

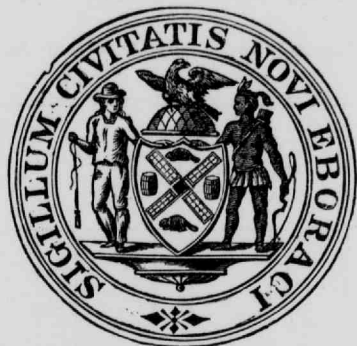
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### LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation, for the week ending September 16, 1882.

*The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.*

#### SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

##### SUPREME COURT.

- George T. Fielding—Damages for alleged personal injuries resulting from falling through draw of Harlem bridge, November 10, 1881, \$5,000.
- The Mayor, etc., New York, against Chas. G. Bitz and Anna Maria Fett—To re-enter and recover possession of premises in Tenth Ward (on map of Stephen Ludlam, No. 1817), Lewis street, near Rivington.
- People, ex rel. Second Avenue Railroad Company vs. The Commissioners of Taxes and Assessment and The Board of Aldermen—Certiorari to review assessment of relator's capital and stock for year 1882.
- People, ex rel. John Layden vs. Board of Police Commissioners of City of New York—Certiorari to review removal of relator, a patrolman, from the force, February 15, 1880.
- People, ex rel. Charles B. Kenny vs. Board of Police Commissioners of City of New York—Certiorari to review removal of relator, a patrolman, from the force, June 20, 1882.

##### SUPERIOR COURT.

- Patrick McDermott—Damages for alleged non-proper construction of sewer in Morris street and Railroad avenue, \$3,000.

##### UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

- The Philadelphia & Reading Coal and Iron Company against The Mayor, etc., N. Y., Jacob Vanderpoel, et al., Commissioners composing the Board of the Department of Docks for the City of New York, to restrain interference with waters in front of wharf and bulkhead north of Twenty-eighth street, North river.

##### DISTRICT COURT IN CITY OF NEW YORK FOR THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

- The Mayor, etc., vs. Alonzo P. Decker and Charles G. Rapp.—To recover dock penalty, \$150.
- The Mayor, etc., vs. Alonzo P. Decker and Charles G. Rapp.—To recover dock penalty, \$150.

##### BEFORE THE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION APPOINTED UNDER CHAPTER 550 OF THE LAWS OF 1880.

- In re petition of Margaret and Maria Wood, to vacate assessment for Seventh avenue regulating, etc., One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river.
- In re petition of Susanah Kendall, to vacate assessment for First and Second avenue sewers, confirmed June 5, 1879.
- In re petition of Susanah Kendall, to vacate assessment for Ninety-ninth street regulating, grading, etc.
- In re petition of Susanah Kendall, to vacate assessment for Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets underground drains.
- In re petition of T. W. Decker, to vacate assessment for Seventh avenue paving, etc., confirmed September 24, 1875.
- In re petition of T. W. Decker, to vacate assessment for Seventh avenue regulating, etc., confirmed September 24, 1875.
- In re petition of Patrick Tracy, et al., to vacate assessment for First avenue regulating, etc., and Second avenue, regulating, etc.
- In re petition of Michael H. Cashman, et al., to vacate assessment for Seventy-ninth street regulating, etc., Public Drive to North river.
- In re petition of Edward Schell, executor, etc., to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Thirtieth street regulating, etc., Sixth and Seventh avenues.
- In re petition of Sarah E. Cornish, executrix, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street regulating, etc.
- In re petition of Jacob Scholle, et al., to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street outlet sewer.
- In re petition of Daniel R. Kendall, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street outlet sewer, Fifth avenue to Harlem river.
- In re petition of Jacob Scholle, et al., to vacate assessment for Tenth avenue regulating, etc., Ninety-fifth to One Hundred and Tenth streets.
- In re petition of Samuel Schaefer, et al., to vacate assessment for Eighth avenue paving, etc., Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
- In re petition of Samuel Schaefer, et al., to vacate assessment for Eighth avenue paving, etc., Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets.
- In re petition of Samuel Schaefer, et al., to vacate assessment for Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth streets.
- In re petition of Augusta Redfield, to vacate assessment for Manhattan street sewer, Twelfth to St. Nicholas avenue.
- In re petition of Daniel R. Kendall, to vacate assessment for Manhattan street sewer, Twelfth to St. Nicholas avenue.
- In re petition of Daniel R. Kendall, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Tenth street underground drains.
- In re petition of Frederick Booss, to vacate assessment for Boulevard sewers.
- In re petition of Isabella Garvey, to vacate assessment for Boulevard sewers.
- In re petition of Henry Siegman, to vacate assessment for Boulevard sewers.
- In re petition of Edward Schell, to vacate assessment for One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer.

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|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|----|
| In re petition of Julius Beers                    | To vacate, modify or reduce assessment for One Hundred and Tenth street outlet sewer. |    |    |
| In re petition of Charles Bathgate et al., ex'rs, | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of Sarah E. Cornish et al., ex'rs, | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of Mary E. Dwinell,                | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of D. L. Eigenbrodt et al., ex'rs, | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of Benjamin H. Hutton,             | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of Daniel R. Kendall,              | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of Charles Landau,                 | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of Mary Neidig,                    | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of Robert McCafferty,              | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of Ludwig Pieper,                  | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of S. J. Seeligman,                | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of Wm. E. Waring,                  | do                                                                                    | do | do |
| In re petition of James Wood,                     | do                                                                                    | do | do |

#### SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

- In re David Jones, Eleventh avenue paving, etc.—Order entered to reduce assessment.
- Matter of Samuel T. Rogers (One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street award)—Order entered directing payment of award into court, etc.

- Mayor, etc. vs. Daniel Dailey—Judgment entered in favor of the city for \$158.57.
- Martin T. McMahon, as Receiver, etc. against Thomas Day—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$180.47.
- In re Louisa F. Del Calvo, Tenth avenue sewer—Order entered reducing assessment.
- Laffin & Rand Powder Co. vs. Matthew Moore and The Mayor, etc.—Order discontinuing action without costs entered.
- In re Nathaniel L. McCready, Tenth avenue sewer—General Term order modifying order of Special Term entered.

#### SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

- Ninth Avenue Railroad Company—Motion for injunction argued before Lawrence, J.; decision reserved.
- Louis Delmoce vs. McIntyre, etc.—Reference proceeded and closed.
- Mayor, etc., vs. Alonzo Decker.
- Mayor, etc., vs. Geo. F. Drew et al.
- Judgments taken by default for \$250 and \$12 costs in each.

WM. C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.

### ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

No. 27 CHAMBERS STREET,  
THURSDAY, September 7, 1882—2.30 o'clock P. M.

The Commission created by chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, to revise, vacate, or modify assessments for local improvements in the City of New York, met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—All the members, viz.:

Commissioners Edward Cooper (Chairman), John Kelly, Allan Campbell, George H. Andrews, and Daniel Lord, Jr.

The Clerk presented copies of the CITY RECORD and "Daily Register" of September 7, 1882, showing due publication of notices of the meeting.

The minutes of the meeting held on September 5, 1882, were read and approved.

The Clerk reported that under the decision made on July 25, 1882, he had filed in the Finance Department on September 7, 1882, a certificate reducing the assessment for Second avenue paving, from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, on property belonging to William C. Lester (No. 382).

The Clerk reported that under the decision rendered on July 25, 1882, he had filed in the Finance Department on September 7, 1882, a certificate reducing the assessment for Fifty-sixth street Nicholson pavement, from Sixth to Ninth avenue, on property belonging to Amos R. Eno (No. 3221).

The Clerk reported that under the decision rendered July 25, 1882, he had filed in the Finance Department on September 7, 1882, a certificate reducing the assessment for Ninetieth street regulating, grading, etc., from Eighth to Tenth avenue, on property belonging to Robert McCafferty (No. 2425).

The Clerk reported that he had filed in the Finance Department on September 7, 1882, certificates of awards in favor of the persons named, and for the amounts specified in resolution adopted by the Commissioners on September 5, 1882.

Commissioner Cooper presented the following decision, viz.:

In Matter of Jacob H. V. Cockcroft (No. 1224), assessment for Madison avenue, first section, regulating, grading, etc., from Eighty-sixth to Ninety-ninth street; confirmed April 6, 1876.

It appears from the evidence that this work was originally let under a publicly advertised contract to the lowest bidder at prices which would make its aggregate cost about \$98,000; that the contract was abandoned by the contractor, and the work was subsequently let under a special contract which made the aggregate cost about \$177,000, which we have no doubt was grossly excessive. It appears, however, that the amount assessed upon the property owners for the whole work was not in excess of the amount which it would have cost if the abandoned contract had been carried out; so that as a whole the property-owners have not suffered, the excess over what the work would have cost under the first contract having been paid by the city, and it is not claimed that the prices in the first contract were in excess of the fair value of the work.

It does not appear in the case of the particular lots of the petitioner that any substantial injustice has resulted to him in the distribution of the assessment upon the property benefited.

The application must, therefore, be denied.

The Chairman put the question whether the decision as presented shall stand as the decision of the Commissioners.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, a majority of all the Commissioners voting in favor thereof, viz.:

Affirmative—Commissioners Cooper, Kelly, Campbell, Andrews, and Lord—5.

Commissioner Lord presented the following decision, viz.:

Nos. 288- and 2990—Application of John E. Caffrey and Emiline Austin, et al., for the same award in matter of the payment of an assessment for Sixth avenue macadamizing, etc., from One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river.

We think that Caffrey is entitled to the award in this case. He purchased the property from the widow and heirs of William B. Austin, and in the deed he covenanted and agreed to pay the assessments on the property, which he did. Caffrey, therefore, is clearly entitled to the award. Even if the act of 1880 had been passed prior to the conveyance it does not follow that Caffrey would have to return any amount to the Austins. He took the consequence, agreed to pay the assessments, and took the risk, and was entitled to the advantage of any provision of law in reference to the assessments on these lots that the Legislature might enact.

The Chairman put the question whether the decision as presented shall stand as the decision of the Commissioners.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, a majority of all the Commissioners voting in favor thereof, viz.:

Affirmative—Commissioners Cooper, Kelly, Campbell, Andrews, and Lord—5.

Commissioner Andrews presented the following decision, viz.:

In Matter of Samuel Schaefer, et al. (No. 1675), assessment for Eighty-seventh street regulating, grading, etc., from Eighth to Tenth avenue; confirmed October 7, 1876.

The evidence in the case shows that the work was done under a special contract, and the price for filling was excessive. We take the fair value of filling to be 85 cents per cubic yard. Computing the assessment on the basis of this price makes the total cost of the work \$47,437.17. The amount assessed on the city was \$16,775.83, and the amount assessed on the property-owners \$64,693.94. Hence the reduction of the assessment should be \$17,256.77, or twenty-seven per cent.

The Chairman put the question whether the decision as presented shall stand as the decision of the Commissioners.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, a majority of all the Commissioners voting in favor thereof, viz.:

Affirmative—Commissioners Cooper, Kelly, Campbell, Andrews, and Lord—5.

Commissioner Andrews presented the following decision, viz.:

In Matter of Joseph H. Haggerty (No. 284), assessment for Eighty-eighth street regulating, grading, etc., from Eighth to Tenth avenue; confirmed December 23, 1875.

The evidence in this case shows that the work was done under a special contract, and the prices for earth excavation, rock excavation, and filling, were excessive. Taking the fair value of earth excavation at 40 cents, rock excavation at \$1.75, and filling at 85 cents, the total cost of the work would be \$54,480.82. The amount assessed on the city was \$22,128.41, and the amount assessed on the property-owners was \$68,069.86. Hence the assessment should be reduced \$13,589.04, or twenty per cent.

The Chairman put the question whether the decision as presented shall stand as the decision of the Commissioners.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote, a majority of all the Commissioners voting in favor thereof, viz.:

Affirmative—Commissioners Cooper, Kelly, Campbell, Andrews, and Lord—5.

On motion of Commissioner Kelly, the seventh rule, relating to meetings of the Commission, was suspended, and, on his motion, it was

Resolved, That when the Commission adjourns, it do so to meet on Friday, September 15, 1882, at half-past two o'clock P. M.

On motion of Commissioner Andrews the Commission then adjourned.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.



## BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY\* for the week ending September 9, 1882, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending September 2, 1882.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register:

SIR—There were 609 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, September 9, 1882, which is a decrease of 11, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 257 less than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1881. The actual mortality for the week ending September 2, 1882, was 617, which is 18.6 above the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 24.95 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,285,944.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending September 9, 1882, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending September 2, 1882.

METEOROLOGY.			Week ending Sep. 9.	Week ending Sep. 2.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1882.										AGE BY YEARS.																	SEX.									
Mean temperature (Fahr.) for the week was.					72.3	69.5																																			
"    reading of barometer					29.956	30.013																																			
"    humidity for the week was.....					84	82																																			
Number of miles traveled by the wind was.....					868	978																																			
Total rain-fall, in inches, for the week.....					0.80	0.96																																			
CAUSES OF DEATH.					Total Deaths reported during the week end- ing September 9, 1882.	Total Deaths reported during the week end- ing Sept. 2, 1882.	DATE.										Total Actual Mortality during the week ending September 2, 1882.	Actual number of Deaths for the corres- ponding week of 1881.	Average number of Deaths in the corres- ponding week of the past five years.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 1,285,944).	Under 1 year.																	Male.	Female.	COLORED.	
							Aug. 27.	Aug. 28.	Aug. 29.	Aug. 30.	Aug. 31.	Sept. 1.	Sept. 2.					1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.					
Total Deaths from all Causes.....					609	620	86	73	88	88	98	78	106	617	758	598.4	24.95	185	75	27	14	8	309	14	6	20	26	31	29	21	23	30	19	19	14	19	37	296	321	7	
Total Zymotic Diseases.....					212	248	36	28	29	38	42	31	41	245	320	242.0	9.91	86	44	17	11	4	162	9	3	11	5	8	6	4	7	1	6	2	5	10	110	135	2		
Total Constitutional Diseases.....					145	122	15	9	23	18	21	14	27	127	149	123.0	5.13	26	7	1	1	1	34	3	2	5	15	15	8	7	7	10	5	5	2	4	66	61	1		
Total Local Diseases.....					202	189	21	28	27	27	26	25	32	180	215	179.8	7.52	51	24	8	2	3	88	3	2	5	15	12	5	11	13	9	6	7	10	13	91	95	2		
Total Developmental Diseases.....					24	42	11	4	5	5	5	5	5	41	37	31.0	1.66	22	1	1	1	1	22	1	1	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	9	13	28	2		
Deaths by Violence.....					26	19	3	4	4	4	4	2	1	18	37	23.6	1.73	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	16	2	1	
Small-pox.....					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	1.4	0.11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Measles.....					3	7	3	3	2	2	2	1	1	8	5	2.0	0.32	1	4	2	1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Scarlatina.....					5	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	8	5	11.8	0.92	1	3	3	1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Diphtheria.....					14	25	4	1	3	3	3	2	2	17	35	20.6	0.99	2	0	1	3	2	14	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Membranous Croup.....					3	10	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	12	15	7.8	0.61	2	2	3	4	1	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Whooping Cough.....					18	11	2	2	1	1	3	1	2	10	10	7.8	0.61	2	2	5	2	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Erysipelas.....					1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	1.6	0.12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Typhoid Fever.....					11	13	3	1	2	3	1	2	4	15	12	9.0	0.71	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	6	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Typhoid Fever.....					3	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	4	12	4.4	0.35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....					3	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	12	4.4	0.35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive, and Simple Continued Fevers.....					27	17	2	2	1	5	4	3	2	19	14	10.4	0.77	2	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	3	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Puerperal Diseases.....					6	8	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	7	10	5.6	0.38	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....					116	138	17	19	16	24	22	17	20	135	175	148.2	5.46	73	23	4	2	1	103	3	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	4	1	3	10	64	71	1			
Inanition, Want of Breast Milk, etc.....					1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	7	5.0	0.39	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Alcoholism.....					7	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	7	4	3.2	0.28	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Rheumatism and Gout.....					3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	4.4	0.35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Cancer.....					10	12	1	1	2	3	1	1	3	11	15	12.0	0.92	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Phthisis Pulmonalis.....					98	74	10	5	6	9	15	12	17	84	90	75.8	3.40	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	5	15	15	8	7	6	8	2	4	4	2	2	3	8	40	1
Bronchitis.....					14	14	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	15	18	14.4	1.12	8	4	1	1	1	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Pneumonia.....					32	29	1	5	6	3	5	6	6	32	37	25.6	1.29	7	7	2	1	1	17	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Heart Diseases.....					14	14	2	2	1	1	1	1	3	11	16	12.6	0.98	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Aneurism.....					2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	4.4	0.35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Marasmus—Tubercular and Scrofula.....					24	28	1	3	3	6	5	1	6	25	28	19.4	1.01	20	4	1	1	1	24	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.....					7	7	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	7	10	9.6	0.78	5	2	1	1	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Meningitis and Encephalitis.....					20	12	1	1	1	2	1	2	4	11	15	14.2	1.10	5	2	1	1	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Convulsions.....					7	10	1	2	2	2	3	1	2	11	13	14.8	1.16	7	3	1	1	1	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Direct Effect of Solar Heat.....					11	10	2	2	3	1	2	2	10	6	2.2	0.17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Apoplexy.....					52	50	6	8	7	6	7	7	8	49	51	31.8	1.98	17	7	2	2	1	29	1	1	1	1	2	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.....					8	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	4	4.4	0.35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Cirrhosis of Liver and Hepatitis.....					25	29	3	6	2	4	4	3	4	26	29	22.6	1.05	14	5	1	1	1	20	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Enteritis, Gastro-Enteritis, Peritonitis, and Gastritis.....					34	30	4	4	4	4	2	4	4	26	29	23.0	1.05	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....					3	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	4	4.0	0.31	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Cyanosis and Atelectasis.....					9	13	1	2	2	2	2	2	3	14	15	11.6	0.91	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Premature and Preterm Births.....					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	4.4	0.35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Surgical Operations.....					4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	7	3.4	0.28	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths by Suicide.....					7	4	1	2	1	1	2	1	6	6	5.2	0.41	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths by Drowning.....					178	183	22	29	22	29	25	25	33	185	233	199.8	7.48	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths in Children.....					236	257	31	37	30	45	42	30	45	260	325	273.0	10.51	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths in Children.....					282	310	41	43	36	49	53	36</																													

\* Refers to the number of death certificates received.

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Births \* reported during the week ending September 9, 1882.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.								NAME OF CHILD.		
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Not stated.	
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
509	507	2	262	247	..	280	133	75	18	..	1	..	2	..	411	98

Marriages \* reported during the week ending September 9, 1882.

TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.						CONDITION.											
	WHITE.		COLORED.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.	NOT STATED.	FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.			
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.			Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.				
237	234	234	3	3	135	113	102	124	..	..	..	..	203	211	30	22	3	..	..	..	1	4

\* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending September 9, 1882, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending September 2, 1882.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
10	Austria .....	21	20	3	3	6	5	2	2
1	British America .....	3	1	1	1	3	..	1	1
11	England .....	21	15	14	8	10	9	..	..
1	France .....	4	3	3	5	4	..	..	..
71	Germany .....	150	133	198	153	69	56	18	15
92	Ireland .....	197	203	72	73	16	18	8	11
6	Italy .....	12	12	7	6	2	1	1	1
2	Poland .....	8	7	10	8	2	1	1	1
5	Scotland .....	9	10	4	5	1	3	..	..
2	Switzerland .....	2	4	4	4	1	1	..	..
393	United States .....	113	136	151	208	102	124	14	16
2	Unknown or not stated .....	51	48	3	1	..	..	3	3
3	West Indies .....	3	3	3	1	1	1	..	..
18	Other countries .....	25	24	37	33	19	18	3	2

Still-Births reported during the week ending September 9, 1882.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Unknown or not stated.
52	31	21	..	51	1	14	35	3	16	33	3	..	..	3	3	7	4	7	8	19	1	..

Deaths reported during the week ending September 9, 1882.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.														RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.				
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more.)	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.								New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.				
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.				Not stated.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not stated. †
609	117	339	137	1	15	..	8	123	150	117	60	20	1	..	..	609	..	..	56	132	55	366

† Principally children and deaths in institutions.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS  
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS'

For the Week ending September 16, 1882.

Barometer.

DATE.	SEPTEMBER.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	10	29.958	29.934	29.900	29.931	29.968	9 A. M.	29.876	12 P. M.
Monday,	11	29.768	29.582	29.506	29.619	29.876	0 A. M.	29.496	12 P. M.
Tuesday,	12	29.664	29.812	29.978	29.818	30.000	12 P. M.	29.496	0 A. M.
Wednesday,	13	30.100	30.082	30.036	30.072	30.126	9 A. M.	30.000	0 A. M.
Thursday,	14	29.910	29.700	29.564	29.725	30.038	0 A. M.	29.564	9 P. M.
Friday,	15	29.648	29.710	29.826	29.723	29.868	12 P. M.	29.592	0 A. M.
Saturday,	16	29.942	29.810	29.842	29.865	29.942	7 A. M.	29.794	4 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.822 inches.

Maximum " at 9 A. M., September 13..... 30.126 "

Minimum " at 12 P. M., September 11..... 29.496 "

Range " ..... .630 "

Thermometers.

DATE. SEPTEMBER.		7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.						MINIMUM.				MAX- IMUM.	
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.		Wet Bulb.	Time.		Dry Bulb.	Time.		Wet Bulb.		Time.
											Time.	Wet Bulb.		Time.	Wet Bulb.						
Sunday,	10	62	62	68	66	67	66	65.7	64.7	68	3 P. M.	66	3 P. M.	62	7 A. M.	62	7 A. M.	91.			
Monday,	11	65	65	63	63	62	62	63.3	63.3	67	12 M.	66	12 M.	59	12 P. M.	59	12 P. M.	92.			
Tuesday,	12	59	59	69	65	62	60	63.3	61.3	70	3 P. M.	65	2 P. M.	57	12 P. M.	57	12 P. M.	124.			
Wednesday,	13	57	55	67	61	63	61	62.3	59.0	69	3 P. M.	62	3 P. M.	53	6 A. M.	53	6 A. M.	118.			
Thursday,	14	66	64	76	70	73	70	71.7	68.0	77	4 P. M.	71	4 P. M.	64	0 A. M.	61	0 A. M.	127.			
Friday,	15	66	65	72	63	65	63	67.7	63.7	73	4 P. M.	68	0 A. M.	63	12 P. M.	62	12 P. M.	124.			
Saturday,	16	60	59	74	65	70	67	68.0	63.6	76	5 P. M.	71	5 P. M.	58	6 A. M.	58	6 A. M.	123.			

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.

Mean for the week..... 66.0 degrees..... 63.3 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 14th..... 77. " at 4 P. M., 14th..... 71. "

Minimum " " at 6 A. M., 13th..... 53. " at 6 A. M., 13th..... 53. "

Range " " ..... 24. " ..... 18. "

Wind.

DATE.	SEPTEMBER.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday,	10....	NNE	NE	NE	37	51	46	134	¼	¼	¼	1½	8.15 A. M.
Monday,	11....	NE	NE	NE	77	103	114	294	2	3	5¾	10½	12.00 M.
Tuesday,	12....	NNE	NNW	WNW	180	90	35	305	4½	1	0	11¾	2.00 A. M.
Wednesday,	13....	NNE	WSW	S	34	22	59	115	0	¼	¼	2	2.40 P. M.
Thursday,	14....	SSW	S	SW	74	91	90	255	1	3	1½	6	2.20 P. M.
Friday,	15....	W	NW	NW	110	120	65	295	1¾	8¼	0	17¼	9.40 A. M.
Saturday,	16....	WNW	WNW	WNW	59	84	84	227	0	4½	¼	7	3.10 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,625 miles.

Maximum force " ..... 17¼ pounds.

DATE. SEPTEMBER.		Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.					
		FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, 0. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Endit'g.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday,	10	.556	.612	.626	100	89	94	9 Cu.	10	10	.....	.....	....	....	..	
Monday,	11	.617	.576	.556	100	100	100	10	10	10	1.10 A.M.	12.00 P. M.	22.50	2.57	..	
Tuesday,	12	.500	.564	.491	100	79	88	10	0	0	0 A.M.	7.00 A. M.	7.00	.66	..	
Wedn'day,	13	.407	.457	.510	87	69	88	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	
Thursday,	14	.569	.652	.693	89	72	85	10	2 Cir. Cu.	10	8.30 P. M.	9.30 P. M.	1.00	.09	..	
Friday,	15	.604	.455	.549	94	58	89	3 Cir. Cu.	4 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	
Saturday,	16	.487	.497	.622	94	59	85	0	1 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	

Total amount of water for the week..... 3.32 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.



## APPROVED PAPERS.

*Ordinances, resolutions, etc., approved by the Mayor during the week ending September 16, 1882.*

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to report to this Board, on Tuesday October 3, 1882, or sooner, if convenient, a statement of the cost of repaving the streets named in his communication of February 11, 1882, presented in this Board February 14, 1882, and authority given to do the work by resolution approved March 16, 1882, as provided in chapter 476, Laws of 1875, showing:

First—The name of the street, avenue or public place so repaved, or under contract for repaving, and the kind of pavement used or to be used in each case.

Second—The name and residence of the contractor, with the names and residences of the sureties, and the amount and character of the security in each case.

Third—The number of square yards of pavement, with the cost per yard, in each case.

Fourth—The name, residence and compensation of the Surveyor and Inspector in each case.

Fifth—The incidental, extra or other allowance, if any, awarded or permitted to the contractor, or others, in each case.

Sixth—The streets, avenues, or other places, if any, repaved under special contract, made without public letting, with the same information in respect to the number of yards, price, name and residence of contractor, sureties, Inspector, Surveyor, and extra expenses, as required as above when performed by regular contract.

Seventh—the names of streets, avenues, or places, if any, authorized to be repaved under chapter 476, of the Laws of 1875, since that year, which have not been so repaved, and the reasons, in each case, for non-compliance with the terms of the resolution authorizing such repaving.

Eighth—The amount of the appropriation for repaving streets, for the year 1882, under the provisions of the law of 1875; the amount now paid, the amount yet to be paid under existing contracts, and the balance, if any, available for repaving other streets, during the present year.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 11, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel H. Crooks to retain the storm-door now in front of the entrance to his premises, No. 10 Centre street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 11, 1882.

Petition of Michael Duffy for permission to erect bay-windows on four buildings on Fourth avenue and Seventy-seventh street.

Prayer of the petitioner granted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 12, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George C. Glacius to flag the sidewalk and set the curb and gutter stones in front of his premises, situated on the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, commencing twenty-five feet westerly from the westerly side of Cypress avenue, and extending westerly ninety-two feet and six inches, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 12, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mary A. Baker to flag the sidewalks, and set the curb and gutter stones in front of her premises, situated on the southeasterly corner of College avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, said premises being eighteen feet front on the easterly side of College avenue, and one hundred feet front on the southerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, the work done at her own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 12, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Cornelius L. LaCoste to flag the sidewalks and set the curb and gutter stones in front of his premises, situated on the northeasterly corner of College avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, said premises being fifty feet front on the easterly side of said College avenue, and one hundred feet front on the northerly side of said East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 12, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Ludwig & Company to erect two show-windows on the ground floor of the premises No. 38 West Fourteenth street, extending 7 feet each along Fourteenth street, 3 feet 6 inches in depth and 23 feet in height, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the assent of the adjoining property-owners having been given, and being hereto annexed; the work done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Fire Department; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 12, 1882.

Whereas, Geo. W. Melville, Chief Engineer of the United States Navy, late of the ill-fated Jeannette, is now on his way to this city, and is expected to arrive within a few days; and

Whereas, The said Geo. W. Melville, after enduring the terrible hardships which all must suffer in an expedition to the Arctic regions; after his shipwreck and final escape to the Siberian coast, immediately on landing, with the most heroic self-denial, started to ascertain the fate of De Long and his brave companions, and continued the search till he found their remains; therefore be it

Resolved, That, as a token of our appreciation of his bravery, humanity and self-sacrificing spirit, a committee of three be appointed to receive him on his arrival and to tender him the use of the Governor's room for a public reception at such time as he may designate.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 12, 1882.

Whereas, This day has been selected by the various Labor and Trades-Unions Associations in this city as a day of demonstration of their strength, and a chosen opportunity to express their feelings upon the labor question in an orderly and the most forcible manner.

Resolved, That the members of this Board do tender to the workmen their heartfelt and earnest sympathy in their movement for independence and freedom from corporate monopolies, and their powerful influence, and further

Resolved, That the workman is entitled to a fair share of the products of his toil, and that this Board will exert its influence in the advancement of the interests of the laboring classes.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 12, 1882, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 11, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Mission of the Immaculate Virgin to retain the statue now in front of the institution corner of Lafayette place and Great Jones street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Oscar Florence to erect a storm-door in front of No. 44 College Place, the said storm-door to be within the stoop-line, the consent of the adjoining property-owners having been received and is hereto annexed; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John W. Fleck to retain the storm-door now in front of the entrance to his place of business, No. 208 Centre street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Hassemer to erect an iron awning in front of No. 107 Seventh avenue, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick Kneif to erect two storm-doors at the corner of New and Beaver streets; one being in front of No. 66 New street, and another in front of No. 15 Beaver street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to St. Joseph's New York Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes to place and keep a wooden sign, twelve feet long by two feet wide, on the public triangle bounded by Bayard street, Delancey place and Kingsbridge road, Fordham, Twenty-fourth Ward, the work done at their own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Otto Ahrendt to erect two storm-doors in front of Nos. 102 and 104 West Forty-seventh street, said doors to be within the stoop-line; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. Kahn to erect and retain an awning in front of No. 14 First avenue; the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of the street extending from the Boston road to Prospect avenue, and shown on the map made by the Commissioners appointed under chapter 841 of the Laws of 1868, entitled "An act for the laying out, opening and closing of streets, roads and avenues in the Town of Morrisania, in the County of Westchester," be and is hereby restored to the original designation of Home street, in accordance with the filed maps of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of the avenue extending from Westchester avenue to the Boston road, and shown on the map made by the Commissioners appointed under chapter 841 of the Laws of 1868, entitled "An act for the laying out, opening and closing of streets, roads and avenues in the Town of Morrisania, in the County of Westchester," be and is hereby restored to the original designation of Forest avenue, in accordance with the filed maps of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That the resolution appointing Wm. E. Keys a Commissioner of Deeds be and is hereby amended so as to read Wm. Keys.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That Isidore J. Schwartzkopf be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of M. W. Platze, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds be corrected so as to read M. Warley Platzek.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of Charles Farley, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Charles A. Farley.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of Wm. J. Lippman, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected so as to read Wm. J. Lippmann.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That the name of Herman W. Schumandel, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Herman W. Scheidmantle.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That Oscar Hund be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Joseph Platz, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That John T. Cuming be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of John C. Ryer, who has failed to qualify.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That William E. Stewart be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of William E. Stewart, whose term of office expires September 10, 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That Thomas J. Sullivan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Patrick E. McEvoy, deceased.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William G. Schenck to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp in Sixteenth street, north side, one hundred and sixty-four (164) feet west of Irving Place; the work to be done and gas supplied at his expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 91, article XVI., chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Health Department of the City of New York be and is hereby authorized and empowered to procure in open market, and in such manner as said Department may deem to be necessary, and for the best interests of the public, a steam boiler for the steamboat "Psyche," used for the transportation of persons sick with contagious diseases.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 12, 1882.

Approved by the Mayor, September 14, 1882.



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; WILLIAM M. IVINS, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

**Mayor's Marshal's Office.**  
No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.

**Permit Bureau Office.**  
No. 13½ City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
HENRY WOLTMAN, Register.

**Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.**  
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM EYELERS, Sealer First District; CHRISTOPHER BARRY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

**COMMISSIONERS 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.  
WILLIAM SAUER, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMBLY, Clerk Common Council.

**City Library.**  
No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOS. J. O'CONNELL, 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.

**Engineer in Charge of Sewers.**  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHENSON 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.**  
MARTIN J. KEENE, 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 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 VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

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

**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.**  
Staatz Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 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; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

**DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**

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

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

**Headquarters.**  
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
JOHN J. GORMAN, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

**Bureau of Chief of Department.**  
ELI BATES, Chief of Department.

**Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.**  
PETER SEERV, Inspector of Combustibles.

**Bureau of Fire Marshal.**  
GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

**Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.**  
WM. P. ESTERBOOK, Inspector of Buildings.

**Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. 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, Chief of Battalion-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

**Hospital Stables.**  
No. 199 Chrystie street.  
DREDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT.**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.**

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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.**  
146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.**

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM LAMBEER, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

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

**Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.**  
No. 51 Chambers street, Rooms 10, 11 and 12, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

**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  
ALEX. V. DAVIDSON, Order Arrest Clerk.

**REGISTER'S OFFICE.**

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

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**

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

**COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM A. BUTLER, County Clerk; CHAS. S. BEARDSLEY, Deputy County Clerk.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.**

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN McKEON, District Attorney; HUGH DONNELLY, Chief Clerk.

**THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.**

**And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.**  
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

**CORPORATION NOTICE.**

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

No. 1. Tree planting on Avenue St. Nicholas, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Twelfth street, from the westerly crosswalk of Third avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Fourth avenue.

No. 3. Paving Eighty-third street, from the west crosswalk of Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 4. Regulating and paving Seventy-sixth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

No. 5. Paving Ninety-fourth street, from Third to Lexington avenue.

No. 6. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones in Seventieth street, from the Eighth to the Tenth avenue.

No. 7. Sewer in Montgomery street, between Madison and Monroe streets.

No. 8. Paving Fifty-fifth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 9. Paving One Hundred and Eighth street, from Third to Fifth avenue.

No. 10. Laying crosswalks across Willis avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets, and flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Willis and Alexander avenues.

No. 11. Laying crosswalks in Courtland avenue and in each street intersecting said avenue, from Third avenue to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

No. 12. Paving One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Third avenue to Avenue A.

No. 13. Paving Forty-fourth street, from First to Second avenue, and laying crosswalk, etc.

No. 14. Paving Seventy-fifth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

No. 15. Sewers in Fourth avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Tenth streets; in One Hundred and Ninth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.

No. 16. Sewers in Ninety-sixth and Ninety-seventh streets, between Third and Lexington avenues.

No. 17. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Tenth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 18. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, from end of present sewer west of Fourth avenue.

No. 19. Sewer in Fourth or Park avenue, east side, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets, from end of present sewer.

No. 20. Sewer in Twenty-third street, between Eleventh and Thirtieth avenues, with branch in Thirtieth avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 21. Basins west side of Fifth avenue, opposite One Hundred and Second street.

No. 22. Sewer in One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Sixth avenue and Summit, east of Sixth avenue.

No. 23. Sewer in Eighty-seventh street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 24. Sewer in Fourth avenue, east side, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Avenue St. Nicholas, from One

Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Third to Fourth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-third street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, from Third to Fourth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, from Third to Lexington avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Seventieth street, from the Eighth to the Tenth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. The four corners at the intersection of Montgomery and Monroe streets, and both sides of Montgomery street, between Madison and Monroe streets.

No. 8. Both sides of Fifty-fifth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Third to Fifth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 10. Both sides of Willis avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Fortieth streets, and both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets, extending five hundred and fifty feet easterly, and three hundred and seven feet westerly from Willis avenue.

No. 11. Both sides of Courtland avenue, from Third avenue to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block at each intersecting street.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Third avenue to Avenue A, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of Forty-fourth street, from First to Second avenues and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 14. Both sides of Seventy-fifth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block, at the intersecting avenues.

No. 15. West side of Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Tenth streets; both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, and both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Ninth to One Hundred and Tenth street.

No. 16. Both sides of Ninety-sixth and Ninety-seventh streets, from Third to Lexington avenues.

No. 17. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between Tenth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 18. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Fourth to Madison avenue (from end of present sewer).

No. 19. East side of Fourth or Park avenue, from Thirty-fifth to Thirty-sixth street, (from end of present sewer).

No. 20. Both sides of Twenty-third street, from Eleventh to Thirtieth avenue, and east side of Thirtieth avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets.

No. 21. Central Park.

No. 22. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 23. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 24. East side of Fourth avenue, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted as provided by law to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 17th day of October, ensuing.

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

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.**

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.**  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 11, 1882.

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED** envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Monday, September 25, 1882, at 12 o'clock, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read, for the following:

No. 1. SEWER in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, between Ninth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 2. REGULATING AND GRADING Fourth avenue, from the north curb of One Hundred and Thirty-third street to the south curb of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

No. 3. REGULATING AND GRADING EIGHTY-third street, from the west curb of the Boulevard to the east line of Riverside drive, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

No. 4. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE Hundred and Twelfth street, from the west curb of Seventh avenue to the east curb of Eighth avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

No. 5. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE Hundred and Sixteenth street, from the west curb of Eighth avenue to the east curb of Ninth avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

No. 6. REGULATING and grading One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from the west curb of Fourth avenue to the east curb of Sixth avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

No. 7. SETTING CURB-STONES and flagging sidewalks four feet wide on both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from the west curb of Seventh avenue to the east curb of Eighth avenue.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him 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 work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. 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 in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall 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 to and be 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 bid or estimate, the proper envelope in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

**ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.**

**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, in pursuance of said act and the act amendatory thereof, 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 for local improvements confirmed before June 9, 1880, on or before November 1, 1882. As to all assessments for local improvements completed before June 9, 1880, and since confirmed, on or before November 1, 1882. As to any assessment for local improvements known as Morningside avenues, within two months after the dates upon which such assessments may be respectively confirmed.

The notice must specify the particular assessment complained of, the date of 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 unfair or unjust in respect to said real estate.

Dated, 27 CHAMBERS STREET, June 6, 1882.  
EDWARD COOPER,  
JOHN KELLY,  
ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,  
DANIEL LORD, JR.,  
Commissioners under the Act.

**CITY RECORD.**

**PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING AND DISTRIBUTING THE CITY RECORD.**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, PURSUANT** to section 111 of chapter 335, Laws 1873, and section 1 of chapter 631, Laws 1875, estimates for printing and distributing THE CITY RECORD for one year, in accordance

by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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



with the specifications filed in the office of the Supervisor of THE CITY RECORD, City Hall, New York, will be received at the Office of the Supervisor until Thursday, September 28, 1882, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened and read, at the Mayors' office, City Hall, and the award of the contract made as soon thereafter as practicable. Each estimate must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and his place of business; the names of all persons interested with him therein; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in any portion of the profits thereof. Each estimate must be made in strict conformity to the ordinances of the city and the specifications; it must be verified by the oath of the party making the same, accompanied by the consent and oath of affirmation of two sureties, and placed in a sealed envelope. The envelope must be indorsed, "Estimate for Printing and Distributing THE CITY RECORD," together with the name and place of business of the party making the estimate, and the date of its presentation. The security required on the contract will be twenty thousand (\$20,000) dollars.

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 one thousand (\$1,000) dollars. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the supervisor of the CITY RECORD or clerk who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 the deposit will be returned to him.

No contract will be made upon any estimate unless it appears that the party making the same is established in the printing business in the City of New York. The undersigned officers reserve the right to reject any or all proposals if in their judgment the same may be for the best interest of the city. Copies of the specifications and the form of contract to be entered into, may be had at the office of the Supervisor of the City Record, No. 2 City Hall. Dated New York, September 15, 1882.

WM. R. GRACE,

Mayor.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,

Counsel to the Corporation.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
135 AND 137 METRO STREET,  
New York, September 23, 1882.

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

By order of

JOHN J. GORMAN, President.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,

HENRY D. PURROY,

Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,

Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM No. 39,  
New York, September 18, 1882.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY CLERK of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, tin, gold and silver watches, male and female clothing, trunks and contents, bags and contents, revolver, jewelry, clocks, liquor, musical instruments; also several amounts of money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,

Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,

300 MULBERRY STREET,

New York, September 15, 1882.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a top wagon, the property of this department, will be sold at public auction on Friday, September 29, 1882, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, No. 120 East Thirtieth street.

By order of the Board,

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

## SUPREME COURT.

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

PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Third street, from Eighth avenue to Riverside avenue in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth avenue distant four hundred and sixty-three feet eight inches (463' 8") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the easterly line of New avenue; thence easterly three hundred and seventy (370') feet to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of New avenue, distant four hundred and sixty-three feet eight inches (463' 8") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and fifty (350') feet to the easterly line of Ninth avenue; thence easterly three hundred and fifty (350') feet to the westerly line of New avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Ninth avenue distant four hundred and sixty-three feet eight inches (463' 8") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence westerly and parallel with said street eight hundred (800') feet to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty (60') feet; thence easterly eight hundred (800') feet to the westerly line of Ninth avenue;

thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue distant four hundred and sixty-three feet eight inches (463' 8") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the easterly line of the Boulevard; thence northerly along said line ten (10') feet to a point distant three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet from and parallel to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and along the easterly line of the Boulevard fifty feet five inches and one-half (50' 5 1/2"); thence easterly three hundred and thirty-one feet eight inches (331' 8") to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point on the westerly line of the Boulevard distant four hundred and sixty-three feet eight inches (463' 8") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the easterly line of West-End avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty (60') feet; thence easterly three hundred and thirty-one feet eight inches (331' 8") to the westerly line of the Boulevard; thence southerly along said line sixty feet six inches and one quarter, more or less, (60' 6 1/4") to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the westerly line of West-End avenue distant four hundred and sixty-three feet eight inches (463' 8") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence westerly and parallel with said street four hundred (400') feet to the easterly line of Riverside avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty (60') feet; thence easterly four hundred (400') feet to the westerly line of West-End avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 8, 1882.  
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Ninety-seventh street, from the westerly line of the Boulevard to the easterly line of Riverside avenue, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the sixth day of October, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of Ninety-seventh street, from the westerly line of the Boulevard to the easterly line of Riverside avenue, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Boulevard distant two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of Ninety-sixth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the easterly line of West-End avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty feet (60') feet; thence easterly three hundred and twenty-five (325') feet to the westerly line of Boulevard; thence southerly along said line sixty feet (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the westerly line of West-End avenue, distant two hundred and one foot ten inches (201' 10") northerly from the northerly line of Ninety-sixth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and seventy-one feet eleven inches and three-quarters (371' 11 3/4") to the easterly line of Riverside avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty-one feet five and five-eighths inches (61' 5 5/8"), more or less; thence easterly three hundred and fifty-eight feet six inches and one-half (358' 6 1/2") to the westerly line of Boulevard; thence southerly along said line sixty feet (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty feet (60') wide between the lines of Boulevard and Riverside avenue.

Dated New York, September 8, 1882.  
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

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

PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the sixth day of October, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, from Ninth avenue to Tenth avenue, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Ninth avenue, distant one hundred and ninety-nine feet ten inches (199' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-third street; thence westerly and parallel with said street two hundred and twenty feet one and one-half inches (220' 1 1/2") to the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along said line sixty-one feet four and one-half inches (61' 4 1/2"); thence easterly two hundred and thirty-three feet ten inches (233' 10") to the westerly line of Ninth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty feet (60') to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point in the easterly line of Tenth avenue, distant one hundred and ninety-nine feet ten inches (199' 10") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-third street; thence easterly and parallel with said street four hundred and seventy-six feet ten inches (476' 10") to the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along said line sixty-one feet four and one-half inches (61' 4 1/2"); thence westerly four hundred and sixty-three feet ten inches (463' 10 1/2") to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty feet (60') to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty feet (60') wide between the lines of Ninth and Tenth avenues.

Dated New York, September 8, 1882.  
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from the westerly line of Eighth avenue to the easterly line of New avenue, west of Eighth avenue, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 6th day of October, 1882, at the opening of the court on that

day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from the westerly line of Eighth avenue to the easterly line of New avenue, adjoining Morningside Park, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly side of Eighth avenue distant four hundred and fifty-three feet eight inches (453' 8") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street three hundred and seventy (370') feet to the easterly line of New avenue between Eighth and Ninth avenues; thence northerly and along said line sixty (60') feet; thence easterly three hundred and seventy (370') feet to the westerly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty (60') feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty (60') feet wide between the lines of Eighth avenue and the New avenue extending from One Hundredth street to Manhattan street.

Dated New York, September 8, 1882.  
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row,  
New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the easterly line of Tenth avenue for a distance of 909 feet 3 1/4 inches easterly, and a new street or avenue which is a continuation thereof, from the last mentioned point in a southerly, easterly and northerly direction to the Avenue St. Nicholas, opposite One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, in the City of New York, as laid out pursuant to chapter 587 of the Laws of 1881.

PURSUANT to the statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held in the chambers thereof in the County Court House, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 29th day of September, 1882, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the easterly line of Tenth avenue for a distance of 909 feet 3 1/4 inches easterly, and a new street or avenue, which is a continuation thereof, from the last mentioned point in a southerly, easterly and northerly direction to Avenue St. Nicholas, opposite One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Tenth avenue, distant seven hundred and nineteen feet six inches (719' 6") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence easterly and parallel with said street nine hundred and nine feet three inches and one-quarter (909' 3 1/4") to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly four feet and three-quarters of an inch (4' 3/4") to the easterly line of a curved line, radius fourteen hundred and thirty-two (1432') feet, distance two hundred and thirty-five feet nine inches and three-quarters (235' 9 3/4") to the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence westerly along said line seventy-three feet three inches and one-half (73' 3 1/2") to the northerly line of a curved line, radius thirteen hundred and sixty-two (1362') feet, distance two hundred and six feet seven inches and seven-eighths (206' 7 7/8"); thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance four feet ten inches and three-sixteenths of an inch (4' 10' 3/16"); thence westerly eight hundred and fifty-eight feet ten inches and three-eighths of an inch (858' 10 3/8") to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty feet (60') to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas distant one thousand five hundred and thirty-five feet eight inches and one-half (1535' 8 1/2") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence southerly in a curved line, radius one hundred and twenty-eight feet eleven inches (128' 11"), distance two hundred and eleven feet and thirteen-sixteenths of an inch (211' 13 1/16"); thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance one hundred and two feet seven and seven-eighths of an inch (102' 7 7/8"); thence southerly, westerly and northerly in a curved line, radius fifty-five (55') feet, distance one hundred and fifty-nine feet and one-half of an inch (159' 1/2"); thence northerly in a curved line, radius four hundred and forty-five (445') feet, distance three hundred and eighty-one feet three inches and three-sixteenths (381' 3 3/16"); thence northerly in a reversed curve, radius three hundred and eighty-five (385') feet, distance one hundred and eighty-one feet three inches and three-sixteenths (181' 3 3/16"); thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance one hundred and five feet four inches and seven-eighths (105' 4 7/8"); thence northerly in a curved line, radius fourteen hundred and thirty-two (1432') feet, distance one hundred and twenty-one feet five inches and five-eighths (121' 5 5/8") to the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence westerly along said line seventy-two feet four inches and five-sixteenths (72' 4 5/16"); thence southerly in a curved line, radius thirteen hundred and sixty-two (1362') feet, distance one hundred and twenty-nine feet ten inches and one-quarter (129' 10 1/4"); thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance one hundred and five feet four inches and seven-eighths (105' 4 7/8"); thence southerly in a curved line, radius three hundred and fifteen feet six inches (315' 6"); distance one hundred and forty-eight feet four inches and one-quarter (148' 4 1/4"); thence southerly in a reversed curve, radius five hundred and fifteen feet (515') feet, distance four hundred and forty-one feet five inches and thirteen-sixteenths (441' 5 13/16"); thence southerly, easterly and northerly in a curved line, radius one hundred and twenty-five feet (125') feet, distance three hundred and sixty-one feet five inches and nine-sixteenths (361' 5 9/16"); thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance one hundred and two feet seven and seven-eighths of an inch (102' 7 7/8"); thence easterly in a curved line, radius fifty-eight feet eleven inches (58' 11"), distance ninety-six feet, five inches and nine-sixteenths (96' 5 9/16") to the westerly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along said line seventy (70') feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, September 1, 1882.  
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
Tryon Row, New York.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR, GROCERIES, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

FLOUR.  
1,500 barrels as per sample No. 1.  
1,500 barrels as per sample No. 2.  
Barrels to be returned, and price deducted from bill.

GROCERIES, ETC.  
4,000 pounds dairy butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, September 28, P. M.  
25,000 fresh eggs, all to be candled.  
15 hhds molasses.  
100 bags fine meal.  
100 bags coarse meal.  
250 bushels oats.

DRY GOODS.  
200 pairs white blankets.  
10,000 yards calico.  
5,000 yards shroud muslin.  
300 dozen knit shirts.  
300 yards linen dowlas.  
300 yards blue flannel.

WOODEN WARE, ETC.  
10 bales broom corn.  
100 dozen brooms.  
12 gross shoe brushes.  
24 dozen hair brushes.

MISCELLANEOUS.  
1,000 pounds oil leather.  
2 bales fine sponge (50 lbs. each).  
10 kegs 6d nails.  
5 barrels best quality whiting.  
5 barrels best quality Paris white.  
1 cask (500 lbs.) best quality sal-soda.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, September 29, 1882. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour, Groceries, Dry Goods, etc.," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, at such times and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Department.

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

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

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

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. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimates, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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 prices 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 instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

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

Dated New York, September 16, 1882.

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



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



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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the quantity of the material necessary to be dredged in order to secure at the premises mentioned the depth below mean low water, named in the specifications, is 10,000 cubic yards.

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

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

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 31st day of October, 1882, and the damages to be paid by the Contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, Sundays and holidays not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the material excavated is to be removed by the contractor, and deposited, in all respects, according to law; and any material dredged, not so deposited, shall not be paid for.

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

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and re-let, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

117 AND 119 DUANE STREET  
NEW YORK, Sept. 8, 1882.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 166.)

### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE BULKHEAD AND PLATFORM BETWEEN PIERS 20 AND 21, EAST RIVER, AND THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF THIRD STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRING THE BULKHEAD AND PLATFORM BETWEEN PIERS 20 AND 21, EAST RIVER, AND THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF THIRD STREET, EAST RIVER.

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

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

The Engineer's Estimate of the Nature, Quantities and Extent of the Work, is as follows:

	CLASS 1.	CLASS 2.
Bulkhead and Platform between Piers 20 and 21, East river.		Pier at Third street, East river.
1. 12x12-inch Yellow Pine, feet, B. M.	10,140	1,992
2. 8x8-inch Yellow Pine, feet, B. M.	470	427
3. 5x12-inch Yellow Pine, feet, B. M.	.....	250
4. 5-inch Yellow Pine plank, feet, B. M.	.....	16,350
5. 4-inch North Carolina Yellow Pine or Spruce plank, feet, B. M.	7,800	.....
6. 3-inch North Carolina Yellow Pine or Spruce plank, feet, B. M.	3,900	56,376
7. 5x12-inch White Oak, feet, B. M.	.....	2,600
8. 3x4-inch White Oak, feet, B. M.	.....	224
NOTE.—The above quantities are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.		
9. Spruce, Pine or Cypress Piles, 45 to 55 feet long.	5	17
10. Oak Fender Piles, 45 to 50 feet long.	11	12
11. Mooring Posts.	.....	6
12. Oak Cleats.	4	9
13. Half-round Oak Fenders.	9	.....
14. Logs, Ties, etc., about.	116	.....
15. Iron Bolts, Spikes, Chain, Cast-Iron Washers, etc., lbs.	2,444	7,700
16. Rip-rap Stone, about cubic yards.	147	.....
17. Sand, about loads.	20	4
18. Labor and materials in Class 1, of moving and replacing sheds and buildings on Platform in accordance with the Specifications.	.....	.....
19. Labor in each class respectively, of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, joining, planing, bolting, spiking and labor of every description.	.....	.....
20. Labor in each class respectively, of removing from the premises all the old material, except that to be used in the work under this Contract.	.....	.....

Estimates may be made for one, or both, of the above two classes.

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

- (1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.
- (2.) Bidders will be required to complete the entire work contracted for to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the price therefor, in each class, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The bidder to whom an award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of his contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of five hundred dollars, for class 1, and in the sum of one thousand dollars for class 2, and in case the contract for both of the above named classes be awarded to him, in the sum of the aggregate amount required for the two classes.

The work to be done under the contract in both classes is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work to be done under Class 1 is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of November, 1882, and all the work to be done under Class 2 is to be fully completed on or before the 1st day of December, 1882, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof may be unfulfilled after the time or times fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, Sundays and holiday not to be excepted, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at fifty dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the said pier and bulkhead, and platform, to be removed under the contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in either or both of the above two classes, respectively, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and re-let, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller 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 by the Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

## NOTICE.

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

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

MAY 1, 1882.

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

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

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

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

No. 2.—No shed, building, office, tally-house, or other structure shall be erected, nor shall any derrick, hoisting-mast, coal-hopper, sign, or advertising device, or other erection or obstruction of any kind be placed or maintained upon any pier, bulkhead, or other wharf structure, nor upon any reclaimed land, without a written permit therefor being first had and obtained from the Board; and if the owner, lessee, or occupant of any such

premises, or the owner, lessee, or agent, of any such structure, erections, or obstructions, shall fail to comply with a notice served by the Corporation Wharfinger for the district to remove any such structure, erection, or obstruction, after the expiration of the time allowed by such notice for the removal, such owner, lessee, occupant or agent, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of twenty-five dollars per day for each and every day, which shall elapse before any such structure, erection or obstruction, shall be removed, after the expiration of the time for the removal thereof specified in said notice.

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

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

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

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

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

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

No. 9.—The owners, lessees and occupants of every pier, wharf and bulkhead in the City of New York shall keep the same in good repair, and the slips adjacent thereto properly dredged; and whenever, in the judgment of the Board, it shall be necessary so to do, written notices, signed by the President or Secretary of said Board, shall be served upon the owners, lessees or occupants, or collector of wharfage of any such pier, wharf or bulkhead, or the slip adjoining the same, on or in which repairs or dredging are required by said Board, specifying the nature and extent of the repairs or dredging so required, and the time within which such repairs must be made, or such dredging done; and in case the owners, lessees or occupants so notified, fail to comply with the terms and requirements of such notice, they shall forfeit and pay a penalty of fifty dollars per day for every day which shall elapse before they comply with such notice.

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

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

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

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

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

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