

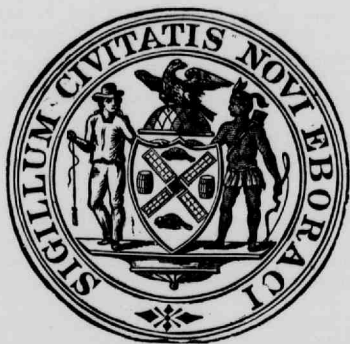
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
March 31, 1881.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Appointments.

John J. Burke, as Private, Engine Co. No. 27, 1st proximo.
William Miller, as Private, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, 2d proximo.

Transfers.

to take effect 1st proximo:

Assistant Engineer of Steamer Joseph Stumpf, Engine Co. No. 7 to Engine Co. No. 44.
" " J. H. Walker, Engine Co. No. 31 to Engine Co. No. 7.
Fireman George Archibald, Engine Co. No. 27 to Engine Co. No. 3.
Private Richard J. Norris, Engine Co. No. 3 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 5.

Communications.

From—

Attorney—Injunction order in violation case No. 57 of current year. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Same—Orders of court in violation cases Nos. 334 and 445, of 1880, and No. 12 of current year. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Inspector of Buildings, requesting opinion in the matter of violation case No. 353, of 1880, and inclosing affidavit of defendant. Referred to Attorney.

Chairman Committee on Apparatus—Relative to repairs made to Engine No. 23, and recommending that amount expended to place engine in serviceable condition, \$21.33, be deducted from bill of Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Co. Ordered.

Resolution.

Resolved, That the Inspector of Buildings, until further notice, shall have power, and it shall be his duty, to dismiss any of the employees in his bureau who, in his opinion, may be incompetent to properly discharge any duty assigned them, or who shall neglect or refuse to discharge his full duty in a prompt and proper manner, and immediately report his action to the Board. Adopted.

Pay-rolls.

audited, and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

For the Current Year—Schedule No. 14.

Extra Telegraph Force, pay-roll for March, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$1,204 24
Headquarters, pay-roll for March	3,636 50
Attorney to the Fire Department, pay-roll for March	333 33
Telegraph Force,	1,506 02
Repair Shops,	3,825 12
Bureau of Combustibles	1,016 67
Bureau of Inspection of Buildings	2,694 49
Bureau of Fire Marshal	600 00
Superintendent of Horses,	597 00
Bureau of Chief of Department,	3,174 96
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, pay-roll for March	74,199 89
	\$92,788 22

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

APRIL 1, 1881.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Transfers.

to take effect 4th instant:

Foreman William F. Hayes, Engine Co. No. 5 to Engine Co. No. 16;
" William H. Fleming, Engine Co. No. 12 to Engine Co. No. 5;
" William Birmingham, Engine Co. No. 16 to Engine Co. No. 12;

to take effect 2d instant:

Assistant Foreman John P. Flood, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 8 to Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7.
Assistant Engineer Steamer Jos. J. McNamara, Engine Co. No. 29 to Engine Co. No. 15.
Fireman George Murphy, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9 to Engine Co. No. 44.
Private Stephen B. McManus, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9 to Engine Co. No. 31.

Appointments.

Bernard Regan as Examiner, Bureau Inspection of Buildings, at a salary of \$900 per annum, 2d instant.

James J. Smith as Private, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9, 4th instant.

Requisition of Captain in charge Repair Shops, for \$9.54, incidental expenses, was approved.
On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

APRIL 2, 1881.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Appointment.

Michael A. Reilly as private, Engine Co. No. 29, 4th instant.

Transfer.

Fireman Michael Gallagher, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 4, to Engine Co. No. 44, 4th instant.
On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

APRIL 6, 1881.

Present—President, Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman, and Cornelius Van Cott.

The minutes of meetings held 30th and 31st ultimo and 1st and 2d instant, were read and approved.

The action of the President in the following matters was approved and confirmed, viz.:

Communicating to Comptroller, in reply to letter of inquiry why claim for damages for time exceeded on contract should not be enforced against John McGuire, contractor for house of Engine Co.

No. 5, statement of facts and recommendation submitted by N. Le Brun, Architect; referring to Inspector of Buildings for compliance, fire-escape cases Nos. 1350 to 1355 of 1880, returned by Attorney, with recommendation that new notices be issued; referring to Attorney for prosecution, violation cases Nos. 55, 65, 66, and 70, and fire-escape cases Nos. 80, 92, 93, 125, 126, 145 to 149, 154 to 156, 158, 173, 175, 176, 178, 181, and 182, of current year.

Appointments of Rudolph Rado and Thomas McGrath as Privates, Engine Co. No. 20, 6th instant.

Promotion of Fireman Charles D. Purroy, of Engine Co. No. 22, to be Assistant Foreman, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 7, 5th instant.

Transfers.

to take effect 6th instant, as follows:

Fireman James H. Ballentine, Engine Co. No. 44 to Engine Co. No. 13.

" Stephen C. Purdy, Engine Co. No. 20 to Engine Co. No. 39.

Private Daniel B. Guinan, Hook and Ladder Co. No. 2 to Engine Co. No. 44.

Communications.

From—

Chief of Department—Reports of Inspection (16) by Company Commanders of buildings and fire-escapes. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Same—Reports of details at Windsor Theatre. Referred to Inspector of Combustibles.

Same—Reports of details at Windsor and Aberle's Theatres. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Same—Reports of details at theatres. Filed.

Chief of Tenth Battalion—Foremen Engine Co.'s Nos. 16, 22, 28, 29, and 30, and Hook and Ladder Co.'s Nos. 5, 7, and 12, reporting cords on seals of horses broken. Referred to Property Record Clerk.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 30—Report of repairs required to quarters. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Foreman Hook and Ladder Co. No. 19, reporting repairs required to roof of quarters. Laid over, with directions to communicate with owners.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 7, reporting loss of alarm box key located at 23 Park Row. Filed.

Private Richard J. Norris, of Engine Co. No. 3, and Michael Hollacher, of Engine Co. No. 8, applying for promotion to rank of Assistant Engineer of steamer. Referred to Examining Board of Engineers.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 18, on behalf of company, requesting permission to make presentation to Foreman William W. Brown of Engine Co. No. 30. Denied.

Fireman George T. Florence, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 14, relative to claim of H. D. Lane. Filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—Report of licenses and permits issued to the 4th instant. Filed.

Same, reporting violations of law. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That Bridget Keneally, One Hundred and Forty-first street and Third avenue, and William Frieke, Jr., 966 Second avenue, be and are hereby fined \$50 each, for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871; that Michael Walsh, 847 Ninth avenue, and Margaret Duell, 95 Madison street, be and are hereby fined \$5 each, for violation of section 9, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, and that in each of the above named cases the Inspector of Combustibles be and is directed to enforce the collection of the penalty.

Same, recommending that legal proceedings be instituted against parties selling kerosene oil without license. Filed, and following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the Attorney be and is directed to institute legal proceedings for the collection of the penalty of \$25 imposed upon each of the following-named parties for violation of section 4, chapter 742, Laws of 1871, viz.:

Valentine Huff, 836 First avenue.

William Dorenthal, 846 First avenue.

Simon Heimbach, 870 First avenue.

John E. Richter, 196 Broome street.

Robert Welsh, 207 East Houston street.

William Uffer, 65 East Houston street.

H. Flemer & H. Klenke, 73 East Houston street.

Mary Fortune, 814 Sixth avenue.

Henry Warbrock, 441 East Twenty-third street.

Mary Higgins, 325 East Thirty-second street.

James Dunn, 200 East Forty-fourth street.

William Walter, 231 East Forty-fifth street.

John Hayden, 303½ East Forty-third street.

Charles Tietjen, 2311 First avenue.

John Binning, 1982 Third avenue.

Max M. Weiner, 38 Ridge street.

Andrew Geigengack, 103 Avenue A.

Henry Schaefer, 201 Spring street.

Diedrich Henning, 141 Hudson street.

William Eagan, 532 West Thirtieth street.

John H. Waterman, 427 West Fortieth street.

James Smith, 252 West Forty-seventh street.

Henry Howekamp, 452 West 32d street.

Philip Smith, 349 East Seventy-sixth street.

John H. Peters, 306 West 39th street.

Isaac Cohn, 55 Ridge street.

Fire Marshal—Reports of operations for month and quarter ending March 31. Filed with directions to compile.

Inspector of Buildings, requesting return of violation case No. 431, and fire-escape case No. 1129 (of 1880), provisions of law having been complied with. Compliance directed.

Same—Relative to forms required for immediate use. Filed.

Same, requesting instructions relative to disposition of violation cases Nos. 402 and 437 of 1880. Referred to the Attorney for full information.

Attorney—Orders of Court in violation cases Nos. 555 (and 397), 463 and 516 of 1880. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Same, requesting information relative to violation cases Nos. 452, 453, 454, 464, and 465, of 1880, (iron shutters) and instructions as to future action in the matter. Referred to Inspector of Buildings for information.

Same—Relative to fire-escape case No. 1257 of 1880. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Daily reports of work and duty performed by employees. Filed.

Superintendent of Horses—Report for week ending 3d instant. Filed.

Captain in charge Repair Shops, reporting unsatisfactory condition of electric light placed in shops for trial. Laid over, with directions to notify company.

Common Council—Copy of resolution permitting erection of bay-window at Twenty-eighth street and Madison avenue. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Comptroller—Statement of condition of appropriation to 2d instant. Filed.

Department of Public Works, stating that fire-hydrant at foot of East Twelfth street has been repaired. Filed.

Same—Relative to street pavement in East One Hundred and Nineteenth street. Filed.

Same, stating that fire-hydrant has been placed in East Seventy-fifth street, as requested. Filed.

Health Department—Relative to proposed law for prevention of accidents from kerosene oil, and suggesting appearance before Committee on Public Health, of the Assembly. Filed, with directions to reply.

J. Bowes, claim against Private W. J. Kerneghan, of Engine Co. No. 32. Referred to Chief of Department, and notify of claim.

Jacob Rapp—Claim against Private E. W. Van Horn, of Chemical Engine Co. No. 1. Filed, with directions to notify.

M. Dolan, directing attention to condition of building, No. 310 East Twenty-fourth street, Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Peter Eberle and George Kerner, and William Gibson—Notices of claims against Joseph E. Lennon, contractor. Filed.

A. G. McDonald, on behalf of estate of John J. Hicks and tenant of premises Nos. 206-210 South street, and 401-407 Water street, requesting that said premises be exempted from having alterations made to fastenings of iron shutters. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

Mutual District Telegraph Company, requesting permission to connect their Central Office with Headquarters, for purpose of communicating alarms for fire received from their subscribers. Referred to Superintendent of Telegraph.

Charles L. Norton, directing attention to combustible material at Bijou Theatre. Referred to Chief of Department for investigation.

Louis Schmidt, stating that fire-escape is required to building No. 175 Avenue C. Referred to Inspector of Buildings.

A. T. Woodward, applying for permission to connect Fire and Police Headquarters with an experimental underground telegraph line, without expense to Department. Granted.

Chairman Committee on Repairs and Supplies, forwarding, with recommendation, requisitions for mason work at quarters Hook and Ladder Company No. 9, and plumbing at quarters of Engine Cos. Nos. 5 and 20, estimated cost, \$26, \$74, and \$51. Ordered.

Inspector of Buildings—Requisition for incidental expenses for March, \$50. Authorized.

Supply Clerk, requisition for paper case for Headquarters, with estimates from George C. Flint & Co., \$253; Doremus & Corbett, \$200. Purchase at \$200 ordered.

Same—Requisitions for articles required, estimated cost \$471.50, \$135.42, \$9, \$25, \$10. Purchase ordered.

Captain in charge of Repair Shops, reporting receipt from E. B. Preston, Chicago, of hose, connections, nozzles, etc. Filed.

Same, reporting completion of repairs to Gould engine and that same has been placed in service in Engine Co. No. 44; also that failure of contractor to repair the same as required by contract, necessitated an expenditure of \$335.36, at the Repair Shops, for labor and material. Filed, and the following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That upon the report of the Captain in charge of Repair Shops, the sum of \$335.36, being amount expended at Repair Shops for labor and material to complete repairs to Gould engine, be deducted from the contract price therefor (\$744), and that upon presentation of bill by Charles Collins for \$408.64, the same be allowed and audited.

Superintendent of Horses—Reports of selection of team and horses for Engine Cos. Nos. 25 and 4, and recommending purchase at \$600 and \$300. Purchase ordered.

Foreman Engine Co. No. 21, reporting that temporary quarters for company can be obtained at No. 105 or 115 East Forty-first street. Referred to Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

L. Fancher, Detroit, accepting proposition for purchase of door-opener and right to manufacture for use of Department for \$125, and requesting that proper papers be prepared for execution. Referred to Attorney.

Fireman John Dalton, of Hook and Ladder Co. No. 17, applying for full pay while on sick leave (taken from file). Granted.

James Brown, applying for appointment as Examiner (taken from file). Referred to Inspector of Buildings for examination as required by law.

The drafts of General Orders Nos. 3 and 4, current series, were read and approved, and promulgation ordered.

Transfers,

to take effect 8th instant—

Fireman James T. Holmes, Engine Co. No. 15 to Engine Co. No. 22.
Private Patrick T. Horn, Engine Co. No. 10 to Engine Co. No. 25.

Appointments.

Edward A. Scannell as Private Engine Co. Co. 44, 7th instant.
William J. Kavanagh, as Private, Engine Co. No. 29, 9th instant.

Bills

audited and transmitted to the Comptroller for payment.

For the Year 1880—Schedule No. 77.

Kirby, John, apparatus, supplies, etc. \$1,213 33

For the Current Year—Schedule No. 15.

Brent, Samuel S. & Son, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$8 00	Joannes, Emile, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$73 65
Bryan, Oliver, apparatus, supplies, etc.	10 50	Jussen, Carl, " "	116 12
Burton & Watson, " "	12 24	Law Telegraph Co., " "	15 00
Central Gas-light Co., " "	36 23	Manhattan Gas-light Co., " "	550 35
Coolidge, Geo. H., " "	350 00	Metropolitan Gas-light Co., " "	82 80
Dahlman, Isaac H., " "	600 00	Metropolis Oil Co., " "	15 45
Dobbs, Wm. H., " "	990 00	Miners' Oil Co., " "	8 30
Dobbs, Wm. H., " "	325 00	Northern Gas-light Co., " "	46 80
Dripps, M., " "	10 00	Ogden, W. B., Est. of, " "	175 00
Durham, Thos. P., " "	27 00	Ogden & Wallace, " "	37 43
Egan, K. & Co., " "	106 00	Palmer, G. G., " "	85 00
Esterbrook, Wm. P., " "	74 00	Pearce & Jones, " "	154 18
Fitch, B. Jr., " "	132 00	Seery, Peter, " "	50 19
Fuller, A. P., " "	30 35	Sheilds & McEvoy, " "	410 75
Gale, D. G., " "	17 85	Sheldon, Geo. H., " "	29 24
Hart, Eb. Jr., " "	140 00	Short, Wm. G. & Co., " "	18 47
Hughes, Thomas, " "	90 00	Smith, J. Elliot, " "	32 71
		Walsh, John F., " "	78 00
			\$4,938 61

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

APRIL 7, 1881.

Present—President Vincent C. King, Commissioners John J. Gorman and Cornelius Van Cott.

Resolution.

Resolved, That the premises No. 18 Burling slip be surrendered to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as they are no longer needed for the use and purposes of this Department. Adopted.

Communications.

From Chairman of Committee on Apparatus, forwarding with recommendation, requisitions for repairs to truck springs and for saven wheels for battalion wagons, estimated cost, \$105.30 and \$30. Ordered.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 15th day of April, 1881.

Present—Commissioners French, Nichols, Mason and Matthews.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Captain Jos. B. Eakins, Fifth Precinct, three days.
Patrolman Hamilton Ward, Twenty-second Precinct, four days, without pay.
Patrolman Alexander Hughes, Thirty-first Precinct, two days, without pay.

Leaves of Absence Granted under Rule 564—Approved.

April 5. Patrolman John Sheils, Fourteenth Precinct, two days.
" 5. " Owen Handy, Fourteenth Precinct, two days.
" 8. " John Sinclair, First Court, three days.
" 11. " William H. Saul, Twenty-seventh Precinct, two days.
" 11. " John Hutton, Eighteenth Precinct, half day.
" 11. " Michael Sheils, Twenty-eighth Precinct, three days.
" 11. " Philip Havery, Twenty-second Precinct, two days.
" 12. " James Cowan, Tenth Precinct, two days.
" 13. " Adolph Hummell, Eighth Precinct, three days.

Parades Referred to the Superintendent.

Kallender's Georgia Minstrels, April 11. Parade.
Kallender's Georgia Minstrels, April 12. Parade.
Constantine Cominadery, K. T., April 15. Parade.
Bohemian Sharpshooters, April 16. Parade.
Gustav Adolph Co. 27, G. S. B., April 18. Parade.
Skidmore Guards, Co. B., April 20. Parade.
William Tell Lodge, No. 5, April 11. Funeral.
Ancient Order Hibernians, April 11. Funeral.
Bohemian Benevolent Association, April 14. Funeral.

Masked Balls Allowed.

Harigari Trauen Lodge, at Seventh Avenue and Twenty-sixth street, April 18.
Martha Washington F. K. U. V., at Heid's Hall, April 18.
Jerome Pleasure Club, at 361 Broome Street, April 19.

Weekly statement of the Comptroller, showing condition of the several accounts of the Police Department, was referred to the Treasurer.

Report of the Superintendent relative to enforcement of the Excise Law, on the 10th instant, was ordered on file.

Report of the Superintendent on character of "Novelty Theatre," No. 113 Bowery, was ordered to be forwarded to the Mayor.

Deaths Reported.

Patrolman Charles Gerlach, Fourth Precinct, at 10 A. M., 8th instant.
" William J. Spain, Eighth Precinct, at 10 A. M., 9th instant.

The following applications for full pay while sick, were referred to the Superintendent and Board of Surgeons for report.

Patrolman Bernard Cahill, Sixteenth Precinct.
" Henry Bedell, Steamboat Squad.
" Andrew J. Thomas, Twenty-ninth Precinct.

Application of Captain Steers, Thirty-second Precinct, for appointment of James Keenan as laborer, was ordered on file.

Application of Sergeant James, First District Court, for transfer of Roundsman Frederick Thuman, Thirtieth Precinct, was ordered on file.

Application of Patrolman Michael Gorman, Thirteenth Precinct, for detail, was referred to the Board of Surgeons for report.

Application of Michael Kennedy for return of certain property, taken from No. 395 Water street, was referred to the Property Clerk to deliver the same to the owner if not required for evidence.

Application of the Comptroller for copy of opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation on proposal of Joseph Ross to build the Sixth Precinct Station-house, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.

Application of Nicholas Wreden for reinstatement as Doorman, was ordered on file.

Application of A. H. Masten, Assistant Corporation Counsel, for copy of letter to the Comptroller relative to case of L. Kottoski, was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.

Application of the District Attorney for copies of annual reports of the Board of Police, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Communication from John Rapp and others, Eighteenth Ward Tax-payers Association, complaining of disorderly characters in East Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, near First avenue, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from D. Jones, President of Synagogue, No. 69 Ludlow street, complaining of disorderly boys, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from "Citizen," Nineteenth Ward, complaining of disorderly house, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from the Commissioners of Quarantine proposing to sell the Steamer N. K. Hopkins to the Police Department, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.

Communication from Arthur Johnston, claiming membership in the Police force, by reason of his having been a member of the force in Richmond County, was referred to the Chief Clerk for report.

A proposed amendment to Rule 281, was referred to the Superintendent.

On recommendation of Captain Petty, Seventh Precinct, it was

Resolved, That the pistol permit heretofore granted to John Vancer, be and is hereby revoked.

On reading applications of Mary Leech, widow of late Patrolman James Leech, for \$29.58, and Jennie S. Jewell, widow of late Patrolman Charles E. Jewell, for \$20.55, being balance of salary due said officers at the time of their respective deaths, it was

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay the said amounts to the applicants on receiving the necessary receipt—all aye.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller, in pursuance of section 7, chapter 755, Laws of 1873, for the following sums of money for the month of April, 1881, being (with the exception of amount for new stock) one-twelfth part of the amounts estimated, levied, raised, and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Police Department and force for the current year, to wit:

Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Inspectors, Surgeons, Captains, Sergeants, Patrolmen, and Doormen.....	\$265,279 16
Salaries of Clerical Force.....	\$3,875 00
" Telegraph Department.....	666 66
" and wages of Janitors, Messengers, and Employees.....	791 66
Supplies for Police.....	5,333 32
Expenses of Detectives and Contingent Expenses.....	4,833 33
Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting-up, Additions to, and Repairs.....	416 66
Bureau of Street Cleaning—Salary of Deputy Inspector, Clerks, Foremen, etc.....	1,333 33
Wages of Sweepers, Laborers, Trimmers, etc.....	6,250 00
Purchase of New Stock—Additional Apparatus and Scows.....	46,666 66
Bureau of Elections—Salary of Chief and Chief Clerk.....	10,000 00
	525 00
Total.....	\$340,637 46

Resignations Accepted.

Patrolman Thomas Mooney, First Precinct.
" William Fitzmaurice, Twenty-second Precinct.

N. Y. SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. Joseph H. McCarthy, }
agst. } Certiorari.

S. B. French, et al., Commissioners, etc. }

The People, ex rel. James S. Turner, }
agst. } Certiorari.

S. B. French et al., Commissioners, etc. }

Resolved, That the papers in the above cases be forwarded to the Corporation Counsel with request that return be made thereto.

N. Y. SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. Lesser Kottoski, }
agst. } Alternative mandamus.

The Board of Police. }

The People ex rel. John W. Clark, }
agst. } Alternative mandamus.

The Board of Police. }

Resolved, That the returns in the above-entitled cases be verified by the signatures of the President and Chief Clerk, and forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation.

N. Y. SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. Thomas P. Schaffer, }
agst. } Certiorari.

The Board of Police Commissioners. }

Resolved, That the amended or supplemental return in the above case be verified by the signatures of the President and Chief Clerk, and forwarded to the Corporation Counsel.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Patrick H. Larkin }
agst. } Summons and complaint.

Wm. F. Smith, Dewitt C. Wheeler, Joel B. Erhardt and Sidney P. Nichols, }

Michael Leavy }
agst. } Summons and complaint.

Wm. F. Smith, DeWitt C. Wheeler, Joel B. Erhardt and Sidney P. Nichols, }

Edward J. Smith }
agst. } Summons and complaint.

Wm. F. Smith, DeWitt C. Wheeler, Joel B. Erhardt and Sidney P. Nichols, }

Resolved, That the papers in the above cases be referred to the Counsel to the Corporation to defend, if in his opinion it is proper—Mr. DeW. C. Wheeler not being at present a Police Commissioner.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to pay ten dollars' license fee for Anton Adler as Pilot, Twenty-fourth Precinct.

Resolved, That the District Police Surgeons report to this Board within three days, whether they are not at this time personally attending the sick cases reported within their respective districts; and also whether they have so attended in each case reported within the last six months excepting when leave of absence has been granted by the Board of Police—in which excepted cases report will contain date of visit, name of officer, Precinct, and name of Surgeon acting as substitute.

Resolved, That the Chief Surgeon report to this Board, within three days, the attendance of District Surgeons at the regular meetings of the Board of Surgeons, during the last six months, giving the names of present and absent in each case.

Resolved, That the Chief Surgeon be and is hereby directed to report weekly the attendance of Surgeons detailed at Central Office for examination of candidates for Police appointment, giving the name, date and hour of attendance in each case.

Resolved, That rule 70 be and is hereby amended by striking out the words, "and upon his written order only."

Resolved, That the facts in the case of Charles O'Reilly, whose resignation was accepted on the 15th day of March, 1881, be transmitted to the Counsel to the Corporation, and his opinion and advice be requested in relation to the legal rights of said O'Reilly, and the powers and duties of the Board in relation to the claims set up in behalf of said O'Reilly.

Resolved, That the following transfers be ordered:

Patrolman Patrick Doyle, from Eighth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.
" John Abel, from Twenty-second Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct.
" Robert Ellis, from First Precinct to Twenty-seventh Precinct.
" Michael Smith, from Eighteenth Precinct to Central Office.
Doorman Samuel McCamman, from Twelfth Precinct to Tenth Precinct.
" William McCormick, from Tenth Precinct to Twelfth Precinct.
" Daniel Flynn, from Twenty-fourth Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct.

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. 13 1/2 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 BYERS, Sealer First District; THOMAS BRADY, Sealer Second District; JOHN MURRAY, Inspector First District; JOSEPH SHANNON, Inspector Second District.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

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

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

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

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

Bureau of 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.
ORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS H. MCAVOY, Superintendent.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.
JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.
First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED 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.
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturday, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM C. WHITNEY, Counsel to the Corporation.
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

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

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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. 307 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.
Fordham 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.
Nos. 11 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.
Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.
Corner Mulberry and Houston streets, 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.

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

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

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.
Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park
9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL G. ROLLINS, District Attorney; B. B. FOSTER, 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.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.
No. 40 East Houston street.
MORITZ ELLINGER, GERSON N. HERRMAN THOMAS C. KNOX, and JOHN H. BRADY, Coroners.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSIONERS.
RICHARD M. HOE, 504 Grand street.
JOHN J. CRANE, 128th street, Morrisania.
GUSTAV SCHWAB, 2 Bowling Green.
CHARLES L. PERKINS, 23 Nassau street.
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, 6 Bowery.

SUPREME COURT.
Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; WILLIAM A. BUTLER, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.
Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 29.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33.
Part I, Room No. 34.
Part II, Room No. 35.
Part III, Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BORSE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.
Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Room No. 21.
Chambers, Room No. 21.
Part I, Room No. 25.
Part II, Room No. 26.
Part III, Room No. 27.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

32 Chambers street. Parts I and II.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, Presiding Judge of the General Sessions; HENRY A. GILDELSLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.
Terms first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Room 15, City Hall.
Trial Term, Parts I, II, and III, second floor, City Hall.
Special Term, Chambers, Room 21, City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room 10, City Hall.
GEORGE SHEA, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor southeast corner, Room 13, 10:30 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park second floor, northwest corner.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN CALLAHAN, Justice.

Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards Nos. 112 and 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.

Third District—Eighth, Ninth, and Fifteenth Wards Sixth avenue, corner West Tenth street.
GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, Nos. 20 and 22 Second avenue, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN A. DINKEL, Justice.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
TIMOTHY J. CAMPBELL, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, Nos. 389 and 391 Fourth avenue.
WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.

Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, Fifty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues.
I. C. JULIUS LANGBEIN, Justice.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue.
FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of College avenue and Kingsbridge Road.
JAMES R. ANGEL, Justice.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN,
Supervisor.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
Nos. 117 and 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, April 11, 1881.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 131.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a new Wooden Pier at the foot of West Fifty-eighth street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of

FRIDAY, APRIL 22, 1881,

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 indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The 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 Five Thousand Dollars.

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

Wooden Pier complete, containing about the following quantities:

1. Yellow Pine Timber—
12" x 12".... 78,378 feet, B. M., measured in the work.
8" x 12".... 448 " " "
8" plank.... 528 " " "
6" x 12".... 4,932 " " "
6" plank.... 4,320 " " "
8" x 8".... 5,696 " " "
7" x 8".... 210 " " "
5" plank.... 116,775 " " "
5" x 10".... 13,230 " " "
4" x 10".... 667 " " "
Total.....225,184 " " "

2. White Oak Timber—
8" x 12"....7,952 feet, B. M., measured in the work.

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

3. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce Piles. 414 (It is expected that the vertical piles will be from 55 to 75 feet in length, and the bracing piles from 70 to 85 feet in length, but all of them must be of sufficient length to comply with the specifications for the work, as set forth in the approved form of contract.)

4. Yellow or White Pine mooring posts..... 14
5. 3/8"x22", 3/8"x12", 3/4"x18", 3/4"x16", 3/4"x12", and 3/4"x10" square, and 3/4"x12", 3/4"x15", 3/4"x18" round wrought-iron spike-pointed bolts, about.....17,475 pounds.

6. Boiler-plate armatures and wrought-iron corner bands, about..... 7,214 "
7. 1 1/2", 1", and 3/4" wrought-iron screw bolts, about..... 5,464 "
8. Cast-iron washers for 1 1/2", 1", and 3/4" screw bolts, about..... 3,685 "
9. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of every description, for an area of about 18,390 square feet of pier.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal 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.

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

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 1st day of August, 1881, 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.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work, to be done 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.

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

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, on 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, 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 is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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 will be given, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

HENRY F. DIMOCK,
JACOB VANDERPOEL,
WILLIAM LAIMBEER,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

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 interference 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 *in advance* 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).

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Sixty-seventh street, from Third Avenue to the Harlem river, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the New Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 25th day of April, 1881, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon. The said bill of costs has been filed with the Commissioner of Public Works, as required by law.

WILLIAM CRUIKSHANK,
GUNNING S. BEDFORD,
ALLEN J. CUMING,
Commissioners.

Dated New York, April 12, 1881.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

ESTIMATES FOR STEAM-HEATING WORK and of Plumbing Work and Materials to be done in the West Wing to Insane Asylum, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Public Charities and Correction at the office of said Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, the 30th day of April, 1881, at which place and time the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. 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 indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The amount of security required is \$4,000 for steam-heating and \$1,000 for the plumbing.

The entire work to be completed in or before one hundred and fifty (150) days after the date of the commencement thereof, for the steam-heating, and ninety (90) days for the plumbing work.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which are annexed to and form part of these proposals, and the plans, which can be seen at the office of said Department.

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will state the price for doing the whole work, 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.

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 form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, will be furnished at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, April 19, 1881.
JACOB HESS,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

ESTIMATES FOR REPAIRS TO ENGINE AND Boiler, and to Ship Carpenters' Work, Joiners' Work, and Painting to the Steamboat "Fidelity," will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, at the office of said Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, the 30th day of April, 1881, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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 indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The amount of the security required is \$1,000 for Engine and Boiler, and \$500 for Ship Carpenters' Work, Joiners' Work, and Painting.

The entire work will be required to be completed on or before twenty (20) days after the commencement thereof. For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which are annexed to and form part of these proposals.

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

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

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

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

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

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.

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 form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, will be furnished at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, April 19, 1881.
JACOB HESS,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
TOWNSEND COX,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, CROCKERY, AND MISCELLANEOUS MERCHANDISE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

24,000 Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

12,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition on Thursday, April 28.

3,000 pounds Crushed Sugar.

2,000 pounds Best Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.

2,000 gallons Syrup.

25 barrels Vinegar.

6 dozen Vanilla Extract.

250 bushels Beans.

CROCKERY.

1 gross Plates.

2 gross Cups.

5 gross Handled Mugs.

2 gross Bed-Pans.

1 gross Feed Cans.

MISCELLANEOUS.

500 Toilet Quilts.

3 barrels Turpentine.

—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 29th day of April, 1881.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Crockery, and Miscellaneous Merchandise," and with his or her name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, April 18, 1881.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 13, 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 Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Fourth Precinct Station-house—Unknown man; age about 40 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair; mustache and whiskers. Had on brown coat and pants, black vest, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white cotton socks, brown shoes, black felt hat.

Unknown man, from foot Twenty-sixth street, East river; age about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair and mustache; hazel eyes. Had on black pants, white twilled drawers, blue cotton socks, boots.

Unknown man, from No. 71 Mott street; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair; iron gray whiskers and mustache; hazel eyes.

Unknown man, from Twenty-ninth Precinct Station-house, age about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; black hair and mustache; hazel eyes. Had on blue frock coat, gray vest, dark striped pants, blue overalls, white shirt, gray ribbed socks, brown shoes.

Unknown man, from No. 11 Bowery—Age, about 25 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blonde hair and mustache; blue eyes. Had on dark frock coat, blue flannel vest, black pants, white shirt, pink undershirt, gray ribbed socks, gaiters.

At Work House, Blackwell's Island—William McCarty; age 45 years; committed January 5, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

James Hellern; age, 39 years; committed March 23, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

William Eadie; age, 56 years; committed January 11, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Timothy Shea; age, 27 years; committed April 3, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

James McCauley; age, 34 years; committed March 30, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Charles Jones; age, 72 years; committed March 24, 1881. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Annie Stephens; age, 25 years; 4 feet 10½ inches high; brown hair; black eyes. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—William Hunt; age, 53 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

ESTIMATES FOR THE FOLLOWING-NAMED

Works, viz:

1. The mason work, iron work, carpenter work, and materials required in the erection of water-closet tower on Bellevue Hospital grounds.

2. The steam heating and ventilating to be done in said tower.

3. The plumbing and gas-fitting to be done in said tower.

4. For one locomotive boiler for laundry at Charity Hospital.

5. For steam heating apparatus and other steam and pipe work for said laundry.

6. For laundry work, etc., for said laundry.

7. For plumbing and gas-fitting for said laundry.

8. The work and materials required in the erection of a one-story erysipelas pavilion on dock at Bellevue Hospital;—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, at the office of said Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 1881, at which place and time the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contracts, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the works 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 indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The amount of security required in each of the above-named works is as follows, viz:

1. The mason work, etc., for tower at Bellevue Hospital, five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

2. The steam heating, etc., in said tower, four hundred dollars (\$400.00).

3. The plumbing, etc., in said tower, one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00).

4. For locomotive boiler for laundry at Charity Hospital, fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

5. The steam heating apparatus, etc., for said laundry, five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

6. The laundry work, etc., for said laundry, fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

7. The plumbing and gas-fitting for said laundry, two hundred dollars (\$200.00).

8. The work and materials for erysipelas pavilion at Bellevue Hospital, three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00).

The above several works will be required to be completed as follows, viz:

1. The mason work, etc., for tower at Bellevue Hospital, within 175 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

2. The steam-heating, etc., in said tower, within 75 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

3. The plumbing, etc., in said tower, within 75 working days after the date of the commencement thereof.

4. The locomotive boiler for laundry at Charity Hospital, within 60 working days after the award of contract.

5. The steam-heating apparatus, etc., for said laundry, within ninety working days after the commencement thereof.

6. The laundry work, etc., for said laundry, within ninety working days after the commencement thereof.

7. The plumbing and gas-fitting for said laundry, within thirty working days after the commencement thereof.

8. The work and materials for erysipelas pavilion at Bellevue Hospital, within seventy-five days after the commencement thereof.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which are annexed to and form part of these proposals, and the plans, which can be seen at the office of said Department.

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will state the price for doing either of the works 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 in the manner specified in the contract.

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 form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, will be furnished at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, April 12, 18

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, April 20, 1881.

THE OPENING OF PROPOSALS FOR THE

following-named works, viz.:

1. The work and material required in the erection of a one-story quarantine pavilion on Randall's Island.
2. The slating and tinning required for the one-story quarantine pavilion on Randall's Island.
3. The mason work and material required in the erection of the east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.
4. The cut stone and setting required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.
5. The carpenter work and materials required in the erection of the east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.
6. The iron and wire work required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.
7. The slating and tinning required in the erection of east wing for Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.
8. The work and material required in the erection of a one-story pavilion at Alms-house on Blackwell's Island.
9. The slating and tinning required for the one-story pavilion at Alms-house, Blackwell's Island.
10. The mason work, iron work, carpenter work, and materials required in the alterations and additions to be made to engine-house, kitchen, and laundry at Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island.
11. The slating and tinning required for the alterations and additions to be made to engine-house, kitchen, and laundry at Lunatic Asylum on Blackwell's Island.

—is postponed until Saturday, April 22, 1881, at the office of said Department, No. 66 Third Avenue, at 9:30 o'clock A. M.

No bids, however, will be received after 9:30 o'clock of Thursday, the 21st instant.

By order of the Commissioners,
JACOB HESS,
President.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Wednesday, April 27, 1881, at 4 P. M., for supplying the coal and wood required for the public schools in this city, for the ensuing year—say ten thousand (10,000) tons of coal, more or less, and eight hundred and fifty (850) cords of oak, and five hundred and fifty (550) cords of pine wood, more or less. The coal must be of the best quality of white ash, furnace, egg, stove, and nut sizes, clean and in good order, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds to the ton, and must be delivered in the bins of the several school buildings at such times and in such quantities as required by the Committee on Supplies.

The proposals must state the mines from which it is proposed to supply the coal (to be furnished from the mines named, if accepted), and must state the price per ton of two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) pounds.

The quantity of the various sizes of coal required will be about as follows, viz.: Eight thousand one hundred (8,100) tons of furnace size, nine hundred and fifty (950) tons of stove size, three hundred and fifty (350) tons of egg size, and six hundred (600) tons of nut size.

The oak wood must be of the best quality, the stick not less than three (3) feet long. The pine wood must be of the best quality Virginia, and not less than three (3) feet six (6) inches long. The proposal must state the price per cord of one hundred and twenty-eight (128) cubic feet, solid measure, for both oak and pine wood, and also the price per cut per load for sawing, and the price per cut per load for splitting, the quantity of oak wood to be split only as required by the Committee on Supplies. The wood will be inspected and measured under the supervision of the Inspector of Fuel of the Board of Education, and must be delivered at the schools as follows: Two-thirds of the quantity required from the 1st of May to the 15th of September, and the remainder as required by the Committee on Supplies; said wood, both oak and pine, must be delivered sawed, and, when required, split, and must be piled in the yards, cellars, vaults, or bins of the school buildings, as may be designated by the proper authority. The contracts for supplying said coal and wood to be binding until the first day of May, 1882. Two sureties for the faithful performance of the contract will be required, and each proposal must be accompanied by the signatures and residences of the proposed sureties. No compensation will be allowed for delivering said coal and wood at any of the schools, nor for putting and piling the same in the yards, cellars, vaults, or bins of said schools.

Proposals must be directed to the Committee on Supplies of the Board of Education, and should be indorsed "Proposals for Coal," or "Proposals for Wood," as the case may be.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or a proposals received.

FERDINAND TRAUD,
CHARLES PLACE,
HENRY WEST,
FREDERICK W. DEVORE,
JULIUS KATZENBERG,
Committee on Supplies.

NEW YORK, April 13, 1881.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 21, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS Department with the following articles, to wit:

250,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Good Sweet Timothy.
40,000 pounds good clean Rye Straw.
1,800 bags clean White Oats, 50 pounds to the bag.
1,200 bags Fine Feed, 60 pounds to the bag.

—will be received at these Headquarters, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 4th proximo, when they will be publicly opened and read.

No proposals 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.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each proposal, who must each justify thereon, prior to its presentation, in an amount not less than one-half of the amount thereof.

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 may also be seen.

Proposals must be indorsed upon the envelope, "Proposals for Furnishing Forage," with the name of the bidder, and be addressed to the Board of Commissioners of this Department.

The Board of Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals received, if deemed to be for the interest of the city.

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

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

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

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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, April 12, 1881.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TO this Department three (3) New Boilers for Steam Fire Engines, and for repairing the same, will be received at these Headquarters until 10 A. M., on Wednesday, the 27th instant, when they will be publicly opened and read. No proposal will be received after the hour named, or considered, if not made in strict compliance with the terms of this advertisement.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each proposal, who must each justify in one-half the amount thereof, upon the proposal, prior to its presentation. Proposals must be indorsed "Proposal for furnishing three (3) New Boilers for Steam Fire Engines," with the name of the bidder, and be addressed to the Board of Commissioners of this Department.

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

The Board of Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals received, or any part of such proposals, if deemed to be for the interests of the city.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 12, 1881.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the following described property of this Department will be sold at public auction (by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers), at the stables of the Bureau of Street Cleaning, foot of East Seventeenth street, E. R., on Saturday, April 23, 1881, at 10 o'clock A. M., viz.:

Twenty-five Horses.
Lot of Rope.
Lot of Scrap Iron.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE,
(Room No. 39), No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 8, 1881.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York (Room No. 39), 300 Mulberry street, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Revolvers, clothing (male and female), watches, bags, mineral water, shoes, cloth, blankets, trunks and contents, carpet, hand-carts, wire, tomatoes, Anis oil, locket and chain, lot silver-plated ware, etc.; also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by Patrolmen of this Department.

C. A. ST. JOHN,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 11, 1881.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON Saturday, April 23, 1881, at 11 o'clock A. M.

The Department of Public Works will sell at public auction by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, the following lots of stone on premises south side of Ninety-first street, one hundred and fifty feet west of Avenue A, viz.:

Acchilian Marble, in lots numbered from 1 to 48, amounting to about 529 cubic feet.
Belgian Granite, in lots numbered from 1 to 88, amounting to about 1,091 "
Richmond Granite, in lots numbered from 1 to 125, amounting to about 1,631 "

Also, a two-story frame building, or the part thereof within the lines of Seventy-fifth street, between Eleventh avenue and Riverside Drive.

The sale of the stone will take place on the premises in Ninety-first street, at 11 o'clock A. M., and the sale of the building as soon thereafter as possible on Seventy-fifth street.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the stone from the premises on or before May 1, 1881, and the building entirely out of the line of the street within thirty days from the date of the sale, otherwise he will forfeit the same together with all moneys paid therefor.

The purchase money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, or the stone or building to be resold.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 31, 1881.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A petition of the property owners, with a map and plan for changing the grade of Seventy-ninth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned, at his office, on or before the 12th day of April, 1881.

The map, showing the present and proposed grades, can be seen at Room 27, 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, 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:

First. 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.

Second. In cases in which proceedings or actions have been commenced to vacate or set aside any assessment confirmed prior to June 9, 1880, or any assessment confirmed subsequent to June 9, 1880, for a local improvement theretofore completed, notices must be filed on or before May 1, 1881.

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, March 24, 1881.
EDWARD COOPER,
JOHN KELLY,
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
GEORGE H. ANDREWS,
DANIEL LORD, JR.,
Commissioners under the Act.
JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

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

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

By order of the Board,
ALBERT STORER,
Secretary

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.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due May 1, 1881, will be paid on Monday, May 2, 1881, by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer-books will be closed from March 31, 1881, to May 2, 1881.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, March 23, 1881.

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.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE,
BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS,
AND OF ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, AND OF WATER RENTS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK,
NEW YORK, February 1, 1881.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

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

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

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

All payments made on the above assessment on or before March 30, 1881, will be exempt (according to law) from interest. After that date interest will be charged at the rate of seven (7) per cent. from the date of entry.

The above assessments are payable at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, 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 County Court-house."

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS FOR DAMAGES to property by reason of closing the Kingsbridge road are requested to present their claims, with their title deeds, at the earliest possible day, as the Board of Assessors are engaged in the consideration of all claims of damage by closing said road.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,
EDWARD NORTH,
DANIEL STANBURY,
SAMUEL CONOVER,
Board of Assessors

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 1, 1881.