

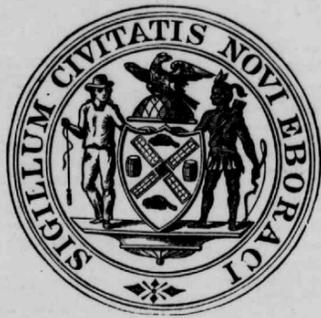
# THE CITY RECORD.

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## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of Proceedings for week ending with Saturday, April 3, 1880.

MEETINGS HELD MARCH 29 AND APRIL 1, 1880.

Present—Commissioners Wenman, Conover, and Lane.

MARCH 29, 1880.

An opinion was received from the Counsel to the Corporation in relation to giving permission to property-owners on One Hundred and Forty-first street to construct a sewer at their own expense.

On account of the reduction of the force and the insufficiency of the appropriation to continue present force the following named Park and Gate-keepers were discharged to take effect with April 1, 1880.

Park-keepers—Francis McLaughlin, Robert D. Murphy, Thomas Ryan, John Dolan, Hugh Reilly, William Monahan, James Sterling, William N. Brown, Patrick Nevins, Peter McCusker, Michael Hackett.

Gate-keepers—Michael McLaughlin, John W. Dusenbury, Daniel Dwyer, Thomas Mulligan, Martin Philbin.

The following named Gate-keepers were promoted to the rank and position of Park-keepers: Christopher Collins, William B. Stone, James Dunn, James Bannon, John O'Neil, Michael Foley, Patrick Green, Michel J. Duane, Edward Pickens, Hugh Dunphy, John Carr, Eugene Moran, James H. Ging, John B. Mulholland, John O'Shaughnessy.

APRIL 1, 1880.

Charles Fowler was appointed Foreman at \$3.50 per day, and James Davis, blacksmith, at \$2.50; Patrick McDermott, horse and cart, was restored to duty. The Treasurer was authorized to issue orders for repairs of pavements on Union square. The south ball ground on the Central park was set apart for the use of archery clubs and for the play of foot ball by students of colleges.

A petition was received from the Foremen in the employ of the Department asking an increase of compensation. Ordered filed.

The license of Thomas S. Dick for running boats on the Central park lake was extended for one year.

A petition was received from Messrs. A. Van Cortlandt and William Ogden Giles, for the opening of Sedgwick avenue, and referred to the Topographical Engineer for examination and report.

Reports were received from the Superintending Architect in relation to work necessary to complete Tompkins square and Work at Mt. Morris park.

A sidewalk was authorized to be laid, under the direction of the Superintendent of Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, on west side of Jerome avenue, from Sedgwick avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, William E. Smith to furnish half of the labor and material.

The lease with Mrs. Schedler for the use and occupancy of the building and grounds at High Bridge was extended for a term of two years after the expiration of the present lease.

Pay-rolls amounting to \$4,752.79 were approved and sent to the Finance Department for payment.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DAILY MEETINGS, MARCH 22 TO 27, 1880.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—

List of prisoners received during week ending March 20, 1880. Males, 29; females, 2. On file.

List of 40 prisoners to be discharged from March 28 to April 3, 1880. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 5 patients received during week ending March 20, 1880. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 6 patients received during week ending March 20, 1880. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending March 20, 1880, \$243. On file.

From I. S. Lowell, State Commissioner of Charities, suggesting modifications in plans for additions to Retreat building of Lunatic Asylum. Referred to Architect.

From Edward C. Donnelly, Theodore B. Bronson, State Commissioners of Charities, approving of plans for additions to Retreat building of Lunatic Asylum. On file.

Contracts Awarded.

Resolved, That the proposals of H. K. & F. B. Thurber & Co., to furnish 500 barrels fine flour, at \$6.83 per barrel, less 13 cents per empty barrel returned; 5,000 gallons molasses, at 24 50-100 cents per gallon; 5,000 gallons syrup, at 32 90-100 cents per gallon; 2,000 pounds butter, at 24 90-100 cents per pound; 200 half boxes sardines, at 15 23-100 cents per box;

S. T. Willetts & Co., 1,500 barrels flour, No. 1, at \$6.75 per barrel; 1,500 barrels flour, No. 2, at \$6.55 per barrel, less 15 cents per empty barrel returned;

C. P. Woodworth & Co., 1,200 barrels potatoes, at \$1.10 per barrel;

—be accepted, and the awards made to them, their sureties having been approved by the Comptroller. Adopted.

Appointments.

March 23. Mary Hart, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

24. Fannie A. Pierson, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

27. Julia O'Connor, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

Resignations.

March 27. Kate McCarthy, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

27. Michael Kelly, Fireman, Lunatic Asylum.

Dismissal.

March 22. Mary Stephens, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

## LAWS OF NEW YORK, 1880.

### CHAPTER 27.

AN ACT to amend chapter five hundred and fifty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-four, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the general acts relating to public instruction."

Passed February 23, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

Section 1. Section ten of title three of chapter five hundred and fifty-five of the laws of eighteen hundred and sixty-four, entitled "An act to revise and consolidate the general acts relating to public instruction," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 10. Whenever any school district or separate neighborhood shall have been excluded from participation in any apportionment made by the superintendent, or by the school commissioners, by reason of its having omitted to make any report required by law, or to comply with any other provision of law, or with any rule or regulation made by the superintendent under the authority of law, and it shall be shown to the superintendent that such omission was accidental or excusable, he may upon the application of such district or neighborhood, make to it an equitable allowance; and if the apportionment was made by himself, cause it to be paid out of the contingent fund; and if the apportionment was made by the commissioners, direct them to apportion such allowance to it, at their next annual apportionment, in addition to any apportionment to which it may then be entitled. And the superintendent may, in his discretion, upon the recommendation of the school commissioner having jurisdiction over the district in default, direct that the money so equitably apportioned shall be paid in satisfaction of teachers' wages earned by a teacher not qualified in accordance with the provisions of the law as hereinafter set forth.

Sec. 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

### CHAPTER 36.

AN ACT to amend the law of evidence and practice on civil and criminal trials.

Passed February 23, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

SECTION 1. Comparison of a disputed writing, with any writing proved to the satisfaction of the court to be genuine, shall be permitted to be made by witnesses in all trials and proceedings, and such writings and the evidence of witnesses respecting the same may be submitted to the court and jury as evidence of the genuineness, or otherwise, of the writing in dispute.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

### CHAPTER 47.

AN ACT to amend chapter fifty of the laws of eighteen hundred and twenty-four, entitled "An act relating to hackney coaches and carriages in the city of New York."

Passed March 4, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

SECTION 1. Section one of chapter fifty of the laws of eighteen hundred and twenty-four, entitled "An act relating to hackney coaches and carriages in the city of New York," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 1. That the owner of every hackney coach or carriage, or hackney coaches or carriages, in the city of New York, who shall obtain such license as is mentioned in the two hundred and seventy-second section of the act entitled "An act to reduce several laws relating particularly to the city of New York into one act," passed April ninth, eighteen hundred and thirteen, shall pay therefor, annually, to the mayor, aldermen and commonalty of said city, a sum to be determined by the said common council.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

### CHAPTER 66.

AN ACT to confer power upon the common council of the city of New York to complete the restoration of Tompkins square as a public park.

Passed March 18, 1880; three-fifths being present.

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

SECTION 1. The common council of the city of New York is hereby authorized to direct the department of public parks of the city of New York to complete the restoration of Tompkins square as a public park or square.

Sec. 2. To provide the means for the work authorized by the first section of this act, the board of estimate and apportionment of the city of New York is hereby authorized and directed, within twenty days after requisition is made upon said board by the head of the department of public parks, to add to and include in the final estimate of the amounts required to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of the city and county of New York for the year eighteen hundred and eighty, an appropriation of twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose, and it shall be the duty of the head of the said department of public parks to fully and entirely complete the work authorized by this act, within the amount appropriated for the purpose, before the close of the year eighteen hundred and eighty.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

### CHAPTER 55.

AN ACT to amend section three of chapter one hundred and ten of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-six, entitled "An act supplemental to chapter sixty of the laws of eighteen hundred and thirteen, entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation of religious societies, and of the several acts amendatory thereof.'"

Passed March 10, 1880.

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

SECTION 1. Section three of chapter one hundred and ten of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-six, entitled "An act supplemental to chapter sixty of the laws of eighteen hundred and thirteen, entitled 'An act to provide for the incorporation of religious societies, and of the several acts amendatory thereof,'" is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 3. Whenever any church, parish, or religious society, in connection with any such governing body, shall become extinct, or shall cease to maintain religious services therein for two consecutive years, by reason of the death or removal of its members, or for any other cause, it shall be lawful for the trustees elected by such governing body, as aforesaid, to take possession of the temporalities belonging to such extinct church or society, and manage or dispose of the same, and apply the proceeds thereof to any of the objects mentioned in the second section of this act. The governing body to which the church or society belongs shall determine when any church or society has become extinct, or has ceased to maintain religious services for two consecutive years, provided that no church or society having more than thirteen resident members shall be declared extinct, unless it has failed for two consecutive years to maintain religious service therein.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS For the Week Ending April 3, 1880.

Barometer.

Table with columns for DATE, 7 A.M., 2 P.M., 9 P.M., Mean for the Day, MAXIMUM, and MINIMUM. Rows for MARCH AND APRIL from Sunday to Saturday.

Mean for the week... 29.816 inches. Maximum " at 2 P.M., April 2... 30.205 " Minimum " at 4 A.M., March 28... 29.205 " Range " 1.000 "

Thermometers.

Table with columns for DATE, 7 A.M., 2 P.M., 9 P.M., MEAN, MAXIMUM, and MINIMUM. Rows for MARCH AND APRIL from Sunday to Saturday.

Mean for the week... 43.3 degrees. Maximum for the week, at 1 P.M., 3d... 63 " Minimum " at 4 A.M., 29th... 28 " Range " 35 "

Wind.

Table with columns for DATE, DIRECTION, VELOCITY IN MILES, FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT. Rows for MARCH AND APRIL from Sunday to Saturday.

Distance traveled during the week... 1,246 miles. Maximum force " 13 1/2 pounds.

Hygrometer.

Clouds.

Rain and Snow.

Table with columns for DATE, FORCE OF VAPOR, RELATIVE HUMIDITY, CLEAR, OVERCAST, 10, DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES. Rows for MARCH AND APRIL from Sunday to Saturday.

Total amount of water for the week... .64 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Director.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office. No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. EDWARD COOPER, Mayor; JAMES E. MORRISON, Secretary; John Tracey, Chief Clerk. Mayor's Marshal's Office. No. 7 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 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 EYERS, 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 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. 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.

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. STORIS, Deputy Comptroller. Bureau for the Collection of Taxes. First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park. MARTIN T. MCMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes. Bureau of the City Chamberlain. No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain. 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 Cortlandt and Church streets. JOHN A. FOLEY, Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office. 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 JOSSEN, 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 4th 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. PRYER 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, April 2, 1880.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT twelve horses, the property of this department, will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, April 13, 1880, at 10 o'clock, A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, No. 110 East Thirteenth street. By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, PROPERTY CLERK'S OFFICE, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, ROOM No. 39, NEW YORK, March 30, 1880.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property now in his custody without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, coffee, wine, clothing (male and female), watches, revolvers, trunks and contents, wagons, etc., also small amount of money taken from prisoners and found by officers, etc.

C. A. ST. JOHN, Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, LUMBER, ETC.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES. 25,000 pounds Rice. 25,000 Fresh Eggs (all to be candled). 12,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample of which will be on exhibition April 14 and 15. 1 cask Fresh Prunes.

DRY GOODS. 1,000 yards Linen Diapers. 1,000 " Linen Diaper. 2,000 " Furniture Check. 50 dozen Hair Brushes.

LUMBER. 5,000 feet Clear Pine Shelving, dressed both sides, not less than 12 inches wide and 14 feet long. 1,000 feet 2-inch Sawed White Oak, not less than 10 inches wide, and free from knots and stakes, and from 12 to 16 feet long.

FOR NEW COOK-HOUSE, B. I. 1 bar best Cast Steel, 2 inches by 1 3/4 inch. 250 feet best Masons' Lime. 20 barrels Rockland Lime.

—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 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 16th day of April, 1880. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Lumber, etc.," and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time or 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 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 purposes, 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.

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.

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 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 5, 1880. TOWNSEND COX, THOMAS S. BRENNAN, JACOB HESS, Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, March 29, 1880. 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 Pier 41, East river—Unknown man (colored); aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; knicker hair, moustache, and full beard mixed with gray. Had on dark overcoat, gray pants, black vest, gray shirt, gaiters.

Unknown man, from Pier 43, North river; aged about 60 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; black hair mixed with gray; dark brown moustache and beard; hazel eyes. Had on blue coat, dark pants with stripe, white shirt, white knit undershirt, gaiters. Supposed to be named Goldifer, from pawn ticket found on his person.

Unknown man, from Pier 43, East river; aged about 25 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair and moustache; blue eyes. Had on black coat, dark pants, blue flannel undershirt, white drawers, blue woolen stockings, rubber boots.

At Alms House, Blackwell's Island—Andrew Riebell; aged 76 years. Nothing known of his friends or relatives. At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—William F. Granerholz; aged 24 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes; sandy hair. Had on when admitted, dark overcoat, gray pants and vest, black hat, gaiters. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, March 26, 1880. 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 N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—Edward Brown; aged 34 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Michael Caldwell; aged 46 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, black coat, brown pants, blue shirt, laced shoes. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Eliza Gordon; aged 58 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; gray hair and eyes. Had on when admitted, dark brown dress, striped shawl, gray petticoat. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, March 23, 1880. 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 Seventh Precinct Station-house, fr: ad at Pier 46 East River—Unknown man; aged 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; light curly hair; red moustache and goatee; (supposed to be John F. Daniel, from Mercantile Marine; discharge found on his person, dated March 3, from ship Lottie Warren.) Had on plaid coat, blue jacket and overalls, blue flannel drawers, plaid woolen shirt.

Unknown man, from Pier 20 East River—aged about 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair gray mixed; gray

side whiskers. Had on black overcoat, brown cardigan jacket, dark cotton pants, white knit undershirt and drawers, black vest, blue check jumper, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from foot of Charlton street, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair mixed with gray; brown moustache and beard; blind of right eye. Had on blue flannel blouse, blue cloth vest, white canvas pants, white flannel drawers and shirt, gray socks, boots.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Clark; aged 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes; light hair. Had on when admitted black coat, gray pants, check shirt, laced shoes, black hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

Mary Monahan; aged 67 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; blue eyes; gray hair. Nothing known of her friends or relatives.

By Order, JOSHUA PHILLIPS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 6, 1880.

PROPOSALS FOR STOP-COCKS, STOP-COCK BOXES, HYDRANTS, AND HYDRANT BOXES.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the above title and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Monday, April 13, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department, and read, for the following:

For furnishing and delivering Stop-cocks, Stop-cock Boxes, Hydrants, and Hydrant Boxes.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 11 1/2 City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 6, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work, as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Monday, April 13, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. Laying CROTON WATER-MAINS in NINTH AVENUE, EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, EIGHTH AVENUE, TRANSVERSE ROAD, FIFTH AVENUE, and SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET.

No. 2. Laying CROTON WATER-MAINS on RANDALL'S ISLAND, in PROSPECT PLACE, WESTCHESTER, SEDGWICK, and RIVERSIDE AVENUES, NINETY-SIXTH STREET, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SECOND STREET, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, and in SOUTHERN BOULEVARD.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications, and agreements, the proper envelopes, in which to enclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 11 1/2 City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 6, 1880.

TO WATER-PIPE MANUFACTURERS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN SEALED ENVELOPE, with the name of the bidder and the title of the work indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Monday, April 13, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read.

For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Public Works 1,355 tons of straight pipe and 105 tons of branches and special castings.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 11 1/2 City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 1, 1880.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 1, chapter 476, Laws of 1875, inclosed in a sealed envelope, which must be indorsed with the name of the bidder, and the number of the work as designated in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Wednesday, April 14, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. Paving with GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, FULTON STREET, between Broadway and Third street, and RELAYING THE TRAP-BLOCKS taken therefrom in PEARL STREET, between State and Whitehall streets; IN MOORE STREET, between Pearl and South streets; IN WILLIAM STREET, between Beaver and Broad streets; IN STONE STREET, between William and Broad streets; AND IN OLD SLIP, between Pearl and South streets.

No. 2. Paving with GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT SEVENTH AVENUE, between Eleventh and Fourteenth streets, (except the horse-paths of the Seventh Avenue Railroad) and GREENWICH AVENUE, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.

No. 3. Paving with GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT WEST STREET and TENTH AVENUE, between Eleventh and Fourteenth streets.

No. 4. Paving with GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT CENTRE and MARION STREETS, from south side of Canal street to Prince street.

No. 5. Paving with GRANITE BLOCK PAVEMENT FRONT STREET, between Whitehall street and Old Slip, and WALKER STREET, between Baxter street and West Broadway.

No. 6. Paving with TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT FIRST AVENUE, between Houston and Eighth streets.

No. 7. Paving with TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT TENTH AVENUE, between Twenty-second and Thirty-first streets.

No. 8. Paving with TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT SEVENTH STREET, between Avenue A and East river, and Second avenue, between Nineteenth and Twenty-third streets.

No. 9. Paving with TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT ELEVENTH STREET, between Third and Fourth avenues; THIRTEENTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Gansevoort street; and GANSEVOORT STREET, from Thirteenth street to Twelfth avenue; TWENTY-FIRST STREET, between First and Third avenues; and JAY STREET, between Hudson and West streets.

No. 10. Paving with TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT TWENTY-SECOND STREET, between Sixth avenue and Hudson river.

No. 11. Paving with TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT MADISON STREET, between Clinton and Grand streets, and HERFORD STREET, between Division and South streets.

No. 12. Paving with TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT GOLD STREET, from Frankfort street to Liberty street, FORTY-SECOND STREET, from the easterly side of Second avenue to the westerly side of Third avenue, and TWELFTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, except where now paved with Belgian pavement.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Water Purveyor, Room 4 City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 1, 1880.

PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING THE FREE FLOATING BATHS.

PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED ENVELOPE, with the above title, and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received at this office until Wednesday, April 14, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., at which hour they will be publicly opened by the Head of the Department and read.

For furnishing labor and material and painting the woodwork of seven baths, the canvas roof of two baths, and the exposed iron work, not galvanized, of eight baths.

Blank forms of proposals, the specifications and agreements, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the bids, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 18 City Hall.

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

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 19, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, March 30, 1880.

CAS COMMISSION.

PROPOSALS FOR LIGHTING THE PUBLIC LAMPS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE GAS OR other Illuminating Material for, and Lighting, Extinguishing, Cleaning, Repairing, and Maintaining the Public Lamps (and supplying Gas, etc., for new lamps when required) on the Streets, Avenues, Piers, Parks, and places in the City of New York, under the care and charge of the Department of Public Works, excepting the Twenty-third Ward, and that portion of the Twenty-fourth Ward, formerly known as the Town of West Farms, for the period of one year, commencing May 1st, 1880, and ending April 30th, 1881, both days inclusive.

Proposals for the above, made in accordance with Sec. 73, Chap. 335, Laws of 1879, and Chap. 478 of the Laws of 1879, and the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, Chap. 8, Article 2, and enclosed in a sealed envelope, endorsed, "Proposals for furnishing the illuminating material for, and lighting and extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, and maintaining the public lamps," with the name of the party making the same written thereon, will be received at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, until 12 o'clock M. of Saturday, April 10, 1880, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by said Commissioner and read.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them, and of no other person be so interested, and to distinctly state the fact; also, that it is made without any connection with any other person making any estimate for the same supplies and 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 proposals 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 proposal shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of 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 bid or proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by Section 27, Article 2, 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 consent to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties offered to be determined by the Comptroller.

Bidders are required to state in their proposals the several streets or parts of streets in which they propose to perform the requirements herein contained, and also the illuminating or candle-power of the gas they propose to furnish, when tested at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture, and bidders proposing to furnish any illuminating material other than illuminating or coal gas, must state distinctly what kind of material they propose to furnish, and the illuminating power of the burner they propose to use for the same.

Bidders are also required to state the price for which they will furnish the gas (of not less than sixteen-candle power by photometrical test, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture) or other illuminating material for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing, and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, and replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross heads, lamp irons, and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 1st, 1880, to April 30th, 1881, both days inclusive, stating the price, for the above named period of one year, for each lamp.

Bidders are also required to state a price for which they will repair lamp-posts, including straightening and re-lead-ing, and for each new lamp fitted up, as follows:

For each lamppost straightened, stating the price per post.

For each column re-lead-ed, stating the price per post.

For each lamppost refitted, stating the price per post.

For each lamppost removed, stating the price per post.

For each lamppost reset, stating the price per post.

For each new lamp fitted up, stating the price per post.

The bidders are required to write out the amount of their bids in their estimates, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The number of public lamps to be contracted for is about 20,000.

The burners for illuminating gas are to be of a capacity to burn three cubic feet of gas per hour under a pressure of one inch, and in case the illuminating material shall be other than illuminating gas, then the burners to be used for such illuminating material shall give a light (by photometrical test) equal to the light given by the gas-burners in use in the public lamps in the City of New York.

Should any alteration or any attachment be required to any portion of the lamps for which proposals are made in consequence of the use of illuminating material other than gas, then such alteration shall be done and such attachment placed on the lamps without expense to the city.

The number of hours the lamps are to be kept burning during the contract is 4,000.

The amount of security required is \$60,000 on all contracts which will amount to \$100,000 or more; and on smaller contracts the security shall be sixty per cent. of the total amount of the bid.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract is so awarded neglect or refuse to accept to contract within forty-eight hours after written notice that the same has been awarded to his bid or proposal, or if he accept, but does not execute the contract and give the proper security, it may be readvertised and relet as provided by law and ordinance.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless a written permission shall have been previously obtained from the Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioner of Public Works.

The right is reserved to assign and designate to any bidder, whose bid shall be accepted, the number and location of the lamps to be lighted by such bidder, in any portion of the city for which proposals are received, and to increase or diminish such number.

The right is reserved to determine and designate, after the proposals are opened, what illuminating material shall be used in the public lamps, or any number of them, during the period before mentioned; also to decline any or all proposals if deemed for the interests of the Corporation, and 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 security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

If the proposal of any bidder proposing to furnish illuminating gas shall include any lamps with which the pipes or mains of such bidder are not connected at the time of the making of the bid, and a contract for furnishing the gas for and lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, and maintaining any such lamps, shall be awarded to such bidder, in that case, thirty days from the date of the execution of such contract and such further time, not exceeding thirty days, as may be deemed reasonable by the Commissioner of Public Works, shall be allowed to such bidder in which to connect such pipes or mains with such lamps.

But no payment to such bidder, on account of any such lamps, will be made for the time so allowed, nor until the same shall have been connected with the mains of such bidder, nor except for the time during which all the requirements herein mentioned shall have been fully performed.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained on application at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

EDWARD COOPER, Mayor.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

ALLAN CAMPBELL, Commissioner of Public Works.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, NEW YORK, June 1, 1879.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS.

DEPARTMENT OF BUILDINGS, OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, No. 2 FOURTH AVENUE, NEW YORK, December, 1879.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS AND BUILDERS.

FOR THE PROTECTION OF THEIR INTERESTS, property owners and builders are requested to refuse admision into their buildings to any officer of this Department who does not show his proper badge of office on demand.

All badges issued from this office are shield shaped, with the title of the officer, the name of this Department, and the number engraved thereon, and are numbered from 1 to 50. The following badges are lost or stolen: Inspectors, badges Nos. 4, 8, 9, 11, 12, 21, 22, 23, 36, 38, 39, 42, 43, 45, 46, 48, 49, and 50. Fire Escape Examiners, badges Nos. 3 and 8, and Messenger's badge No. 7. All parties professing to be officers of this Department not provided with badges of the above description, or who attempt to use badges of the above named missing numbers, or an oval shaped badge, formerly used in the Department, are impostors, and the public are cautioned against recognizing such persons, and are requested to report the same to this office in any case that may come to their notice.

HENRY J. DUDLEY, Superintendent of Buildings.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, NOS. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, NEW YORK, March 30, 1880.

JAMES M. OAKLEY & CO., AUCTIONEERS will sell at public auction, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, on

TUESDAY, APRIL 13, 1880,

at 12 o'clock M., the right to collect and retain all wharfage which may accrue for the use and occupation by vessels of more than five tons burthen, of the following-named Piers and Bulkheads, to wit:

ON NORTH RIVER.

For and during the term of one year, from 1st May, 1880.

- Lot 1. Pier, old 42, at Hoboken street, (except reservation of 150 feet, on southerly side, at the inner end, for berthing scows required for the Dumping Board proposed to be erected at the Bulkhead adjoining that side of the pier.)
Lot 2. Pier at West Thirty-fifth street (except reservation on northerly side for berth for public bath, during summer season).
Lot 3. Bulkhead, West Thirty-sixth street.
Lot 4. Pier at West Fifty-fifth street, on southerly side and in the adjacent slip. (No dredging will be done by the Department in the slip adjacent to the southerly side of this pier.)
Lot 5. Pier at West Fifty-seventh street.

For and during the term of three years, from 1st May, 1880.

- Lot 6. Pier 21 and Bulkhead adjoining southerly side. (The present lessee claims the right to remove the shed thereon, at any time prior to May 1, 1880.)
Lot 7. Southerly half of Pier 25. (The present lessee claims the right to remove the shed thereon, at any time prior to May 1, 1880.)

ON EAST RIVER.

For and during the term of one year, from 1st May, 1880.

- Lot 8. Bulkhead at East Sixteenth street, (except reservation for the right to steam-tugs to have at all times free passage to the hydrant located thereat for the purpose only of taking water).
Lot 9. Bulkhead at East Eighteenth street.
Lot 10. Bulkhead at East Twenty-ninth street.
Lot 11. Bulkhead at East Thirtieth street.
Lot 12. Bulkhead at East Thirty-first street.
Lot 13. Bulkhead at East Thirty-second street.
Lot 14. Bulkhead at East Thirty-third street.
Lot 15. Bulkhead at East Thirty-fourth street.
Lot 16. Pier and stone-dump at East Forty-sixth street.
Lot 17. Pier or Bulkhead at East Eighty-sixth street. (No dredging will be done at these premises by the Department.)
Lot 18. Bulkhead at and south of East Ninety-third street.

For and during the term of three years, from 1st May, 1880.

- Lot 19. Pier 37, about 4 1/2 feet of Bulkhead adjoining westerly side, and one-half of Bulkhead adjoining easterly side, (except reservation on westerly side of the pier for a Dumping Board).
Lot 20. About 188 feet of Bulkhead on Tompkins street, adjacent to and north of the north side of Rivington street.

ON HARLEM RIVER.

For and during the term of one year, from 1st May, 1880.

- Lot 21. Pier at East One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

The Department will make, prior to the commencement of the term of lease in each case, such repairs to any of the above-named premises, in the judgment of the Commissioners, needing them, as they may consider necessary to place the premises in suitable condition for service during the term for which leases are to be sold, except that no repairs will be made to any of the above-named premises where it is stated that they will not be repaired by the Department; but all the premises must be taken in the condition in which they may be on the date of commencement of said terms, respectively; and no claim that the property is not in suitable condition at the commencement of the lease, will be allowed by the Department; and all repairs and rebuilding required and necessary, during the terms leased, are to be done at the expense and cost of the lessees.

Purchasers will be allowed three months, from date of commencement of their leases, in which to notify the Department that dredging is required at the premises leased; and the Commissioners guarantee to do all possible dredging, as soon after being notified of the necessity thereat, as the work of the Department will permit, except that no dredging will be done at any of the above-named premises where it is stated that they will not be dredged by the Department; but in no case will the Department dredge where a depth of ten feet at mean low water already exists, nor after that depth shall have been obtained by dredging; and no claim will be received or considered by the Department, for loss of wharfage or otherwise, consequent upon any delay in doing the work of such dredging, or consequent upon the premises being occupied for dredging purposes. All dredging required at any of the above premises, of which the purchaser of the lease thereon shall neglect or omit to notify the Department during the first three months of the term of the lease, and all dredging necessary during the remainder of such term, is to be done at the expense and cost of the lessee.

The up-set price for each of the above-named premises will be fixed by the Department of Docks, and announced by the auctioneer at the time of the sale.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale, and in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to pay to the Department of Docks twenty-five per cent. of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, and which twenty-five per cent. will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease, when executed, or forfeited if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease and bond within five days after being duly notified that the lease is prepared and ready for signature. The Commissioners reserve the right to resell the leases bid off by those failing to comply with these terms; the party so failing to be liable for any deficiency which may result from such resale.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly, in advance, in compliance with a stipulation therefor in the form of lease adopted by the Department.

Two sureties, each a freeholder and householder in the City of New York, and to be approved by the Commissioners of Docks, will be required, under each lease, to enter into a bond jointly with the lessee in the sum of an amount double the annual rent for the faithful performance of all the covenants of the lease; and each purchaser will be required to submit, at the time of the sale, the names and address of his proposed sureties.

Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will, upon being notified so to do, execute a lease prepared upon the printed form adopted by the Department, which can be seen upon application to the Secretary, at the office, 119 Duane street.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation; and no bid will be accepted from 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.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS OF the Board of Aldermen will meet every Monday a two o'clock P. M., at Room No. 8 City Hall. HENRY C. PERLEY, THOMAS SHELLS, JOHN McCLAVE, HENRY HOFFEN, BERNARD KENNEY, Committee on Public Works.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, (155 & 157 MERCER STREET,) NEW YORK, April 7, 1880.

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

- 1,700 tons Egg Coal, 1,000 tons Stove Coal,

to be of the best quality of Pittston, Scranton, or Lackawanna Valley, weigh 2,000 pounds to the ton, and be well screened and free from slate, will be received at these Headquarters until 9 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 21st instant, when they will be publicly opened and read.

No proposals will be received or considered after the hour named. Proposals may be made for one or more of the items, specifying the price per ton.

All of the coal is to be delivered and weighed upon scales furnished by the Department, in the presence of an Inspector to be designated by the Department for that purpose, at the various houses, etc., of the Department, in such quantities and at such times as may be from time to time directed.

Two responsible sureties will be required upon each proposal, amounting in the aggregate to One Thousand dollars, or more, who must each justify in one-half the amount thereof upon the same, prior to its presentation.

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

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

The Board of Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all proposals received, or any part of such proposals, 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 & 157 MERCER STREET,) NEW YORK, April 6, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK and furnishing the materials required in the proposed alteration and repairing of the building No. 126 East Fiftieth street known as the quarters of Hook and Ladder Company No. 21, will be received as above until 9 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 21st instant, when they will be publicly opened and read.

No proposals will be received or considered after the hour named. Plans and specifications and the form of contract to be entered into by the successful bidder may be seen, and blank proposals will be furnished on application at these Headquarters.

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

Proposals must be addressed on the envelope "To the Board of Commissioners," with the indorsement, "Proposal for Alterations and Repairs, No. 126 East Fiftieth street," and the name of the bidder.

The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted, if deemed to be for the interests 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, April 7, 1880.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TO this Department one steam fire engine, will be received at these headquarters until nine o'clock, A. M., on Wednesday, the 21st instant, when they will be publicly opened and read.

The engine is to be what is known as a first-size double-pump and cylinder steam fire-engine.

The boiler is to be what is known as a Latta boiler, with Ahrens improvements, made of the best materials and of sufficient strength to bear twice the pressure ever required in fire duty. It must have ample steaming capacity to keep up a full head of steam while doing the heaviest work, with a guarantee to make steam from cold water and throw a stream of water through one hundred (100) feet of hose with regular gauge of water inside of four minutes from the time of lighting the fire, and to generate and maintain an ample working pressure of steam for effective fire duty. The boiler is to be covered with a Russia iron jacket and surmounted with a brass dome. The steam cylinders and pumps are to be placed perpendicular to the boiler. The steam cylinders are to be cased in German silver. The main forcing pump must be double acting and be made entirely of composition. It must be so constructed that it can be taken apart and put together again should repairs be required. There must be two discharge gates, also a circulating or churn valve for the purpose of feeding the boiler when the streams are cut off.

The engine is to be made complete of the best materials, in the most workmanlike manner, with all recent improvements, and is to be furnished with one air pump (latest improved), improved safety valves, without scale, two nickel-plated steam gauges, one nickel-plated water-pressure gauge, one glass water gauge, eight gauge cocks, two blow cocks for steam—one up and one down—one surface blow cock, and attachment for thaw hose, one signal whistle, one variable exhaust nozzle and steam jet, one large copper air chamber, one ornament on the air chamber, twenty-two feet of rubber suction-hose attached to the pump, to be carried in brackets around the engine, ready for immediate service, copper suction strainer, a full set of discharge pipes, five (5) nozzles, various sizes, foot brake, one number plate, which together with the glass in the lamp is to be engraved with the number; also all the tools and wrenches, etc., to work the engine, oil cans, fire shovel, poker; and to be furnished with box for tools. The machine is to be handsomely finished and painted with gold striping and ornamental work. The wheels are to be what is known as the Archibald pattern of the latest improved kind.

The fuel-box, on the back of the boiler, must be large enough to carry coal for one or two hours' running, and will be painted the same as the wheels.

The working parts of the engine are in all cases to be perfectly fitted and polished. All of the steel and iron works are to be finished in first-class style. The throttle-valve, feed-pump, eccentric strap, and pipe-holders and other parts are to be of fine composition.

The engine is to be fitted to be drawn by horses, with a pole and whiffletrees and a seat for the driver.

Size of steam cylinder to be 7 1/2 inches diameter, 8 inches stroke. Size of pumps to be 4 1/2 inches diameter, 8 inches stroke. Front wheels to be 50 inches high; rear wheels to be 60 inches high. Tire, 2 3/4 by 3/4 inches.

The engine is to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department within ninety days after the execution of the contract, in complete working order, with a guarantee that its material and workmanship are of the best character, and to replace, at the expense of the contractor, such

parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship. Said engine shall have a full and complete trial of its working powers at New York, under the superintendence of a competent engineer.

No proposals 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 "Proposals for Furnishing one Engine," 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 prescribed form of contract may also be seen.

The Board of Commissioners reserves 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.

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

THE CITY RECORD

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE obtained at No. 2 City Hall (northwest corner-ement). Price three cents each.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from the westerly line of Kings-bridge road to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from the westerly line of the road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from the westerly line of Kings-bridge road to the Hudson river; One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street, from the westerly line of the road or Public Drive near the Harlem river to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue, 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, lots, and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

That in pursuance of an order made by the General Term of this Court, reversing the order of confirmation of our said report, made at a Special Term of this Court, and directing us to reconsider so much of our said report as made and allowed substantial awards for damage to certain buildings mentioned therein, we have reconsidered and amended our report, and that said report so amended will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on the 13th day of April, 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 as amended be confirmed.

Dated New York, March 16, 1880.

SMITH E. LANE, JOHN T. MCGOWAN, D. O'DONOGHUE, Commissioners.

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 Thursday, April 8, 1880, 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 thousand and fifty (8,500) 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 making until the first day of May, 1881. 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 all proposals received.

FERDINAND TRAUD, BENJ. F. MANIERE, DAVID WETMORE, CHARLES PLACE, HENRY P. WEST, Committee on Supplies.

New York March 24, 1880

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City and County of New York, due May 1, 1880, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the New Court-house.

The transfer books will be closed from March 27, to May 1, 1880.

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, March 18, 1880.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, February 25, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED FEBRUARY 13, ENTERED FEBRUARY 21, 1880.

Bronx River road opening, from Grand avenue to the north line of the City of New York.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before April 26, 1880, 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 Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, FIRST FLOOR ROOM NO. 1 NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, February 18, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED FEBRUARY 14, ENTERED FEBRUARY 18, 1880.

82d street opening, from 1st avenue to Avenue B.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before April 18, 1880, 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 Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS, FIRST FLOOR, ROOM NO. 1, NEW COURT-HOUSE, CITY HALL PARK, NEW YORK, February 4, 1880.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-HOLDERS.

PROPERTY-HOLDERS ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following assessment list was received this day in this Bureau for collection:

CONFIRMED JANUARY 30 AND ENTERED FEBRUARY 4, 1880.

10th street opening, from 3d avenue to 5th avenue.

All payments made on the above assessment on or before April 5, 1880, 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 Collector's office is open daily, from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M., for the collection of money, and until 4 P. M. for general information.

EDWARD GILON, Collector of Assessments

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

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriffs' sales, in 6r 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."

JOHN KELLY, Comptroller