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### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS,  
No. 1 COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, June 6, 1881.

His Honor WM. R. GRACE, Mayor of the City of New York:

SIR—The undersigned respectfully report that the vouchers and accounts in the offices of the Comptroller and Chamberlain for the first quarter of the current year have been examined and found correct.

The enclosed exhibits, marked Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, are submitted for publication in the CITY RECORD, in accordance with the requirement of section 106, chapter 335, Laws of 1873.

W. P. SHEARMAN,  
J. W. BARROW,  
Commissioners of Accounts.

No. 1.

#### CITY DEBT,

Represented by Stocks and Bonds, Statement showing the Amount thereof on the 31st day of March, 1881.

#### TITLES OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

##### FUNDED DEBT.

Secured by Sinking Fund, Preferred—	
Additional New Croton Aqueduct Stock of 1900.....	\$3,618,635 11
Central Park Fund Stocks of 1887 and 1898.....	3,740,371 00
Central Park Improvement Fund Stocks of 1887 and 1895.....	3,849,800 00
Croton Aqueduct Bonds of 1907-1911.....	490,000 00
Croton Reservoir Bonds of 1907-1917.....	970,637 36
Croton Water Stock of 1883 and 1890.....	2,900,000 00
Floating Debt Fund Stock of 1878.....	700 00
New Aqueduct Stock of 1884.....	250,000 00
Water Stock of 1902.....	500,000 00
Total.....	\$16,320,143 47
Secured by Sinking Fund, Second Lien Act, June 3, 1878—	
Consolidated Stock of 1928, Gold.....	\$6,900,000 00
Consolidated Stock of 1910.....	2,800,000 00
Total.....	\$9,700,000 00
Secured by Special Sinking Fund derived from Annual Taxation Act, June 3, 1878—	
Assessment Fund Stock of 1903.....	\$500 00
Bonds for Construction of Bridge over Harlem river, 1891.....	55,000 00
Bonds for Fitting up and Furnishing Armories and Drill-rooms of 1881.....	43,563 32
City Improvement Stock of 1892.....	190,018 83
City Parks Improvement Fund Stock of 1904.....	11,000 00
Consolidated Stock, City Improvement Stock of 1900.....	13,616 52
Consolidated Stock K, of 1889.....	3,500 00
Consolidated Stock L, of 1899.....	28,173 19
Consolidated Stock M, of 1899.....	12,235 17
Consolidated Stock, New York Bridge Bonds of 1900, 1926, and 1928.....	1,221,900 00
Croton Water Stock, Additional, of 1891.....	505,000 00
Croton Water-main Stock of 1900 and 1906.....	700,000 00
Dock Bonds of 1908 and 1911.....	1,496,000 00
Museums of Art and Natural History Stock of 1903.....	31,000 00
New York County Court-house Stock No. 5, of 1898.....	124,000 00
Total.....	\$4,435,507 03

Payable from Taxation at their respective Maturities, or from the Sinking Fund if the Commissioners thereof approve, provided such payment shall not in any way impair the Preferred Claims thereon (see sec. 6, chap. 383, Laws of 1878)—

Assessment Fund Stock of 1887, 1903, and 1910.....	\$3,112,550 00
Bonds for State Sinking Fund Deficiency of 1881-1886.....	2,339,696 94
City Accumulated Debt Bonds of 1884-1888.....	6,500,000 00
City Cemetery Stock.....	75,000 00
City Improvement Stock of 1889 and 1892.....	7,787,496 30
City Lunatic Asylum Stock of 1889.....	700,000 00
City Parks Improvement Fund Stock of 1901-1904.....	4,788,000 00
Consolidated Stocks of 1881, 1896, 1897, 1901, 1916, 1926.....	20,524,352 11
County Accumulated Debt Bonds of 1884-1888.....	6,000,000 00
County Consolidated Stocks of 1896 and 1901.....	10,565,700 00
Croton Water-main Stock of 1900 and 1906.....	4,486,000 00
Croton Water Stock, Additional, of 1891.....	1,125,000 00
Dock Bonds of 1901-1908.....	6,095,000 00
Fire Department Stock of 1899.....	521,952 87
Fire Telegraph Bonds of 1884.....	597,586 48
Market Stock of 1894 and 1897.....	296,000 00
Museums of Art and Natural History Stock of 1903.....	925,000 00
New York Bridge Bonds of 1905.....	1,500,000 00
New York County Court-house Stocks Nos. 1-5, of 1881, 1884, 1888, 1892, 1894, 1896, 1898.....	2,479,591 07
New York County Repairs to Buildings Stock of 1884, 1888.....	100,000 00

New York and Westchester County Improvement Bonds of 1891.....	\$30,000 00
Ninth District Court-house Bonds of 1890.....	300,000 00
Normal School Fund Stock of 1891.....	200,000 00
Public School Building Fund Stock of 1891.....	636,000 00
Riot Damages Indemnity Bonds of 1882.....	855,204 46
Sewer Repair Stock, 1882, 1885, and 1886.....	265,000 00
Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds of 1883, 1890, and 1895-1897.....	4,745,800 00
Soldiers' Substitute and Relief Redemption Bonds of 1880-1881.....	449,700 00
Soldiers' Bounty Fund Redemption Bonds of 1891.....	376,600 00
Street Improvement Bonds of 1888.....	606,939 14
Street Opening and Improvement Bonds of 1881-1882.....	500,000 00
Tax Relief Bonds of 1890.....	3,000,000 00
Third District Court-house Bonds of 1890.....	398,000 00

Total.....\$92,882,169 37

#### BONDED DEBT INCURRED FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS.

Payable from Assessments and the City Treasury, or from the Sinking Fund if the Commissioners thereof approve, provided such payments shall not in any way impair the Preferred Claims thereon (see section 6, chapter 383, Laws of 1878)—

Assessment Bonds of 1880, 1881, 1882, 1883, and 1884.....	\$5,645,600 00
Assessment Fund Bonds of 1882, 1883, and 1884.....	832,000 00
Assessment Fund Stock of 1881, 1882.....	27,000 00
Assessment Bonds, Riverside Avenue Improvement, of 1883.....	367,000 00
Central Park Commission Improvement Bonds of 1884.....	333,000 00
Department of Parks Improvement Bonds of 1882 and 1884.....	1,241,000 00
Improvement Bonds of 1884.....	500,000 00
Street Improvement Fund Bonds, 1881 and 1882.....	1,388,500 00

Total.....\$10,334,100 00

Public Stock issued for the Improvement of the Squares, Parks, or Places in Fourth avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-ninth streets (see chapter 558, Laws of 1880), issue Limited to \$50,000, whereof one-half is payable on the 1st day of November, 1881, and the remainder November 1, 1882, from Taxation—

Consolidated Stock N, of 1881.....\$2,000 00

Public Stock issued for the Improvement of Morningside Park (see chapter 558, Laws of 1880), issue Limited to \$150,000, whereof not exceeding \$75,000 shall be payable on the 1st day of November, 1881, and the balance on the 1st day of November, 1882, from Taxation—

Consolidated Stock O, of 1881.....2,000 00

#### BONDED DEBT OF ANNEXED TERRITORY, FOR WHICH THE CITY IS LIABLE.

Town of West Farms Bonds—

Central Avenue Construction.....	265,000 00
Locust Avenue Improvement.....	10,000 00
Southern Boulevard Construction.....	278,500 00
Southern Boulevard Macadamizing.....	22,000 00
Madison Avenue Improvement.....	30,000 00
Franklin Avenue Improvement.....	16,000 00

Total.....\$621,500 00

Town of Morrisania Bonds—

Military Bounty Fund.....	\$4,000 00
Central Avenue Construction.....	98,500 00
Southern Boulevard Construction.....	112,000 00
Southern Boulevard Macadamizing.....	6,500 00
St. Anne's Avenue Construction.....	29,000 00
Town Hall Building.....	17,000 00
Survey and Map of Town.....	13,000 00
North Brother Island Purchase.....	23,000 00

Total.....\$299,000 00

Special Statutory Revenue Bonds—

Chapter 213, Laws of 1871, Payable from Moneys Collected, Expenses of Water Meters.....	\$23,000 00
Chapter 177, Laws of 1880, Claims of Clerks, District Courts, 1876, Payable from Taxation, 1881.....	28,419 33
Chapter 556, Laws of 1880, Refunding and Adjustment of Interest, etc., Payable from Taxation.....	211,425 25
Chapter 587, Laws of 1880, Expenses of Certain Proceedings against Public Officers, Payable from Taxation.....	29,670 21
Chapter 594, Laws of 1880, Revision of Special and Local Laws, Payable from Taxation.....	10,000 00
Chapter 550, Laws of 1880, Expenses Assessment Commissioners, Payable from Taxation, 1881-1882.....	2,000 00

Total.....\$304,514 79

Floating Debt Obligations—

Revenue Bonds of 1879.....	\$525,000 00
Revenue Bonds of 1880.....	4,182,600 00
Revenue Bonds of 1881.....	2,730,600 00

Total.....\$7,438,200 00

#### RECAPITULATION.

Preferred Sinking Fund Stocks and Bonds.....	\$16,320,143 47
Second Lien Sinking Fund Stock.....	9,700,000 00
Special Sinking Fund Stocks and Bonds.....	4,435,507 03
Stocks and Bonds Payable from Taxation.....	92,882,169 37
Assessment and Improvement Stocks and Bonds Payable from Assessments and the Treasury.....	10,334,100 00
Public Stock Issued for Improvement of Squares, etc., in Fourth avenue, Payable from Taxation in 1881 and 1882.....	2,000 00
Public Stock Issued for Improvement of Morningside Park, Payable from Taxation in 1881 and 1882.....	2,000 00
Funded Debt of Morrisania and West Farms.....	924,500 00
Statutory Revenue Bonds.....	304,514 79
Revenue Bonds Payable from Current Collection of Taxes.....	7,438,200 00
Total Gross Debt.....	\$142,343,134 66
Of which the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the Debt hold.....	33,365,134 66
Total Net Debt.....	\$108,978,000 00



No. 2.  
CITY TREASURY.

Statement of the Receipts and Payments for the First Quarter of the Year 1881.

TITLES OF ACCOUNTS.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		TOTAL FOR THE QUARTER.	
	Receipts.	Payments.	Receipts.	Payments.	Receipts.	Payments.	Receipts.	Payments.
Cash Balance.....	\$1,870,340 83		\$1,537,048 60		\$1,239,896 37		\$26,000 00	
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	11,000 00		5,000 00		10,000 00		26,000 00	
Advertising.....	158 00	\$2,762 00		\$144 85	\$672 20		\$3,579 05	
American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....		8,684 33		7,341 46	10,414 82		26,440 61	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance, and Salaries.....		2,625 00		6,625 00			9,250 00	
Armories and Drill-rooms—Rents.....		1,167 00		1,392 00	1,008 00		3,567 00	
Armories and Drill-rooms—Wages.....		19,845 57		303 00	4,318 10		24,466 67	
Arrears for Advertising.....	266,084 05		282,430 60		311,473 30		859,987 95	
Assessment Bonds.....	20,000 00		50,000 00		10,000 00		80,000 00	
Assessment Fund.....	2,000 00	1,860 00	1,000 00	916 00	952 06		1,000 00	3,728 06
Assessment Fund Bonds.....		493 41		199 46			859 53	
Assessment Commission, Expenses of.....		25,626 63		200 00	639 66		26,266 29	
Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded.....		2,000 85		1,086 77	2,799 17		5,886 79	
Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....					7 44		7 44	
Boulevards, Roads, and Avenues, Maintenance of.....		14 37		158 33	679 73		852 43	
Broadway, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards—Maintenance and Improvement		95 69		693 08	795 89		1,584 66	
Bronx River Bridges—Repairs and Maintenance.....								
Bureau of Permits.....		10 00		20 00	15 00		45 00	
Charges on Arrears—Assessments.....		5 00		10 00	5 00		20 00	
Charges on Arrears—Taxes.....								
Children's Aid Society.....		2,080 00		23,333 33			23,333 33	
Children's Fold.....		10 94					10 94	
City Contingencies.....		617 77		583 33	583 33		1,784 43	
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....		1,050 00		2,100 00			3,150 00	
Claims Payable under Special Act of Legislature.....		2,501 68		2,006 59	1,705 56		6,213 83	
Cleaning Markets.....		2,119 02		84,023 66	86,149 76		232,092 44	
Cleaning Streets under Police.....		2,403 85		10,783 23	10,891 19		24,078 27	
College of the City of New York.....		6,301 82		4,698 85	4,887 80		15,888 47	
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....		130 08		120 88	522 00		772 96	
Commissions of Public Administrator.....		1,666 66		3,619 30	1,250 00		6,535 96	
Commission for Revision of Special Laws, etc.....		4,732 66		1,000 00	3,617 80		11,469 76	
Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....								
Consolidated Stock.....		43 12		2 37			45 49	
Contingencies—Clerk of Common Council.....		485 70		191 11	2,514 07		3,190 88	
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....					8 00		8 00	
Contingencies—Department of Buildings.....		353 24		185 54	213 00		751 78	
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....		374 00		26 95	26 95		400 95	
Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....		120 45		576 65	271 91		975 01	
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....		2,262 70		2,450 00	2,963 90		7,676 60	
Contingencies—Law Department.....		1,525 54		152 54	106 95		1,785 03	
Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....		78 00		75 00	69 00		222 00	
Contingencies—Public Administrator's Office.....		863 20		923 65	722 00		2,508 85	
County Clerk's Fees.....		25,766 52		10,100 24	9,064 00		44,930 76	
Croton Water Fund.....		491 01		14,179 26	1,072 29		15,742 56	
Croton Water-main Fund.....								
Croton Water-main Stock.....		10,000 00		5,000 00			15,000 00	
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....		274 17		289 22	911 25		1,474 74	
Dock Bonds.....		62,500 00		10,000 00	50,000 00		122,500 00	
Dock Fund.....		1,031 62		23 19	38,898 58		1,054 81	129,842 13
Dog License Fund.....		14 00		2 00	29 00		45 00	
Disbursements, Fees, etc., County Officers.....				500 00			500 00	
Duplicate Assessments Paid.....				465 85			465 85	
Election Expenses.....		7,516 29		525 00	551 20		8,592 49	
Excise Licenses.....		10,040 00		21,340 00	32,585 00		63,965 00	
Expenses Altering Map of the City, etc.....		150 00		45,265 45	30,241 41		75,506 86	
Expenses of Detectives, Patrolmen, etc.....				416 66	416 66		833 32	
Expenses of Proceedings against Public Officers.....				16,638 95			16,638 95	
Fire Department Fund.....		114,330 30		110,467 36	676 12		338,450 46	
Five Points House of Industry.....					5,051 10		5,051 10	
Flagging Sidewalks, etc.....		241 52		19,483 35			19,483 35	
Forfeited Recognizances.....								
For Laying New Walks, etc.....								
For Procuring and Presenting Evidence, etc.....								
Foundling Asylum.....		19,944 15		19,743 75	18,311 41		57,999 31	
Fourth Avenue Parks, Improvement of.....		52 40		44 40	27 20		124 00	
Free Floating Baths.....					1,590 10		1,590 10	
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....		543 51		300 00	1,612 66		2,156 17	
Fund for Small-pox Hospital.....		3,042 58		1,123 27	433 99		4,599 84	
General Fund.....		14,441 92		2,661 48	7,235 02		24,338 42	
Greenwich Street Railway.....		8,552 64					8,552 64	
Harlem River Bridges.....		9,855 47		3,288 79	999 84		14,144 10	
Health Fund.....		14,410 97		13,182 09	12 60		41,605 49	
Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum Society.....		8,623 27					8,623 27	
Hospital for Care of Contagious Diseases.....				954 61	2,895 73		3,850 34	
Hudson River State Hospital.....					561 48		561 48	
Incumbrances in Harbor, Removal of.....					270 00		270 00	
Institution for the Blind.....		5,543 36					5,543 36	
Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....				9,020 02			9,020 02	
Interest on the City Debt.....		322,019 32		230,724 59	62,843 37		615,587 28	
Interest on Assessments.....		12,616 52		11,694 15	15,324 58		39,635 25	
Interest on Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments.....		131 65					131 65	
Interest on Taxes.....		74,659 14		74,135 73	69,052 10		217,846 97	
Intestate Estates.....		1,139 05		325 57	285 32		2,377 10	
Judgments.....		84,011 92		11,211 72	10,951 50		106,175 14	
Jurors' Fees.....		8,714 00		5,070 00	5,000 00		18,784 00	
Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments.....		263 32					263 32	
Lamps and Gas.....		76,634 42		6,215 98	67,731 35		150,581 75	
Licenses and Permits.....		2,455 00		4,948 75	2,336 25		9,740 00	
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....		24,951 82		24,640 08	28,751 23		78,343 13	
Maintenance of Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....		2,981 84		1,179 74	757 54		4,919 12	
Manhattan Square, Improvement of.....		261 27		49 03	669 68		979 98	
Maps of Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....		1,638 67		737 67	708 52		3,084 86	
McDonough Park Improvement Fund.....		268 98		250 00	312 40		831 38	
New York County Court-house Stock.....		1,000 00					1,000 00	
New York County Court-house.....		1,053 43		105 75	232 75		1,391 93	
New York Catholic Protectory.....		16,800 05		16,907 75	15,482 11		49,189 91	
New York Infant Asylum.....		4,216 18		3,970 62	3,970 62		12,157 42	
New York Infirmary for Women and Children.....		175 00		75 00			325 00	
New York Juvenile Asylum.....		13,406 17			12,885 97		26,292 14	
New York Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....		505 00		505 00	75 00		1,085 00	
New York Society for Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.....		6,341 80					6,341 80	
New York State Lunatic Asylum.....					216 40		216 40	
Night Medical Service Fund.....					500 00		500 00	
Night-soil, Offal, and Dead Animals, Removal of.....		3,000 00		3,000 00	3,000 00		9,000 00	
Nursery and Child's Hospital.....		8,771 64			16,514 93		25,286 57	
Police Fund.....		3,552 23		270,612 48	270,612 48		807,070 83	
Police Station-houses—Alterations.....		1,666 74		1,333 33	1,333 33		4,333 40	
Police Station-houses—Rents.....		239 06		752 34	1,575 50		2,566 90	
Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.....		4,781 31		1,304 95	16,158 23		22,244 49	
Protestant Episcopal House of Mercy.....				790 43			790 43	
Public Buildings, Construction and Repairs of.....		3,323 75		5,659 50	6,789 62		15,772 87	
Public Charities and Correction.....		101,075 12		126,674 81	140,359 67		368,109 60	
Public Drinking Hydrants.....		62 48		54 41	29 00		145 89	
Public Instruction.....		79,741 86		268,434 74	264 83		643,925 29	
Publication of the City Record.....		4,158 86		3,162 49	2,997 22		10,318 57	
Real Estate, Expenses of.....					13 88		13 88	
Redemption of Debt of Annexed Territory.....				2,000 00	27,000 00		29,000 00	
Refunding and Adjusting of Interest on Contracts, etc.....				26,580 13			26,580 13	
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....		2,381 77		1,071 10	192 66		3,645 53	
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....		353 35		157 05	195 65		706 05	
Rents.....		4,666 66		8,612 50	2,125 00		15,404 16	
Repairing and Removal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....		4,685 82		4,511 58	6,980 97		16,178 37	
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....		763 22		430 84	721 50		1,915 56	
Repeating Streets and Avenues.....		3,427 07		431 91	2,986 67		6,413 74	
Restoring and Repaving (Department of Public Works), Special.....		1,597 25		3,759 00	4,048 00		8,570 00	
Restoring and Repaving (Department of Public Parks), Special.....				248 00			248 00	
Revenue Bonds of 1880.....		210,092 38		1,100,000 00	1,466,200 00		1,776,292 38	
Revenue Bonds of 1881.....		717,900 00		717,100 00	1,294,600 00		2,730,600 00	
Revenue Bonds, Special.....								
Roads and Avenues—Maintenance and Sprinkling.....		276 96					276 96	
Roads, Streets, and Avenues—Unpaved, etc.....		98 30		573 23	1,574 45		2,246 98	
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd.....		3,226 97					3,226 97	
Salaries—Board of Assessors.....		1,450 11		1,433 86	1,309 46		4,193 43	
Salaries—Bureau of Permits.....		783 81					783 81	
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....		2,500 00		2,500 00	2,500 00		7,500 00	
Salaries—City Courts.....		42,929 47		18,580 67	18,613 77		80,123 91	
Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....		837 50		849 50	877 50		2,564 50	
Salaries—Common Council.....		8,934 39		5,024 83	8,720 21		22,679 43	
Salaries—Department of Buildings.....		11,272 61		133 71			11,406 32	
Salaries—Department of Finance.....		16,048 27		10,796 94	17,950 26		44,795 47	
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....		18,772 37		22,822 85	23,025 47		64,621 69	
Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....		7,344 96		6,737 15	6,471 02		20,553 13	
Salaries—Janitors of Civil and Police Courts.....		1,275 00					1,275 00	
Salaries—Judiciary.....		113,269 47		51,994 75	52,383 22		217,647 44	
Salaries—Law Department.....		8,935 57		7,422 27	12,688 04		29,045 88	
Salaries—Mayor's Office.....		1,997 25		2,170 13	4,383 20		8,550 64	
Salary—Physician to Jail.....		83 37		83 33	83 33		250 03	
Sedgwick Avenue, Maintenance and Improvement of.....								
Seventh Regiment New Armory Fund.....		7,500 00					7,500 00	
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....		2,854 16		2,105 71	9,690 22		14,650 09	



TITLES OF ACCOUNTS.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		TOTAL FOR THE QUARTER.	
	Receipts.	Payments.	Receipts.	Payments.	Receipts.	Payments.	Receipts.	Payments.
Sheriff's Fees.....		18,557 97				15 00	\$18,572 90	
Sinking Fund Interest.....	48,721 02	400,087 50	63,826 02	65,617 56	47,623 81	969 25	160,170 85	466,674 31
Sinking Fund Redemption.....	511,058 46	208,500 00	265,049 09	97,170 21	73,296 94	272,000 00	849,474 49	577,670 21
Southern Boulevard—Maintenance and Improvement.....						67 16		67 16
St. Joseph's Improved Institute, etc.....				4,680 00				4,680 00
State Asylum for Insane Criminals.....		260 00						260 00
State Homeopathic Asylum for Insane.....		464 32				625 90		1,090 22
Street Improvement Fund.....		29,781 59		36,094 81		16,603 07		82,479 47
Street Improvement—For Surveying, etc.....		400 20						400 20
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....		10,020 38		7,632 94		12,966 21		30,019 53
Supplies for Police.....		5,000 00		4,833 33		4,833 33		14,666 66
Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....		370 82		639 00		860 25		1,670 07
Surveying, Laying-out, etc.....		663 55		632 96		637 68		1,934 19
Surveys—Maps and Plans in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....		237 39		9 00		34 49		43 49
Taxes.....	493,082 43		348,140 73		274,684 05		1,116,207 21	
Tapping Water Pipes.....	121 00		203 00		1,019 50		1,343 50	
Tenement-house Fund.....		758 10		851 50		724 00		2,333 60
The Association for Benefiting Children and Young Girls.....		1,995 15		413 43		391 00		2,799 58
Tompkins Square, Expenses of Restoring.....		7 50		22 50		649 55		679 55
Union Home and School.....		1,135 25		1,250 00		1,199 18		3,584 43
Water Meter Fund.....		1,722 44		803 66		972 00		972 00
Water Supply for Twenty-fourth Ward.....		354 40						354 40
Laying Croton Water-pipes.....		15,865 09		14,918 06		4,684 59		35,467 74
Balance.....		1,537,048 60		1,239,896 37		1,473,926 59		
Total.....	\$4,150,134 01	\$4,150,134 01	\$4,545,499 28	\$4,545,499 28	\$3,451,800 79	\$3,451,800 79	\$7,500,148 28	\$7,896,562 52

## No. 3.

## Sinking Fund Account Quarter ending March 31, 1881.

	DR.	CR.
Balance in Bank, Sinking Fund Redemption, December 31, 1880.....		\$95,959 55
Balance in Bank, Sinking Fund Interest, December 31, 1880.....		515,793 23
Total Cash Balance December 31, 1880.....		\$611,752 78
<i>Receipts.</i>		
Sinking Fund Redemption—		
Market Rents and Fees.....	\$70,476 62	
Market Cellar Rents.....	3,935 74	
Bonds and Mortgages.....	1,855 00	
Hackney Coach Licenses.....	60 00	
Pawnbrokers' Licenses.....	145 00	
Junk Dealers' Licenses.....	60 00	
Dock and Slip Rent.....	170,565 39	
Revenues from Investments.....	75,825 62	
Interest on Deposits.....	14,433 42	
Assessment Fund.....	31,485 88	
Street Improvement Fund.....	71,617 32	
Street Improvements above Fifty-ninth street.....	1,166 63	
Third Avenue, Morrisania, Opening and Improvement Fund.....	994 64	
Street Vaults.....	6,723 53	
West Farms Gas Tax.....	59 70	
Surplus Revenue of the Interest Fund Transferred.....	400,000 00	
Total Receipts, Sinking Fund Redemption.....	\$849,404 49	
Sinking Fund Interest—		
Interest on Bonds and Mortgages.....	\$3,897 38	
House Rent.....	3,039 00	
Ground Rent.....	8,850 50	
Ferry Rent.....	17,135 50	
Water Lot Rent.....	18 21	
Water Register, Croton Water Rent.....	82,661 82	
Receiver of Taxes, Croton Water Rent.....	5,605 61	
Clerk of Arrears, Croton Water Rent.....	7,940 05	
Interest on Croton Water Rent.....	1,740 58	
Court Fees and Fines.....	23,028 54	
Stenographer's Fees.....	2,532 00	
Fines and Penalties.....	3,170 36	
Interest on West Farms Gas Tax.....	5 30	
Total Receipts, Sinking Fund Interest.....		160,170 85
Total Cash Receipts Sinking Funds.....		1,009,575 34
<i>Payments.</i>		
Sinking Fund Redemption, Warrants Drawn—		
Refund of Overpayment on Street Vaults.....	\$18 75	
Assessment Bonds—For Investment.....	80,000 00	
Assessment Fund Bonds—For Investment.....	5,000 00	
Additional Croton Water Stock—For Investment.....	26,000 00	
Croton Water-main Stock—For Investment.....	15,000 00	
Consolidated Stock O—For Investment.....	1,000 00	
Dock Bonds—For Investment.....	122,000 00	
N. Y. County Court-house Stock—For Investment.....	1,000 00	
Revenue Bonds (Special)—For Investment.....	17,570 21	
Revenue Bonds, 1881—For Investment.....	200,000 00	
Total Warrants Drawn, Sinking Fund Redemption.....	\$468,088 96	
Add Warrants Outstanding December 31, 1880.....	116,300 00	
Deduct Warrants Outstanding March 31, 1881.....	\$584,388 96	
Total Cash Payments Sinking Fund Redemption.....	\$577,670 21	
Sinking Fund Interest Warrants Drawn—		
Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	\$66,897 06	
Surplus Revenue Transferred to the Redemption Fund.....	400,000 00	
Total Warrants Drawn, Sinking Fund Interest.....	\$466,897 06	
Add Warrants Outstanding December 31, 1880.....	609 41	
Deduct Warrants Outstanding March 31, 1881.....	\$467,506 47	
Total Cash Payments Sinking Fund Interest.....	466,674 31	
Total Cash Payments Sinking Funds.....	\$1,044,344 52	
Balance in Bank, Sinking Fund Redemption, March 31, 1881.....	\$367,693 83	
Balance in Bank, Sinking Fund Interest, March 31, 1881.....	209,289 77	
Total Cash Balance March 31, 1881.....	\$576,983 60	
	\$1,621,328 12	\$1,621,328 12

## No. 4.

## Statement showing the Revenues Applicable to the General Fund during the Quarter ending March 31, 1881.

CITY RECORD, Sales of.....	\$203 45
Commissions Public Administrator.....	772 90
Corporation Counsel, Costs, etc.....	1,362 06
County Clerk's Fees.....	2,508 85
Department of Charities and Correction, Passenger Fares, Ferriage, Sale of Refuse, etc.....	14,109 20
Department of Parks—Sale of Licenses, etc.....	417 13
Dividend on Manhattan Co. Stock.....	22 75

Fire Department—Sales of Manure, Horses, etc.....	\$1,149 77
Forfeited Recognizances.....	19,483 35
Health Department—Fees for Searching for Births and Deaths.....	262 60
Interest on Taxes—Receiver of Taxes.....	36,843 04
Interest on Taxes—Clerk of Arrears.....	181,003 93
Interest on Assessments.....	39,635 25
Licenses—City Treasury—Registrar of Permits.....	1,780 00
Licenses—City Treasury—First Marshal.....	7,960 00
Market Permits.....	19 00
Market Seizures.....	78 85
Police Department—Sales of Old Material.....	855 96
Sewers and Drains—Permits for Opening.....	5,618 25
Street Incumbrances.....	170 50
Tapping Water Pipes.....	1,343 50
Miscellaneous—Subpoena Fees and Copying.....	18 00
Sales of Indices, Records, etc.....	50 00
Total Revenue during Quarter.....	\$315,669 30

## No. 5.

## General Summary, Quarter ending March 31, 1881.

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Cash Balance in Bank, City Treasury, December 31, 1880.....		\$1,258,588 05
Cash Balance in Bank, Sinking Funds, December 31, 1880.....		611,752 78
Total Cash Balance, December 31, 1880.....		\$1,870,340 83
<i>Receipts.</i>		
City Treasury, from all sources.....	\$6,490,572 94	
Sinking Fund Redemption.....	849,404 49	
Sinking Fund Interest.....	160,170 85	
Total Cash Receipts during the Quarter.....		7,500,148 28
<i>Payments.</i>		
Total Warrants Drawn against Appropriation Accounts.....	\$4,225,964 15	
Add Warrants Outstanding December 31, 1880.....	975,962 78	
Deduct Warrants Outstanding March 31, 1881.....	\$5,201,926 93	
Less Canceled Warrants of 1880.....	593,635 73	
Total Cash Payments, Appropriation Accounts, during the Quarter.....	\$4,608,291 20	
Total Warrants Drawn against Special and Trust Accounts.....	9 00	
Add Warrants Outstanding December 31, 1880.....		\$4,608,282 20
Deduct Warrants Outstanding March 31, 1881.....	\$1,251,112 91	
Total Cash Payments, Special and Trust Accounts, during the Quarter.....	1,049,454 95	
Total Warrants Drawn against Sinking Fund Redemption.....	\$2,300,567 86	
Add Warrants Outstanding December 31, 1880.....	56,632 06	
Deduct Warrants Outstanding March 31, 1881.....	2,243,935 80	
Total Cash Payments, Sinking Fund Redemption, during the Quarter.....		577,670 21
Total Warrants Drawn against Sinking Fund Interest.....	\$466,897 06	
Add Warrants Outstanding December 31, 1880.....	609 41	
Deduct Warrants Outstanding March 31, 1881.....	\$467,506 47	
Total Cash Payments, Sinking Fund Interest, during the Quarter.....	832 16	
Total Cash Payments of the City Treasury and Sinking Funds during the Quarter.....	466,674 31	
Cash Balance in Bank, City Treasury, March 31, 1881.....	\$896,942 99	
Cash Balance in Bank, Sinking Funds, March 31, 1881.....	576,983 60	
Total Cash Balance, March 31, 1881.....	\$1,473,926 59	
	\$9,370,489 11	\$9,370,489 11

## No. 6.

## Statement showing the City and County Stocks and Bonds held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the Redemption of the Debt March 31, 1881.

## TITLES OF STOCKS AND BONDS.

Accumulated Debt Bonds (County).....	\$20,000 00
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	1,233,000 00
Additional New Croton Aqueduct Stock.....	2,287,335 11
Assessment Bonds.....	1,660,000 00
Assessment Bonds, Riverside Avenue Improvement.....	367,000 00
Assessment Fund Bonds.....	82,000 00
Assessment Fund Stock.....	1,361,850 00
Bonds for Construction of Bridge over Harlem river.....	55,000 00
Bonds for Fitting up and Furnishing Armories and Drill-rooms.....	43,563 32



Bonds for State Sinking Fund Deficiency.....	\$3,196 94
Central Park Fund Stock.....	80,471 00
Central Park Improvement Fund Stock.....	1,020,800 00
City Improvement Stock.....	726,534 36
City Lunatic Asylum Stock.....	400,000 00
City Parks Improvement Fund Stock.....	3,221,500 00
Consolidated Stocks.....	719,257 76
Croton Aqueduct Bonds.....	490,000 00
Croton Reservoir Bonds.....	950,637 36
Croton Water Stock.....	2,128,000 00
Croton Water-main Stock.....	2,545,000 00
Dock Bonds.....	3,879,000 00
Fire Department Stock.....	521,952 87
Fire Telegraph Bonds.....	597,586 48
Market Stock.....	181,000 00
Museums of Art and Natural History Stock.....	956,000 00
New Aqueduct Stock.....	150,000 00
New York Bridge Bonds.....	1,973,900 00
New York County Court-house Stock.....	1,231,891 07
New York and Westchester County Improvement Bonds.....	30,000 00
New York County Repairs to Buildings Stock.....	100,000 00
Normal School Fund Stock.....	190,000 00
Public School Building Fund Stock.....	530,400 00
Revenue Bonds.....	504,514 79
Riot Damages Indemnity Bonds.....	563,004 46
Sewer Repair Stock.....	265,000 00
Soldiers' Bounty Fund Bonds.....	1,139,300 00
Soldiers' Substitute Relief and Redemption Bonds.....	120,000 00
Street Improvement Bonds.....	606,939 14
Third District Court-house Bonds.....	398,000 00
Tax Relief Bonds.....	1,000 00
Town of West Farms Bonds (Construction of Madison avenue).....	5,500 00
Water Stock.....	25,000 00

Total Amount held March 31, 1881..... \$33,365,134 66  
Amount held December 31, 1880..... 32,897,064 45

Increase during the Quarter ending March 31, 1881..... \$468,070 21

## LAWS OF NEW YORK, 1881.

### CHAPTER 338.

#### An Act in relation to railroad corporations.

Passed May 24, 1881.

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

Section 1. Any railroad company heretofore organized or incorporated under or by the laws of this State for the purpose of constructing or operating an elevated railway (except such as may have been organized for the purpose of constructing or operating a railroad in the city of New York) which from any cause has failed, or which, within sixty days from the passage of this act, may fail to comply with the requirements or conditions of its charter, or of any law in regard to the commencement, completion, or construction of its road within the periods prescribed by its charter, articles of association, or any law, but which has actually constructed a portion of the railroad, tracks, or other works it was authorized to construct, shall hereby have the time for the construction or completion of the railroad it was authorized to construct, extended for the further period of two years from the passage of this act. Any failure to begin the construction of, or complete the construction of its railroad within the time heretofore limited shall not cause, or be deemed to cause, or to have caused a forfeiture or loss or termination of any of its corporate rights and powers. In the event of any delay in construction, occasioned by legal proceedings, the time for completion is extended for a further period equal to the time of such delay. But nothing herein contained shall have the effect of reviving any corporation whose corporate powers have been adjudged to be forfeited, or to have ceased from any cause.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

### CHAPTER 344.

#### An Act to amend chapter two hundred and fifteen of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five, entitled "An act to prevent the mutilation of shade or ornamental trees."

Passed May 25, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. Section one of chapter two hundred and fifteen of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five, entitled "An act to prevent the mutilation of shade or ornamental trees," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 1. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons whatsoever in this state, to hitch any horse or other animal to, or leave the same standing near enough to, to injure any fruit or forest tree that has been transplanted or used as a shade or ornamental tree around any school-house, church or public building, or along any public highway, or to cut down or mutilate, in any way, any such ornamental or shade trees; but the right of property owners along the highways to cultivate, train and use such shade trees shall not be impaired or abridged hereby.

Sec. 2. Section two of said act is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 2. Any person or persons guilty of violating the provisions of section one of this act shall be liable to prosecution by any person, before any justice of the peace in the town where the offense is committed, and punishable by a fine not exceeding ten dollars, nor less than one dollar, besides the costs of action for each offense or for each tree cut down or mutilated in violation of the provisions of this act; and every such penalty, when collected, shall be paid by the justice, one-half to the overseer of the poor of the town in which recovery was had, and the remainder to the complainant, and the same process and means for the collection of the penalties imposed by this act may be issued and had as are now allowed by law for the collection of damages in actions of tort, but no provision of this act shall operate to interfere with any ordinance of the incorporation of villages and cities of this state, intended to secure the protection of shade trees therein.

§ 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

### CHAPTER 346.

#### An Act in relation to the port and harbor of New York, and the waters near the same.

Passed May 25, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. No street sweeping, dredging from slip or other places earth, dirt, stone ballast from vessels, ashes, swill, garbage, dead animals or portions thereof, decayed or other vegetables or fruits, bedding or refuse, or rubbish of any kind, or any articles, shall be dumped or deposited in the waters of the port of New York, or in the rivers or waters adjoining the city of New York, or in the waters of New York harbor, or New York bay, or the lower bay of New York, or in the waters within three miles of Coney Island or Sandy Hook, or the Long Island or New Jersey shores, or in the Hudson river, the East river, Long Island sound, and all waters adjacent thereto west of the middle ground shoal, or in the navigable waters lying between the said sound and the East river, nor in the waters bounding or adjoining the port or harbor of New York, or the upper or lower bay, and including the "Kills," Kill von Kull, Arthur Kill, Spermacetti and Horseshoe coves, Sandy Hook bay, Rockaway inlet or the bay or sound communicating therewith, Sheephead bay, Gravesend bay, Princes' bay and Gowanus bay, or in such portions of said waters subject to the jurisdiction of the state of New York; nor shall any article or thing that is liable to convey disease or is putrid, unwholesome, noxious or dangerous to the public health, or dangerous to the navigation, be cast, thrown, placed, deposited or suffered or permitted to become in said waters, or placed or suffered to be placed where said water would ordinarily or naturally rise upon, take or receive them, excepting, however, the ordinary discharge of sewers constructed under the authority of the laws of the state within which they are located. The above provisions shall apply to lands under the waters as well as to the latter.

Sec. 2. This act shall not apply to the erection or construction of any pier, dock, bulkhead, or the making, by filling in, in a proper manner, of any land, in case where the erection of such piers, docks or bulkheads, or making, by filling in, of land is now authorized by the laws of the state. That the prohibition to dump solid material in said port, harbor or rivers in this act contained, or to make and construct works to change and improve channels shall not apply to works undertaken by the government of the United States in the port and harbor of the city of New York, or authorized by the laws of the state of New York.

Sec. 3. That the violation of any of the provisions of this act shall be deemed a misdemeanor, and the person so violating the same shall, upon conviction, be punished by the infliction of a fine of not less than fifty, or more than one thousand, dollars for each offense, or by imprisonment as is now provided in the case of misdemeanors, or both.

Sec. 4. Any pilot, shore inspector, harbor master or port warden of the port of New York, the police of the cities of New York and Brooklyn, or any city marshal or constable within the said district, and upon the waters mentioned in this act, shall have power to arrest all persons and deliver into custody any person or persons taken in the act of violating any of the provisions of this act.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

### CHAPTER 351.

#### An Act authorizing the incorporation of suburban homestead and villa park associations.

Passed May 25, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. Any number of persons residing in this state, not less than five, who shall desire to form an association for the purpose of purchasing, holding, improving and disposing of lands for suburban homesteads or residences, or for a villa park, may meet at such time and place as they, or a majority of them, may agree, and appoint a chairman and secretary by the vote of a majority of the persons present at the meeting, and proceed to form an association by determining on a corporate name by which the association shall be known, the number of trustees to manage the concerns of the association, which number shall not be less than three, nor more than twelve, and the day in each year upon which the future annual elections of trustees shall be held; and thereupon may proceed to elect by ballot the number of trustees so determined on; and the trustees so elected shall hold their offices for one year, and until their successors are elected.

Sec. 2. The chairman and secretary of the meeting shall, within three days after such meeting, make a written certificate and sign their names thereto, and acknowledge the same before an officer authorized to take the proof and acknowledgment of conveyances in the county where such meeting shall have been held; which certificate shall state the names of the associates who attended such meeting; the corporate name of the association determined upon by the majority of the persons who met; the number of trustees fixed on to manage the concerns of the association; the names of the trustees chosen at the meeting, and the day fixed on for the annual election of trustees; which certificate shall be recorded in the clerk's office of the county in which the meeting was held, in a book to be appropriated to the recording of certificates of incorporation, and a duplicate thereof filed in the office of the secretary of state.

Sec. 3. When the certificate shall have been filed and recorded as aforesaid, the association mentioned therein shall be deemed legally incorporated, and shall have and possess the general powers and privileges, and be subject to the liabilities of a corporation. The affairs and property of such association shall be managed by the trustees, who shall annually appoint from among their number a president and vice-president, and shall also appoint a secretary and a treasurer, who shall hold their places during the pleasure of the board of trustees.

Sec. 4. Any association incorporated under this act may take by purchase, devise, or gift, and hold within the county in which the certificate of its incorporation is recorded, not exceeding three hundred acres of land to be held and possessed by it for the purposes mentioned in the first section of this act. The trustees may sell and convey the said lands, or any portions thereof, for such price, and upon such terms as they may deem advisable; and subject to such conditions and restrictions as may be imposed upon the same by rules and regulations to be adopted by them and inserted in, or annexed to, conveyances of the same. Any such association may hold personal property to an amount not exceeding ten thousand dollars, besides what may arise from the sale of lots and plots.

Sec. 5. The annual election for trustees shall be held on the day mentioned in the certificate of incorporation, and at such hour and place as the trustees shall direct. The trustees chosen at any election subsequent to the first shall hold their offices for one year, and until others are chosen to succeed them. The election shall be by ballot, and every person of full age who shall be the owner or holder of one or more lots or plots containing not less than twenty-five hundred square feet of land purchased from the association, or the owner or holder of a sufficient number of the shares mentioned in the seventh section of this act, to entitle such person to vote according to the terms of the agreement authorized by said section, or if there are more than one owner or holder of any such shares, or of any such lot or plot, then such one of them as the majority of joint-owners or holders shall designate to represent such shares or such lot or plot, may, either in person or by proxy, give one vote for every one or other number of such shares, as authorized and specified in said agreement, and one vote for each lot or plot of the dimensions aforesaid; and the persons receiving a majority of all the votes given at such election shall be trustees to succeed those whose terms of office expire; but in all elections after the first the trustees shall be chosen from among the proprietors of lots or plots. Vacancies in the office of trustee or of president or vice-president may be filled in such manner as shall be prescribed by the by-laws of the association; and public notice of the annual election shall be given in such manner as shall also be prescribed by such by-laws.

Sec. 6. At least sixty per centum of the proceeds of all sales of lots and plots shall be first appropriated to the payment of the purchase-money of the lands acquired by the association, until the purchase-money shall be paid; and the residue thereof, as also the proceeds of all sales thereafter made, shall be applied to the payment of the taxes and assessments against the lands of the association, and to preserving, improving and embellishing such lands, and the roads or avenues and walks therein, and leading thereto, and to defraying the incidental expenses of the association; provided, that any proceeds remaining after the payments aforesaid, and after providing in a reasonable manner for expenses and improvements to be thereafter made and incurred, may, upon the vote of two-thirds of the trustees in favor thereof, be distributed among the owners of lots purchased from the association; such proceeds to be distributed equally among such lot-owners according to the value of their several lots, to be estimated at the sums paid for the same to the association, or otherwise as provided in the by-laws of the association.

Sec. 7. Associations formed under this act may agree with the person or persons from whom its lands, or any part thereof, shall be purchased, to pay for such lands, as the purchase-price thereof, any specified part or portion of the proceeds of all sales of lots and plots made from such lands; in which case the part or portion of such proceeds so agreed upon shall be first appropriated and applied to the payment of the purchase-money of the lands so acquired; and the residue thereof shall be applied and distributed in all respects as provided in the last preceding section in respect to the residue of proceeds therein mentioned. The part or portion of the proceeds constituting the purchase-price of the lands may be divided into as many equal shares as may be agreed upon between the association and the person or persons from whom the said lands are purchased; and the said shares shall entitle the owners thereof to such number of votes at any election for trustees of the association, and shall be transferable on the books of the association in such manner as shall also be agreed upon between the said parties. In all cases where lands shall be purchased and agreed to be paid for in the manner herein provided, the prices for lots or plots specified in the agreement between the association and the person or persons from whom the said lands were purchased shall not be changed without the written consent of a majority in interest of such persons, their heirs, representatives or assigns.

Sec. 8. The trustees at each annual election shall make a report to the lot-owners of their doings, and of the management and condition of the property and concerns of the association. If the annual election shall not be held on the day fixed in the certificate of incorporation, the trustees shall have power to appoint another day, not more than sixty days thereafter, and shall give public notice of the time and place at which time the election may be held, with like effect as if held on the day fixed on in the certificate of incorporation. The terms of office of the trustees chosen at such time shall expire at the same time as if they had been chosen on the day fixed by the certificate of incorporation.

Sec. 9. Any person who shall willfully destroy, injure, or remove any statuary, fence, building, or other structure, placed on the grounds of any association incorporated under this act, or who shall willfully cut or injure any tree, shrub, or plant within the said grounds, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor; and such offender shall also be liable in an action of trespass to be brought in the name of such association, to recover damages caused by such unlawful act or acts.

Sec. 10. Any association incorporated under this act may take by gift, devise, or bequest, and hold any property, real or personal, upon trust to apply the income thereof under the direction of the trustees of the association for the improvement or embellishment of the grounds of the association, or the erection, repair, or preservation of any statuary, fence, buildings, or structures erected or to be erected upon the same, or in planting trees, shrubs, or flowers, in the grounds of the association, or for improving or embellishing such grounds, in any other manner or form consistent with the design and purposes of the association, and as specified in such gift, devise or bequest.



## CHAPTER 358.

## AN ACT to amend the Code of Civil Procedure.

Passed May 25, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. Subdivision two of section eleven hundred and twenty-seven of "the Code of Civil Procedure" is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

2. A practicing physician, surgeon, or dentist-surgeon, having patients requiring his daily professional attendance, and not following any other calling, and a licensed pharmacist or pharmacist, while actually engaged in his profession as a means of livelihood.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

## CHAPTER 369.

## AN ACT to provide for the performance of services in the supreme court and the court of appeals, by stenographers.

Passed May 26, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. The stenographers appointed or employed in the supreme court shall perform all such services as may be required from them, or either of them, in reporting, writing out, and copying all judicial proceedings which may be pending or in progress before any judge of the court of appeals, or justice of the supreme court, in which such services shall be required. And for the performance thereof such reporter shall be entitled to receive the same compensation as is now provided for similar services in court, and which shall be certified and paid in the same manner.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

## CHAPTER 373.

## AN ACT to amend section forty-nine of chapter three hundred and seventy-one of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five, entitled "An act to conform the charters of all savings banks or institutions for savings to a uniformity of powers, rights and liabilities, and to provide for the organization of savings banks, for their supervision and for the administration of their affairs."

Passed May 26, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. Section forty-nine of chapter three hundred and seventy-one of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five, entitled "An act to conform the charters of all savings banks or institutions for savings to a uniformity of powers, rights and liabilities, and to provide for the organization of savings banks, for their supervision and for the administration of their affairs," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 49. It shall not be lawful for any bank, banking association or individual banker, firm, association, corporation, person or persons, to advertise or put forth a sign as a savings bank, or in any way to solicit or receive deposits as a savings bank; and any bank, banking association or individual banker, firm, association, corporation, person or persons, which shall offend against these provisions, shall forfeit and pay for every such offense the sum of one hundred dollars for every day such offense shall be continued, to be sued for and recovered in the name of the people of this state, by the district attorneys of the several counties, in any court having cognizance thereof, for the use of the poor chargeable to said county in which such offense shall be committed.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

## CHAPTER 375.

## AN ACT to provide means for the enlargement of the building erected on that portion of the Central Park in the city of New York, east of the old receiving reservoir, under the provisions of chapter two hundred and ninety of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-one, for the purposes of a museum and gallery of art.

Passed May 26, 1881; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. The board of commissioners of the department of public parks in the city of New York, with the concurrence of the board of estimate and apportionment of said city, is hereby authorized to enlarge the building now erected upon that portion of the Central Park in the city of New York, east of the old receiving reservoir, and now in the possession and occupation of the Metropolitan Museum of Art. The plans for said enlargement, and for the equipment of the same, shall be prepared by the trustees of the said Metropolitan Museum of Art and approved by the board of commissioners of the department of public parks. Said plans may include any alteration of the present building made necessary by the enlargement, or found by experience to be desirable.

Sec. 2. The board of estimate and apportionment of the city of New York is hereby authorized to include in the tax levy of the said city for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-two, such an amount, not exceeding the sum of sixty thousand dollars, as shall be certified by resolution of the said board of commissioners of the department of public parks, upon the application of the trustees of the museum, to be necessary for the enlargement and alteration of the said building and equipment of the same as hereinbefore provided.

Sec. 3. Any portion of the appropriation so made for the purposes aforesaid, and not expended, shall nevertheless remain applicable and be applied to the said purposes whenever called for by the requisition of the said commissioners.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect immediately.

## CHAPTER 376.

## AN ACT for the relief of certain persons engaged in the regular practice of dentistry in this state.

Passed May 26, 1881.

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

Section 1. Any person who was engaged in the regular practice of dentistry within this state on the twentieth day of June, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, and who was entitled to registration as a dentist as provided by the third section of chapter five hundred and forty of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, entitled "An act to regulate the practice of dentistry in the state of New York," but who failed to cause his name to be registered as therein provided, and who shall make and file with the clerk of the county in which he registers, his affidavit to the effect that he was so engaged in such practice of dentistry and so entitled to registration, may, within sixty days after the passage of this act, cause his name, office and post-office address to be registered in the county clerk's office in the manner provided in said third section of said act, and such registration shall have like force and effect as if made within the time prescribed by said section of said act. Any person who shall willfully make and file a false affidavit for the purpose of procuring such registration shall be subject to conviction and punishment for perjury.

Sec. 2. Every person hereafter authorized to practice dentistry within this state shall, before commencing to practice, register in the clerk's office of the county where he intends to commence the practice of dentistry, in a book to be kept for that purpose, his name, office and post-office address, together with the name of the society, college or other authority from which he has received his diploma or certificate of qualification to practice dentistry.

Sec. 3. The clerk of any county shall be obliged upon the payment to him of the sum of twenty-five cents to make the registry of any person provided for in the second section of this act, which sum the clerk is entitled to collect and receive from the person registering.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect immediately.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; JOHN TRACEY, Chief Clerk; WILLIAM M. IVINS, Secretary.

## Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
CHARLES REILLY, First Marshal.

## Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13½ City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
HENRY WOLTMAN, 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.

## COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

## City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
LUKE C. GRIMES, Librarian.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

## Commissioner's Office.

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

## Bureau of Water Register.

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

## Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

## Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

## Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

## Bureau of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

## Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ISAAC NEWTON, Chief Engineer.

## Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

## Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

## Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

## Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

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.  
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 CADY, 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.

## Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

## Office of the City Paymaster.

Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

## Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

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

## Office of the Public Administrator.

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

## Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

## Central Office.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

## Central Office.

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

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

## Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, 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.)

## Attorney to Department.

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

## Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

## Repair Shops.

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

## Hospital Stables.

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

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

## Civil and Topographical Office.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 11 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 STORER, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Old Eighteenth Ward Market, foot of Seventeenth street, East river, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM P. MITCHELL, President; ANTHONY HARTMAN, Chief Clerk.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 18, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK and furnishing the materials required in the demolishing and rebuilding of the front and two side or gable walls of the house of Engine Company No. 13, located at No. 99 Wooster street, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, July 2, 1881, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Two responsible sureties will be required with each estimate, who must each justify, prior to its presentation, in a sum not less than one-half the amount of the estimate.

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

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five dollars per day.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract for forty-eight (48) hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or estimate, or if, after acceptance, he or they should refuse or neglect to execute the contract and give proper security within five days after notice that the contract is ready for execution, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in







By the Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 10.30 A. M. on the day last named, for Alterations at Grammar School-houses Nos. 35 and 47.  
JOSEPH BRITTON, Chairman.  
G. H. WYNKOOP, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, until 11 A. M. on the day last named, for Alterations at Grammar School-houses Nos. 11 and 56. Also, for New Furniture and Repairs of Furniture for Grammar School No. 55.  
ALFRED C. HOE, Chairman.  
JAMES HARRISON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, until 3 P. M. on the day last named, for Alterations at Grammar School-house No. 19. Also, for New Steam-heating Apparatus for said house.  
ROBERT A. BARRY, M. D., Chairman.  
FREDERICK C. WAGNER, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 3.30 P. M. on the day last named, for New Furniture, and Alterations and Repairs of Furniture, at Grammar School-houses Nos. 27 and 59.  
RICHARD KELLY, Chairman.  
CHARLES L. HOLT, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 4 P. M. on the day last named, for Alterations and Repairs of Furniture, for Grammar School No. 17. Also, for Alterations and Additions to the Steam-heating Apparatus of said school. Also, for Painting at Grammar School-house No. 51.  
JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman.  
ATINA H. UNDERHILL, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

By the Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 4.30 P. M. on the day last named, for Alterations at Grammar School No. 62. Also, for New Steam-heating Apparatus, and also for New Furniture, and Alterations and Repairs of Furniture, for Grammar School No. 60.  
WILLIAM HOGG, Chairman.  
GEORGE A. J. NORMAN, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all the proposals submitted.  
The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.  
No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, and of the Engineer, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.  
Dated NEW YORK, June 13, 1881.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
NEW YORK, June 4, 1881.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING FOUR IRON BRIDGES OVER THE BRONX RIVER, BETWEEN THE CITY OF NEW YORK AND THE COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WORK, indorsed "Estimates for Building Iron Bridges over the Bronx River," also with the name of the person or persons making the same, and the date of presentation, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, No. 36 Union Square, New York City, until half past nine o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 22d day of June, 1881, at which place and hour the bids will be publicly opened by the Board of Commissioners of the said Department, and a Committee of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Westchester, and read, and the award of the contract or contracts will be made as soon thereafter as practicable. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the City of New York.

The person or persons to whom the contract or contracts may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the said Department, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or estimate, and that the sureties offered by him or them have been approved by the Comptroller; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the work will be advertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work is to commence within ten days after the signing of the contract.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the bid, and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items called for in these proposals, or which contain bids for items not called for herein. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests. No bid 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.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that such bid or estimate is made without any connection with any other person making a bid or estimate for the same purpose; 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.

The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making such estimate, that the several matters therein stated are in all respects true. When more than one person is interested in the estimate, the verification must be made by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the bid or 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 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 the contract and stated in the proposals, 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 an intention to execute the bond required by law.

The engineer's estimate of work and materials by which the bids will be tested is as follows, to wit:

### IRON WORK.

Williams Bridge, 75,000 lbs.  
Fordham avenue, Boston road, Samuel street (each) 66,000 lbs.

### TIMBER.

Williams Bridge, 4,000 B. M. sidewalk, 8,500 B. M. roadway, 190 lineal feet cornice.  
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Williams Bridge, 180 lineal feet sidewalk railing, including 4 end newels and 16 intermediate newels, 180 lineal feet gas-pipe railing along trusses.  
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Williams Bridge, 145 square feet 2 inch flagging, 219 cubic feet granite coping, 340 cubic yards masonry, 70 cubic yards concrete, 250 cubic yards foundation trenching.

Fordham avenue, Boston road, Samuel street, (all together) 174 square feet 2 inch flagging, 522 cubic feet granite coping, 840 cubic yards masonry, 180 cubic yards concrete, 750 cubic yards foundation trenching.  
N. B.—The above estimated quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible in advance, are only approximate, and bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received.

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

2. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, and in substantial manner, in accordance with the specifications hereto annexed, and the plan therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before enumerated, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

Bidders will state a price for each class of the work, as above designated, which price is to include the furnishing of all the necessary materials and labor, and the performance of the whole of the work mentioned in the specifications annexed, and showy themselves by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate dispute or complain of such statement or estimate of the Engineer, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

The bridges are to be located at the following places:  
1. One at Williams Bridge.  
2. One at Boston road.  
3. One at Samuel street.  
4. One at Fordham and Pelham avenues.

Estimates may be made for one or more of the bridges. The amount of security required is as follows:  
For Bridge No. 1, above, the sum of four thousand dollars.

For Bridge No. 2, above, the sum of three thousand dollars.

For Bridge No. 3, above, the sum of three thousand dollars.

For Bridge No. 4, above, the sum of three thousand dollars.

In case the contract for more than one of the above-named bridges is awarded to the same bidder, the amount of security required will be the aggregate amount required for the several bridges awarded to him.

The time allowed for the completion of each bridge is seven days from the date of the contract; but if the same person is awarded the contract for more than one of the bridges then the first bridge is to be completed within seventy-five days, and each succeeding bridge in six weeks after the completion of its predecessor.

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No. 3. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT  
FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from the west crosswalk of Sixth avenue to the east crosswalk of Seventh avenue, and setting curb-stones between the same limits.

No. 4. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT  
the roadway of SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET, from the pavement heretofore laid at the intersection of the Boulevard to a line eleven feet east of and parallel with the east curb of Tenth avenue, and laying a crosswalk of two courses of blue-stone at the Boulevard within the lines of the sidewalk, and across said street; also laying a similar crosswalk at Tenth avenue, adjoining the end of the above-described pavement.

No. 5. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT  
the roadway of SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, from the easterly crosswalk of First avenue to the pavement heretofore laid at the intersection of Avenue A, and laying a crosswalk of three courses of blue-stone at Avenue A within the lines of the sidewalk and across said street.

No. 6. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT  
the roadway of NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from the crosswalk on the westerly side of Third avenue to a line ten feet east of and parallel to the easterly curb-line of Lexington avenue, and laying a crosswalk of two courses of blue-stone adjoining the westerly end of the above-described pavement.

No. 7. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT  
the roadway of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from the westerly crosswalk of Second avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Third avenue.

No. 8. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT  
the roadway of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from the west crosswalk at Fifth avenue to a line five feet east and parallel with the east curb of Sixth avenue, and laying a crosswalk of three courses of blue-stone within the lines of east sidewalk of Sixth avenue and parallel thereto.

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Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained on application at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room No. 1, 31 Chambers street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 14, 1881.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES IN ACCORDANCE WITH chapter 475, Laws of 1875, inclosed in a sealed envelope with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, ALSO THE NUMBER OF THE WORK AS IN ADVERTISEMENT, will be received at this office until Monday, June 27, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read for the following:

No. 1. PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, PIKE STREET, between Division and South Streets, and RUTGERS STREET, between East Broadway and Cherry Streets, and laying Crosswalks at the intersecting streets where required.

No. 2. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, BURLING SLIP, between Water and South Streets.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all estimates, if in his judgment the same may be for the best interests of the city.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 14, 1881.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Monday, June 27, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of this Department and read, for the following:

FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN BUILDING ONE FLOATING SWIMMING BATH.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall neglect or refuse within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Blank forms of bids or estimates, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained on application at the office of Douglas Smyth, Architect, Room 31, No. 137 Broadway.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all proposals, if in his judgment, the same may be for the best interests of the city.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,  
31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,  
NEW YORK, May, 1881.

### CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual water rates for 1881 are now due and payable at this office.  
Permits for the use of Croton water for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, etc., must be renewed immediately.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York, will be held at the Academy of Music, corner of Fourteenth street and Irving place, on Thursday, June 23, at 7 o'clock P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN,  
Secretary.

### JURORS.

#### NOTICE

#### IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HARDWARE, OILS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

#### GROCERIES.

6,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition June 23, 1881.  
20,000 Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.  
5,000 pounds Rice.  
500 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, weighing 163 pounds net to the barrel.  
100 barrels Crackers.  
5,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.  
2,500 " Dried Apples.  
12 dozen canned String Beans (2 pounds).  
24 " " Tomatoes (3 pounds).  
600 pounds Macaroni.  
300 bags Coarse Meal.  
300 " Fine Meal.  
20 bales Hurl Broom Corn, all straight.

#### DRY GOODS.

250 Blue Flannel Lined Blouses.

#### HARDWARE.

20 kegs rod. Nails.

2 dozen Closet Locks.

2 " Drawer Locks.

3 " Claw Hammers.

#### OILS, ETC.

3 barrels best Boiled Linseed Oil.

5 " " Spirits Turpentine.

250 pounds Chrome Green, in 25, 35, 55, and 75, in oil.

500 " Red Lead, in 50s, dry.

—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 6.30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 24th day of June, 1881. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Hardware, Oils, etc.," and with his or her 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 sure-



ties, 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 his 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 3 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Bidders will state the 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 contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Dated New York, June 11, 1881.

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

### ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Tuesday, June 21, 1881, at 2 o'clock P. M.

EDWARD COOPER,  
JOHN KELLY,  
ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,  
DANIEL LORD, JR.,  
Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN,  
Clerk.

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

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

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

Dated, No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET, May 18, 1881.

EDWARD COOPER,  
JOHN KELLY,  
ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,  
DANIEL LORD, JR.,  
Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

### 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.

BERNARD KENNEY,  
JOSEPH P. STRACK,  
HENRY C. PERLEY,  
THOMAS SHELLS,  
JAMES L. WELLS,  
Committee on Public Works.

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
New York, June 20, 1881.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a horse, wagon, and harness, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Tuesday, July 5, 1881, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,  
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, (Room No. 39),  
New York, June 4, 1881.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, trunks and contents, male and female clothing, watches, jewelry, boots, shoes, hats, carpet, coffee, blankets, revolvers, bag and contents, stockings, etc.; also small amount of money found and taken from prisoners by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,  
Property Clerk.

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 28, 1881.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 24th day of May, 1881, and on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

Boulevard sewers, between 59th and 61st streets.  
Boulevard sewers, between 61st and 77th streets.  
Boulevard sewers, between 77th and 92d streets.  
Boulevard sewers, between 92d and 106th streets.  
Madison avenue sewer, between 106th and 113th streets.  
Avenue A sewer, between 10th and 11th streets.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 5, 1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
May 21, 1881.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fifth avenue to Harlem river was confirmed by the Supreme Court on the 12th day of May, 1881, and entered on the 19th day of May, 1881, in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 19, 1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles and Assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
May 4th, 1881.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 28th day of April, 1881, and on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

Avenue B sewer, between 79th and 82d streets.  
2d avenue sewer, between 75th and 76th streets.  
Lexington avenue sewer, between 103d and 104th streets.  
11th avenue sewer, west side, between 59th and 60th streets.  
12th avenue sewer, between 131st and 133d streets.  
Laight street sewer, between Washington and West streets.

Macdougall street sewer, between West 4th street and West Washington place.  
Jackson street sewer, between Grand and Madison streets.  
68th street sewer, between 4th and Madison avenues, etc.

72d street sewer, between 1st and 2d avenues.  
73d street sewer, between 18th and 20th avenues.  
103d street sewer, between 3d and Lexington avenues.  
104th street sewer, between 9th and 10th avenues.  
104th street sewer, from 650 feet east of 10th avenue to 75 feet west of 9th avenue.

113th street sewer, between 10th avenue and summit east of 10th avenue.  
113th street sewer, between Madison and 5th avenues, etc.

122d street sewer, between 6th avenue and summit west of Sixth avenue.  
122d street sewer, between 7th avenue and summit east of 7th avenue.

127th street sewer, between 7th and 8th avenues.  
129th street sewer, between 7th and 8th avenues.  
130th street sewer, between 6th avenue and Summit west of 6th avenue.

5th avenue basin, west side, between 60th and 61st streets.  
11th street basin, southwest corner Dry Dock street.

60th street basin, northeast corner 5th avenue.  
93d street regulating, grading, etc., from 2d avenue to East river.  
152d street regulating, grading, etc., from Boulevard to Hudson river.

Broadway regulating, grading, etc., from Manhattan street to 133d street.  
58th street paving, from 9th to 10th avenue.

4th avenue paving, at intersection of 83d, 84th, 85th and 86th streets.  
104th street paving, between 2d and 3d avenues.

12th avenue paving, between West 11th and West 16th streets.  
79th street fencing vacant lots, south side, between 4th and Lexington avenues.

80th and 81st streets fencing vacant lots, between Madison and 5th avenues.  
Madison avenue fencing vacant lots, southeast and southwest corners 127th street.

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 5, 1881, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments in said Bureau.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

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, April 25, 1881.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received by the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, April 25, 1881, for collection:

CONFIRMED APRIL 14, 1881, AND ENTERED APRIL 25, 1881.

89th street opening, from 8th avenue to New road, and from 12th avenue to the Hudson river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before June 24, 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.

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

RELATING TO THE PAYMENT OF UNPAID TAXES, ASSESSMENTS, AND CROTON WATER RENTS.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK hereby gives notice to owners of real and personal estate in this city, that all unpaid taxes, assessments, and Croton water rents may now be paid with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, as provided by chapter 33 of the Laws of 1881, which is as follows:

#### CHAPTER 33.

AN ACT relative to the collection of taxes and assessments, and of arrears of taxes and assessments, and Croton water rents, in the City of New York.

(Passed March 16, 1881; three-fifths being present.)

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

Section 1. If any taxes of any year shall remain unpaid on the first day of November after the assessment-rolls and the warrants to collect such taxes have been delivered to the Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York, it shall be the duty of said Receiver to give public notice, by advertisement for at least ten days in two of the daily newspapers, and in the CITY RECORD, printed and published in said city, respectively, that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office on or before the first day of December, in any such year, he will immediately thereafter proceed to collect such unpaid taxes, as provided in the following section of this act:

Section 2. If any such tax shall remain unpaid on the said first day of December, it shall be the duty of the said Receiver of Taxes in said city to charge, receive, and collect upon such tax remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such tax, one per centum on the amount thereof; and to charge, receive, and collect upon such tax so remaining unpaid on the first day of January thereafter, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the day on which said assessment-rolls and warrants shall have been delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes to the date of payment.

The same rate of interest shall be so charged and collected upon any tax levied in the year eighteen hundred and eighty, remaining unpaid at the date of the passage of this act.

Section 3. All existing provisions of law which impose a charge and require the collection of interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum upon arrears of taxes on real and personal estate within the City of New York, upon arrears of assessments for local improvements and street openings in said city, and upon arrears of Croton water rents in said city, are hereby repealed; and in lieu of such charge of interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, there shall be charged and collected by the officer authorized to collect and receive any such arrears of taxes and assessments and Croton water rents, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated for the same period as interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum is now required by law to be calculated thereon. This provision shall apply to taxes, assessments, or Croton water rents 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.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of the City of New York to give public notice, by advertisement, for at least ten days, in the CITY RECORD, printed and published in said city, immediately after the confirmation of any assessment for a local improvement or street opening in said city, that the same has been confirmed specifying the title of such assessment and the date of its confirmation by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments in proceedings for local improvements, and by the Supreme Court in proceedings for street openings, and also the date of entry in the record of titles of assessments kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Croton water rents, notifying all persons, owners of property affected by any such assessment, that, unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of any such assessment, interest shall thereafter be collected thereon as provided in the following section of this act, and all provisions of law or ordinance requiring any other or different notice of assessments and interest thereon are hereby repealed.

Section 5. If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said record of titles of assessments, it shall be the

duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive legal interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.  
ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 18, 1881.

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, February 1, 1881.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received by the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, January 29, 1881, for collection:

CONFIRMED JANUARY 25, 1881, AND ENTERED JANUARY 29, 1881, NAMELY:

153d street, opening, from the easterly line of the New Avenue lying between 8th and 9th avenues, to the Harlem river.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before March 30, 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.

ORDER OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, CONSOLIDATING CERTAIN BUREAUX IN THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
New York, January 22, 1880.

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

#### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1879, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
Comptroller.

#### THE CITY RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE CITY RECORD,  
No. 2 CITY HALL.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE.

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE THE BUSINESS OF the CITY RECORD office will be transacted at Room No. 4, City Hall, northeast corner.

THOMAS COSTIGAN,  
Supervisor.