

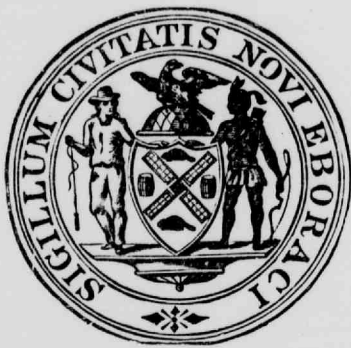
THE CITY RECORD.

OFFICIAL JOURNAL.

VOL. VIII.

NEW YORK, FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1880.

NUMBER 2,281.



PROCLAMATION.

\$500 Reward.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 24, 1880.

Whereas, It has been ascertained by a coroner's jury, upon evidence which seems to me satisfactory, that Mary Sigerson came to her death on the 10th day of November, instant, from a pistol shot wound at the hands of Andrew J. Gillen, in the City of New York;

Now I, Edward Cooper, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby offer a reward of five hundred dollars to any person or persons who shall give information resulting in the apprehension of said Gillen.

No claim for this reward will be considered unless presented to the Mayor within twenty days after said Gillen shall be placed under arrest in this county.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Department of Finance for the week ending November 27, 1880:

Deposits in the Treasury.

On account of the Sinking Fund.....	\$55,277 10
“ “ City Treasury.....	2,363,338 51
Total.....	\$2,418,615 61

Stocks and Bonds Issued.

Five per cent. Bonds.....	\$40,000 00
Five per cent. Stock.....	10,000 00
Total.....	\$50,000 00

Warrants Registered and Ready for Payment.

Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance, and Strengthening.....	\$9,231 01
Assessment Commission, Expenses of.....	244 43
Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	1,368 55
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	583 55
Bronx River Bridges, Repairs and Maintenance of.....	67 75
College of the City of New York.....	366 54
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	210 44
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	25 00
“ Department of Public Works.....	377 96
“ Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	424 00
“ District Attorney's Office.....	131 25
“ Law Department.....	1,467 55
Construction of Bridges over Harlem River.....	201 69
Croton Water Fund.....	3,177 50
Croton Water-main Fund.....	61 39
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	476 30
Dock Fund.....	38,172 55
Election Expenses.....	914 12
Fire Department Fund.....	78 60
For Laying New Walks and Repairing Old Walks.....	2 50
For the Equipment, etc., of Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	179 96
Free Floating Baths.....	331 45
Fund for Small-pox Hospital and Care of Contagious Diseases.....	1,155 36
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements, and Maintenance.....	349 48
Health Fund.....	254 89
Interest on the City Debt.....	154,904 95
Judgments.....	9,005 28
Lamps and Gas.....	40,958 84
Laying Croton Pipes.....	2,911 64
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	11,062 03
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	3,643 44
Maps of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	66 41
Manhattan Square, Improvement of.....	57 10
Museum of Natural History Fund.....	7 50
New York Catholic Protectory.....	17,185 25
New York Infirmary for Women and Children.....	300 00
New York Juvenile Asylum.....	14,494 70
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	35 00
Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	8,552 16
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....	109 59
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1,711 48
Public Charities and Correction.....	9,776 39
Public Instruction.....	15,175 83
Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy.....	707 78
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	326 70
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	103 00
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements.....	2,041 05
Repaving Streets and Avenues—Chapter 476, Laws of 1875.....	199 85
Revenue Bonds, 1879.....	250,000 00
“ 1880.....	1,790,500 00
Salaries—Judiciary.....	210 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	179 35
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	830 78
Surveying, Laying-out, Monumenting, etc.....	72 10
Street Improvements Authorized or Contracted for after June 9, 1880.....	1,583 62

Street Improvement Fund.....	868 80
“ June 9, 1880.....	14,031 39
“ Riverside Avenue, etc.....	185 14
Tompkins Square, Expenses of Restoring, as a Public Park.....	15 00
Water Supply—Twenty-fourth Ward.....	939 60
Total.....	\$2,412,665 57

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	PLAINTIFF OR RELATOR.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Moses Dolan.....	.....	For salary as Patrolman on Police Force, from November 19, 1875.....	R. M. Sherman.
“	Paul Leake.....	\$103 37	Transcript of Judgment.....	Ambrose Monell.

CLAIMS FILED.

NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Roswell H. Rochester, Receiver New York Street Cleaning Association....	\$111,492 14	For amount of judgment recovered, August 5, 1875, against the City of New York, in an action then pending in the Supreme Court, in which Wm. A. Seaver, as collector of the estate of John L. Brown, deceased, was plaintiff, and the Mayor, etc., defendants.....	
Oliver C. Putnam.....	1,056 87	For balance of salary due as Clerk in the Department of Buildings, 1875 to 1878.....	Chas. P. Miller.
John Deppeler, ex'r.....	617 21	For return of money paid on purchase at assessment sale, December 15, 1874, for Eighty-second street opening.....	
James Rogers.....	163 80	For amount retained on contract made with Peter T. Masterson, for building a sewer in Sixty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.....	Jas. A. Deering.
Jeremiah Mahoney.....	.....	For salary as Patrolman, from April 7, 1876.....	Roger M. Sherman
Frederick D. Pell.....	.....	“ “ “ December 5, 1878.....	“
Timothy Stapleton.....	.....	“ “ “ “ 10, 1875.....	“
Edward J. McGloin.....	.....	“ “ “ “ 5, 1878.....	“
Peter Schanwecker.....	.....	“ “ “ February 25, 1876.....	“
Gerald Gaffney.....	.....	“ “ “ May, 1875.....	“
Wm. H. Parsell.....	.....	“ “ “ December 1, 1878.....	“
James Stewart.....	.....	“ “ “ March 28, 1876.....	“
James W. Steed.....	.....	“ “ “ May 1, 1876.....	“
Owen McIntire.....	.....	“ “ “ November 9, 1875.....	“
E. L. Mitchell.....	.....	“ “ “ August 9, 1876.....	“
James Layboon.....	.....	“ “ “ February 7, 1878.....	“
John H. Smith.....	.....	“ “ “ December 15, 1876.....	“
Alfred Nodine.....	.....	“ “ “ January 5, 1875.....	“
Andrew McFail.....	.....	“ “ “ March 7, 1876.....	“
Thomas Nugent.....	.....	“ “ “ July 13, 1875.....	“
George W. Morton (2d demand).....	833 32	For payment of salary due him as Commissioner of Excise, for months of September and October, 1880.	

CONTRACTS REGISTERED.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
5034	Oct. 26, 1880	Board of Education..	Joseph Edwards & Co.....	Heating apparatus in Grammar School Building No. 72, corner Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Fifth street, in Twelfth Ward. Total, \$6,493.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:

November 22. Department of Public Charities and Correction, by representative—For furnishing 2,000 bbls. of flour and 13,930 lbs. of poultry, for use of said Department.

“ 22. Department of Docks, by representative—For building Pier, new 54, North river.

“ 24. Department of Docks—For building Pier, new 55, North river.

“ 26. Department of Public Parks—For construction sewers in Southern Boulevard, One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and One Hundred and Forty-first street, Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; laying crosswalks in Willis avenue, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets, and in Courtland avenue, etc., and for the erection of a ladies' cottage on Tompkins square, as per advertisements of said Department, published in the CITY RECORD under date of November 13, 1880.

“ 27. Department of Public Charities and Correction—For furnishing groceries, provisions, leather, and lumber, for use of the said Department.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

November 22. For furnishing 6,535 lbs. turkeys, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

J. M. Evans, 47 Whitehall street, Principal.

Jacob Varian, 22 Leroy street, { Sureties.

Eugene Ward, 6 Leroy street, }

“ 22. For furnishing 7,395 lbs. chickens, for use of the Department of Charities and Correction.

Ralph A. Lanning, 313 Greenwich street, Principal.

Henry A. Dickinson, 4 West Forty-eighth street, { Sureties.

John A. Dake, 100 East Sixty-second street, }

November 23. For furnishing 2,000 bbls. of flour, for use of the Department of Charities and Correction.

Hollister & Co., 90 Broad street, Principal.
Joseph Allen, 171 Macdougall street,
Henry H. Hollister, 13 East Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.

Return of Proposals.

November 26. Proposal of John Loomam for regulating and grading Ninth avenue, from One Hundred and Fiftieth street to Avenue St. Nicholas, returned to the Department of Public Works without approval of the sureties, the Comptroller not being satisfied of the adequacy and sufficiency of John J. Loomam, 436 East Sixteenth street, one of the sureties thereto.

" 26. Proposal of Joseph Jardine for regulating, etc., Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the application for the substitution of William J. O'Bryon, 264 West Forty-seventh street, as a surety thereon, in the place of James Irving, one of the original sureties.

Official Designation.

Designation of Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller on November 22 and 23, 1880, in pursuance of section 32 of the Charter.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, December 1, 1880.

Monthly statement of warrants drawn against the City Treasury, January 1 to November 30, 1880. Also a comparative statement of the City Debt as represented in Stocks and Bonds as of December 31, 1879, and November 30, 1880; together with a statement of and for what purposes bonds have been issued.

Warrants Drawn.

PAYABLE FROM TAXATION.	TO OCTOBER 31.	IN NOVEMBER.
State Taxes.....	\$3,571,322 91	.....
Salaries, Supplies, and General Expenses of the City Government.....	9,689,029 97	\$1,202,990 10
Interest on the City Debt.....	7,376,206 10	579,794 99
Redemption of the City Debt.....	122,212 13	.....
Public Institutions.....	2,644,639 63	367,786 02
Charitable Institutions.....	790,309 40	90,816 07
Judgments and Claims.....	521,127 14	10,815 05
Election Expenses.....	27,720 76	17,879 70
Seventh Regiment Armory and fixtures.....	58,093 85	.....
Debt of the Annexed Territory.....	60,218 89	.....
Miscellaneous.....	19,177 87	3,703 58
Total payable from Taxation.....	\$25,051,058 71	\$2,363,785 57
NEW WORKS AND IMPROVEMENTS PAYABLE FROM PROCEEDS OF BONDS.		
Public Works—Street Openings and Improvements.....	\$615,231 35	\$74,274 95
" Croton Water Works.....	303,288 58	35,782 54
City Parks Improvements.....	271 85	.....
Fourth Avenue Parks, Improvement of.....	155 55	.....
Docks and Slips.....	444,133 77	86,029 64
New County Court-house.....	68,182 80	.....
Museums of Art and Natural History.....	2,054 28	7 50
Additional Free Floating Baths.....	226 85	.....
Brooklyn Bridge.....	371,900 00	50,000 00
Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	34,797 94	3,279 26
Tompkins Square Improvement.....	937 75	.....
Commission to Revise Laws relating to the City of New York.....	9,331 68	1,103 60
Claims Paid under Special Laws.....	191,750 27	31,593 83
Water-meter Fund.....	29,846 28	.....
Morningside Park Improvement Fund.....	.....	283 33
Total payments from proceeds of Bonds.....	\$2,072,108 35	\$83,326 65
SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.		
Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$7,446,600 00	\$9,249,225 00
Miscellaneous.....	476,681 24	45,593 80
Total payable from Special and Trust Accounts.....	\$7,923,281 24	\$9,294,818 80
SUMMARY.		
Total amount of warrants drawn in November.....	\$11,941,931 02	.....
Add amount previously drawn.....	35,046,448 30	.....
Total to date, in 1880.....	.....	\$46,988,379 32

Stocks and Bonds have been issued in 1880 for the following purposes:

Public Works—Street Openings and Improvements.....	\$652,351 69
" Croton Water Works.....	340,000 00
Docks and Slips.....	523,500 00
Museums of Art and Natural History.....	2,000 00
City Parks Improvements.....	1,000 00
Fourth Avenue Parks, Improvement of.....	2,000 00
New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	421,900 00
Harlem River Bridge.....	41,000 00
New County Court-house.....	57,000 00
Water Meters (Special Revenue Bonds).....	23,000 00
Compiling and Revising Laws Relating to City of New York (Special Revenue Bonds).....	11,000 00
Assessment Commission, Expenses of.....	1,000 00
Expenses of Proceedings against Public Officers in City of New York (Special Revenue Bonds).....	13,100 00
Salaries—District Court Clerks, 1876 (Special Revenue Bonds).....	25,467 72
Refunding and Adjustment of Interest on Contracts (Special Revenue Bonds).....	186,198 52
Current Expenses—Revenue Bonds, 1880.....	19,611,442 38
Improvements—Morningside Park.....	1,000 00
Total.....	\$21,912,960 31

The City Debt, as represented in Stocks and Bonds, November 30, 1880.

CLASSIFICATION OF STOCKS AND BONDS.	DECEMBER 31, 1879.	OCTOBER 31, 1880.	NOVEMBER 30, 1880.
1. Bonds payable from Taxation, under the several statutes authorizing their issue.....	\$95,110,434 85	\$94,366,169 37	\$93,013,169 37
2. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, under ordinances of the Common Council.....	18,467,143 47	18,467,143 47	16,320,743 47
3. Bonds payable from taxes raised annually and paid into the Sinking Fund for their redemption, under section 8 of chapter 383, Laws of 1878.....	2,667,755 34	3,911,507 03	4,080,007 03
4. Bonds payable from the Sinking Fund, issued to refund old issues, under section 6, chapter 383, Laws of 1878.....	6,900,000 00	6,900,000 00	9,700,000 00
5. Assessment Bonds, issued for local improvements completed prior to June 3, 1878, the date of the passage of chapter 383, Laws of 1878, and payable from assessments and the City Treasury.....	12,028,600 00	11,996,600 00	8,463,900 00
6. Assessment Bonds, issued after June 3, 1878, for local improvements contracted for or commenced prior to that date, and payable from assessments and the City Treasury, under the statutes authorizing the work, and chapter 383, Laws of 1878.....	923,500 00	1,164,500 00	1,164,500 00
7. Assessment Bonds, issued for local improvements contracted for or commenced after June 3, 1878, and payable from assessments and the City Treasury, under statutes authorizing the work, and chapter 383, Laws of 1878.....	310,000 00	475,500 00	475,500 00
8. Assessment Bonds, issued after June 9, 1880, section 11, chapter 550, Laws of 1880.....	.....	150,000 00	220,000 00
Deduct amount in Sinking Fund for redemption of City Debt (investments and cash).....	\$136,407,433 66	\$137,431,419 87	\$133,437,819 87
9. Revenue Bonds—	.....	.....	.....
Issued under special acts of the Legislature.....	33,466 41	293,232 65	253,766 24
" in anticipation of Taxes of 1878.....	1,650,000 00	.....	.....
" " 1879.....	4,356,500 00	1,749,900 00	1,072,100 00
" " 1880.....	.....	18,177,042 38	13,129,942 38
Total.....	\$109,425,414 37	\$122,745,127 50	\$121,486,984 67

Cash—City Treasury.....	\$7,702,101 60
Sinking Fund—Redemption (included in amount above).....	390,757 71
Interest.....	429,627 96
Total.....	\$8,522,487 27

NOTE.—The Debt of the annexed territory of Westchester County, not included in the above statement, is as follows:

Towns of Morrisania and West Farms.....	\$953,500 00
County of Westchester.....	14,395 69
Total.....	\$967,895 69

NEW YORK, December 1, 1880.

BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESSMENTS.

A meeting of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments was held at the Comptroller's office, in the New Court-house, on Saturday, November 27, 1880, at 12:45 o'clock P. M.

Present—Hon. John Kelly, Comptroller; Hon. William C. Whitney, Counsel to the Corporation; Hon. Frederick Smyth, Recorder.

The minutes of the meeting held December 10, 1879, were read and approved.

The Comptroller presented to the Board the following assessment lists received from the Board of Assessors, with communication dated November 9, 1880, viz.:

1. Mount Morris avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.
 2. Lexington avenue sewer, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.
 3. One Hundred and Thirty-second street sewer, between Seventh avenue and a point three hundred feet west of Seventh avenue.
 4. Sixty-ninth street sewer, between Boulevard and Ninth avenue.
 5. Sylvan place sewer, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets.
 6. Sixty-fourth street sewer, between Eighth avenue and Boulevard.
 7. Fifty-eighth street sewer, between First and Second avenues, from end of present sewer in First avenue.
 8. Cliff street sewer, between Beekman and Ferry streets.
 9. One Hundred and Thirtieth street sewer, between Fourth and Madison avenues.
 10. Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets sewers, between Second and Third avenues.
 11. Lexington avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets.
 12. Receiving-basins on northeast corner of Front and Montgomery streets, and northwest corner of South and Montgomery streets.
 13. Receiving-basins on northeast and southeast corners of Jane street and Thirteenth avenue.
 14. Receiving-basin at the junction of Beaver and Pearl streets.
 15. Forty-fourth street paving with Belgian pavement, between Second and Third avenues.
 16. Eighty-first street regulating, grading, and setting curb and gutter stones, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.
 17. One Hundred and Sixth street regulating and grading, from Fourth to Madison avenue.
 18. Seventieth street, south side, flagging, between Madison and Fifth avenues.
 19. Crosswalks across Tenth avenue at intersection with One Hundred and Fifty-second street.
 20. Crosswalks at northerly and southerly intersections of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
 21. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Fifth and Madison avenues, and Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.
 22. Fencing on west side Boulevard, from Seventy-second to Seventy-fourth street.
 23. Fencing vacant lots, southwest corner One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Fifth avenue.
 24. Fencing vacant lots both sides of One Hundred and Tenth street, between Seventh and New avenues, and between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
 25. Fencing vacant lots on both sides of Seventy-sixth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.
 26. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets, and Madison and Fifth avenues.
 27. Fencing vacant lots on north and south sides of Seventy-second street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and Tenth avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets.
 28. Fencing vacant lots on west side of Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets.
 29. Fencing vacant lots on south side of Fifty-ninth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
 30. Fencing vacant lots on southwest corner of First avenue and Sixty-first street.
 31. Fencing vacant lots on south side of Fifty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.
 32. Fencing vacant lots on east side of Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets.
 33. Fencing vacant lots on northeast corner of Avenue A and Eighty-sixth street.
- The foregoing assessment lists being in proper form and no objections having been filed thereto, on motion, they were severally confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.
- The Counsel to the Corporation presented to the Board the following preamble and resolutions, viz.:
- Whereas, Doubts have arisen in the minds of the members of the Board for the Revision and Correction of Assessments whether the provisions of section 5, chapter 556, Laws of 1880, apply to pending assessment lists not acted upon by this Board.
- And desiring that no formality which, under any view of the law may be material, should be omitted;
- Resolved, That all assessment lists in the hands of the Chief Clerk of this Board, not acted upon by the Board, which have not the certificate called for by section 5, chapter 556, Laws of 1880, be returned to the Board of Assessors, with request that the requirements of that act be complied with; and be it further
- Resolved, That the Board of Assessors are instructed to make no increase in any assessment in the lists returned under this resolution by reason of this action or of chapter 556, Laws of 1880.
- Which, on motion, were adopted, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.
- At 1:05 o'clock P. M., on motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Saturday, December 4, 1880, at 11 o'clock A. M.

RICHARD A. STORRS,
Chief Clerk Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 29th day of November, 1880.

Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, and Mason.

On reading and filing the report of the Superintendent of Telegraph, it was

Resolved, That notice be given to James Lucas that the Board of Police intend to remove him from the office of Telegraph Operator, his services being no longer required, on account of physical disability; and that he be given opportunity, at 12 o'clock M., November 30, 1880, to make any statement or explanation he may desire.

Resolved, That the following transfer be and is hereby ordered:

Patrolman Joseph Sullivan, from Twelfth Precinct to Thirtieth Precinct.

Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That a street lamp-post be erected and a Boulevard lamp placed thereon and lighted, on the sidewalk near the curb-stone on a line between Nos. 301 and 303 Mulberry street, as requested in the accompanying petition of the Reporters of the Police Bureau, who occupy the two buildings; the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 16, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, November 23, 1880.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street lamps lighted in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Fourth to Sixth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 16, 1880.

Approved by the Mayor, November 23, 1880.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary; John Tracey, Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

Permit and License Bureau Office.

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

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Sewers.

No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 11 1/2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

Bureau of Arrears.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.

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

Bureau of City Revenue.

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

Bureau of Markets.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturday, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
VINCENT C. KING, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

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

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph.
Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

No. 109 Christie street.
DEDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES F. WENMAN, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; J. HENRY FORD, Deputy County Clerk.

PUBLIC POUND.

POUND MASTER'S SALE.

WILL BE SOLD ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1880, at 11 o'clock in the morning, at the public pound on Sixty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, one black mare, about fifteen hands high; h's bar-shoes with leathers on her fore-feet. Impounded Friday, November 26, 1880.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and laying Submarine Telegraph Cables, will be received by the Board of Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, at the office of said Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, New York City, until 9 o'clock A. M., of December 15, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates, to the head of said Department, at 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. 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 contract, if awarded, will be awarded as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids, to the bidder whose proposal or bid, considering the price, quality, and durability of the Cables which he offers to lay, will, in the opinion of the said Department, be most advantageous to the city. But the Department will reject all bids or estimates received if it shall deem it for the interest of the city to do so, and may readvertise until a satisfactory proposal or estimate shall be received. And the contract, when awarded, will be awarded to the lowest bidder for the particular kind of Cable which is or shall be adopted by the said Department. The entire work to be completed within thirty (30) days after award of contract.

The following is a statement, as near as possible, in advance, of the quantity and quality of the supplies and nature and extent of the work required, to wit:
Three Submarine Telegraph Cables to be furnished and laid, in all about 2,500 feet in length, viz.:
From at or near the foot of East Fifty-sixth street, New York, to Blackwell's Island, about 1,250 feet;
From at or near the foot of East One Hundred and Twenty-second street, New York, to Randall's Island, about 650 feet; and
From Randall's Island across Little Hell Gate to Ward's Island, about 600 feet.

The Cables are to be Submarine Cables of three conducting wires, each consisting of not less than four No. 19 Copper Wires twisted. The insulation to be not less than nine thirty-seconds of an inch in diameter, with bedding of woven burling and hemp, tarred, and armor to be of not less than fifteen No. 5 Galvanized Iron Wires, spirally laid. The weight of the cables to be about 8,200 pounds to the mile.

The Cables to be furnished with proper and sufficient cable boxes, posts, connections with the land lines, lightning arresters, keys, and sounders.

The amount in which security is required for the performance of the contract is Two Thousand Dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; and the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also 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 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 shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, 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.

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the work, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state a price per linear foot for furnishing and laying and in all respects completing Cables, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to include the furnishing, setting, and placing of all the cable-boxes, the posts therefor, the lightning arresters, the keys and sounders, the connections with the land lines, and all the latest improvements.

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.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, will be furnished at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, December 2, 1880.

TOWNSEND COX,

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

JACOB HESS,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, November 30, 1880.

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

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—William Durelle, aged 49 years. Committed November 7, 1880. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Hugh McCabe; aged 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair and eyes. Had on when admitted dark coat and pants, shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Alice Green; aged 53 years; 5 feet 2 inches high. Had on when admitted old cloak, skirt, dress, shoes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, November 26, 1880.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Vesey street—Unknown man; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light hair. Had on dark frock coat, black diagonal vest, brown and black striped pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, blue ribbed stockings, elastic gaiters.

Unknown man, from Twentieth Precinct Station-house; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair, moustache, and chin whiskers, m. xed with gray. Had on black cloth overcoat, black check vest, dark cloth pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, black felt hat, gaiters, wore a truss.

At Almshouse, Blackwell's Island—Sarah Willis, aged 28 years. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Christopher Miller; aged 67 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; gray hair; hazel eyes. Had on when admitted black coat, blue pants and vest. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Patrick Grady; aged 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black hair; hazel eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Catharine Stinson; aged 39 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray hair; brown eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Ass't. Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, November 29, 1880.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ONE (1) stallion and two (2) horses will be sold to the highest bidder, for cash, at Nos. 110 and 112 East Thirteenth street, on Friday, December 10, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers.

TOWNSEND COX,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,

Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 23, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSAL FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING illuminating gas for lighting the public markets, armories, buildings, and offices of the City of New York, for the period from January 1, 1881, to December 31, 1881, both days inclusive.

Estimates for furnishing illuminating gas for lighting the public markets, armories, buildings, and offices of the City of New York, or any of them, for the period from January 1, 1881, to December 31, 1881, both days inclusive, will be received by the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York at his office until 12 o'clock, M., of Wednesday, December 8, 1880, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened.

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

The gas shall have an illuminating power of not less than sixteen sperm candles when tested on the improved form of the Bunsen Photometer, and by a burner that will obtain from the gas the greatest amount of light, and practicable for use by the consumer, and consuming at the rate of five cubic feet of gas per hour; the testing candle shall be of sperm of six to the pound, and consuming, as near as possible, one hundred and twenty grains of spermaceti per hour, and no candle shall be used for testing which consumes less than one hundred and fourteen or more than one hundred and twenty-six grains of spermaceti per hour. And, as regards purity, the gas shall be free, within limits not injurious to the public health, from ammonia, sulphuretted hydrogen, and other sulphurous and noxious compounds.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the several markets, armories, buildings, and offices to which they propose to furnish gas in accordance with the terms, conditions, and specifications contained herein, and in the proposed form of contract, and the illuminating power of the gas they propose to furnish.

Bidders are also required to state one definite and distinct price for each thousand cubic feet of gas furnished (whether the quantity be more or less) to each or any of the following public markets, armories, buildings, and offices of the city, and this price must be written out in full, and also inserted in figures:

Washington Market.
Catharine " "
Fulton " "
Essex " "
Centre " "
Clinton " "
Union " "
Tompkins " "
Jefferson " "
First District Police Court.
Second " " "
Third " " "
Fourth " " "
Fifth " " "
Second District Civil Court.
Third " " "
Fourth " " "
Fifth " " "
Sixth " " "
Eighth " " "
Ninth " " "
Marine Court.
Clock, Third District Court-house Tower.
Armory, Fifth Regiment.
Seventh Regiment.
Eighth " "
Ninth " "
Eleventh " "
Twelfth " "
Twenty-second Regiment.
Sixty-ninth " "
Seventy-first " "
Separate Troop "A." "
Gating Battery "E." "
Battery "B." "
Battery "K." "

Court of Special Sessions.
New Court-house.
Brown Stone (Court-room) Building.
City Hall.
Corporation Counsel's Office.
Corporation Attorney's Office.
Receiver of Taxes' Office.
Office of Arrears of Personal Taxes.
Offices of Department of Public Works.
County Jail.
Rivington Street Pipe Yard.
South Gate-house.
Engine-house of High Water Service at High Bridge.
Engine-house of High Water Service at Ninety-eighth street.
Office of Engineer in Charge of Roads and Avenues.
Public Bath, Battery.
Gouverneur slip, E. R.
Foot of Fifth street, E. R.
Nineteenth street, E. R.
Bethune's rect. N. R.
Fifty-seventh street, E. R.
One Hundred and Twelfth st., E. R.
Photometrical Room, Grand and Centre streets.
Seventy-ninth street.

Or any other public building or office in which gas may be required during the aforesaid term.

The right to decline any or all proposals is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation, by the undersigned, and no proposal 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.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained on application at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, November 22, 1880.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1880, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, at the Corporation Yard, One Hundred and Twenty-second street and New Avenue, by Thomas Bowe, Auctioneer, the following articles, viz.:

15,847 pounds Scrap Iron (wrought).
25,805 " Scrap Iron (cast).
13,500 " Steel Drills.
1,682 " Anvils.
3,300 " Iron Crowbars.
1,500 " Steel Crowbars.
325 " Large Iron Crowbars (3).
1,000 " Puddling Bars.
1,500 " Cham.
4,000 " Old Rope.
13 pair Bellows.
1 lot old Shovels, Rammers, Malls, etc.
16 Sand Houses.
6 Tool Houses.
2 Eight-horse Rollers (eight tons each).
1 Horse.

TERMS OF SALE.
Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal of the articles by the purchaser.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, December 1, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A
Station-house, Lodging-house, and Prison on Elizabeth street, in the City of New York, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until ten o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, the 14th day of December, 1880.

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

The nature and extent of the work to be done, as near as it can be stated, is as follows: The building of a Station-house, Lodging-house, and Prison on the lot belonging to the Corporation of the City of New York, on the west side of Elizabeth street, 100 feet south of Canal street, New York City, to consist of two buildings, one 50 feet by 62 feet 4 inches, of brick, with granite and marble trimmings, four stories and basement high, and covered with a flat roof and galvanized iron cornice, and the other 50 feet by 21 feet 8 inches, of brick, blue stone, and iron, two stories and basement high, and covered with a flat tin roof.

All the old buildings, walls, and other materials now on the lot are to be removed by the Contractor, and shall be his property. And bidders, in making their estimates, will consider the value of such materials.

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

The Police Department reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial or satisfactory.

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

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 sum of twenty thousand dollars.

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

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

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank proposals obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department, on and after the 1st day of December, 1880.

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

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

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

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

HENRY C. PERLEY,
THOMAS SHEILS,
JOHN MCCLAVE,
HENRY HAFEN,
BERNARD KENNEY,
Committee on Public Works.

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 13th day of December, 1880, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for the Furniture required for the new house of Grammar School No. 72, on Lexington avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the Office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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.

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

DAVID H. KNAPP,
ANDREW L. SOULARD,
GERMAIN HAUSCHER,
GEORGE W. DEBEVOISE,
CHARLES CRARY,
Board of School Trustees,
Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, November 29, 1880.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

Resolved, That section 125 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended by inserting in line thirty-six after the word "Yonkers," the following, "and of Tarrytown," and after the word Yonkers in line thirty-nine the words, "or Tarrytown."

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

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, July 12, 1880.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.
GEORGE H. ANDREWS, Commissioner under said Act.
DANIEL LORD, JR., Commissioner under said Act.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to the bulkhead line, Harlem 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:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Rufus F. Andrews, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 317 Broadway, in the City of New York, on or before the 3d day of January, 1881, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after said 3d day of January, 1881, and for that purpose will be in attendance at said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Second.—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 3d day of January, 1881.

Third.—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 described lines, viz:

Commencing at a point on the easterly side of Fifth avenue, distant one hundred feet and eleven inches southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Eighth street, and running thence easterly and always at one hundred feet and eleven inches from the said southerly side of One Hundred and Eighth street to the bulkhead line of the Harlem river; thence northerly along said bulkhead line to a point which would be a continuation of a line parallel to One Hundred and Eighth street, and distant one hundred feet and eleven inches northerly from the northerly side thereof; thence westerly, along said line parallel to One Hundred and Eighth street, and distant always one hundred feet and eleven inches from the northerly side thereof to the easterly side of Fifth avenue; thence southerly along the easterly side of Fifth avenue to the place of beginning, excepting therefrom all the avenues, streets and roads within said boundaries.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 18th day of January, 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, November 22, 1880.
RUFUS F. ANDREWS,
CHARLES H. HASWELL,
ALLEN J. CUMING,
Commissioners.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE BOARD
of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, in accordance with a resolution of said Board, passed the 30th day of November, 1880, to all persons that may be interested in the widening of Gansevoort street on the north side, from Washington street to West Thirtieth street, and the widening of West Thirtieth street on the south side, from Gansevoort street to Eighth avenue, that a meeting of said Board of Street Opening and Improvement will be held at the Mayor's Office at 3 o'clock P. M., on Wednesday, the 8th day of December, 1880, to hear any and all objections to the widening of the same.

Dated New York, December 1, 1880.
EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.
JAMES F. WENMAN, President of the Department of Public Parks.
JOHN J. MORRIS, President of the Board of Aldermen.
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, December 1, 1880.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE OMITTED TO PAY
their taxes for the year 1880, are hereby notified, as required by law, to pay the same to the Receiver of Taxes at his office, on or before the 1st day of January, 1881.

One per cent. will be collected on all taxes paid before the 15th day of December, instant; two per cent. on all taxes paid on and after that date, and interest at the rate of twelve per cent. per annum, computed from the 25th of October last (the day on which the assessment rolls and warrants were delivered to the Receiver), on all taxes remaining unpaid on and after the said 1st day of January, 1881.

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.

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

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

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

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

MARTIN T. McMAHON,
Receiver of Taxes.

ARREARS OF ASSESSMENTS.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

CHAPTER 195.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

ARREARS OF TAXES.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

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

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

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

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

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, June 4, 1880.

CHAPTER 123.
AN ACT in relation to arrears of taxes in the City of New York, and to provide for the reissuing of revenue bonds in anticipation of such taxes.

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

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

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

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

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOT
fied that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED APRIL 16, ENTERED APRIL 24, 1880.

Opening of—
156th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the easterly line of 11th avenue.
157th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

158th street, from the westerly line of Kingsbridge road to the Hudson river.
159th street, from the westerly line of the Road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of 11th avenue.

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

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

EDWARD GILON,
Collector of Assessments.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN KELLY,
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 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

JOHN KELLY,
Comptroller.