until 9½ o'clock A. M. on Monday, June 26, for Wood Ceilings, etc., at Grammar School No. 29.

JOHN MCINTIRE, Chairman,  
JOSEPH H. FORD, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, First Ward.

By the Trustees of the Fourth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M. on said day, for Wood Ceilings, etc., at Primary School No. 14.

FREDERICK WIMMER, Chairman,  
DAVID B. FLEMING, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Eleventh Ward until 10½ o'clock, A. M. on said day for Wood Ceilings, etc., at Grammar School No. 22.

Also at the same place and time for painting, etc., at Grammar School No. 35.

JOHN C. LIMBEER, Chairman,  
SAMUEL CREGAR, M. D., Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.

By the Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward until eleven o'clock, A. M. on said day, for sliding doors, etc., for Grammar School No. 34.

Also at the same time and place, for wood ceilings, etc., at Primary School No. 10.

FREDERICK HOLSTEN, Chairman,  
GEORGE W. RELYEA, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees Thirteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward until 11:30 o'clock A. M. on said day, for wood ceilings, etc., for Grammar School No. 10.

JOSEPH BRITTON, Chairman,  
HENRY M. TABER, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, until 3 o'clock, P. M., on said day, for repairs and painting at Grammar School No. 11.

Also at the same place and time, for new furniture and repairing furniture of Grammar School No. 11.

Also at the same place and time, for wood ceilings, etc., at Grammar School No. 45.

Also at the same time and place, for repairs, etc., of the furniture of Grammar School No. 45.

Also at the same place and time, for repairs, etc., of the furniture of Grammar School No. 13.

Also at the same time and place, for the repairs, etc., of the furniture of Grammar School No. 19.

P. J. HORGAN, Chairman,  
HIRAM MERRITT, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 4 o'clock, P. M., on said day, for new desks, etc., for Grammar School No. 32.

Also at the same time and place for repairs and painting, at Grammar School No. 33.

Also at the same time and place, painting, etc., at Primary School No. 27.

THOMAS MAHER, Chairman,  
LE ROY CLARK, Secretary,  
Board of Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward until 4:30 o'clock, P. M., on said day, for altering closet, repairs, etc., at Grammar School No. 49.

JOSEPH R. SKIDMORE, Chairman,  
E. ELLERY ANDERSON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Plans and Specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

Dated New York, June 12, 1882.



### SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY

the Board of School Trustees of the several Wards, as hereinafter named, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, for repairs, etc., to be made on the various school buildings, as follows:

By the Trustees of the Fifth Ward until 9½ o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, June 21, 1882, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 44.

JOHN C. HUSER, Chairman.

HENRY V. CRAWFORD, Secretary.

By the Trustees of the Eighth Ward until 10 o'clock A. M. on said day, for repairs and painting at Grammar School No. 8.

CHARLES W. BAUM, Chairman.

URIAH WELCH, Secretary.

By the Trustees of the Twelfth Ward until 10:30 o'clock A. M. on said day, for repairs and painting at Grammar School No. 57.

ANDREW L. SOULARD, Chairman.

GEORGE W. DEBEVOISE, Secretary.

By the Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward until 11 o'clock A. M. on said day, for sliding doors, etc., at Grammar School No. 34.

FREDERICK HOLSTEN, Chairman.

GEORGE W. RELYEA, Secretary.

By the Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward until 11:30 o'clock A. M. on said day for repairing and painting Grammar School No. 19.

P. K. HORGAN, Chairman.

HIRAM MERRITT, Secretary.

By the Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward until 12 o'clock M. on said day for sliding doors, etc., at Grammar School No. 70.

ABRAHAM DOWDNEY, Chairman.

CHARLES L. HOLT, Secretary.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward until 12:30 o'clock M. on said day, for sliding doors, etc., at Grammar School No. 61.

WILLIAM HOGG, Chairman.

A. FAHS, Secretary.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.

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No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

Dated New York, June 7th, 1882.

### SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY

the School Trustees of the Fourth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Wednesday, the 14th day of June, 1882, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for steam-heating apparatus for Grammar School No. 1, on Vandewater street, near Pearl street.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Engineer, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

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FREDERICK WIMMER,

JOHN H. EBERHARDT,

DAVID B. FLEMING,

JOHN B. SHEA,

MICHAEL J. DUFFY,

Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.

Dated New York, May 30, 1882.

### SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY

the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Thursday, the 15th day of June, 1882, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for steam-heating apparatus for Grammar School No. 49, on East Thirty-seventh street, near Second avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Engineer, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

JOSEPH R. SKIDMORE,

E. ELLERY ANDERSON,

LOUIS SCHULTZE,

ANDREW G. AGNEW,

HUGH CASSIDY,

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Dated New York, May 30, 1882.

### SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY

the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Tuesday, the 13th day of June, 1882, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for an iron stairway for Primary School No. 25, on Greenwich street, near Charlton street.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

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CHARLES W. BAUM,

GEORGE F. VETTER,

O. ROCKEFELLER,

CHARLES H. HOUSLEY,

URIAH WELCH,

Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

Dated New York, May 30, 1882.

### JURORS.

### NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING A SCALE OF WATER RENTS FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BY ORDER OF HUBERT O. THOMPSON, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

"The said Commissioner of Public Works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of Croton water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law."—Chap. 574, Sec. 5, Session Laws of 1871.

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit:

Croton Water Rates for Buildings from 16 to 50 feet all others not specified subject to Special Rates, as established by Ordinance of the Common Council March, 1851.

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet....	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
18 to 20 feet....	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
20 to 22½ feet...	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
22½ to 25 feet...	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
25 to 30 feet....	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
30 to 37½ feet...	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
37½ to 50 feet...	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00

The apportionment of the regular rents upon dwelling houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family the sum of one dollar per year shall be charged.

Each flat or suit of rooms for one family shall be charged ten dollars per year where they have hot and cold water, stationary wash-tubs, bath, and water-closet, with the privilege of using meter.

METERS will be placed on all houses where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

The rent of all tenements which shall exceed in width fifty feet shall be the subject of special contract with the Commissioner of Public Works.

The extra and miscellaneous rates shall be as follows, to wit:

BAKERIES—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, the sum of three dollars per annum.

BATHING TUBS in private houses, beyond one, at three dollars per annum each, and five dollars per annum each in public houses, boarding houses, bathing establishments, and barber shops.

BOARDING SCHOOLS shall be charged at the rate of from fifteen to fifty dollars each; and school houses at the rate of from ten to twenty dollars each per annum.

BUILDING PURPOSES—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone-work—to be measured as brick—ten cents per thousand. For plastering, forty cents per hundred yards.

COW STABLES—For each and every cow, the sum of seventy-five cents per annum.

FOUNTAINS or jets are prohibited.

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows:

HORSES, PRIVATE—For two horses there shall be charged the sum of six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, the sum of two dollars.

HORSES, LIVERY—For each horse up to and not exceeding thirty in number, the sum of one dollar and fifty cents each per annum; and for each additional horse, the sum of one dollar.

HORSES, OMNIBUS AND CART—For each horse, the sum of one dollar per annum.

HORSE TROUGHS—For each trough on sidewalks, the sum of twenty dollars per annum; each trough is to be fitted with a proper ball-cock to prevent waste, this must be kept in order.

HOTELS and BOARDING HOUSES shall, in addition to the regular rate for private families be charged for each lodging room at the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

PORTER HOUSES, TAVERNS and GROCERIES shall be charged an extra rate of either ten to twenty-five dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works. LAGER-BEER SALOONS, with no water fixtures in the saloon, five dollars per annum.

PRINTING OFFICES and REPERTORIES shall be charged at such rates as may be determined by the Commissioner of Public Works.

SLAUGHTER HOUSES shall be charged at the rate of five cents for every bullock slaughtered.

STEAM ENGINES shall be charged by the horse-power as follows: for each horse-power up to and not exceeding ten, the sum of ten dollars per annum; each exceeding ten, and not over fifteen, the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents each; and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of five dollars.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, house-fronts, and about stables, is prohibited, because it is absolutely necessary to save water for more necessary purposes. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the Police or Inspectors may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

WATER-CLOSETS and URINALS—To each building on a lot one water-closet having sewer connection is allowed without charge, each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated.

All closets or urinals in which the Croton water is from any service pipe or hydrant connecting with a privy vault or man-hole shall be charged two dollars for each seat per annum, whether in a building or on any other portion of the premises.

WATER-CLOSET RATES—For hoppers, of any form, when water is supplied direct from the Croton supply, through any form of the so-called single or double valves, hopper-cocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each per year twenty dollars.

For any pan-closet, or any of the forms of valve, plunger, or other water-closet not before mentioned, supplied with water as above described, per year, ten dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from the ordinary style of cistern filled with ball-cock and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, so that overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of waste-preventing cisterns, that are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, which are so constructed that not more than three gallons of water can be drawn at each lift of the handle or depression of the seat, if such cisterns are provided with an overflow pipe, such overflow pipe must not connect with the water-closet, but be carried like a safe waste, as provided by the Board of Health Regulations, per year, two dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

### METERS.

Under the provisions of section 73, chapter 335, Laws of 1873 (City Charter), water meters, of the pattern approved in accordance with said section 73 of the Charter, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings.

It is provided by section 73, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, as now provided by law."

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large supply of water will be fitted with a meter.

Water measured by meter, ten cents per one hundred cubic feet for all manufacturing or other purposes.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALS. RATE.	PER ANNUM, AM'T
25	05	\$3 75
50	"	7 50
60	"	9 00
70	"	10 50
80	"	12 00
90	"	13 50
100	"	15 00
150	"	22 50
200	"	30 00
250	04½	33 75
300	04	36 00
350	03½	36 75
400	"	42 00
500	"	52 50
600	"	63 00
700	"	73 50
800	"	82 00
900	"	94 50
1,000	"	105 00
1,500	03	135 00
2,000	02½	150 00
2,500	"	180 00
3,000	"	225 00
4,000	02¼	280 00
4,500	"	303 75
5,000	"	333 50
6,000	02	360 00
7,000	"	420 00
8,000	"	480 00
9,000	"	540 00
10,000	"	600 00

The rate charged for steam-vessels taking water daily or belonging to daily lines, is one-half per cent. per ton (Custom-house measurement) for each time they take water.

Steamers taking water other than daily, one per cent. per ton (Custom-house measurement).

Water supplied to sailing vessels and put on board, twenty-five cents per hundred gallons.

All matters not hereinbefore embraced are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Public Works.

By order, HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works

Rate Without Meters.  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,  
NEW YORK, May 10, 1882.

JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Water Register:

SIR—From your letter of this date, in reference to certain rates included in the scale of water rents established by me on the 1st instant, it appears that there is a misapprehension in regard to their application. In order that the matter may be clearly understood, I have to inform and instruct you that the new rates in reference to water-closets are not intended to and do not apply to existing houses and fixtures, but will be applied to all new houses hereafter erected or completed, and to all existing houses where the water-closets and fixtures therein referred may hereafter be put in. These water-closet rates are to go into general effect May 1, 1883.

Respectfully,  
HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,  
31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,  
NEW YORK, April 26, 1882.

NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS.

CROTON WATER RENTS.

THE REGULAR ANNUAL RENTS FOR CROTON water for the year 1882, will become due and payable at this office on and after May 1.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, LIME, ICE, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

3,000 pounds Dairy Butter (sample on exhibition June 22, 1882).

25,000 fresh Eggs (all to be candled).

100 Prime City-cured Smoked Hams, not to exceed an average of 14 pounds weight.

HATS.

50 dozen Women's Straw Hats.

LIME.

50 barrels Common Lime.

20 barrels Plaster Paris.

20 barrels fresh Rockland Cement.

ICE.

1,000 tons prime quality Ice, not less than ten inches thick, to be delivered as follows:

Blackwell's Island—200 tons on award of contract and 200 tons as required.

Ward's Island—100 tons on award of contract and 100 tons as required.

Randall's Island—100 tons on award of contract and 100 tons as required.

Hart's Island—100 tons on award of contract and 200 tons as required.

also about 42,000 pounds Ice per month, to be delivered, according to schedule furnished, at the various City Prisons, Ninety-ninth Street Hospital, Bellevue Hospital and Central Office.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 23d day of June, 1882. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Lime, Ice, etc.," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 12, 1882.

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

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 6, 1882.

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 142 West Fourteenth street.—Unknown man (supposed to be Arian Renandin); age about 22 years; 5 feet 10 inches high, brown hair and moustache, hazel eyes. Had on dark coat and vest, black and slate-colored pants, unbleached muslin shirt marked E. L., colored woolen shirt marked A. R., black barred woolen socks, buckskin money belt, shoes.

Unknown man from foot of Duane street; age about 60 years; 5 feet 9 inches high, gray hair, moustache and chin whiskers. Had on gray suit of clothes, gray woolen socks, white shirt, gray knit undershirt, gaiters.

Unknown man from Pier 33, North river; 5 feet 10 inches high. Had on dark diagonal overcoat, dark coat and pants, white knit undershirt, red woolen socks, white shirt, shoes. Body about four months in water.

Unknown woman from Pier 21, East river; age about 30 years; 5 feet high, sandy hair, blue eyes. Had on brown check dress, unbleached chemise marked T. H., red flannel petticoat, blue merino waist, white muslin waist, gray woolen stockings, gaiters.

Unknown man from Tenth Precinct Station house; age about 30 years; 5 feet 7 inches high, gray moustache and imperial, brown eyes, gray hair. Had on gray sack coat, brown pants, check shirt, white undershirt, white socks, brogan shoes, brown felt hat.

Unknown man from foot of Spring street. Had on black overcoat, brown cardigan jacket, blue check jumper, blue pants, gaiters. Body about two months in water.

Unknown man from Pier 23, North river; age about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high, dark hair and moustache. Had on brown pea-jacket, dark vest and pants, red and white striped shirt, gray socks, low cut shoes.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island.—Mary Turner; age 41 years; 5 feet 1 inch high, black hair, blue eyes. Had on when admitted, black skirt and jacket, light plaid shawl.

Patrick Cullen; age 75 years; 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high, gray hair, blue eyes. Had on when admitted, brown coat and pants, red flannel undershirt, white shirt, black hat, shoes.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island.—Filippo Farriolo; age 70 years; 5 feet 10 inches high, gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, blue coat, black pants, dark velvet vest.

William T. Scott; age 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high, gray eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted, black coat, brown vest, gray striped pants, laced shoes.

Ann Dougherty; age 29 years; 5 feet 2 inches high, blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted, white and blue mixed dress, gray shawl, dark hood.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.—Carl Schultz; age 54 years; 5 feet 4 inches high, gray hair, hazel eyes.

At Randall's Island Hospital.—James O'Rourke; age 43 years; 5 feet 8 inches high, black hair, brown eyes.

Peter Lauffer; age 49 years; 5 feet 8 inches high, black hair, blue eyes.

At Hart's Island Hospital.—Honora McCann; age 37 years; 5 feet 6 inches high, dark hair and eyes.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island.—Ann Brady; age 82 years; 4 feet 11 1/2 inches high, blue eyes, brown hair.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,  
G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
May 9, 1882.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment lists for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 5, 1882, and on the 9th day of May, 1882, was entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents.

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 8, 1882, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles and Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
May 9, 1882.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 4th day of May, 1882, and on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau

for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," viz.:

Sixty-eighth street regulating, etc., from Third avenue to East river.

Ninety-fifth street regulating, etc., from Lexington to Fifth avenue.

Fourth avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Fifteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

Ninth avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Fiftieth street to St. Nicholas avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-second street regulating, etc., from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

Ninety-sixth street paving, from Public Drive to Hudson river.

Sixty-eighth street paving, from Boulevard to Tenth avenue.

Seventy-eighth street paving, from First avenue to Avenue A.

Fourth avenue paving, at intersection of One Hundred and Fortieth street sewer, from Alexander to Brook avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street sewer, from Harlem river to Fifth avenue.

Pearl street sewer, between Coenties and Old slips.

First avenue sewer, between Forty-sixth and Forty-seventh streets.

Fifth avenue sewer, between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets.

Fourth street sewer, between Christopher and West Tenth streets.

Eightieth and Eighty-first streets sewers, between Avenues A and B, etc.

One Hundred and First street sewer, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

First avenue flagging, east side, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street.

Fifty-eighth street flagging, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 8, 1882, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

#### ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER ABOLISHING THE "BUREAU OF LICENSES," IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 24, 1882.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISION OF SECTION 3 of chapter 521 of the Laws of 1880, which authorizes a head of a Department to abolish and consolidate offices and bureaus in the same Department, I hereby abolish the Bureau provided for by section 33 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, entitled as follows, to wit:

"A Bureau of Licenses; the Chief Officer of which shall be called 'Register of Licenses.'"

Said Bureau has never had any practical existence in the Finance Department, and is declared to be null and void.

(Signed) ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

#### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1877, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 2, 1882.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles:

250,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Good Sweet Timothy.

50,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.

2,100 bags clear White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

2,500 bags Fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, 14th instant at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect, that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for his faithful performance in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

CARL JUSSER,  
Secretary.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 39),  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 13, 1882.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Diamond ear-rings and stud, boots, rope, pig tin, iron trunks, bag and contents, butter, clothing (male and female), coffee, blankets, shoes, boots and lock of odd pattern; also several amounts of cash found and taken from prisoners by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

#### 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. Flagging sidewalk on north side of Seventy-first street, from Ninth to Tenth avenues.

No. 2. Sewer in One Hundred and Twelfth street, between Madison and Sixth avenues.

No. 3. Alteration and improvements to sewer in Fifty-seventh street, between Fifth and Madison avenues.

No. 4. Sewer in Sixty-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 5. Sewer in Seventy-sixth street, between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

No. 6. Regulating, grading, setting curb-stone and flagging four feet wide in One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from the west curb of Sixth avenue to the east curb of Seventh avenue.

No. 7. Fencing vacant lots on both sides of Ninth avenue, between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets, and on both sides of Seventy-first street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 8. Flagging east side of Avenue D, from Thirtieth to Fourteenth streets.

No. 9. Sewer in Lexington avenue, between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets.

No. 10. Sewers in First avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 11. Sewer in Tenth avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets.

No. 12. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 13. Sewer in Eighty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 14. Basin at junction of Christopher and Grove streets.

No. 15. Sewer in Eighty-first street, between Ninth avenue and summit west of Ninth avenue. The limit embraced by such assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. North side of Seventy-first street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Ninth avenue, between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets; and both sides of Seventy-first street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of Avenue D, between Thirtieth and Fourteenth streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Lexington avenue between Eighty-first and Eighty-second streets.

No. 10. Both sides of First avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 11. Both sides of Tenth avenue, between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 14. Park bounded by Grove, Fourth and Christopher streets.

No. 15. Both sides of Eighty-first street, between Ninth and Tenth 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, No. 11 1/2 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 30th day of June, ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
DANIEL STANBURY,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11 1/2 CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, MAY 29, 1882.

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.:

1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging in Eighth avenue from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to the Harlem River.

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

1. Both sides of Eighth avenue from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to the Harlem River, and to the extent of one-half of the block at the intersecting streets.

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, No. 11 1/2 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 20th day of June, ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,  
DANIEL STANBURY,  
JOHN W. JACOBUS,  
JOHN MULLALLY,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11 1/2 CITY HALL,  
MAY 18, 1882.

#### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the widening of Gansevoort street, from Washington street to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirtieth streets, and West Thirtieth street, from Eighth avenue to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirtieth streets, in the City of New York, as widened by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of said City.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given, that in compliance with an Act of the Legislature of the State of New York, entitled "An Act to reorganize the Local Government of the City of New York, passed April 30, 1873, and of all other acts relating thereto, the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of said city, will apply 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 Thursday, the twenty-ninth day of June, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the widening of Gansevoort street from Washington street to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirtieth streets, and West Thirtieth street from Eighth avenue to the intersection of Gansevoort and West Thirtieth streets, as said streets are shown on certain maps made by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, and filed in the office of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, and in the office of the Department of Public Works of the City of New York, on the 18th day of March, 1882, being the following described pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Washington and Gansevoort streets; thence northerly along the easterly line of Washington street twenty feet and three quarters of an inch (20' 3/4"); thence easterly and parallel to the northerly line of Gansevoort street and twenty feet distant therefrom three hundred and fifty-six feet six inches and one quarter (356' 6 1/4") to the westerly line of Ninth avenue, thence southerly along said line twenty-three feet and one-quarter of an inch (23' 1/4") to the northerly line of Gansevoort street; thence westerly along said line three hundred and forty-six feet eight inches (346' 8") to the point or place of beginning.

Also all that triangular plot of ground bounded by the Ninth avenue, Little West Twelfth and Gansevoort streets, beginning at the southeast corner of Ninth avenue and Little West Twelfth street; thence easterly and along the southerly line of Little West Twelfth street, twenty-nine feet four inches (29' 4") to the northerly line of Gansevoort street, thence westerly along said line thirty-three feet nine inches (33' 9") to the easterly line of Ninth avenue thence northerly along said line sixteen feet eight inches (16' 8") to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at the northwesterly corner of Hudson and Gansevoort streets; thence northerly and along the westerly line of Hudson street twenty feet one and one-half inches (20' 1 1/2"); thence westerly and parallel to the northerly line of Gansevoort street, and twenty feet distant therefrom, seventy-six feet nine inches (76' 9") to the northerly line of Little West Twelfth street; thence easterly along said northerly line thirty-nine feet two and one-half inches (39' 2 1/2") to the intersection of Little West Twelfth and Gansevoort streets; thence along the northerly line of Gansevoort street forty feet ten inches (40' 10") to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at the northeasterly corner of Hudson and Gansevoort streets; thence northerly along the easterly line of Hudson street twenty feet one and one-half inches (20' 1 1/2"); thence easterly and parallel to the northerly line of Gansevoort street and twenty feet distant therefrom two hundred and thirty-five feet seven inches (235' 7"), to the southerly line of West Thirtieth street; thence further easterly along said southerly line thirty-nine feet two and one-half inches (39' 2 1/2") to the northerly line of Gansevoort street; thence westerly



along said line two hundred and seventy-one feet six inches (271' 6") to the point of place of beginning.

Also beginning at the southwesterly corner of Gansevoort and West Fourth streets thence westerly and along the southerly line of Gansevoort street two feet nine inches (2' 9"); thence southeasterly three feet one and three-quarter inches (3' 1 3/4") to the westerly line of West Fourth street; thence northerly along the westerly line of West Fourth street one foot six inches (1' 6") to the point of place of beginning.

Also beginning at the southeasterly corner of Eighth avenue and West Thirteenth street; thence southerly and along the westerly line of Eighth avenue, ten feet two and one-half inches (10' 2 1/2"); thence westerly and parallel to the southerly line of West Thirteenth street, and ten feet (10' 00") distant therefrom, one hundred and forty-seven feet one and three-quarters inches (147' 1 3/4") to the easterly line of West Fourth street; thence northerly along said line, eleven feet, four and one-half inches (11' 4 1/2") to the southerly line of West Thirteenth street; thence easterly along said line one hundred and fifty-four feet seven and one-half inches (154' 7 1/2") to the point of place of beginning.

Dated New York, June 1, 1882.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the Application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to the lands required for the southern approach to the so-called Madison Avenue Bridge across the Harlem River, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 334 OF THE LAWS OF 1871, AND OF ALL OTHER STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD AT THE CHAMBERS THEREOF IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THURSDAY, THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF JUNE, 1882, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE IN THE NAME AND ON BEHALF OF THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE USE OF THE PUBLIC, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE APPROACHES TO THE SO-CALLED MADISON AVENUE BRIDGE ACROSS THE HARLEM RIVER, BETWEEN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREETS, AS SHOWN ON A MAP OR PLAN MADE BY THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, AND ADOPTED BY THEM ON THE 14TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1882, AND FILED IN THE OFFICE OF SAID DEPARTMENT AND IN THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTER OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LOTS, PIECES OR PARCELS OF LAND, VIZ.:**

**PARCEL "A."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the eastern line of Madison avenue with the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street;

1. Thence running northerly along the eastern line of Madison avenue for one hundred and ninety-nine feet and ten inches to the southern line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street;

2. Thence running easterly along the southern line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for twenty feet;

3. Thence running southerly and parallel with the eastern line of Madison avenue for one hundred and ninety-nine feet and ten inches to the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street;

4. Thence westerly along the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street for twenty feet to the place of beginning.

**PARCEL "B."**  
Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Madison avenue with the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street;

1. Thence running northerly along the western line of Madison avenue for one hundred and ninety-nine feet and ten inches to the southern line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street;

2. Thence running westerly along the southern line of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street for twenty feet;

3. Thence running southerly and parallel with the western line of Madison avenue for one hundred and ninety-nine feet and ten inches to the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street;

4. Thence running easterly along the northern line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street for twenty feet to the place of beginning.

Dated New York, June 1, 1882.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the Application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD AT THE CHAMBERS THEREOF IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THURSDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF JUNE, 1882, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE, IN THE NAME AND ON BEHALF OF THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE OPENING OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, FROM EIGHTH AVENUE TO AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LOT, PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, VIZ.:**

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth avenue, distant one hundred and ninety-nine feet ten inches (199' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and ten feet one and one-half inches (310' 1 1/2") to the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along said line sixty feet eight inches (60' 8"); thence easterly three hundred and one feet two and one-quarter inches (301' 2 1/4") to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point of place of beginning.

Said street being sixty (60') feet wide between the line of Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

Dated New York, May 15, 1882.

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

In the matter of the Application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring a right of way over, under and through certain lands for the purpose of the construction of drains, as directed by the Board of Health of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 360 of the Laws of 1880.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD AT THE CHAMBERS THEREOF, IN THE COUNTY COURT**

House, in the City of New York, on Thursday the fifteenth day of June, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of a right of way over, under and through certain lands hereinafter described, for the purpose of constructing drains, as directed by a resolution of the Board of Health of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 360 of the Laws of 1880.

Said parcels of land are bounded and described as follows, to wit.:

**PARCEL NO. 1 (MAIN DRAIN).**  
Being a strip or parcel of land ten feet wide, extending five feet on each side of a centre line, described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Westchester avenue distant five feet and twenty-six hundredths of a foot southwesterly from the intersection of said southerly line of Westchester avenue and the westerly line of Brook avenue; and running thence

(1.) South twenty degrees and eighteen minutes west, one hundred and fifty-four feet and ninety-seven hundredths of a foot; thence

(2.) Curving to the right with a radius of three hundred feet for twenty-seven feet and seventy-five hundredths of a foot; thence

(3.) South twenty-five degrees and thirty-six minutes west, two hundred and twenty-four feet and fifty hundredths of a foot; thence

(4.) Curving to the right with a radius of three hundred feet for fifty-nine feet and thirty-four hundredths of a foot; thence

(5.) South thirty-six degrees and fifty-six minutes west, five hundred and thirteen feet and thirty-four hundredths of a foot; thence

(6.) Curving to the left with a radius of one hundred feet for fifty-eight feet and fifty-eight hundredths of a foot; thence

(7.) South three degrees and twenty-two minutes west, one hundred and twenty-one feet and fifty-five hundredths of a foot; thence

(8.) Curving to the left with a radius of one hundred feet for forty-two feet; thence

(9.) South twenty degrees and forty-two minutes east, four hundred and sixty-six feet and twenty-four hundredths of a foot; thence

(10.) Curving to the right with a radius of three hundred feet for fifty-two feet and seventy-one hundredths of a foot; thence

(11.) South ten degrees and thirty-eight minutes east, one hundred and eighty-one feet and eighty-two hundredths of a foot; thence

(12.) Curving to the right with a radius of three hundred feet for thirty-seven feet and fifty-two hundredths of a foot; thence

(13.) South three degrees and twenty-eight minutes east, four hundred and twenty-seven feet and twenty-seven hundredths of a foot; thence

(14.) Curving to the left with a radius of one hundred and fifty feet for sixty-seven feet and sixty-three hundredths of a foot; thence

(15.) South twenty-nine degrees and eighteen minutes east, two hundred and seventy-five feet and twelve hundredths of a foot to a point distant one hundred and seventy feet south of the south line of One Hundred and Forty-second street, and one hundred and twenty-nine feet and ninety-four hundredths of a foot west of the west line of Brook avenue.

**PARCEL NO. 2.**  
Being a strip or parcel of land eight feet wide extending four feet on each side of a centre line described as follows:

Beginning on the westerly line of Brook avenue at a point one hundred and four feet north of north line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street; and running thence

Westerly at right angles to Brook avenue for one hundred and forty-six feet and ninety-one hundredths of a foot to the centre line of the above described Main Drain or Parcel No. 1.

**PARCEL NO. 3.**

Being a strip or parcel of land eight feet wide, extending four feet on each side of a centre line described as follows:

Beginning at a point fifty-six feet and eighty-eight hundredths of a foot south of the south line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, and three hundred and ninety feet west of the west line of Brook avenue; and running thence

South sixty-nine degrees and eighteen minutes west, one hundred and twenty feet to the centre line of the above described Main Drain or Parcel No. 1.

**PARCEL NO. 4.**

Being a strip or parcel of land eight feet wide, extending four feet on each side of a centre line, described as follows:

Beginning at a point sixty-nine feet and twenty-seven hundredths of a foot north of the north line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, and three hundred and ninety feet west of the west line of Brook avenue; and running thence

South sixty-nine degrees and eighteen minutes west, ninety-four feet to the centre line of the above-described Main Drain or Parcel No. 1.

**PARCEL NO. 5.**

Being a strip or parcel of land eight feet wide, extending four feet on each side of a centre line, described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the west side of Brook avenue, ninety-five feet and ninety-one hundredths of a foot south of the south line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; and running thence

(1.) Parallel with One Hundred and Forty-sixth street for two hundred and twenty-one feet and eighty-seven hundredths of a foot; thence

(2.) Curving to the left with a radius of one hundred feet for thirty-five feet and eighty-seven hundredths of a foot; thence

(3.) South sixty-nine degrees and twenty-seven minutes west, one hundred and thirty-six feet and sixty hundredths of a foot to a centre line of the above described Main Drain or Parcel No. 1.

**PARCEL NO. 6.**

Being a strip or parcel of land eight feet wide, extending four feet on each side of a centre line, described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Brook avenue, ninety-five feet and seventy-nine hundredths of a foot south of the south line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; and running thence

Parallel with One Hundred and Forty-fifth street for three hundred and twenty-nine feet and ninety-six hundredths of a foot to the centre line of the above described Main Drain or Parcel No. 1.

**PARCEL NO. 7.**

Being a strip or parcel of land six feet wide, extending three feet on each side of a centre line, described as follows:

Beginning at a point forty feet south of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and one hundred and eighty-seven feet west of Brook avenue; and running thence

Southerly parallel with Brook avenue for fifty-five feet and seventy-nine hundredths of a foot to the centre line of the above described Parcel No. 6.

**PARCEL NO. 8.**

Being a strip or parcel of land six feet wide, extending three feet on each side of a centre line, described as follows:

Beginning at a point forty feet north of the north line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and one hundred and eighty-seven feet west of Brook avenue; and running thence

Northerly parallel with Brook avenue for sixty-three feet and seventy-nine hundredths of a foot to the centre line of the above described Parcel No. 6.

**PARCEL NO. 9.**

Being a strip or parcel of land eight feet wide, extending four feet on each side of a centre line, described as follows:

Beginning at a point one hundred and nine feet and fifty-six hundredths of a foot south of the south line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and three hundred and eighty-four feet and ninety-one hundredths of a foot west of Brook avenue, and running thence

South eighty-four degrees, thirty-four minutes and thirty seconds east; eighty-five feet and fifty-eight hundredths of a foot to the centre line of the above described Main Drain or Parcel No. 1.

**PARCEL NO. 10.**  
Being a strip or parcel of land eight feet wide, extending four feet on each side of a centre line described as follows:

Beginning at a point one hundred and four feet south of the south line of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and two hundred and forty feet west of Brook avenue; and running thence

Westerly parallel with One Hundred and Forty-fourth street for sixty feet and fifty-four hundredths of a foot to the centre line of the above described Main Drain or Parcel No. 1.

The meridian line to which all the hereinafore named courses are referred is the centre line of Brook avenue, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets, as the same was laid out and established on the map filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester, on the 23d day of February, 1871, by the Commissioners appointed in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 841 of the Laws of 1868.

Said pieces or parcels of land are shown on a map made by the Board of Health of the City of New York, in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 360 of the Laws of 1880, and filed in said Department, and in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York.

Dated New York, May 29, 1882.

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

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD AT THE CHAMBERS THEREOF IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THURSDAY, THE 29TH DAY OF JUNE, 1882, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE, IN THE NAME AND ON BEHALF OF THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, FOR THE USE OF THE PUBLIC, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE OPENING OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, FROM THE BOULEVARD TO TENTH AVENUE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LOTS, PIECES, OR PARCELS OF LAND, VIZ.:**

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of the Boulevard distant four hundred and fifty-nine feet eight inches (459' 8") southerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fortieth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street one hundred and thirty-nine feet and one-quarter of an inch (139' 3/4") to the westerly line of Diagonal avenue; thence southerly and along said line sixty-five feet two inches (65' 2"); thence westerly one hundred and thirteen feet six and three-quarter inches (113' 6 3/4") to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly and along said line sixty feet (60') to the point of place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue, distant four hundred and fifty-nine feet eight inches (459' 8") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fortieth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street five hundred and fifty-four feet six and one-quarter inches (554' 6 1/4") to the easterly line of Diagonal avenue; thence southerly and along said line sixty-five feet two inches (65' 2"); thence easterly five hundred and seventy-nine feet eleven and three-quarter inches (579' 11 3/4") to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and along said line sixty feet (60') to the point of place of beginning.

Said street being sixty feet (60') wide between the lines of the Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

Dated New York, May 29, 1882.

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

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Seventh avenue to New avenue west of Eighth avenue in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD AT THE CHAMBERS THEREOF IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THURSDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF JUNE, 1882, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE, IN THE NAME AND ON BEHALF OF THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE OPENING OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FOURTH STREET, FROM SEVENTH AVENUE TO NEW AVENUE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LOTS, PIECES OR PARCELS OF LAND, VIZ.:**

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eighth avenue, distant one hundred and ninety-nine feet ten inches (199' 10") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street seven hundred and seventy-five feet (775') to the westerly line of Seventh avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty feet (60'); thence westerly seven hundred and seventy-five feet (775') to the easterly line of Eighth avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty feet (60') to the point of place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth avenue, distant one hundred and ninety-nine feet ten inches (199' 10") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street two hundred and fifty-seven feet ten inches and three-quarters (257' 10 3/4") to the easterly line of New avenue west of Eighth avenue; thence southerly and along said line sixty feet four inches and one-quarter (60' 4 1/4"); thence easterly two hundred and sixty-four feet five inches and three-quarters (264' 5 3/4") to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence northerly and along said line sixty feet (60') to the point of place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty feet (60') wide between the lines of Seventh avenue and New avenue west of Eighth avenue.

Dated New York, May 15, 1882.

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

In the matter of the Application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD AT THE CHAMBERS THEREOF IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THURSDAY, THE 15TH**

day of June, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The extent and nature of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in the City of New York, being the following described lot, piece or parcel of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth avenue, distant four hundred and fifty-nine feet eight inches (459' 8") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street two hundred and seventy-one feet six inches and one-quarter (271' 6 1/4") to the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along said line sixty feet eight inches (60' 8"); thence easterly two hundred and sixty-two feet seven inches (262' 7") to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point of place of beginning.

Said street being sixty (60') feet wide between the lines of Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

Dated New York, May 15, 1882.

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

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Seventh avenue to New avenue west of Eighth avenue, in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD AT THE CHAMBERS THEREOF IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THURSDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF JUNE, 1882, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE, IN THE NAME AND ON BEHALF OF THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE OPENING OF ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD STREET, FROM SEVENTH AVENUE TO NEW AVENUE WEST OF EIGHTH AVENUE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LOTS, PIECES OR PARCEL OF LAND, VIZ.:**

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eighth avenue distant four hundred and fifty-nine feet eight inches (459' 8") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street two hundred and eighty-six feet four and three-quarter inches (286' 3 3/4") to the easterly line of New avenue west of Eighth avenue; thence southerly and along said line sixty feet four and one-quarter inches (60' 4 1/4"); thence easterly two hundred and ninety-two feet eleven and three-quarter inches (292' 11 3/4") to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty feet (60') to the point of place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty (60') feet wide between the lines of Seventh avenue and New avenue west of Eighth avenue.

Dated New York, May 15, 1882.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
2 Tryon Row,  
New York.

In the matter of the Application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth Street, from Eighth Avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas in the City of New York.

**PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE MADE TO THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, AT A SPECIAL TERM OF SAID COURT, TO BE HELD AT THE CHAMBERS THEREOF IN THE COUNTY COURT HOUSE, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, ON THURSDAY, THE 15TH DAY OF JUNE, 1882, AT THE OPENING OF THE COURT ON THAT DAY, OR AS SOON THEREAFTER AS COUNSEL CAN BE HEARD THEREON, FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF COMMISSIONERS OF ESTIMATE AND ASSESSMENT IN THE ABOVE ENTITLED MATTER. THE NATURE AND EXTENT OF THE IMPROVEMENT HEREBY INTENDED IS THE ACQUISITION OF TITLE, IN THE NAME AND ON BEHALF OF THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, TO ALL THE LANDS AND PREMISES, WITH THE BUILDINGS THEREON AND THE APPURTENANCES THERETO BELONGING, REQUIRED FOR THE OPENING OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET, FROM EIGHTH AVENUE TO AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BEING THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED LOT, PIECE OR PARCEL OF LAND, VIZ.:**

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth avenue, distant seven hundred and nineteen feet six inches (719' 6") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street two hundred and thirty-two feet ten inches (232' 10") to the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along said line fifty-three feet two inches (53' 2") to a point distant two hundred and twenty-five feet (225') from Eighth avenue; thence northerly along said easterly line seven feet five inches (7' 5"); thence easterly two hundred and twenty-five (225') feet to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point of place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty feet wide between the lines of Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

Dated New York, May 15, 1882.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
NEW YORK, May 29, 1882.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT** the buildings, fences, etc., standing within the lines of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and other streets and avenues in the Twenty-third Ward, as opened and widened by the Report of the Commissioners appointed for that purpose and confirmed by the Supreme Court, November 16, 1880, and on Sedgwick avenue in the Twenty-fourth Ward, confirmed November 2, 1881, will be sold at public auction by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Wednesday, the 14th day of June, 1882.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock A. M., on the ground in front of premises Number 1 on the catalogue, and situated on One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, near Locust avenue.

For the terms of sale and further particulars giving dimensions of the buildings and parts of buildings, etc., to be sold, see catalogue, which may be obtained at the office of the Department of Public Parks, and on the ground the day of the sale.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

E. P. BARKER,  
Secretary.