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### COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND.

*Abstract of the Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at the meeting held January 24, 1880.*

Present—Hon. Edward Cooper, Mayor (Chairman); Hon. John Kelly, Comptroller; J. Nelson Tappan, Esq., Chamberlain; and Patrick Keenan, Esq., Chairman Finance Committee Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Comptroller submitted the following report on the petition of Franklin Woodruff, viz.:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, January 23, 1880.

*To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:*

GENTLEMEN—The Comptroller, to whom was referred the petition of Franklin Woodruff, December 2, 1879, for a release for quit rents on certain premises between high and low water mark on Nassau Island,

#### REPORTS:

That, upon examination of the records of the Finance Department, it does not appear that a release for said quit rent has ever been executed. Payment of commutation of said quit rent was made April 25, 1845, amounting to \$62.50, and this sum carried to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the city debt.

A proper release has been prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation.

Respectfully,  
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

The report was accepted, and, on motion, the following resolution, submitted with the report, was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the petition of Franklin Woodruff, for a release of the quit rent reserved by the grant to Philip Livingston on or about August 15, 1764, upon land between high and low water mark, on Nassau Island, in Kings County, be granted, and that the release prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, and approved, as to form, by him, be executed by the Mayor and the Clerk of the Common Council on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and that the Comptroller be authorized to deliver said release, when duly executed and recorded in his office, to the said Franklin Woodruff.

The Comptroller submitted the following report on the petition of John H. Bird, for Confirmatory Deed, viz.:

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

*To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:*

GENTLEMEN—I submit herewith the petition of John H. Bird for a confirmatory deed of premises corner of Eightieth street and Madison avenue, sold by the Mayor, etc., to John Keogh on or about the 21st day of May, 1866. The signature of the Mayor was omitted from the deed to said Keogh, dated June 15, 1866. The records of the Finance Department show that the purchase money, amounting to \$6,700, has been fully paid.

Respectfully,  
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

The report was accepted and, on motion, the resolution submitted with the report was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the petition of John H. Bird for a confirmation deed of premises corner of Eightieth street and Madison avenue, purchased by John Keogh from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of this city on or about the 21st day of May, 1866, be granted, and referred to the Counsel to the Corporation to prepare such a deed as the facts may warrant and require, and that the Mayor and Clerk of the Common Council be authorized to execute such deed when so prepared and approved by him, and that the Comptroller be authorized to deliver the same when duly executed and recorded in his office, to the said John H. Bird.

3. The Comptroller submitted the following report on the petition of James F. Freeborn, Executor, and Mary Freeborn, Executrix, for confirmatory deed, viz.:

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
January 23, 1880.

*To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:*

GENTLEMEN—The Comptroller, to whom was referred, December 2, 1879, the petition of James F. Freeborn, Executor, and Mary Freeborn, Executrix, of William A. Freeborn, for a Deed of Confirmation to certain premises therein described, purchased of the Corporation of the City of New York, in the month of May, 1866, the deeds of said premises not being signed by the Mayor of the city at the time, reports:

That, it appears that the deeds of said premises were not signed by the Mayor of the city at the time they were executed, and that the books of the Finance Department show that the purchase money of said premises has been fully paid and carried to the credit of the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the City Debt.

Respectfully,  
JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

The report was accepted and, on motion, the resolution submitted with the report, was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the petition of James F. Freeborn, Executor, and Mary Freeborn, Executrix, of the estate of William A. Freeborn, for a deed of confirmation of premises on Seventy-fourth, Seventy-fifth, and Seventy-ninth streets, between Third and Fourth avenues, be granted, and that the deed prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, and approved as to form by him, be executed by the Mayor and Clerk of the Common Council on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, and that the Comptroller be authorized to deliver such deed, when duly executed and recorded in his office, to the said petitioners.

4. The Mayor submitted the following statement of the investments of the Sinking Fund for the redemption of the City Debt, December 31, 1879, which on motion, was ordered to be printed, viz.:

#### Investments of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, December 31, 1879.

per cent.	Description	Year	Amount	Total
5	Water Stock	1880	\$2,109,200 00	
6	Water Stock of 1870	1902	25,000 00	
6	New Aqueduct Stock	1884	150,000 00	
5	Additional New Croton Aqueduct Stock	1900	\$135,635 11	
6	"	1900	2,151,700 00	
6	Croton Aqueduct Bonds	1907	\$100,000 00	2,287,335 11
6	"	1908	100,000 00	
6	"	1909	100,000 00	
6	"	1910	130,000 00	
6	"	1911	60,000 00	
6	Croton Reservoir Bonds	1907	\$180,000 00	490,000 00
6	"	1909	375,000 00	
6	"	1910	200,000 00	
6	"	1911	125,000 00	
6	"	1912	54,500 00	
6	"	1914	2,137 36	
6	"	1915	9,000 00	
6	"	1917	5,000 00	
6	Croton Water Stock	1883	950,637 36	1,449,400 00
6	"	1890	\$654,200 00	
6	"	1890	24,400 00	
5	Additional Croton Water Stock	1891	\$609,000 00	678,600 00
6	"	1891	273,000 00	
5	Croton Water-main Stock	1900	\$138,000 00	882,000 00
6	"	1900	972,000 00	
7	"	1900	44,000 00	
5	"	1906	1,231,000 00	
6	Dock Bonds	1902	\$250,000 00	2,385,000 00
6	"	1904	976,000 00	
6	"	1905	321,200 00	
6	"	1906	150,000 00	
6	"	1906	278,000 00	
5	"	1907	460,800 00	
5	"	1908	372,000 00	
5	"	1909	300,000 00	
5	"	1910	75,000 00	
6	New York Bridge Bonds	1905	\$1,252,000 00	3,183,000 00
5	" (Consolidated Stock)	1926	300,000 00	
6	Central Park Fund Stock	1887	1,552,000 00	
6	Central Park Improvement Fund Stock	1887	38,971 00	
6	"	1895	69,500 00	
5	Central Park Fund Stock	1898	39,500 00	951,300 00
6	"	1898	2,000 00	
5	Museums of Art and Natural History Stock	1903	289,000 00	41,500 00
6	"	1903	665,000 00	
6	City Parks Improvement Fund Stock	1901	1,371,500 00	954,000 00
6	"	1902	685,000 00	
6	"	1903	704,000 00	
6	"	1904	125,000 00	
5	"	1904	335,000 00	
6	City Improvement Stock	1889	451,000 00	3,220,500 00
6	"	1892	66,866 39	
5	"	1892	190,018 83	
5	" (Consolidated Stock)	1925	4,802 71	
6	City Lunatic Asylum Stock	1889	712,917 84	400,000 00
6	Street Improvement Bonds	1888	606,939 14	
6	Market Stock	1897	181,000 00	
5	Third District Court-house Bonds	1890	210,000 00	
6	"	1890	188,000 00	
6	Consolidated Stock	1894	500,000 00	398,000 00
6	" D	1926	525 00	
6	" E	1916	1,824 40	
5	" G	1897	169,000 00	
5	" I	1880	25,000 00	
5	" K	1889	3,500 00	
5	" L	1899	28,173 19	
7	Bonds for State Sinking Fund	1880	949 48	728,022 59
7	"	1881	449 48	
7	"	1882	449 48	
7	"	1883	449 48	
7	"	1884	949 48	
7	"	1885	449 48	
7	"	1886	449 54	
5	Bonds for Armories and Drill-rooms	1880	4,746 42	9,066 00
5	Bonds for Fitting up and Furnishing Armories and Drill-rooms	1881	43,503 32	
6	Bonds for Construction of Bridge over Harlem river	1891	4,000 00	
6	Fire Telegraph Bonds, No. 1	1884	\$400,000 00	
6	" 2	1884	197,586 48	
6	" Stock, No. 1	1899	\$50,000 00	597,585 48
6	" 2	1899	471,952 87	
6	Normal School Fund Stock	1891	521,952 87	
6	Public School Building Fund Stock	1891	190,000 00	530,400 00
6	Sewer Repair Stock	1882	\$162,000 00	
6	"	1885	78,000 00	
6	"	1886	25,000 00	
5	Assessment Bonds, June 1	1883	265,000 00	
5	" November 1	1883	\$735,000 00	
5	Assessment Bonds (Riverside avenue)	1880	\$22,000 00	1,045,000 00
5	"	1883	125,000 00	
5	Assessment Fund Bonds	1883	147,000 00	52,000 00
5	Revenue Bonds (Chapter 213, Laws 1871)	1880	\$3,000 00	
5	" 434 " 1879	1880	5,466 41	
5	" 536 " 1879	1880	9,000 00	
5	" 444 " 1877	1880	16,000 00	
7	Tax Relief Bond, Coupon, No. 1227	1890	33,466 41	1,000 00
7	Town of West Farms, Bonds Coupons (Construction of Madison avenue)			
6	Nos. 19 and 20	1880	\$1,000 00	
6	Nos. 21 to 24	1881	2,000 00	
6	Nos. 25 to 28	1882	2,000 00	
6	Nos. 39 and 40	1885	1,000 00	
6	No. 41	1886	500 00	
6	New York County Court-house Stock, No. 1	1880	\$100,000 00	6,500 00
6	" " " " " "	1881	100,000 00	
6	" " " " " "	1882	100,000 00	
6	" " " " " "	1883	100,000 00	
6	" " " " " "	1884	50,000 00	
6	" " " " " "	1885	34,000 00	
6	" " " " " "	1886	48,000 00	
6	" " " " " "	1887	49,000 00	
6	" " " " " "	1888	37,500 00	
6	" " " " " "	1889	5,000 00	
6	" " " " " "	1890	59,700 00	
6	" " " " " "	1891	100,000 00	
6	" " " " " "	1892	95,300 00	
6	" " " " " No. 4	1894	878,500 00	
5	" " " " " No. 5	1896	105,000 00	100,000 00
6	" " " " " No. 5	1896	13,891 07	
5	" " " " " No. 5	1898	175,500 00	
5	Assessment Fund Stock	1881	\$11,500 00	294,391 07
6	"	1887	813,400 00	
6	"	1903	500 00	
6	"	1903	156,100 00	
6	"	1910	364,850 00	
				1,346,350 00







N. Y. SUPREME COURT.

Patrolman John Nugent, }  
 against } Order to show cause.  
 The Board of Police. }  
 Referred to the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary action.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

- Patrolman John Conoran, Fourth Precinct, three days' pay.
- " Patrick Cahill, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Patrick Glynn, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Michael Gilmore, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " John Crook, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " James Behan, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Edward Mullery, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Michael Martin, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Henry Hirsch, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " James Haggerty, Seventh Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Phillip Daab, Eighth Precinct, two days' pay.
- " Owen Wheeler, Ninth Precinct, five days' pay.
- " Edward Grady, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Charles E. Benjamin, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Francis Schofield, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Theo. V. W. Rowland, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " John McDermott, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Kerin J. Larkin, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Charles F. Judson, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Nathan Lemlein, Thirteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Edward Galligan, Fourteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
- " Frederick Gillman, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Patrick Cully, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Thomas Gray, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " John H. Plath, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " John D. O'Brien, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " James Quinn, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Francis Wilson, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Charles Meyer, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Jacob Lay, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " John T. Masterson, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Patrick Kelly, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
- " Owen Rodgers, Sixteenth Precinct, five days' pay.
- " James S. Haff, Twenty-second Precinct, three days' pay.
- " Henry W. Peck, Twenty-eighth Precinct, three days' pay.

Complaints Dismissed.

- Patrolman Daniel Frazier, Fifth Precinct.
- " James Norris, Ninth Precinct.
- " William Moore, Ninth Precinct.
- " Thomas Burleigh, Ninth Precinct.
- " John J. Poe, Fifteenth Precinct.
- " Henry Benkers, Seventeenth Precinct.
- " John Kieley, Seventeenth Precinct.
- " Michael Malloy, Eighteenth Precinct.
- " Michael T. Joyce, Eighteenth Precinct.
- " John McAree, Twenty-first Precinct.
- " Maurice Tracey, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
- " Thomas Donohue, Twenty-eighth Precinct.
- " Robert Reilley, Steamboat Squad.

Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Department of Docks relative to the request of the Police Department for dredging at the dumping place foot of West Thirty-seventh street, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Communication from the Department of Docks protesting against washing street dirt into the sewers by means of Croton water, and claiming that this disposition of the material is injurious to slips and harbors, was referred to the Committee on Street Cleaning.

Resolved, That William F. Kinney be and he is hereby appointed Watchman in the Bureau of Street Cleaning.

Bureau of Elections.

On hearing report of the Committee on Elections, it was Resolved, That the bill of the "New York Tribune," \$2,453.36, for publication of the official canvass, be transmitted to the Comptroller with a copy of the resolution designating the two newspapers to do the advertising required by the Board of Police, under section 90 of the Election Laws. Adjourned.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

The Board of Street Opening and Improvement met, pursuant to call, in the Mayor's Office, at 2 P. M., on Wednesday, January 21, 1880.

Upon a call of the roll the following were ascertained to be present: Edward Cooper, Mayor; Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller; Allan Campbell, Commissioner of Public Works; John J. Morris, President of the Board of Aldermen.

The following authorization was presented by the Deputy Comptroller:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 32 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, I hereby designate and authorize Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller, to possess every power and perform all and every duty belonging to the office of Comptroller of the City of New York, on Wednesday and Thursday, the 21st and 22d days of January, 1880, for the reason that on those days I shall be absent from the Comptroller's Office.

Which was directed to be recorded on the minutes.

The minutes of the meeting held December 16, 1879, were read and approved.

James F. Wenman, President of the Department of Public Parks, then appeared and took part in the meeting.

The Secretary presented a paper signed by the members of the Board, acknowledging that they had received due and timely notice of the present meeting, which was ordered on file.

The Secretary also notified the Board that he had caused to be inserted in the CITY RECORD a notice, signed by all the members, that they proposed to lay out and open West Fifty-third street, from the Tenth avenue to the Eleventh avenue, and West Fifty-fourth street, from the Tenth avenue to the established bulkhead line on the Hudson river, and would lay their proposed action before the Board of Aldermen on or after January 27, 1880.

The Mayor presented the following communication, which was ordered on file.

To the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, owners of property, respectfully petition that Washington street be extended from Little West Twelfth street to West Fourteenth street, so as to run parallel with the Ninth and Tenth avenues, in the manner shown on the accompanying diagram.

We respectfully submit that this improvement should be made for the following among other reasons:

Washington street, which is almost exclusively devoted to business purposes, and on which there is a great amount of travel, terminates abruptly in a short, narrow street (Little Twelfth), and there is no suitable way of entrance to or exit from its northern end, which its importance as a business street requires. If it is extended to Fourteenth street, a distance of only two blocks, it will then terminate in a large, wide, and extensive thoroughfare.

There is no suitable or sufficient way of access to or departure from the new market which has just been established on the Fort Gansevoort property at Washington and Little West Twelfth streets. The streets that now lead to the Market are very narrow, are encumbered with car tracks and filled

with obstructions, and do not afford sufficient means of communication with it. It is proposed also to establish a ferry from the foot of West Fourteenth street to Jersey City, and the probabilities are that it will be in operation in a short time. Inasmuch as the inauguration of the market and the ferry will tend to largely increase the travel and business in this locality, an avenue such as the proposed improvement would make will be a public necessity.

If extended in accordance with annexed diagram it will not be necessary to tear down or remove any buildings, as the land which it is proposed to take consists of vacant lots. A large item of expense will thereby be saved.

The proposed extension will not alter or interfere with any existing house or lot lines. An objection of considerable consequence is thus avoided.

If undertaken at once, the cost of this improvement will be small, and the consequent expense to the property owners trivial.

Your petitioners therefore urgently request that immediate action be taken by your Board.

Very respectfully yours,

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| Wotherspoon Bros., 37 Little W. 12th st., and 426, 428 and 430 W. 13th st. | Florence Dunning, 624 Hudson st.   |
| G. B. Lawton, 529 West st.   | Claiborne Knox, Trustee, 621 Hudson st.  |
| Wm. F. Schneider, 413 Bleecker st.   | J. H. Stephens, 12 Perry st.   |
| Gustavus Isaacs, 21, 23 and 25 Bethune st.                                 | D. B. Moses, 145 W. 11th st.   |
| T. M. Wilson, 86 Bank st.  | Edward Green, West and Horatio sts.  |
| Charles Galloway, 818 Greenwich st.  | John Turner, 79 Horatio st.  |
| W. A. Roe, 348 W. 15th st.   | Garret E. Green, 521 West st.  |
| Matthew Kane, 345 W. 4th st., 305 to 321 W. 13th st.                       | John C. Winch, 440 W. 20th st., 460, 462 and 464 W. 20th st., 521 to 529 W. 21st st. |
| Charles Mulford, 323 W. 13th st.   | William Mallory, 84 Gansevoort st.   |
| Alfred C. Hoe, 63 and 65 Gansevoort, and 327 W. 14th st.                   | William Kemp, 787 and 789 Washington st.   |
| James C. Hoe, 325 W. 14th st.  | Wm. Burns, 410 W. 13th st.   |
| D. P. Collins, 42 Bethune st.  | James Rooney, 417 W. 13th st.  |
| M. S. Herzog, 19 Eighth ave.   | M. O'Shaughnessy, 429 W. 13th st.  |
| Louis Uthoff, 23 Eighth ave.   | John Prentice, 427 W. 13th st.   |
| A. D. Cooper, 91 Jane st.  | Herman N. Schmelman, 804 Greenwich st.   |
| John Nicholson, 646 Hudson st.   | Patrick McCormick, 404 W. 13th st.   |
| James Collins, 281 W. 12th st.   | Geo. J. Beattie, 406 W. 13th st.   |
| Isaac N. Lowe, 26 W. 12th st.  | Eibe H. Adickes, 824 Greenwich st.   |
| John Ross, 58 Eighth ave., and 260 W. 12th st.                             | John H. Rohde, 816 Washington st.  |
| Henry Kloppenburg, 752 and 754 Greenwich st.                               | W. H. Plimpton, 58 Eighth ave.   |
| J. C. Doying, 40 Horatio st.   | Henry Mahler, 15 Little 12th st.   |
| Elbert L. Brincker, 15 Horatio st.   | Robert Cunningham, 413 W. 27th st.   |
| Geo. B. Deane, 277 W. 11th st.   | Robert Marius, 10 Little 12th st.  |
| Beekman T. Burnham, 195 W. 10th st.  | Jos. Brown, 842 Greenwich st.  |
| Wm. Dougherty, 61 Jane st.   | John Garrity, 15 Little 12th st.   |
| H. Small, 799 Washington st.   | Benjamin Wright, 13 Little 12th st.  |
| Wm. Gibson, 49 Tenth ave.  | John Maines, 17 Little 12th st.  |
| L. L. Goodrich, 15 Bethune st.   | William Wright, 13 Little 12th st.   |
| Wm. Nangle, 316 W. 15th st.  | B. Hooper, 13 W. 15th st.  |
| L. Springstein, 313 West st.   | L. Littlefield, 17 Little 12th st.   |
| Geo. Crouch, 26 Horatio st.  | Jacob Strubel, 1 Ninth ave.  |
| H. B. Welcher, 69 Horatio st.  | Charles H. Morrison, 15 Jane st.   |
| Abram Odell, 34 W. 12th st.  | Edward Prial, 18 and 20 Ninth ave.   |
|  | David Martin, 814 Washington st.   |
|  | Robert Beattie, 25 Ninth ave.  |

Messrs. George B. Deane, Jr., Edward C. Ripley, and A. J. Matthewson spoke on behalf of the petitioners, many of whom were present, and urged that the Board should take favorable action upon the petition.

The Mayor presented the following resolution for adoption.

Resolved, That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement deem it to be for the public interest to lay out and open, and they propose to lay out and open a street to extend from the northerly side of Little West Twelfth street to the southerly side of West Fourteenth street, the easterly line of such street to be parallel with the Ninth avenue and four hundred and twenty-five (425) feet west of the westerly line of Ninth avenue, and the westerly line of such street to be five hundred (500) feet west of the westerly line of Ninth avenue and parallel thereto.

The Chairman put the question upon the said resolution, which was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, and the President of the Board of Aldermen.

The Mayor also offered the following resolution for adoption:

Resolved, That the proposed action of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, as stated in the foregoing resolution, be laid before the Board of Aldermen, and that the same be published for ten days in the CITY RECORD.

The question being put upon the adoption of the said resolution, was carried by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Deputy Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, the President of the Department of Public Parks, and the President of the Board of Aldermen.

The meeting then adjourned.

RICHARD J. MORRISON, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, }  
 NEW YORK, January 20, 1880. }

The Board of Health met this day.

Reports.

From the Sanitary Superintendent: On operations of the Sanitary Bureau; on contagious diseases; on slaughter-houses; on applications for permits; weekly report from Riverside Hospital; on certain street pavements; on operations of the Sanitary Company; on work performed by the Disinfecting Corps; on work performed by the Vaccinating Corps; on application for relief from certain orders; on premises 198, 200 and 202 Madison street, and 40, 42, 44, and 48 Rutgers, and 113, 115, and 117 Munroe streets; on application of William Cooney, for increase of pay.

From the Attorney and Counsel: Weekly report.

From the Register of Records: Weekly mortality statement; weekly letter on mortality; weekly abstracts of marriages, births, and still-births; weekly report of deaths from contagious diseases; report on attendance of clerks; report on imperfect returns of death made at the Women's Hospital; on violation of Sanitary Code.

Communications Received.

From the Supervisor of the City Record: Requesting a list of subordinates of the Board of Health.

From I. S. Treadwell, 635 West Fifty-second street; Louis Rollwagen, 188 Eldridge street; and P. H. Frost: For relief from certain orders.

From Board of Health of Brooklyn: In respect to transit burial permits, was received and referred to the Sanitary Committee.

Communications received from other Departments.

From Finance Department: Comptroller's weekly statement.

From Department of Charities and Correction: Respecting case of Julia Hurley.

Inspections of Tenement-houses.

A report of inspection of new tenement-houses for which permits for light and ventilation of the same were granted, was received from Inspector Berry and ordered on file.

Reports referred to other Departments.

To the Department of Public Works: On condition of pavement on Lexington avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets; on condition of sidewalk in front of premises 159 West Forty-eighth street.

To the Department of Buildings: On the dangerous condition of premises 163 and 165 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street.



*Bills Audited.*

John Garrie.....	\$72 30
Thurber & Co.....	126 28
Paul T. Brown.....	17 28
J. Skidmore's Sons.....	30 00
American Condensed Milk Co.....	27 20

*Permits Granted.*

- To keep 1 cow, at 217 Second street.
- To keep 25 chickens, etc., at 328 East Houston street.
- To keep chickens at 155 West Thirty-second street.
- To keep 6 chickens at 156 Second street.
- To keep 12 chickens at 106 East Fourth street.
- To keep 10 chickens at 262 Madison street.

*Permits Denied.*

- To keep chickens at 71 Lewis street.
- To keep chickens at 644 Third avenue.
- To keep chickens at 266 Avenue A.
- To keep chickens at 90 Lewis street.
- To keep chickens at 249 Second street.
- To keep chickens at 636 Fifth street.
- To keep chickens at 162 Seventh street.
- To keep chickens at 389 Avenue A.
- To keep chickens at 855 Tenth avenue.

*Resolutions.*

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby extended as follows :  
 No. 132, on premises 401 and 403 West Forty-third street, to March 1, 1880.  
 No. 231, on premises 430 West Twenty-fourth street, to April 1, 1880.  
 No. 18,166, on premises 205 Avenue A, to April 1, 1880.  
 No. 18,886, on premises southwest side Courtland avenue, third house south of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, to April 15, 1880.  
 No. 18,887, on premises southwest side Courtland avenue, second house south of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, to April 15, 1880.  
 No. 18,372, on premises 33 Moore street, to May 1, 1880.  
 No. 16,350, on premises 148 East Thirty-seventh street, to May 1, 1880.  
 Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby authorized and directed to register the following birth and marriage certificates :  
 Simeon G. Garrison, August 2, 1879.  
 James August Lukens, August 5, 1879.  
 Henry Clark, August 21, 1879.  
 Robert Ensco, September 18, 1879.  
 Emile Kenne, September 3, 1879.  
 Wm. Aug. Spolascio, September 13, 1879.  
 Artele Smith, September 27, 1879.  
 Jas. H. Roath, September 28, 1879.  
 Alice Gertrude Dougherty, October 9, 1879.  
 Katie Gallagher, October 19, 1879.  
 Grace Lynch, November 8, 1879.  
 Malborough Lindsay, November 9, 1879.  
 Ruben Solomon and Alister Benjamin, July 1, 1879.  
 Resolved, That the application for relief from order on premises 75 feet south of Spuyten Duyvil road, and about 50 feet west from Kellollen's Hotel, be and is hereby denied, and that a copy of the report of Assistant Sanitary Inspector Parsons be forwarded to the attorney of the Hudson River Railroad Company.  
 Resolved, That Order 17,454 (series 1879) be referred back to the Sanitary Superintendent for examination and report.  
 Resolved, That Thomas Fay be and is hereby appointed janitor, with salary at the rate of \$500 per annum.  
 Resolved, That the attorney be and is hereby authorized to vacate and set aside a judgment obtained September 13, 1877, in favor of this Department against Jacob Dillingburgh and Patrick Bride for a violation of the Sanitary Code.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 357-2) for light and ventilation of two tenement houses proposed to be built at Nos. 25 and 27 Seventh street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by Jobst Hoffmann, provided that at least ten feet of the lot be left clear at the rear of each of the said buildings, and that each of the light-shafts to light and ventilate the bed-rooms be made not less than two feet wide, and of at least sixteen square feet area, be and the said plan is hereby approved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 357-3) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built at No. 29 Seventh street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by Jobst Hoffmann, provided that at least ten feet of the lot be left clear in the rear of the building, and that the light-shaft to light and ventilate the bed-rooms be made not less than two feet wide, and of at least sixteen square feet area, be and the said plan is hereby approved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 360-2) for light and ventilation of four tenement houses proposed to be built at Nos. 165 to 171 Avenue A, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by William José, be and is hereby disapproved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 363) for light and ventilation of two tenement houses proposed to be built at Nos. 342 and 344 East Fifty-second street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by Dennis Loonie, be and is hereby approved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 364) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built at No. 346 East Fifty-second street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by Dennis Loonie, be and is hereby approved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 365) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built on the south side of Forty-ninth street, 100 feet east of Seventh avenue, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by S. L. Bradley, be and is hereby disapproved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 366) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built at No. 85 Allen street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by Julius Boeckell, be and is hereby approved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 369-1) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built at No. 805 Fourth avenue, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by William José, be and is hereby approved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 369-2) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built at No. 805 Fourth avenue, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by William José, be and is hereby approved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 372) for light and ventilation of two tenement houses proposed to be built on the north side of East Eighty-fifth street, 225 feet east of Second avenue, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by John C. Burne, be and is hereby approved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 373) for light and ventilation of three tenement houses proposed to be built on the west side of First avenue, 26 feet 8 inches south of East Eighty-fifth street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by John C. Burne, provided that ten feet of the lot, in the clear, be left in the rear of each of the buildings, be and the said plan is hereby approved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 374) for light and ventilation of four tenement houses proposed to be built on the north side of East One Hundred and Eleventh street, 70 feet west of Third avenue, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by John C. Burne, be and is hereby approved.  
 Resolved, That the plan (No. 375) for light and ventilation of the tenement house proposed to be built on the northeast corner of Broadway and Twenty-seventh street, submitted to this Board under Laws 1867, chapter 908, and Laws 1879, chapter 504, by J. S. Stroud, be and is hereby disapproved.

*Sanitary Bureau.*

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending January 17, 1880 :  
 The total number of inspections made by the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors was 1,763, as follows, viz : 1 public building, 844 tenement houses, 109 private dwellings, 60 other dwellings, 13 manufactories and workshops, 12 stores and warehouses, 35 stables, 14 slaughter-houses, 1 lime-kiln, 1 garbage dump, 2 manure dumps, 2 lodging-houses, 1 railroad, 1 public sewer, 11 sunken and vacant lots, 62 yards, courts, and areas, 88 cellars and basements, 152 waste-pipes and drains, 234 privies and water-closets, 16 street gutters and sidewalks, 9 dangerous stairways, 9 smoky chimneys, 1 piggy, 18 other nuisances, together with 67 visits of the Sanitary Inspectors to cases of contagious disease.  
 The number of reports thereon received from the Inspectors was 796.  
 During the past week 92 complaints were received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary and Assistant Sanitary Inspectors for investigation and report.

Permits were issued to the consignees of 59 vessels to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port.  
 111 permits were granted scavengers to empty, clean, and disinfect privy sinks.  
 The Disinfecting Corps have visited 93 premises where contagious diseases were found, and have disinfected and fumigated 78 houses, 78 privy sinks, together with clothing, bedding, etc.  
 Two cases of contagious diseases were removed to Riverside Hospital by the Ambulance Corps.

The following is a comparative statement of cases of contagious disease reported at this Bureau for the two weeks ending January 17, 1880 :

Week Ending	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis.	Measles.	Diphtheria.	Small-pox.
January 10, 1880.....	0	7	51	3	283	42	0
" 17, " .....	0	5	45	5	226	35	0

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.**

FIRST MARSHAL'S OFFICE,  
 NEW YORK, January 24, 1880.  
 Licenses granted and amount received by Marshal John Tyler Kelly, during the week ending January 24, 1880.  
 Licenses..... 120  
 Amount..... \$286.00  
 JOHN TYLER KELLY,  
 First Marshal.

**OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.**

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

**EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.**

*Mayor's Office.*  
 No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
 EDWARD COOPER, Mayor ; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary  
*Mayor's Marshal's Office.*  
 No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
 JOHN TYLER KELLY, First Marshal.  
*Permit and License Bureau Office.*  
 No. 1 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
 DANIEL S. HART, Registrar.

*Sealers and Inspectors of Weights and Measures.*

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

**LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS**

*Commissioner's Office.*  
 No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner ; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.  
*Bureau of Water Register.*  
 No. 10 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.  
*Bureau of Incumbrances.*  
 No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.  
*Bureau of Sewers.*  
 No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 STEVENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.  
*Bureau of Chief Engineer.*  
 No. 11 1/2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE W. BIRDSALL, Chief Engineer.  
*Bureau of Street Improvements.*  
 No. 11 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.  
*Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.*  
 No. 18 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS KEECH, Superintendent.  
*Bureau of Water Purveyor.*  
 No. 4 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.  
*Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.*  
 JOHN F. SLOPER, City Hall.  
*Bureau of Lamps and Gas.*  
 No. 21 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.  
*Bureau of Streets.*  
 No. 19 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**

*Comptroller's Office.*  
 Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN KELLY, Comptroller ; RICHARD A. SPORIS, Deputy Comptroller.  
*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.  
*Auditing Bureau.*  
 No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.  
*Bureau of Arrears.*  
 No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 ARTEMAS CADY, Clerk of Arrears.  
*Bureau for the Collection of Assessments.*  
 No. 16 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 EDWARD GILON, Collector.

*Bureau of City Revenue.*  
 No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 EDWARD F. FITZPATRICK, Collector of City Revenue.  
*Bureau of Markets.*  
 No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOSHUA M. VARIAN, Superintendent of Markets.

**LAW DEPARTMENT.**

*Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.*  
 Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 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.  
*Attorney to Department of Buildings' Office.*  
 Corner Courtland and Church streets.  
 JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

**POLICE DEPARTMENT.**

*Central Office.*  
 No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 President : SETH C. HAWLEY,  
 Chief Clerk.

**DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**

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

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

*Headquarters.*  
 Nos. 153, 155, and 157 Mercer street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 VINCENT C. KING, President ; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT.**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.**

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

*Civil and Topographical Office.*

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

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS**

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

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**

Office, No. 114 White street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS B. ASTEN, President ; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.**

No. 2 Fourth avenue, 8:30 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent.

**BOARD OF EXCISE.**

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

**SHERIFF'S OFFICE.**

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

**COMMISSION FOR THE COMPLETION OF THE NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE.**

No. 28 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
 WYLLIS BLACKSTONE, President ; ISAAC EVANS, Secretary.

**REGISTER'S OFFICE.**

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

**COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.**

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

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS DUNLAP, Commissioner ; ALFRED J. 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.  
 BENJAMIN K. PHELPS, District Attorney ; MOSES P. CLARK, 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.







the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A. M. of the 6th day of February, 1880.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates it 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.

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, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons to whom he consents to become surety.

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

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

Bidders will state the price for each article by which the bids will be tested. Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

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

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

The 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.

essees, or occupants, or collector of wharfage of any such pier, wharf, or bulkhead, or the slip adjoining the same, on which repairs or dredging are required by said Board, specifying the nature and extent of the repairs or dredging so required, and the time within which such repairs must be made or such dredging done; and in case of failure of the owners, lessees, or occupants so notified to comply with the terms and requirements of such notice, they shall be liable to a penalty of \$50 per day for every day they shall neglect to comply with such notice.

By order of the Board, EUGENE T. LYNCH, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, NOS. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, NEW YORK, January 17, 1880. TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A RIP-RAP EMBANKMENT, WITH RUBBLE WALL ON TOP THEREOF, AND WOODEN PLATFORM IN FRONT OF THE SAME, FROM SIXTIETH STREET TO SIXTY-FIRST STREET, EAST RIVER.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A RIP-RAP EMBANKMENT, with Rubble Wall on top thereof, and a Wooden Platform in front of the same, from Sixtieth street to Sixty-first street, East river, indorsed as above, and with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation, and addressed to "The President of the Department of Docks," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock m., of

FRIDAY, JANUARY 30, 1880, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read. The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be well prepared for the business, and 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 two thousand dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities, and extent of the work is as follows: Class 1. Rip rap stone for embankment, deposited in place, about 6,000 cubic yards.

Class 2. Rubble wall built upon the embankment, about 372 cubic yards. Class 3. Wooden platform in front of the rubble wall. This item will require the following quantities: About 104 square piles.

5 oak fender piles. 5 mooring posts, of pine or spruce. 43 half-round or hickory fenders. Yellow pine sawed timber, viz: 12" x 12" about 15,216 feet, B. M.

NOTE.—The above bill of timber is exclusive of extra lengths required for scars, laps, etc., and of waste. Pile shoes of cast and wrought iron combined, as per plan, about 3,442 lbs.

1 1/2" and 1" wrought-iron screw bolts, wrought-iron washers, chain, and staples, about 260 "

26" x 3/8", 22" x 3/8", 16" x 3/4", 12" x 3/4", 11" x 3/4", 10" x 3/8", and 10" x 1/2" square wrought-iron spike-pointed dock bolts, about 3,800 "

The superficial area of this platform will be about 5,361 square feet. The foregoing are the quantities which have been estimated approximately for the construction of the work. They form, however, no part of the contract, and persons bidding are cautioned that neither the Department of Docks nor the Corporation of the City of New York is to be held responsible that any of them shall strictly obtain in the construction of the work, and bidders are required to examine the plans and the premises, and to judge for themselves of the quantity and other circumstances affecting the cost of the work.

The time allowed for the completion of all the work is three months from the date of the contract; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for fulfillment 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 proposals the prices for each separate class above specified of the work to be done in conformity with the annexed specifications, by which the bids will be tested. These prices are to cover the expenses of furnishing all the necessary materials and labor and the performance of all the work set forth in the annexed agreement.

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 are 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 proposal will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The right to decline all the proposals is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation. The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, is annexed.

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

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

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.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

SUPREME COURT. In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Forest (Concord) avenue, although not yet named by proper authority, from the southern side of Denman place to Home street, in the Twenty-third Ward of 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, in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 30th day of January, 1880, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

GUNNING S. BEDFORD, AMBROSE H. PURDY, BERNARD SMYTH, Commissioners. Dated New York, January 16, 1880.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Parks, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Eighty-ninth street, from Eighth avenue to the new road or drive, and from Twelfth avenue to the Hudson river, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to Charles H. Haswell, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau street (Room No. 22), in the said city, on or before the twenty-first day of January, 1880, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said twenty-first day of January, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance, at our said office, on each of said ten days, at three o'clock P. M.

That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-first day of January, 1880.

That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being in the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue, distant one hundred feet and eight inches northwesterly from the northwesterly corner of Eighty-ninth street and Eighth avenue, and running thence westerly and parallel with Eighty-ninth street to the established bulkhead line on the Hudson river; thence southerly along said bulkhead line two hundred and sixty-two feet and six and one-half inches; thence easterly and parallel with Eighty-ninth street to the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue; and thence northerly along the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue two hundred and sixty-one feet and four inches to the point or place of beginning.

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 31st day of February, 1880, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 3, 1879. CHARLES H. HASWELL, BERNARD SMYTH, RICHARD CROKER, Commissioners.

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 Eighty-second street, from First avenue to Avenue B in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to Menzo Diefendorf, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 71 Broadway, Room 124, in the said city, on or before the 20th day of January, 1880; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within ten week days next after the said 20th day of January, 1880, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 20th day of January, 1880.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the easterly side of First avenue distant one hundred and two feet two inches from the northerly side of Eighty-second street; thence easterly and parallel with Eighty-second street to a point distant one hundred feet easterly from the easterly side of Avenue B, and one hundred and two feet and two inches northerly from the northerly side of Eighty-second street; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly side of Avenue B to a point distant one hundred and two feet two inches southerly from the southerly side of Eighty-second street; thence westerly and parallel with Eighty-second street to a point on the easterly side of First avenue distant one hundred and two feet two inches southerly from the southerly side of Eighty-second street; and thence northerly along the easterly side of First avenue to the point or place of beginning.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the New Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the third day of February, 1880, at the opening of the court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 23, 1879. MENZO DIEFENDORF, GEORGE H. SWORDS, THOMAS L. FEITNER, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS. DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, NOS. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, NEW YORK, January 17, 1880. NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SUB-DIVISION 7 of section 6 of chapter 574, Laws of 1871, the following regulation was unanimously adopted by the Board of the Department of Docks, at a meeting held on the 14th instant, to wit:

REGULATION 16. The owners, lessees, and occupants of every pier, wharf, and bulkhead in the City of New York shall keep the same in good repair, and the slips adjacent thereto properly dredged, and whenever, in the judgment of the Board of the Department of Docks, it shall be necessary so to do, written notices, signed by the President or Secretary of said Board, shall be served upon the owners,

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