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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION, ETC.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Summons and complaint of the Harlem Library .....	.....	For vacation and cancellation of taxes assessed for the years 1874 to 1880.....	E. Ketchum, Jr.
"	Summons and complaint of Reuben D. Baldwin	\$1,000 00	To recover property and one thousand dollars damages.....	Wm. D. Mills.
"	Margaret F. Harvey, adm'x of Wm. H. Harvey	396 47	Transcript of Judgment.....	M. Butzel.
"	Summons and complaint—Roswell H. Rochester as Receiver of the New York Street Cleaning Association vs. The Mayor, etc., Hannah E. Brown, and others.....	111,492 14	For amount due on contract for cleaning streets from 1866 to 1871, and to vacate and set aside satisfaction piece dated May 26, 1876.....	Arthur, Knevals & R. J. A. Deering.
Superior..	George F. Betts.....	359 94	Notice of Judgment and Transcript.....	P. A. Hargous.
Supreme..	Richard O'Grady....	166 47	Transcript of Judgment.....	P. A. Hargous.
"	Nathaniel Burchill and Leander Stone, trustees.....	1,255 32	" "	"
"	Cornelia L. Westerlo ..	131 57	" "	"
"	James McGovern.....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for regulating, grading, etc. (Avenue A), Eastern Boulevard, from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street.....	M. B. Smith.
"	The New York Seamen's Association..	.....	Order to vacate and cancel taxes levied on property of said association for the years 1872, 1873, and 1874.....	Strong & Cadwalder
Superior..	Cordt, Delbert, Klomburg and another...	400 00	Damages for injuries to horse, wagon, and harness by a falling tree near No. 41 Fifth avenue, on June 5, 1881.....	J. F. Miller.
Com. Pleas	Rebecca Wolf.....	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries received by falling into a coal-hole in front of 509 Third avenue on March 21, 1881.....	L. J. Morrison.
Supreme...	John H. Borgstede....	.....	Order to vacate assessment for regulating, etc., Avenue A, Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street (Eastern Boulevard).....	E. M. Neville.
"	Frederick Clinch.....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for Boulevard sewers.....	T. H. Baldwin.
"	Michael J. O'Reilly...	.....	Order to reduce assessment for One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer, etc.....	"
"	Wm. G. Nicoll.....	.....	Order to reduce assessment for sewers in Ninety-fifth street and Ninety-eighth street, between First and Third avenues, etc., and One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer, etc.....	"
"	Maria L. Grant and others.....	.....	Order to reduce assessments for Ninety-fifth and Ninety-eighth street sewers, etc., and One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer, etc.....	"
Com. Pleas	Elizabeth White, Administratrix.....	210 59	Transcript of Judgment.....	M. B. Smith.
"	Emelie Meyfuth, Executrix	227 10	Transcript of Judgment.....	"

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 10, 1881.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
5349	July 19, 1881	Board of Education	Edward Gustavson.....	Erecting a new building for branch of Primary Department of Grammar School No. 49, on East Thirty-eighth street, Twenty-first Ward. Total, \$27,150.
5350	Sept. 9, "	Docks.....	Union Dredging Co.....	Dredging at foot West Thirty-seventh street, North river, and at foot East Twenty-second street, East river. Estimate, \$4,192.

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the Department of Public Works: September 5, 1881. For regulating, grading, etc., for regulating and paving, for sewers, for laying Croton water-mains, for filling in lots and sunken lands, for furnishing water pipes for alterations to Essex Market, and for laying conduit pipe from Kensico to a point between Hartsdale and Scarsdale, Westchester County, embraced in advertisement of said Department dated August 23, 1881, and published in the CITY RECORD.

Approval of Sureties.

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

September 6. For dredging at the foot of West Thirty-seventh street, North river, and at the foot of East Twenty-second street, East river.
Union Dredging Company, 83 Astor House, Principal.
James W. Smith, 57 St. Mark's place, } Sureties.
Wilbur F. Smith, 57 St. Mark's place, }

September 10. For sewer in Fourth avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, Fourth and Fifth avenues, and in Madison avenue between One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets.
Cornelius Smith, Tenth avenue, between Sixty-ninth and Seventieth streets, Principal.

Jno. Murphy, 235 Lexington avenue, } Sureties.
Henry L. Hoguet, 48 West Twenty-eighth street, }

September 10. For sewer in West End avenue, formerly Eleventh avenue, between Ninety-first and Ninety-sixth streets, and in Ninety-third street, between West End avenue and Boulevard, and for sewer in West End avenue, formerly Eleventh avenue, between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Fifth streets.
Abraham Dowdney, 28 East Seventy-fifth street, Principal.
Jas. Everard, Hoffman House, } Sureties.
Thos. Walsh, 114 Wall street, }

September 10. For sewer in Riverside and Twelfth avenues, between One Hundred and Twenty-second and Manhattan streets.
Nutt & Kearns, Principals.
F. McCabe, 725 Lexington avenue, } Sureties.
Jno. McLoughlin, 340 East Eighty-first street, }

September 10. For regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and First street, from Ninth to New avenue.
Thos. E. Crimmins, 252 East Sixtieth street, Principal.
Jno. D. Crimmins, 40 East Sixty-eighth street, } Sureties.
Thos. Crimmins, 252 East Sixtieth street, }

September 10. For regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road.
Geo. F. Doack, 66 West Seventy-first street, Principal.
Jno. B. Devlin, 812 Lexington avenue, } Sureties.
Francis McCabe, 725 Lexington avenue, }

September 10. For regulating, and relaying pavement in Madison avenue, from Thirty-first street to Forty-second street, and for paving Seventy-fifth street, from west crosswalk of Third avenue to line five feet east of and parallel with the east curb of Fourth avenue.
Denis McGrath, Weehawken, N. J., Principal.
Jas. Slattery, 207 West Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.
Jas. J. Jones, 224 East Eighty-fifth street, }

September 10. For paving One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from east crosswalk of Third avenue, to line five feet west of and parallel with west curb of Avenue A, and for paving with macadamized pavement Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.
P. H. Fitzgerald, 534 West Thirty-fifth street, Principal.
Jas. Everard, Hoffman House, } Sureties.
Chas. Guidet, 41 Park avenue, }

September 10. For paving with trap-blocks Forty-fourth street, from line five feet east of and parallel with the east curb of Second avenue to line five feet west of and parallel with west curb of Twelfth avenue.
Thomas Gearty, 415 East Eighty-third street, Principal.
Thomas Regan, 858 Third avenue, } Sureties.
Patrick Sheehy, 251 East Eighty-third street, }

September 10. For filling in the low and sunken land between One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets and Eighth and Ninth avenues.
William Everard, 307 East Fortieth street, Principal.
Sheridan Shook, Morton House, } Sureties.
James Everard, Hoffman House, }

September 10. For laying water-mains, etc., in Jerome avenue, between Croton avenue and Williamsbridge road.
Edward Bradburn, 437 East Eighty-fifth street, Principal.
Jno. Nesbitt, 213 Lexington avenue, } Sureties.
Bernard Maloney, 123 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, }

September 10. For laying Croton water-mains, etc., in Fifth avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Forty-third streets.
Jno. Cornwell, Jr., 304 East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Principal.
P. M. Wilson, 86 Bank street, } Sureties.
James Kay, 27 Bond street, Brooklyn, }

September 10. For furnishing 475 tons straight pipe and 50 tons branches and special castings.
Theo. Sturges, 133 Henry street, Brooklyn, Principal.
Samuel Sloan, 21 West Seventeenth street, } Sureties.
Percy R. Pyne, 25 East Twenty-second street, }

September 10. For furnishing 1,650 tons 48-inch pipe and 10 tons branches and special castings.
The Warren Foundry and Machine Company, Phillipsburg, N. J., Principals.
Robert Campbell, 5 Madison avenue, } Sureties.
Frederick A. Potts, 110 Broadway, }

September 10. For furnishing and delivering and laying a forty-eight-inch cast-iron conduit pipe, from Kensico to between Hartsdale and Scarsdale, Westchester county, New York.
R. D. Wood & Co., Philadelphia, Pa., Principals.
R. M. Olyphant, 22 West Thirty-fourth street, } Sureties.
Geo. B. Newton, Fifth Avenue Hotel, }

Official Bond Approved and Filed.

Cornelius Van Cott, Treasurer of the Fire Department. Penalty, \$20,000.
Thos. F. Hayes, 118 East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, } Sureties.
Guy R. Pelton, 4 East Twenty-third street, }
RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

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 10, 1881.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Mean for the Day.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
SEPTEMBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 4	29.996	30.000	30.028	30.008	30.032	29.950
Monday, 5	30.088	30.044	30.022	30.051	30.096	30.008
Tuesday, 6	30.032	30.000	29.990	30.007	30.042	29.988
Wednesday, 7	29.990	29.908	29.904	29.934	29.992	29.894
Thursday, 8	30.000	30.004	30.088	30.031	30.088	29.928
Friday, 9	30.038	29.994	29.978	30.003	30.082	29.950
Saturday, 10	29.958	29.932	29.900	29.933	29.994	29.900

Mean for the week..... 29.995 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., September 5..... 30.096 "
Minimum " at 5 P. M., September 7..... 29.894 "
Range "202 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
SEPTEMBER.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 4	65	62	71	66	68.3	64.7	71
Monday, 5	69	66	80	73	75.3	70.6	82
Tuesday, 6	74	72	94	78	84.6	76.0	97
Wednesday, 7	80	73	101	76	79.0	76.0	101
Thursday, 8	79	72	89	78	64	79.0	71.3
Friday, 9	69	64	78	70	73.3	68.0	78
Saturday, 10	72	70	75	71	67	72.0	69.3

Dry Bulb. Mean for the week..... 77.6 degrees.
Wet Bulb. Mean for the week..... 70.8 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 7th..... 101. " at 6 P. M., 7th..... 83. "
Minimum " " at 6 A. M., 4th..... 65. " at 6 A. M., 4th..... 62. "
Range " " 36. " 21. "

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,	4....	SE	S	S	22	23	42	87	0	0	½	¾	11.30 P. M.	
Monday,	5....	SW	S	SSW	70	45	43	158	¼	½	0	2½	0.50 A. M.	
Tuesday,	6....	WSW	NW	SW	34	25	22	81	0	0	¼	¾	5.30 P. M.	
Wednesday,	7....	WSW	WNW	W	53	30	39	122	0	2½	0	2½	2 P. M.	
Thursday,	8....	NNW	ENE	E	21	44	52	117	0	0	0	1¾	3.20 P. M.	
Friday,	9....	ESE	SSE	SE	27	13	23	63	0	0	0	7	4 P. M.	
Saturday,	10....	SE	NE	NE	10	28	66	104	0	¼	1	7	8.40 P. M.	

Distance traveled during the week..... 732 miles.
Maximum force " " 7 pounds.

DATE. SEPTEMBER.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, °. 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 Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday,	4	.516	.572	.599	83	75	84	8 Cu.	9 Cu.	9 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Monday,	5	.599	.717	.757	84	70	81	6 Cu.	8 Cu.	o	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Tuesday,	6	.757	.741	.850	90	46	68	10	3 Cir. Cu.	1 Cir. Cu.	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Wednesday,	7	.717	.559	.827	70	28	57	1 Cu.	4 Cir. Cu.	1 Cir.	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Thursday,	8	.690	.809	.529	70	59	74	o	10	10	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Friday,	9	.529	.625	.693	74	65	85	10	10	10	.....	.....	.....	..	..
Saturday,	10	.706	.704	.635	90	81	89	10	8 Cu.	10	10.30 A.M. 4.40 P.M.	11.30 A.M. 10 P.M.	1.00 5.20	.01 .08	..

Total amount of water for the week..... .09 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.
No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM EYERS, Sealer First District; THOMAS
BRADY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, In-
spector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector
Second District.

COMMISSIONER OF ACCOUNTS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS,
Deputy Comptroller.

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

**Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and of Arrears
of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.**
No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of
Arrears

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets
No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. DEVOE, Collector of City Revenue and
Superintendent of Markets.

LAW DEPARTMENT

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.
Staats 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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORREC-
TION.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.
PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

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

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.
WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

**Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M.
to 4 P. M. (Saturdays to 3 P. M.)**

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

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

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

Hospital Stables.
No. 199 Christie street.
DEDERICK G. GALE, Superintendent of Horses.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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. 11 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

51 Chambers Street, Rooms 10, 11 & 12, 9 A. M. to 4
P. M.
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. LUYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER,
Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Register; I. 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. KEE-
GAN, Deputy Commissioner

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE.
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET (Room No. 39).
NEW YORK, Sept. 14, 1881.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New
York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following
property now in his custody without claimants: Revolv-
ers, male and female clothing, trunk and contents, bags
and contents, silver watches, blankets, shoes, coats, bank
books, velvetene, piece gingham, and small amount of cash
taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this
Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, Sept. 12, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles, to wit:
160,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known
as Good Sweet Timothy.

25,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
2,000 bags clean White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.
1,400 bags Fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag.

will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the
head of the Fire Department, at the office of said
Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City
of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Saturday, September
24, 1881, at which time and place they will be publicly
opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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 Corpora-
tion, 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 con-
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-
ness 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 in a sum not less than one-half the
amount of the estimate; and that if he shall omit or refuse
to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any
difference between the sum to which he would be entitled
on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be
obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the con-
tract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the
amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated
amount 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 sign-
ing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the
City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security
required for the completion of this contract, over and
above all his debts of every nature, and over and above
his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he
has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the
intention to execute the bond required by law. The
adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be
approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York
before the award is made and prior to the signing of the
contract.

No 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 Com-
ptroller, 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 in-
closed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but
must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Depart-
ment who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no esti-
mate 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 suc-
cessful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the

same within three days after the contract is awarded. If
the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five
days after notice that the contract has been awarded to
him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made
by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of
New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or
refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the
time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned
to him.

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

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

Blank forms of proposals, together with such further
information as may be required, may be obtained upon
application at these Headquarters, where the prescribed
form of contract showing the manner of payment for the
articles may also be seen.

JOHN J. GORMAN,
VINCENT C. KING,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, September 10, 1881.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THIRTY-
ONE (31) kegs of Blasting Powder, seized upon
provisions of sec. 2, chap. 742, Laws of 1871, will be sold
at public auction by Van Tassel & Kearney, at No. 157
Mercer street, on Saturday, September 17, at 12 o'clock
M., in accordance with the provisions of the law above
named. Samples may be seen in the office of the Bureau
of Combustibles, 157 Mercer street.

JOHN J. GORMAN,
VINCENT C. KING,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 and 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, August 10, 1881.

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

By order of
JOHN J. GORMAN, President.
VINCENT C. KING,
CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

FIRST WARD.—SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE
received by the School Trustees of the First Ward,
at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand
and Elm streets, until Wednesday, the 21st day of Sep-
tember, 1881, and until 9½ o'clock A. M. on said day, for
Altering the Building on premises No. 68 Pearl street.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the time and
place above named for the Steam Heating Apparatus re-
quired for said building.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the time and
place before named for the Desks, Seats, and other Furni-
ture required for said building.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN MCINTIRE,
WM. H. SMYTH,
OWEN MURPHY,
THOMAS WILLIAMS,
JOSEPH H. FORD,

Board of School Trustees, First Ward.

Dated New York, September 7, 1881.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-
ITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, Sept. 10, 1881.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Twenty-third
Precinct Station-house—Unknown man, age about 40
years, 5 feet 6 inches high, dark hair, sandy whiskers and
moustache; had on dark mixed vest, blue flannel pants,
striped calico shirt.

Unknown man, from foot of Fifth street, East river—5
feet 5 inches high; had on brown cardigan jacket, black
diagonal vest. Body in water about five months.

Unknown man, from First Precinct Station-house—Age
about 45 years, 5 feet 7 inches high, dark hair, sandy
moustache, gray eyes; had on black coat and vest, brown
overalls, striped shirt, gaiters, black straw hat.

Unknown man, from One Hundred and Twentieth street
and Eighth avenue—Age about 40 years, 5 feet 8 inches
high, dark brown hair, beard and moustache, gray eyes;
had on black alpaca coat, black cloth vest, dark ribbed
pants, gray check gingham shirt, blue woolen socks, boots,
black felt hat.

Unknown man, from 186 West street—Age about 45
years, 5 feet 9 inches high, light brown hair, small side
whiskers, blue eyes; had on dark vest, brown pants,
striped gingham shirt.

Unknown man, from Presbyterian Hospital—Age about
45 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, light brown hair, clean
shaved, blue eyes. No clothing.

Unknown man, from Pier 23, North river—Age about
35 years, 5 feet 7 inches high, light brown hair, clean
shaved; had on gray coat, dark vest, black pants, brown
striped shirt, blue check jumper, brogan shoes.

Unknown woman, from Tenth Precinct Station-house—
Age about 30 years, 5 feet four inches high, brown hair
and eyes; had on blue flannel dress and waist, gray skirt,
white chemise, red-barred stockings, gaiters.

Unknown man, from Thirteenth avenue and Twenty-
second street—Age about 60 years, 5 feet 6 inches high,
gray hair and beard, blue eyes, deformity at knee joint of
right leg; had on red flannel shirt, black pants, gaiters.

Unknown man, from 79 West Houston street—Age
about 40 years, 5 feet 7 inches high, brown hair and mous-
tache; had on gray suit, white shirt, colored gingham
shirt, blue woolen socks.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Bridget Mc-
Dermott, age 38 years, 5 feet high, light brown hair, blue
eyes; had on when admitted black skirt, green sacque,
canton flannel petticoat. Nothing known of his friends or
relatives.

At New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—
Frederick De Broen, alias F. W. Klath, age 30 years, 5
feet 6 inches high, black hair and eyes. Nothing known
of his friends or relatives.

George Holden, age 38 years, 5 feet 7 inches high,

brown hair and eyes. Nothing known of his friends or
relatives.

At Homoeopathic Hospital Ward's Island—Robert
Carr, age 34 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, black eyes and
hair; had on when admitted blue pants, blue flannel
shirt, black felt hat, gaiters. Nothing known of his
friends or relatives.

James Larkins, age 55 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, blue
eyes, gray hair; had on when admitted dark pants,
colored shirt, black felt hat. Nothing known of his
friends or relatives.

Jacob Lahr, age 40 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, blue
eyes, brown hair; had on when admitted gray coat, pants
and vest, gaiters, brown straw hat. Nothing known of
his friends or relatives.

Jeremiah Smith, age 37 years, 5 feet 5 inches high,
hazel eyes, brown hair; had on when admitted dark
pants and vest, brown coat, gaiters, black felt hat.
Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Kathrina Katie, age 80 years, 5 feet high, blue eyes,
gray hair; had on when admitted black dress, shawl,
hood, cloth shoes. Nothing known of her friends or
relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Elizabeth Griffen, age 45
years, 5 feet high, dark brown hair, blue eyes. "Nothing
known of her friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, FEED,
LIME, LUMBER, ETC.**

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-
ing

GROCERIES AND FEED.

6,000 pounds Dairy Butter (sample on exhibition Sep-
tember 15, 1881).
24,000 Fresh Eggs, (all to be candled).
25,000 pounds Brown sugar.
2,500 " Roasted Coffee.
500 " Pepper.
500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168
pounds net to the barrel.
200 barrels Fine Flour.
50 " Hominy.
50 " Wheaten Grits, 160 pounds net per barrel.
20 " (40 gallons) Pickles, 2,000 to the barrel.
100 first quality City Cured Smoked Hams (not ex-
ceeding 14 pounds weight).
100 first quality Smoked Tongues.
500 bales long and bright Rye Straw.
50 " first quality Timothy Hay.
100 bags coarse Yellow Meal.
100 " (40 pounds) Bran.

LIME, ETC.

20 barrels fresh Rosendale Cement.
20 " White W. Lime.
10 " Plaster Paris.
20 bushels Plasterer's Hair.

LUMBER.

25,000 feet B. M. Box Boards, planed one side.
100 Spruce Plank 1½ inches. Delivered at Black-
well's Island.

HARDWARE.

12 dozen Shovels.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the
Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City
of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 16th
day of September, 1881. The person or persons making
any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed en-
velope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Feed,
Lime, Lumber, 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 re-
serves 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 prac-
ticable after the opening of the bids.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be en-
gaged in and well prepared for the business, and must
have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the per-
son 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 Corpora-
tion, 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 con-
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-
ness 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 con-
tract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the
amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated
amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The con-
sent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or
affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons sign-
ing 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 is to be
approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accom-
panied by either a certified check upon one of the national

awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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 him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default of the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and let as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, September 3, 1881.

JACOB HESS,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
TOWNSEND COX,

Commissioners of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, September 20, 1881, at 4 o'clock P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN,
Secretary.

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 Twenty-second street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES OF THE State of New York, in such case made and provided, the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, hereby gives notice that the Counsel to the Corporation of said city will apply to the Supreme Court, in the First Judicial District of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 20th day of September, A. D., 1881, at ten and a half o'clock in the forenoon of 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 in the behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, beginning at a point on the westerly side of Fourth avenue, distant two hundred and one feet and ten inches (201' 10") from the northwesterly corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Fourth avenue; thence westerly and parallel with said One Hundred and Twenty-first street, four hundred and five feet (405') to the easterly line of Madison avenue; thence northerly and along said line sixty feet (60'); thence easterly four hundred and five feet (405') to the westerly line of Fourth 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 Fourth and Madison avenues, and as said street is laid out on the map or plan of the City of New York, made under and by virtue of an act of the Legislature of the People of the State of New York, entitled "An act relative to improvement touching the laying out of streets and roads in the City of New York, and for other purposes," passed April 3, 1807.

Dated New York, August 20, 1881.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

TO BUILDERS AND CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Monday, September 26, 1881, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour and place they will be publicly opened by the head of the department and read, for the following:

FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND FITTING UP SIXTY-NINTH REGIMENT ARMY, TOMPKINS MARKET.

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 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 neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 14, 1881.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF A TEMPORARY INJUNCTION, issued by the Supreme Court and served upon me this day, restraining me from proceeding in the matter of the removal of the reservoir at Fifth avenue, Fortieth and Forty-second streets, the public sale of the materials belonging to said reservoir, which has been advertised to take place on Thursday, September 15, 1881, at 11 o'clock A. M., is postponed until further notice.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ACCORDING TO LAW, five per cent. will be added on the 1st of August next, on all unpaid Croton water rates.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments" on the 19th day of July, 1881, and on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz.:

Eleventh avenue, regulating, grading, etc., from Fifty-ninth to Seventy-second street.

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
AND OF CROTON WATER RENTS,
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS
AND CLERK OF ARREARS, July 6, 1881.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS for unpaid taxes of 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875 and 1876, and Croton water rents of 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874 and 1875, under the direction of Allan Campbell, Comptroller of the City of New York. The undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the Collection of Taxes, Assessments and Croton Water Rents in the City of New York, and to amend the several acts in relation thereto," passed April 8, 1871:

That the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York on which taxes have been laid and confirmed, situated in the Wards Nos. 1 to 24 inclusive, for the Years 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, 1875, and 1876, and now remaining due and unpaid; and also the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York, situated in the Wards aforesaid, on which the regular Croton-water rents have been laid for the years 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1874, and 1875, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to pay the said taxes and Croton-water rent so remaining due and unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at his office in the Department of Finance, in the New Court-house, with the interest thereon, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, as provided by chapter 33 of the Laws of 1881, from the time when the same became due to the time of payment, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction at the New Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, October 10, 1881, at 12 o'clock noon, for the lowest term of years at which any person shall offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of tax or Croton-water rent, as the case may be, so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon, as aforesaid, to the time of sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such sale will be continued from time to time, until all the lands and tenements so advertised for sale shall be sold.

For the redemption of any property so sold, interest will be payable upon the amount of the purchase money, at the rate of fourteen per cent. per annum.

Notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the taxes and the Croton water rents, the ownership of the property, on which taxes and Croton water rents remain unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the said pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments, and Clerk of Arrears, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

A. S. CADY,

Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

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

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

CHAPTER 33.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Section 3. All existing provisions of law which impose a charge and require the collection of interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum upon arrears of taxes on real and personal estate within the City of New York, upon arrears of assessments for local improvements and street openings in said city, and upon arrears of Croton water rents in said city, are hereby repealed; and in lieu of such charge of interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum, there shall be charged and collected by the officer authorized to collect and receive any such arrears of taxes and assessments and Croton water rents, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated for the same period as interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum is now required by law to be calculated thereon. This provision shall apply to taxes, assessments, or Croton water rents remaining unpaid and due, for the non-payment of which the lands and tenements liable therefor shall be hereafter sold at public auction as now provided by law; provided, however, that nothing in this act shall be construed to affect the rights of purchasers at sales for taxes, assessments, or Croton water rents, heretofore made, or to authorize the redemption of lands and tenements from sales heretofore made for any lesser sums than the sums collectible for such redemption under the provisions of existing laws.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of the City of New York to give public notice, by advertisement, for at least ten days, in the CITY RECORD, printed and published in said city, immediately after the confirmation

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

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

Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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, give notice to all persons affected thereby that the notices required by the said act must be filed with the Comptroller of said city and a duplicate thereof with the Counsel to the Corporation, as follows:

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

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

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

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

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.