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ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE—NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
TUESDAY, January 18, 1881—2 o'clock P. M.

The Commission created by chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, vacate, or modify assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, met pursuant to adjournment.
Present—All the members, viz.: Commissioners Edward Cooper (Chairman), John Kelly, Allan Campbell, George H. Andrews, and Daniel Lord, Jr.

The minutes of the meeting held December 21, 1880, were read and approved.
The Clerk presented copies of the CITY RECORD and "Daily Register" of January 18, 1881, showing due publication of notice of the present meeting.
The Clerk stated that he had been unable to procure the assignment of a suitable room in any of the city buildings, for the use of the Commission.

Commissioner Kelly offered the following resolution, which was adopted:
Resolved, That the Commission lease for its use the front room in the second story of the building No. 27 Chambers street, from the first of January to the thirtieth of September, 1881, at a rent of one thousand dollars for the term, on condition that the Commission or its assigns shall have the right to use the said room free of rent from October 1 to December 31, 1881; and that Commissioner Campbell be authorized to execute the lease on behalf of the Commission.
Commissioner Kelly also offered the following resolution, which was adopted:
Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to fit up the said room, and for this purpose he be authorized to purchase the necessary furniture; but before purchasing any furniture he be directed to call on the Commissioner of Public Works and ascertain if any furniture belonging to the city can be loaned for the use of the Commission.

On motion of Commissioner Campbell, it was
Resolved, That no expenditure for any purpose be made by the Clerk without the authority of the Commission first obtained, and that all bills for expenses so incurred be submitted to the Commission for approval.

On motion of Commissioner Kelly, it was
Resolved, That the Clerk be empowered to purchase for the use of the Commission, stationery and printing to an amount not exceeding ten dollars.

The Chairman, Commissioner Cooper, inquired whether, under the rules, any notices of hearing had been served.

The Corporation Counsel, by his representative, Mr. J. A. Beall, stated that several notices of hearing had been served on him.

The Clerk stated that proof of the service, on the Corporation Counsel, of several notices of hearing had been filed with him.

On motion of Mr. H. L. Sprague, of counsel in the matter of the petition of Hiram A. Crane (No. 26 on calendar), the Corporation Counsel not objecting, the further hearing of this case was adjourned to the first meeting after the expiration of three weeks.

On motion of Mr. W. J. A. McGrath, attorney in the matter of the petitions of James Prior and Latimer Bailey (Nos. 320 and 644 on calendar), noticed for present meeting, the Corporation Counsel not objecting, the hearing in these cases was postponed to the next meeting.

Mr. Robert Chapman asked the privilege of filing with the Commission several petitions of property-owners affecting the assessments for the Morningside Park opening, confirmed July 28, 1870; the One Hundred and Tenth street widening, confirmed September 3, 1873; and the Riverside Park opening, confirmed August 2, 1872.

After hearing the Corporation Counsel, by his representative, Mr. J. A. Beall, in opposition, the Chairman, Commissioner Cooper, on behalf of the Commissioners, stated that the petitions referred to would not be received, for the reason that the Commission had no jurisdiction in the matter of assessments confirmed by the court (for what are known as street openings), but only as to such assessments as are confirmed by the Board for the Revision and Correction of Assessments.

The Chairman, Commissioner Cooper, inquired if there were any other persons present who had any matter to bring before the Commission.

None were present.
On motion of Commissioner Lord, the seventh rule, relating to meetings of the Commission, was suspended.

On motion of Commissioner Lord, it was
Resolved, That when the Commission adjourns, it do so to meet on Tuesday, February 1, 1881, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the office of the Commission, No. 27 Chambers street.

On motion of Commissioner Kelly, the Commission then adjourned.
JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 27, 1881.

In accordance with section 110, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending January 22, 1881:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.	
For Croton water rents.....	\$7,649 60
For penalties on Croton water rents.....	165 15
For tapping Croton pipes.....	17 50
For sewer permits.....	220 00
For vault permits.....	413 81
For restoring and repaving—"Special Fund".....	224 00
Total.....	\$8,690 06

Permits Issued.

6 permits to tap Croton pipes.
28 permits to open streets.
18 permits to make sewer connections.
5 permits to repair sewer connections.
3 permits to construct street vaults.
50 permits to place building material on streets.

Removing Obstructions.

Furniture from 510 East Thirteenth street.
Wagon from 24 Roosevelt street.
Sign from southeast corner Cortlandt and Washington streets.
Stand from southwest corner Third avenue and Thirtieth street.
Wagon stand from northeast corner Second avenue and Twenty-eighth street.

Public Lamps.

1 new lamp lighted.
1 old lamp relighted.
14 lamps discontinued.
4 lamp-posts reset.
1 lamp-post straightened.
1 column releaded.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending January 22, 1881, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Jan. 17	5:30 P.M.	72.	30.37	Manhattan....	Empire 5 ft.....	.89	5.00	117.0	19.70	19.21
" 18	5 P.M.	70.	30.67	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	120.0	19.28	19.28
" 19	6 P.M.	75.	30.22	" .....	" .....	.88	5.00	121.8	19.08	19.37
" 20	5 P.M.	71.	30.10	" .....	" .....	.85	5.00	117.0	20.30	19.79
" 21	5:30 P.M.	72.	29.36	" .....	" .....	.85	5.00	120.0	19.65	19.65
" 22	6:30 P.M.	72.	29.77	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	117.0	19.68	19.19
									Average.	19.41
Jan. 17	8 P.M.	62.	30.48	Harlem.....	" .....	.93	5.00	121.2	18.82	19.01
" 18	6:30 P.M.	66.	30.64	" .....	" .....	.93	5.00	120.0	18.94	18.94
" 19	11:30 A.M.	68.	30.32	" .....	" .....	.90	5.00	126.0	16.88	17.72
" 20	6:30 P.M.	63.	30.04	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	126.0	17.84	18.73
" 21	8:30 P.M.	69.	29.38	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	123.0	18.08	18.53
" 22	11:30 A.M.	74.	29.77	" .....	" .....	.90	5.00	124.2	16.92	17.51
									Average.	18.40
Jan. 17	5 P.M.	70.	30.37	New York.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.92	5.00	114.0	23.30	22.13
" 18	4:30 P.M.	69.	30.67	" .....	" .....	.93	5.00	121.2	21.18	21.39
" 19	5 P.M.	74.	30.22	" .....	" .....	.93	5.00	114.0	23.80	22.61
" 20	4:30 P.M.	69.	30.10	" .....	" .....	.92	5.00	121.2	23.36	23.59
" 21	5 P.M.	71.	29.36	" .....	" .....	.92	5.00	120.0	23.19	23.19
" 22	5:30 P.M.	71.	29.77	" .....	" .....	.92	5.00	117.0	22.52	21.96
									Average.	22.48
Jan. 17	4 P.M.	68.	30.37	N. Y. Mutual..	" .....	.93	5.00	118.2	26.06	25.67
" 18	3 P.M.	69.	30.67	" .....	" .....	.94	5.00	120.0	25.66	25.66
" 19	4:30 P.M.	70.	30.22	" .....	" .....	.94	5.00	120.0	22.88	22.88
" 20	4 P.M.	69.	30.10	" .....	" .....	.94	5.00	116.4	24.36	23.63
" 21	4 P.M.	71.	29.36	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	120.0	23.82	23.82
" 22	5 P.M.	70.	29.77	" .....	" .....	.94	5.00	124.2	24.36	25.21
									Average.	24.48
Jan. 17	2 P.M.	64.	30.37	Municipal.....	" .....	.90	5.00	115.2	25.86	24.82
" 18	2 P.M.	64.	30.67	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	120.0	26.54	26.54
" 19	3:30 P.M.	68.	30.22	" .....	" .....	.90	5.00	123.6	24.90	25.65
" 20	3 P.M.	68.	30.10	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	119.4	25.98	25.85
" 21	2:30 P.M.	70.	29.36	" .....	" .....	.88	5.00	120.6	24.96	25.08
" 22	4:30 P.M.	70.	29.77	" .....	" .....	.92	5.00	117.0	28.08	27.38
									Average.	25.88
Jan. 17	8:30 P.M.	64.	30.48	Metropolitan....	No. 6	.70	5.00	126.0	23.02	24.17
" 18	6 P.M.	65.	30.64	" .....	" .....	.70	5.00	121.8	23.04	23.38
" 19	11 A.M.	67.	30.32	" .....	" .....	.70	5.00	124.8	21.72	22.59
" 20	6 P.M.	63.	30.04	" .....	" .....	.69	5.00	117.6	23.66	23.18
" 21	8 P.M.	68.	29.38	" .....	" .....	.69	5.00	120.0	23.24	23.24
" 22	11 A.M.	72.	29.77	" .....	" .....	.68	5.00	126.0	22.46	23.58
									Average.	23.35

E. G. LOVE, PH. D., Gas Examiner.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.
32 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
250 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
65 cart-loads of dirt removed.
3 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
3 new manhole covers put on.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending January 22, 1881.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	5	50	3	..
In Pipe Yard foot of East Twenty-fourth street....	2	14	..	..
Laying and repairing pipes, etc.....	18	60	..	11
Repairing pavements.....	6	8	..	..
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	3	22	..	10
Maintenance and construction of Boulevards and Aves.	2	23	8	3
Repairing roads.....	..	11	5	2
Repaving, under chapter 476, Laws of 1875.....	..	..	..	..
Total.....	36	197	16	26
Increase over previous week.....	..	..	..	..
Decrease from previous week.....	..	2	..	..

Appointments.

Jeremiah Chadwick, Inspector Waste-water in Buildings.

Suspended on Account of Suspension of Work.

Michael Hogan, Inspector Regulating, etc.

Removals.

Seymour V. Moody, Clerk.

Warren U. Reynolds, Clerk.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$26,724.55.

FRED. H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; JOHN TRACY, Chief Clerk; WILLIAM M. IVINS, Secretary.
Mayor's Marshal's Office.
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
CHARLES REILLY, First Marshal.
Permit and License Bureau Office.
No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.
Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; THOMAS BRADY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.
Bureau of Water Register.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.
Bureau of Incumbrances.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.
Auditing Bureau.
No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.
Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.
No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADDY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.
Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. DEVOE, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

LAW DEPARTMENT

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturday, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.
Office of the Public Administrator.
No. 45 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.
Office of the Corporation Attorney.
No. 45 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.
Bureau of Chief of Department.
ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

No. 35 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.
Civil and Topographical Office.
Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 27, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

HEREAFTER ALL BUSINESS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS will be transacted at No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, January 27, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 126.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING
PIER 12, EAST RIVER, AND THE ADJOINING
BULKHEAD.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING PIER 12 AND
the Bulkhead, near the foot of Old Slip, East 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.

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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 practi-
cable after the opening of the bids. The cost of said
Pier is owned by Moses Taylor and others, represented
by

DAVID WHIPPLE, of No. 30 SOUTH STREET, as Agent,
and the contract for the work will not be awarded unless
the price named by the lowest bidder shall be satisfactory
to said owners. Such contract if awarded, will be en-
tered into by the Department of Docks, in behalf of the
Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New
York, and by said owners on their own account, the city
becoming liable for one-half only of the expense, the other
one-half to be borne and paid for to the contractor by
said owners.

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 pre-
sentation, 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 Six Thousand Dollars.

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

Class 1. Rib Dredging, about 5,300 cubic yards.
Class 2. Dredging around Crib, about 5,300 " "
Class 3. Wooden Pier and Bulkhead complete, contain-
ing about the following quantities:
1. Yellow Pine Timber—
12" x 15".... 14,925 feet B. M., measured in the work.
12" x 12".... 75,668 " " " "
6" x 12".... 4,428 " " " "
6" plank.... 2,928 " " " "
8" x 8".... 523 " " " "
5" x 10".... 13,600 " " " "
6" x 8".... 512 " " " "
4" plank.... 69,232 " " " "
Total.... 182,826 " " " "

2. North Carolina Yellow Pine Timber, 3" plank, 44,748
ft. B. M., measured in the work.

3. White Oak Timber, 6" x 12", 1,008 ft., B. M., mea-
sured in the work.

4. White Pine 1" boards, 1,056 ft. B. M., measured in
the work.

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

5. Spruce Piles..... 433

6. White Pine Piles..... 17

(It is expected that the vertical piles will be from
40 to 60 feet in length, and the bracing piles from
50 to 70 feet in length, but all of them must be of
sufficient length to comply with the specifications
for the work, as set forth in the approved form of
contract.)

7. White pine mooring post..... 1

8. Half round oak fenders..... 87

9. Crib ties, braces, and flooring logs, about 75 pieces.

10. 7/8" x 20", 7/8" x 22", 7/8" x 18", 3/4" x
16", 3/4" x 14", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10",
1/2" x 10", 1/2" x 8", 1/2" x 6", 1/2" x 4",
square, and 3/4" x 12", 5/8" x 5", and
3/4" x 3/4" round wrought-iron spike-
pointed bolts, and 8 d. nails, about 14,351 pounds.

11. 1" x 3/4" and 3/8" wrought-iron screw
bolts, about 4,418 pounds.

12. Wrought-iron armature plates and cor-
ner bands, about 5,812 "

13. Cast-iron washers for 1" and 3/4" screw
bolts, and cast-iron pile shoes, about 3,953 "

14. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving
of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking,
painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the
materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and labor
of every description, for an area of about 15,820
square feet of pier and 35 feet in length of bulkhead.

15. Labor of removing all of the pier and bulkhead near
the foot of Old Slip, E. R., and of removing all the
old material from the premises.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal ex-
amination 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.

2nd. Bidders will be required to complete the entire
work to the satisfaction of the Department of
Docks, and in substantial accordance with the
specifications of the contract and the plans
therein referred to. No extra compensation
beyond the amount payable for the several
classes of work before mentioned, which shall be
actually performed, at the prices 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 con-

sidering the price for which they will do the work
under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price per cubic
yard, for doing each class of dredging above mentioned,
also a price for doing the whole of the work mentioned
and described above as Class 3. By these prices, the bids
will be tested. These prices are 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 each of
the three classes of this work.

Should the lowest bidder or bidders neglect or refuse to
accept to contract within forty-eight (48) hours after written
notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid
or estimate, or if, after acceptance, he or they shall
refuse or neglect to execute the contract and give the
proper security for forty-eight (48) hours after notice that
the same is ready for execution, he or they will be consid-
ered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Cor-
poration; and the contract will be readvertised and relet,
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 in the City of
New York, with their respective places of business or resi-
dence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the
person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its
being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for
its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons
shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to
the Corporation of the City of New York, and to
Moses Taylor and others, owners of the easterly half of
said pier, one-half to each, any difference between the
sum to which said person would be entitled on its com-
pletion, 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 the work to be done in each class by which the
bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be ac-
companied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each
of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder
or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the
amount of the security required for the completion of the
contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and
over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise;
and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and
with the intention to execute the bond required by law.
The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to
be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New
York, and Moses Taylor and others, owners of the easterly
half of said pier, represented by David Whipple,
as agent, after the award is made and prior to the
signing of the contract.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the speci-
fications will be allowed, unless under the written instruc-
tions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded
to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon
debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or other-
wise, 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 Moses Taylor and others, represented
by David Whipple, as agent, owners of the easterly half
of said pier.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates,
to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Depart-
ment, 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 thereof at the office of the Department.

HENRY F. DIMOCK,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
WILLIAM LAIMBEER,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM NO. 39,
NEW YORK, January 7, 1881.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk, Police Department, City of New York, 300
Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property
now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope,
iron, cloth, male and female clothing, gold and silver
watches, coffee, trunks, bags and contents, placks, shoes,
revolvers, blankets, robes, bracelets, etc., also small
amount of money taken from prisoners and found by
patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, January 25, 1881.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH
of the Health Department of the City of New York,
held at its office on the 25th day of January, 1881, the fol-
lowing resolutions were adopted:

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

Resolved, That Section 34 of the Sanitary Code be and
is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 34. That no decayed or unwholesome fruit or veg-
etables, no impure or unhealthy or unwholesome meat,
fish, birds, or fowl shall be brought into said city to be
consumed or offered for sale for human food, nor shall any
such articles be kept or stored therein.

Resolved, That Section 77 of the Sanitary Code be and
is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 77. That no person or company being a manufac-
turer of gas, or engaged about the manufacture thereof,
shall throw or deposit, or allow to run, or having the right
or power to prevent the same, shall permit to be thrown
or deposited into any public waters, river, or stream, or
into any sewer therewith connected, or into any street or
public place, any gas tar or any refuse matter of or from
any gas-house, works, manufactory, mains or service
pipes; or permit the escape of any offensive odors, or gas
from their works, mains or pipes; nor shall any such per-
son or company permit to escape from any of their works,
mains, or pipes, any gas dangerous or prejudicial to life
or health; or manufacture illuminating gas of such ingre-
dients and quality that, in the process of burning, it or any
substance which may escape therefrom, shall be dangerous
or prejudicial to life or health; or fail to use the most
approved or all reasonable means for preventing the
escape of odors.

Resolved, That Section 85 of the Sanitary Code be and
is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 85. That no petroleum oil, kerosene oil (or other
liquid having like composition or qualities as a burning
fluid as said oil) shall be kept or exposed or offered for
sale as a burning fluid for lamps or any receptacle for the
purpose of illumination, nor shall such oil or fluid or any
description thereof be sold or kept or exposed or offered
for sale, or given away for use, or be used as a burning

fluid for any such lamp or receptacle, or be kept for such
use, unless such oil or fluid shall be of such quality and
ingredients that it shall stand and be equal to the follow-
ing test and conditions, to wit:

It shall not evolve an inflammable vapor at a tempera-
ture below one hundred and ten (110) degrees of the
Fahrenheit thermometer.

Resolved, That section 136 of the Sanitary Code be
and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 136. That it shall be the duty of every person,
knowing of any individual in said city sick of any con-
tagious disease, and the duty of every physician hearing of
any such sick person, who he shall have reason to think
requires the attention of this Department, to at once
report the facts to the Sanitary Bureau in regard to the
disease, condition, and dwelling-place or condition of such
sick person; and no person shall interfere with or obstruct
the entrance, inspection and examination of any building
or house by the inspectors and officers of this Department
when there has been reported the case of a person sick
with contagious disease therein.

Resolved, That section 191 of the Sanitary Code be
and is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 191. All privy vaults in the yard of any house in
the City of New York, within twenty feet of any dwelling,
shall be ventilated by means of an eight-inch pipe, laid at
least six inches below the surface of the yard, from the said
vault to the nearest wall of the building of the greatest alti-
tude at or upon said premises, and there connected with a
vertical metallic shaft of like diameter, extending not less
than two feet above the roof of such building. And every
privy vault in the City of New York shall be ventilated in
this way, unless a permit in writing specially excepting such
vault from the requirements of this ordinance be granted,
and it be otherwise ordered by the Board of Health.

Resolved, That section 55 and section 178 of the Sanitary
Code be and are hereby amended.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER,

President.

EMMONS CLARK,

Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, January 18, 1881.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH
of the Health Department of the City of New York,
held at its office on the 18th day of January, 1881, the fol-
lowing resolutions were adopted:

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

Resolved, That section 198 of the Sanitary Code be and
is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 198. That no cattle other than milch cows, with
or without their young calves, shall be led or driven
through or along any of the streets of the City of New
York, without a permit in writing from the Health De-
partment, and in strict accordance with the routes, hours,
and conditions prescribed thereby, provided, however,
that sheep may be driven on routes prescribed for them,
pursuant to the terms and conditions of the permits issued
from time to time by the Board of Health.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER,

President.

EMMONS CLARK,

Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, January 18, 1881.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH
of the Health Department of the City of New York,
held at its office on the 18th day of January, 1881, the fol-
lowing resolution was adopted:

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

Section 204. There shall not be a public or church
funeral of any person who has died of small-pox, diph-
theria, scarlet fever, yellow fever, typhus fever, or Asiatic
cholera, but the funeral of such person shall be private;
and it shall not be lawful to invite, or permit at the
funeral of any person who has died of any of the above
diseases, or of any contagious or pestilential disease, or
at any services connected therewith, any persons whose
attendance is not necessary, or to whom there is danger
of contagion thereby.

[L. S.] CHARLES F. CHANDLER,

President.

EMMONS CLARK,

Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
NEW YORK, January 21, 1881.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF THE
following named works, to wit:

1. For furnishing all the labor, tools, and materials, and
doing all the mason and granite work.

2. For furnishing all the labor, tools, and materials, and
doing all the iron work to be done in the construction of
fifteen parks in Fourth avenue, between Seventy-third
street and Eighty-eighth street, in the City of New York,
will be received by the Department of Public Parks,
until nine and a half o'clock A. M., of Wednesday, the
23d day of February, 1881, at which time and place the
estimates received will be publicly opened by the head
of said Department and read.

The person making any bid or estimate must furnish
the same, enclosed in a sealed envelope, to the head of
said Department of Public Parks, at its office, on or before
the day and hour above mentioned.

The envelope must 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.

For the nature and extent of the work, reference must
be made to the specifications and drawings on file in the
office of the Department.

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 por-
tion 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 there-
in are in all respects true. Where more than one person
is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made
and subscribed

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

The amount in which security will be required for the performance of the several contracts is as follows:

For No. 1. Above-mentioned mason and granite work..... \$7,000 00

For No. 2. Above-mentioned iron-work..... 2,000 00

Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and the plans and drawings, and by such other means as they may prefer as to the nature and extent of this work, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature, or amount of work to be done.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications for the work and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount to be bid or specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due and payable for the entire work.

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement, if it should deem it for the interest of the city so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received.

But the contracts, when awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of contract, which successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen, and information relative to them can be had, at the office of the Superintendent Architect, 36 Union square.

SMITH E. LANE,
SALEM H. WALES,
CHARLES F. MACLEAN,
WILLIAM M. OLIFFE,
Commissioners D. P. P.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a certain road, avenue, or parkway, known as the Spuyten Duyvil Parkway (although not yet named by proper authority), and streets connecting same with Broadway, from the Spuyten Duyvil & Port Morris Railroad to Broadway, in the City of New York.

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

I.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Chester A. Arthur, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 9 Chambers street (Room No. 5), in the said city, on or before the 31st day of January, 1881; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said 31st day of January, 1881, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

II.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 1st day of February, 1881.

III.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying, and being within the following boundaries:

Commencing at a point where the northerly line of said Parkway intersects the easterly line of the Spuyten Duyvil Railroad Company; thence running northerly along the line of said railroad, and the easterly line of Hudson River Railroad Company to the northerly line of the City of New York; thence easterly along the northerly line of the City of New York to the westerly line of the Croton Aqueduct; thence southerly along the westerly line of the Croton Aqueduct to the former boundary line between Kingsbridge and West Farms; thence in a southerly direction along the said boundary to the easterly line of the Spuyten Duyvil Railroad; thence following the line of said railroad until it reaches the point of beginning.

IV.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the tenth day of February, 1881, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 20, 1880.

CHESTER A. ARTHUR,
NATHANIEL JARVIS, Sr.,
SAMUEL A. LEWIS,
Commissioners.

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

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

I. That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to Frederick Smyth, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 8 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the thirty-first day of January, 1881; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said thirty-first day of January, 1881, and for that purpose will be in attendance, at our said office, on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

II. That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the second day of February, 1881.

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

IV. That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the tenth day of February, 1881, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 20th, 1880.

FREDERICK SMYTH,
JACOB F. OAKLEY,
WILLIAM M. TWEED, Jr.,
Commissioners.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING MATERIALS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING material for West Wing of Insane Asylum.

LUMBER.
7,500 feet 2-inch clear pine.
6,500 feet 3/4-inch clear pine boards, 3 1/2 in. wide, tongued and grooved, dressed one side, and one edge beaded.
800 feet 3/4 clear pine.
1,500 " 1 1/2 " "
250 " 1 1/2 " "
500 clear pine boards 12 feet by 10 in. by 1 inch.
N. B.—All the lumber to be dressed one side, well seasoned, free from knots, sap, and checks, and board measurement.

HARDWARE.
55 gross 1 in. No. 10 screws.
60 " 1 1/2 in. No. 12 screws.
10 papers each 1 and 1 1/2 in. brads.
12 gross 1 1/2 in. screws, No. 14.
50 pounds rod, finishing nails,
25 " 6d.
25 " good glue.
165 wickets for doors.
2 quires best sand paper, Nos. 1 and 2.
165 mortise locks with brass furniture.
2 dado planes, 3/4 in.
2 fore planes.
1 1/2 in. O. G. moulding plane.
1 3/4 " "
1 1/2 " "
3 smoothing planes.
2 jack planes.
1 pair 1-inch match planes.
6 planing irons, 2 1/2 inches.
3 try squares, 6 inches.
2 auger bits, 5-16 inch.
2 screw driver bits.
2 iron clamp screws, 18 inches.
2 No. 10 back saws, 18 inches.
2 mortising chisels, 1/2 inch.
3 firmer chisels, 2 inches.
3 " 1 1/2 inches.
2 rat-tail files, 1/2 inches.
12 saw files, 1/2 inches.
2 oil-stone slips.

—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 4th day of February, 1881. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Building Materials for West Wing Insane Asylum," 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 it deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

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

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

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

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

and the contract will be re-advertised and re-let as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, January 22, 1881.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

DRY GOODS.
1,500 yards Calico.
2,000 " Furniture Check.
100 dozen Men's Socks.
500 Rubber Blankets.

GROCERIES.
10,000 pounds Dairy Butter (sample on exhibition February 3, 1881).
20,000 Fresh Eggs (all to be candled).
2 casks Prunes.
20 dozen Canned Corn.
20 " Tomatoes.
10 barrels prime bright shore No. 2 Mackerel.
10 dozen Chow Chow.
20 boxes Castile Soap.

HARDWARE.
20 gross Knives and Forks.
6 dozen pairs Scissors.
6 dozen Thermometers.
240 papers each 6, 10, and 12 Oz. Tacks.

LIME, ETC.
20 barrels W. W. Lime.
10 " Plaster Paris.
20 bundles Lath.

CROCKERY.
5 gross Plates.
1 " Soup Plates.
5 " Mugs.
1 " Bed Pans.
1 " Spit Cups.
2 " Chambers.
1 " Male Urinals.
2 " Spittoons.

—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 4th day of February, 1881. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Dry Goods, Groceries, 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 times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department; but the entire quantity will be required to be delivered on or before thirty (30) days after the date of the contract.

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

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

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

in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, January 22, 1881.

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

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

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 First Precinct Station-house—Unknown man; aged about 50 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair and moustache. Had on black cloth overcoat, gray vest, dark striped pants, blue flannel shirt, striped calico shirt, two pairs white cotton flannel drawers, blue cotton socks, cloth cap.

Unknown woman, from 86 Greenwich street; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes; light hair, mixed with gray. Had on brown merino dress, green plaid shawl, black velvet jacket, brown quilted petticoat, brown gingham skirt, black jacket, white chemise, brown stockings, buttoned gaiters.

Unknown man, from Pier 22, North river; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair and goatee. Had on black frock coat, black vest and pants, white shirt, blue check hickory shirt, white knit undershirt, red flannel drawers, English walking shoes, gray ribbed socks.

Unknown woman, from 140 Pitt street; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on brown calico skirt, gray felt petticoat, brown striped skirt, dark waterproof skirt, black cloth jacket, check calico waist, brown and white barred stockings, white chemise, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from Chambers Street Hospital; aged about 30 years; 6 feet 2 inches high; dark brown hair; sandy moustache; blue eyes. Had on blue flannel coat and vest, dark cloth pants, white shirt, white merino undershirt, blue striped overalls, blue check jumper, cotton socks, low cut shoes.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Bridget Brady, aged 60 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, black dress, black and white shawl, cloth gaiters, black straw hat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

Francis Curran, aged 44 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black hair; gray eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Henry Conway, aged 65 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray hair and eyes; had on when admitted dark coat, pants and vest, black felt hat, rubbers. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island, John Boyle, aged 26 years, 5 feet 9 inches high, dark hair, gray eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Jacob Lauth, aged 45 years, 5 feet 5 inches high, brown hair, blue eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order, G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

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

PROPOSALS FOR 15,000 TONS WHITE ASH COAL.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., Saturday, January 29, 1881, at which time they will be publicly opened and read, by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering 15,000 tons of White Ash Coal, of the best quality, and in good order. Each ton to consist of 2,240 pounds. None other will be accepted. All of said coal to be delivered alongside as required, in about the following sizes and quantities, free of all expense, at the following places:

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

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

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

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

surety required. The sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

PROPOSALS FOR 500 TONS WHITE-ASH COAL.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., Saturday, January 29, 1881, at which time they will be publicly opened and read, by the head of said Department, for furnishing and delivering 500 tons of White Ash Coal, of the best quality, to be well screened and in good order. Each ton to consist of 2,240 pounds. None other will be accepted. All of said coal to be delivered as required, in about the following sizes and quantities, free of all expense, at the following places:

At Tombs, Centre Street, First District Prison—
200 tons Egg size.
At Jefferson Market, Second District Prison
160 tons Grate size.
At Essex Street, Third District Prison—
50 tons Egg size.
At 57th Street, Fourth District Prison—
30 tons Egg size.
At 126th Street, Fifth District Prison—
30 tons Egg size.
At No. 66 Third Avenue—
30 tons Egg size.

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

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

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

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

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

JACOB HESS,
TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
Commissioners.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING MATERIALS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING for new Boiler House, Penitentiary, B. I.

- 4 10½-inch heavy Wrought-iron Beams, 12 feet 10 inches each in length, as per specification.
- 6 12½-inch heavy Wrought-iron Beams, 16 feet long, as per specification.
- 1 7-inch Fluted Column, 1½ inch thick, as per specification.
- 10 barrels Rosendale Cement.
- 50 barrels Rockland Lime.
- 30,000 prime quality North River Hard Brick.
- 100 pounds Rosin.
- 2 boxes 9 x 12 French Glass.

—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 Saturday, the 29th day of January, 1881. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Building Materials," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated, New York, January 17, 1881.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESS-
MENTS, AND OF WATER RENTS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 26, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTI-
fied that the following assessment lists were received
by the Collector of Assessments, December 4, 1880, for
collection:

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED NOV. 27, 1880,

as follows:
70th street, flagging, south side, between Madison and 5th avenues.
40th street, paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.
106th street, regulating and grading, between 4th and Madison avenues.
81st street, regulating, grading, etc., between 8th and 9th avenues.
10th avenue, crosswalks, at 152d street.
Lexington avenue, crosswalks, north and south sides of 15th street.
5th and Madison avenues, fencing vacant lots, 72d and 73d streets.
Avenue A, fencing vacant lots, northeast corner 86th street.
79th and 80th streets, fencing vacant lots, Madison and 5th avenues.
8th avenue, west, fencing vacant lots, 107th and 115th streets.
8th avenue, east, fencing vacant lots, 110th and 115th streets.
110th street, fencing vacant lots, 7th avenue and New avenue, etc.
76th street, fencing vacant lots, Lexington and 4th avenues.
123rd street, fencing vacant lots, southwest corner 3th avenue.
59th street, south side, fencing vacant lots, 3th and 6th avenues.
57th street, south side, fencing vacant lots, 2d and 3d avenues.
72d street, north and south sides, fencing vacant lots, 9th and 10th avenues.
Boulevard, west side, fencing vacant lots, 72d and 74th streets.
1st avenue, fencing vacant lots, southwest corner 61st street.
Beaver street, basin at junction of Pearl street.
Jane street, basin at northeast and southeast corners 13th avenue.
Front, Montgomery street, and Northeast corner.
South, Montgomery street, Basin, northwest cor.
132d street, sewer, 7th avenue, 300 feet west 7th avenue.
Lexington avenue, sewer, 104th and 105th streets.
58th street, sewer, between 1st and 2d avenues.
113th street, sewer, between 4th and Madison avenues.
69th and 70th streets, sewer, between 2d and 3d avenues.
Lexington avenue, sewer, between 72d and 73d streets.
64th street, sewer, between 8th avenue and Boulevard.
69th street, sewer, between Boulevard and 9th avenue.
Cliff street, sewer, between Beekman and Ferry streets.
Mr. Morris avenue, sewer, between 123d and 124th streets.
Sylvan Place, sewer, between 120th and 121st streets.

All payments made on the above assessments on or before February 2, 1881, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry. The above assessments are payable 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.

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

ARREARS OF TAXES.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW
York hereby gives notice to owners of Real Estate in
said city, that, as provided by chapter 123 of the Laws of
1880, they may now pay any arrears of taxes for the years
1877, 1878, and 1879, with interest thereon at the rate of
seven per cent. per annum, until the first day of April, 1881,
and if not paid before that date, interest will be payable at
the rate of twelve per cent. per annum.

The Act, chapter 123, Laws of 1880, containing this
provision of law, is published below.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 26, 1881.

CHAPTER 123.

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

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

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

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

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

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, AND OF
ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF
WATER RENTS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 26, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTI-
fied that the following assessment list was received
by the Collector of Assessments, December 8, 1880, for
collection:

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 4, 1880.

BLOOMINGDALE ROAD CLOSING.

The property affected is embraced within the following
boundary, viz.: From the north side of 59th street to the
south side of 159th street, and from 8th avenue to the
Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before
February 6, 1881, will be exempt (according to law) from
interest. After that date interest will be charged at the
rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

The above assessment is payable 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.

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

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, AND OF
ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF
WATER RENTS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, January 26, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTI-
fied that the following assessment lists were received
by the Collector of Assessments, December 8, 1880, for
collection:

CONFIRMED AND ENTERED DECEMBER 4, 1880.

12th avenue regulating, grading, curb, guttering, and
flagging, between 130th and 132d streets.
13d street sewer, between 1st avenue and East river.
Lexington avenue sewer, between 125th and 126th
streets.
Front street sewer, between Dover and Roosevelt
streets.
52d street sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues.
115th street basin, northwest corner Avenue A.
77th street fencing vacant lots, between 4th and 5th
avenues.

All payments made on the above assessments on or be-
fore February 6, 1881, will be exempt (according to law) from
interest. After that date interest will be charged at the
rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

The above assessments are payable 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.

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

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS
of the City of New York, due February 1, 1881,
will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office
in the New Court-house.

The transfer-books will be closed from January 17 to
February 1, 1881.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 12, 1881.

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY
OF NEW YORK, CONSOLIDATING CERTAIN
BUREAUX IN THE FINANCE DEPART-
MENT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

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

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

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

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

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in
making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested
in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the
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ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

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

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

Second. As to all assessments confirmed subsequent to
June 9, 1880, for local improvements theretofore com-
pleted, and as to any assessment for local improvements
known as Morningside avenues, within two months after
the dates upon which such assessments may be respec-
tively confirmed.

The notice must specify the particular assessment com-
plained of, the date of confirmation of the same, the prop-
erty affected thereby, and in a brief and concise manner
the objections thereto, showing that the assessment was
unfair or unjust in respect to said real estate.

Dated New York, July 12, 1880.
EDWARD COOPER,
JOHN KELLY,
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,
DANIEL LORD, JR.,
Commissioners under the Act.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1881.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOOKS
of Annual Record of the assessed valuation of Real
and Personal Estate of the City and County of New York
for the year 1881, will be opened for inspection and revision,
on and after Monday, January 10, 1881, and will remain
open until the 30th day of April, 1881, inclusive, for the
correction of errors and the equalization of the assessments
of the aforesaid real and personal estate.

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

By order of the Board.
ALBERT STORER,
Secretary.