

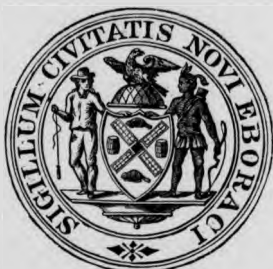
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### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending May 7, 1887:

<i>Deposited in the Treasury.</i>	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$3,594,746 17
City Treasury.....	3,817,889 46
Total.....	\$7,412,635 63
<i>Bonds Issued.</i>	
Two per cent. Bonds.....	\$1,000,000 00
Three per cent. Bonds.....	150,000 00
Total.....	\$1,150,000 00
<i>Warrants Registered for Payment.</i>	
The Mayoralty— Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$42 34
The Finance Department— Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	\$213 14
Salaries—Comptroller's Office.....	90 00
Interest on the City Debt.....	27,990 00
Aqueduct Commissioners— Additional Water Fund.....	293,651 92
The Law Department— Contingencies—Law Department.....	768 78
The Department of Public Works— Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$12,309 55
Boring Examinations for Grading and Sewer Contracts.....	269 00
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	3,359 72
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	1,265 00
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	100 00
Croton Water Fund.....	15,680 78
Fund for Local Improvements.....	781 20
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	56,572 26
Laying Croton Pipes.....	582 75
Local Improvement Fund—Contracts prior to January 1, 1885.....	4,127 89
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	2,281 20
Removing Obstructions in Streets and Avenues.....	185 40
Repairing Fifth Avenue, as provided by Chapter 371, Laws of 1885.....	442 00
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	6,294 27
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	2,973 88
Repairing Streets and Avenues.....	2,890 70
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	722 00
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling.....	693 75
Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	22,605 30
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	5,754 75
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	15,050 49
Street Improvements—For Surveying, Monumenting and Numbering Streets.....	78 00
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	6,051 83
Water-meter Fund, No. 2.....	642 43
The Department of Public Parks— Fund for Local Improvements.....	\$7,878 83
Local Improvement Fund—Contracts prior to January 1, 1885.....	790 02
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	3,299 28
Metropolitan Museum of Art.....	104 00
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	434 98
Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	891 70
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	1,793 90
The Department of Public Charities and Correction— Public Charities and Correction.....	50,525 85
The Health Department— For Removal of Night Soil, Offal and Dead Animals.....	\$3,000 00
Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	234 36
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	265 50
Health Fund—For Law Expenses, including Marshal's Fees.....	166 66
Hospital Fund—For Hospital Buildings and Grounds on North Brother Island.....	231 80
Hospital Fund—For Improvement, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	65 40
Hospital Supplies and Transportation—For Care of Contagious Diseases.....	283 60
The Department of Street Cleaning— Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	53,132 98

The Fire Department— Fire Department Fund.....	\$61,927 54
The Dock Department— Dock Fund.....	8,547 07
The Board of Education— College of the City of New York.....	\$10,212 48
Public Instruction.....	15,341 05
School-house Fund.....	12,957 13
The Judiciary— Salaries—City Courts.....	\$4,519 41
Salaries—Judiciary.....	435 80
Charitable Institutions— Five Points House of Industry.....	\$1,870 15
New York Infant Asylum.....	7,536 83
New York Institution for the Blind.....	1,637 50
New York Institution for Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb.....	3,311 68
New York Juvenile Asylum.....	10,206 07
Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	8,525 43
St. Joseph's Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	4,350 49
Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books— CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	\$583 33
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	944 67
The Coroners— Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	1,007 00
The Sheriff— Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....	778 43
The Register— Salaries—Register's Office.....	9,411 19
Miscellaneous— Armories and Drill Rooms—For Wages of Armorers, Janitors and Engineers, etc.....	\$2,520 00
Armory Fund.....	46,273 09
Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	242 40
Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of.....	163 64
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	1,036 14
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines.....	35 00
For Construction of a Bridge over the Harlem River (about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge).....	4,747 50
For Deficiencies in Appropriations of 1886 and Previous Years.....	50 00
For the Preservation of Public Records.....	2,408 33
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	5,250 00
Harlem River and Spuyten Duyvil Creek Improvement Fund.....	100 00
Judgments.....	9,750 50
Refunding Interest and Charges on Lands Sold for Taxes and Assessments.....	108 60
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	249 73
Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments (Salary of the Recorder).....	83 33
Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund (Salary of the Recorder).....	83 33
Salaries of Inspectors and Sealers of Weights and Measures.....	200 00
Total.....	\$851,064 03

### SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	The Missionary Society of the Most Holy Redeemer..	\$29 30	Transcript of judgment.....	W. J. Amend.
" ..	The Missionary Society of the Most Holy Redeemer ..	.....	Order vacating taxes of 1871 on premises Ward No. 855, Eighth Ward.....	"
" ..	N. Y. Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb.....	10,274 93	Summons and complaint. To cancel sales for taxes for years 1877 to 1880, and to cancel taxes for years 1883 to 1886, on premises Farm No. 9, Ward Nos. 1 to 90, Twelfth Ward.....	E. L. Fancher.
Superior..	Manhattan Medicine Co. ....	126 35	Transcript of judgment.....	Saunders, Webb & Worcester.
Supreme..	The Sisters of the Poor of St. Francis vs. The Mayor, etc., and the Clerk of Arrears.....	243 25	Summons and complaint. To have taxes for year 1882 on premises Ward Nos. 35 to 44, Block 224, Twelfth Ward, canceled ...	Bliss & Schley.
" ..	.....	.....	Orders vacating assessments, as follows: Underground drains, Seventy-eighth and Eightieth streets, Second to Third avenue—	C. C. Higgins.
" ..	Elizabeth Fox.....	238 56	Underground drains, Fifty-ninth and Sixty-fifth streets, Fourth to Fifth avenue—	T. F. Neville.
" ..	Helen M. Knickerbocker.....	110 25	.....	"
" ..	Henry A. J. Ronner..	514 25	Summons and complaint. To recover salary for services as interpreter, Tenth District Court, from January 1 to June 7, 1886....	Elliot Sandford.
Superior..	Casper Hake.....	685 29	Amended complaint to recover amount paid for an assessment for regulating and paving Third avenue, from Westchester avenue to northern boundary of Twenty-third Ward.....	A. B. Johnson.
Supreme..	.....	.....	Orders reducing assessments, as follows: Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets sewer, Fourth to Fifth avenue—	T. F. Neville.
" ..	William J. Gordon...	1,402 75	.....	"

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.	CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 7, 1887.				
					No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
Supreme.	James Crowley.....	\$261 81	Orders reducing assessments, as follows : Seventy-second street sewer, Third to Fourth avenue—	T. F. Neville.	7855	Mar. 28, 1887	Fire.....	The La France Fire-engine Co. : (Sureties : Richard A. Elmer, Marvelle W. Cooper. Bond, \$1,700.)	Furnishing a Hayes turn-table hook and ladder truck. Total, \$2,400.
	Mary Crombie.....	2,518 93	Seventy-ninth and Eighty-eighth streets sewer, Fourth to Fifth avenue—	"	7856	" 28, "	"	The La France Fire-engine Co. : (Sureties : Richard A. Elmer, Marvelle W. Cooper. Bond, \$2,000.)	Furnishing a second-size La France steam fire-engine. Total, \$4,000.
	John H. Gray and others.....	476 55	"	"	7857	Apr. 30, "	Public Parks.....	A. E. Moran : (Sureties : D. W. Moran, Mich'l McGrath, Bond, \$500.)	Furnishing and setting curb-stones around Jeannette Park at Counties Slip, between South and Front streets. Estimate, \$1,386.
	Mary L. Collins.....	371 72	"	"	7858	" 25, "	Public Works (Special)	Bernard A. Roth.....	Fencing vacant lots on south side One Hundred and Twenty-second street, commencing about 174 feet west of Seventh avenue, and extending about 498 feet towards Eighth avenue. Estimate, \$196.
	Benjamin Wilson.....	304 53	"	"	7859	" 25, "	"	"	Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Eighth and One Hundred and Ninth streets, First and Second avenues. Estimate, \$425.81.
	Mary A. Brooks.....	243 03	"	"	7860	" 25, "	"	"	Fencing vacant lots on north side of One Hundred and Tenth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues. Estimate, \$24.50.
	Max Weil.....	721 62	"	"	7861	" 28, "	"	John S. Masters.....	Flagging sidewalks on south side of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from First avenue to Avenue A. Estimate, \$303.95.
	W. H. Schermerhorn.....	593 64	"	"	7862	" 28, "	"	"	Regulating and grading One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from the east side of Twelfth avenue to the tracks of the Hudson River Railroad Company, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks. Estimate, \$387.95.
	M. I. Schermerhorn.....	868 89	"	"	7863	" 29, "	"	John J. Farley..... (Sureties : Alexander McSorley, John T. Farley. Bond, \$3,000.)	Regulating and grading One Hundred and Third street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks. Estimate, \$5,689.45.
	Sarah M. Porter.....	356 03	"	"	7864	" 29, "	(Bond) ..	Bernard Mahon..... (Surety : John McKim. Bond, \$150.)	Laying crosswalks across Tenth avenue, on the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street. Estimate, \$258.
	Stephen V. Stafford.....	1,155 59	"	"	7865	" 29, "	"	Bernard Mahon..... (Surety : John McKim. Bond, \$300.)	Laying crosswalks across the north and south and east and west sides of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Thirtieth street. Estimate, \$618.50.
	Timothy C. Eastman.....	743 44	"	"	7866	" 30, "	"	Lawrence Martin..... (Sureties : Daniel Malone, Charles Jones. Bond, \$500.)	Sewer in Avenue B, between Fifth and Sixth streets. Estimate, \$1,532.70.
	Thomas Murphy.....	775 80	"	"	7867	May 2, "	Public Charities and Correction.....	H. Henneberger..... (Sureties : Henry L. R. Pershall, Robert Rutter. Bond, \$800.)	Furnishing 8,100 pounds dairy butter and 500 pounds cheese. Total, \$1,375.02.
	Anne Mahaney.....	1,486 88	"	"	7868	" 2, "	Public Charities and Correction.....	Rowland A. Robbins..... (Sureties : James S. Barron, William H. Barron. Bond, \$1,900.)	Furnishing 10,000 yards ticking, 5,000 yards cotton jeans, 25,000 yards bandage muslin, 1,000 pounds knitting cotton, 5 dozen glass-cutters and 100 quires sand-paper. Total, \$3,178.67.
	John D. Surtevant.....	1,488 12	"	"	7869	Apr. 9, "	Public Works.....	John J. Farley..... (Sureties : Alexander McSorley, John T. Farley. Bond, \$4,000.)	Regulating and grading One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks. Estimate, \$1,653.40.
	Joseph Honig.....	129 61	"	"	7870	May 2, "	"	James Slattery..... (Sureties : Leonard W. Johnson, John G. Smith. Bond, \$1,000.)	Regulating and grading Eighty-seventh street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks. Estimate, \$230.75.
C. H. McIntyre.....	228 50	"	"	7871	" 2, "	"	Andrew Low..... (Sureties : Peter McGinness, D. W. Moran. Bond, \$500.)	Setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks on both sides of Counties Slip, between Front and South streets. Estimate, \$1,972.40.	
James A. Striker and others.....	2,450 65	"	"	7872	" 2, "	"	Andrew Low..... (Sureties : Peter McGinness, D. W. Moran. Bond, \$500.)	Setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from New avenue, West, to Sixth avenue. Estimate, \$1,223.87.	
Mary E. C. Thebaud and another.....	712 73	"	"						
Ernest Conrades.....	220 18	Seventy-second street sewer, Third to Fourth avenue—	T. F. Neville.						
"		Transcripts of judgments in favor of the following, viz.:	C. C. Higgins.						
Joseph Lynes.....	147 45	"	"						
Ruth A. Wallace.....	532 38	"	"						
Hopper S. Mott and another.....	828 42	"	"						
Superior..	Abian S. Beekman and others.....	1,007 18	Summons and complaint. To recover amount paid for an assessment for Boulevard sewers, Seventy-seventh to Ninety-second street.....	A. B. Johnson.					
Supreme..	The Children's Aid Society.....	.....	Order vacating assessment for paving Eighteenth street, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.....	Elliot Sandford.					
Superior..	Chauncey G. Stone...	1,183 55	Notice and transcript of judgment.....	James A. Deering.					
Supreme..	Ruth A. Wallace.....	47 24	Order reducing assessment for Seventh avenue sewer, Greenwich avenue to Fifty-ninth street.....	C. C. Higgins.					
"	In matter of opening One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Brook and Elton avenues.....	170 59	Certified copy order taxing bill of costs of Commissioners in said matter.....	E. Henry Lacombe, Corporation Counsel.					
"	In matter of opening One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Brook and Elton avenues.....	.....	Certified copy order confirming report of Commissioners in said matter.....	E. Henry Lacombe, Corporation Counsel.					
"	In matter of Harlem river improvement.	750 00	Consent of Bangs & Stetson, attorneys for John H. Morris, assignee of James D. Fish, and of A. H. Alker, attorney of James E. Ward, specific assistance, to payment of \$520 to Benjamin D. Stillman and F. A. Ward, attorneys for said Fish, out of amount allowed him as Commissioner in said matter.....						
DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.					

## CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
May 2	.....	.....	Demands. For return of amounts paid for assessments, as follows : Seventy-ninth and Eighty-eighth streets sewer, Fourth to Fifth avenue— Paid November 29, 1872.....	C. C. Higgins.
	Maria J. Schermerhorn and another.....	\$660 32	" June 14, 1872.....	"
	Wm. H. Schermerhorn.....	404 50	Seventy-second street sewer, Third to Fourth avenue— Paid November 20, 1873.....	"
	Joseph Honig.....	212 96	" October 4, 1873.....	"
	Charles H. McIntyre.....	483 77	" March 6, 1874.....	T. F. Neville.
" 2	Louis Herzog.....	.....	Notice of withdrawal of claim, served April 19, 1887, to recover amount paid for an assessment for Fifth avenue regulating, etc.....	A. B. Johnson.
" 3	.....	.....	Claims and demands. For return of amounts paid for assessments, as follows : Fifth avenue regulating, etc., Ninetieth to One Hundred and Twentieth street— Paid April 26, 1880.....	"
	F. F. Vandever.....	94 95	One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer— Paid January 22, 1879.....	"
	J. W. O'Shaughnessy.....	113 06	" October 23, 1879.....	"
" 3	William Williamson.....	158 71	.....	"
	Lewis J. Phillips and others.....	251 00	Amended demand for return of amount paid for an assessment for regulating, etc., Tenth avenue, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street.....	"
" 5	Gouverneur Morris.....	205 26	Claim and demand. For awards made by Damage Map Letters E and F, in matter of opening East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Brook and Elton avenues.....	W. Stebbins Smith.
" 5	.....	.....	Claims and demands. For return of amounts paid for assessments, as follows : Seventy-ninth and Eighty-eighth streets sewer, Fourth to Fifth avenue— Paid December 21, 1872.....	C. C. Higgins.
	Mary E. C. Thebaud and another.....	305 44	Seventy-second street sewer, Third to Fourth avenue— Paid June 30, 1874.....	T. F. Neville.
" 5	Ernest Conrades.....	224 61	.....	"
" 6	Mutual Life Insurance Co.....	2,360 38	Claim and demand. For return of amount paid for an assessment for outlet sewer in Ninety-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and Hudson river.....	"
" 6	Ruth A. Wallace.....	99 59	Claim and demand. For return of amount paid for an assessment for Seventh avenue sewer, between Greenwich avenue and Fifty-ninth street.....	C. C. Higgins.
" 6	Lydia S. Floyd.....	90 02	Claim and demand. For return of amount paid for an assessment for St. Nicholas avenue sewers, One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	John C. Shaw.
" 7	Edward A. Leroy.....	2,138 38	Claim and demand. For return of amount paid for an assessment for sewer in Fifty-third street, between First avenue and Avenue A.....	T. F. Neville.

## Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller, by representative, attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz. :  
May 2. The Department of Public Works—For constructing sewers and for regulating and paving in the several streets and avenues enumerated in the advertisements of said Department, dated April 18, 1887, published in the CITY RECORD.  
May 6. The Department of Public Charities and Correction—For furnishing 2,000 barrels flour, No. 1, and 2,000 barrels flour, No. 2 ; for furnishing steam, cast-iron and lead pipe-fittings, etc. ; also rims, hubs, spokes, felloes and steel ; for furnishing 1,000 tons of ice, and for furnishing miscellaneous groceries, dry goods, hardware, tin and lumber.

## Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz. :  
May 4. For furnishing the illuminating material for and lighting, extinguishing, etc. (and supplying gas, etc., for new lamps, when required), the public lamps on the streets, avenues, piers, parks and public places in the City of New York, from May 1, 1887, to April 30, 1888, inclusive.  
The Northern Gas-light Co., No. 1845 Vanderbilt avenue, Principal.  
John G. Davis, New York Hotel, } Sureties.  
James M. Cummings, No. 45 Duane street, }  
May 4. For paving, with trap-block pavement, Pitt street, from Stanton to Division street.  
William A. Cumming, Stamford, Conn., Principal.  
James Mulry, No. 30 East Eighty-first street, } Sureties.  
Julius A. Candee, foot East Twenty-sixth street, }

## Approved by Deputy Comptroller.

May 6. For paving, with trap-block pavement, Bank street, from Hudson to Washington street ; Greenwich street, from Canal to Spring street, and Congress street, from King to Houston street.  
P. H. Fitzgerald, No. 428 West Thirty-fifth street, Principal.  
Charles Guidet, No. 41 Park avenue, } Sureties.  
John White, No. 536 West Fortieth street, }

## Return of Proposals.

May 4. Proposals of Brown & Fleming for furnishing the Department of Public Parks with screened gravel, and with broken trap-rock stone and screenings, returned to said Department for action on the proposed substitution of Edward C. Sheehy, No. 411 East Eighty-eighth street, as a surety thereon, in the place of Patrick Sheehy, No. 1601 Second avenue, one of the original sureties.  
Official Bond Approved and Filed.  
April 7. John Tracey, Police Clerk, Principal.  
Edward Cooper, No. 12 Washington Square, } Sureties.  
William Dorsheimer, No. 101 Park avenue, }  
Penalty, \$5,000. Dated, March 26, 1887.  
May 2. Stephen McCormick, Superintendent of Lamps and Gas, Department of Public Works, Principal.  
Thompson W. Decker, No. 836 Lexington avenue, } Sureties.  
Charles B. Cornell, No. 143 East Twenty-first street, }  
Dated, May 2, 1887. Penalty, \$2,000.

## Designation.

May 5. Richard A. Storrs, Deputy Comptroller, to act as Comptroller on May 6, 1887.  
E. V. LOEW, Comptroller.



## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS  
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,  
For the week ending May 7, 1887.

## Barometer.

DATE. MAY.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	1	29.864	29.856	29.950	29.890	29.988	12 P.M.	29.676	0 A.M.
Monday,	2	30.100	30.144	30.200	30.145	30.200	9 P.M.	29.988	0 A.M.
Tuesday,	3	30.190	30.156	30.126	30.157	30.200	0 A.M.	30.086	12 P.M.
Wednesday,	4	30.034	29.942	29.935	29.971	30.056	0 A.M.	29.900	5 P.M.
Thursday,	5	29.958	29.942	29.963	29.959	29.974	9 A.M.	29.936	0 A.M.
Friday,	6	30.030	30.002	30.088	30.030	30.088	9 P.M.	29.950	0 A.M.
Saturday,	7	30.100	30.100	30.116	30.105	30.144	11 A.M.	30.056	0 A.M.

Mean for the week..... 30.036 inches.  
 Maximum " at 0 A.M., May 3..... 30.200 "  
 Minimum " at 0 A.M., May 1..... 29.676 "  
 Range " ..... .524 "

## Thermometers.

DATE. MAY.		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday,	1	43	41	66	53	62	54	58.6	49.3	72
Monday,	2	55	50	68	59	56	52	59.6	53.6	71
Tuesday,	3	52	49	67	62	58	56	59.0	55.6	72
Wednesday,	4	54	52	77	70	65	62	65.3	61.3	78
Thursday,	5	58	51	70	59	59	54	62.3	54.6	71
Friday,	6	54	50	63	58	54	50	57.0	52.6	65
Saturday,	7	50	48	54	50	48	51.3	48.6	55	55

Mean for the week..... 59.0 degrees.  
 Maximum for the week, at 3 P.M., 4th..... 78. " at 4 P.M., 4th..... 71. "  
 Minimum " at 5 A.M., 1st..... 45. " at 5 A.M., 1st..... 40. "  
 Range " ..... 32. " ..... 31. "

## Wind.

DATE. MAY.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.			
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time.
Sunday,	1...	WNW	W	WSW	62	71	39	172	0	1/2	0	10.10 A.M.
Monday,	2...	WNW	SE	ESE	8	45	71	124	0	1/2	0	4.50 P.M.
Tuesday,	3...	ENE	ENE	NE	34	38	39	111	0	0	0	3.30 P.M.
Wednesday,	4...	NW	E	SE	16	9	17	42	0	0	0	.....
Thursday,	5...	NNE	SE	E	35	40	46	121	0	0	0	3.50 P.M.
Friday,	6...	NE	ESE	ENE	46	67	61	174	1/2	2 1/2	1/2	2 P.M.
Saturday,	7...	ENE	NE	NE	99	87	68	254	1	1/2	1	8.20 A.M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 998 miles.  
 Maximum force " ..... 2 1/2 pounds.

DATE. MAY.		Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.			
		FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMID- ITY.		CLEAR.	O. OVERCAST.	IO.	DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.			
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.
Sunday,	1	.166	.231	.312	49	36	56	2 Cir.	6 Cir.	0	.....
Monday,	2	.295	.380	.335	68	55	74	2 Cir.	3 Cir.	0	.....
Tuesday,	3	.308	.489	.422	79	74	87	10	2 Cir.	4 Cir.	.....
Wed'n' day,	4	.362	.639	.516	86	69	83	10	10	8 Cu.	.....
Thursday,	5	.282	.354	.351	53	48	70	10	10	6 Cir.	.....
Friday,	6	.308	.416	.303	74	72	74	3 Cir.	10	10	.....
Saturday,	7	.309	.308	.309	85	74	85	10	10	10	.....

Total amount of water for the week..... 0.14 inch.  
 Duration for the week..... 0 day, 1 hour, 30 minutes.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held May 4, 1887.

Present—Commissioners Stark, Matthews and Koch.

On motion of the President, Commissioner Koch took the Chair, and the Board proceeded to organize for the ensuing year.

Commissioner Stark, having received all the votes cast, was unanimously elected President of the Board for the year ending April 30, 1888.

Commissioner Matthews, having received all the votes cast, was unanimously elected Treasurer of the Board for the year ending April 30, 1888.

On motion, Charles Miller, Jr., was detailed to perform duty as Acting Secretary until otherwise ordered by the Board.

The minutes of the meeting held April 30, 1887, were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From his Honor Mayor Hewitt:

1st. Requesting information in reference to the permit granted to the Knickerbocker Ice Company to build a bridge extending from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street, East river.

2d. Enclosing communication received from A. T. Decker &amp; Co., in reference to contract for lumber. The action of the President in replying thereto was approved.

From Civil Service Supervisory and Examining Boards—In reference to a reclassification of the employees in the service of the Department. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Hoboken Land and Improvement Company—Requesting permission to alter, modify, change and repair the present ferry sheds and appurtenances at the foot of Barclay street, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Roberts &amp; King—Requesting a renewal of permit for tally-house on Pier 11, East river. Permission granted, to be and remain only during the will of the Board.

From George Rupprecht—Requesting a lease of Pier, foot of Fifty-fifth street, North river. Application denied, and the President authorized to advise that the Board have no power to lease wharf property except at public auction.

From Department of Public Works—Reporting that it will be necessary, in order to reach the proper point of elevation for connection with the new sewer built by the Department under Pier, new 21, North river, to take up some of the flooring of the dock or Pier. Permission granted to the Department of Public Works to make excavation and remove portion of plank approach that may be necessary in order to make connection with the brick sewer in rear of the bulkhead wall at Pier, new 21, North river, under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

From Lehigh Valley Railroad Company—In reference to repairing Pier 2, North river.

From F. P. Eastman—Requesting the Department to place him in possession of the bulkhead at foot East Seventieth street, East river, purchased at public sale, held April 9, 1887. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Hoboken Land and Improvement Company—Requesting permission to repair south ferry-rack, foot of Christopher street, North river. Permission granted, all of the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

From Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company—Requesting permission to remove gas-fixtures, shade, chimneys, reflector and a short piece of pipe from office on the north side of Pier, new 43, North river. Permission granted, all the work of removing said gas-fixtures, etc., to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From James McClenahan, lessee—Requesting dredging on both sides of Pier foot of Thirtieth street, North river.

From Hunt &amp; Donaldson—Requesting dredging and repairing at the bulkhead south of Harrison street, between Piers, old 34 and 35, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report and repair and dredge if necessary.

From Providence Line—Requesting permission to erect small passenger office on the south side of Pier, old 29, North river, under the present shed, and remove delivery office from its present position on the south side to the north side of said pier. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Arthur D. Williams, attorney—Requesting copies of certain papers in reference to the lease of bulkhead between Piers, new 40 and 42, North river.

From Wing &amp; Evans—In reference to the removal of soda ash, etc., from new-made land, between Canal and West Tenth streets, North river.

From William G. Tucker—Requesting permission to erect a building for factory and other purposes on a portion of premises on the north side of East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Harlem river, as per plans submitted. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From William P. Clyde &amp; Co.—Requesting permission to make repairs to approach to Piers 33 1/2 and 34, East river. The action of the President in issuing a permit, the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, was approved.

From Joseph B. Erwin, Dock Master—Reporting holes in Piers, foot of Forty-seventh and Fifty-fifth streets, North river.

From Edward Abeel, Dock Master—Reporting mooring-pile required lower side of Pier 37, East river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.

From Patrick Curley, Dock Master—Reporting that oak fenders and bearing-pile are needed on south side of Pier, new 43, North river.

From John Simpson, Dock Master—Reporting hole in the bulkhead at the entrance to Pier, old 20, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty.

2d. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending April 30, 1887.

3d. Reporting completion of repairs to Pier, old 54, North river, under Contract No. 232. The action of the President in directing the Dock Master to collect wharfage from all vessels using said pier was approved.

4th. Reporting the amount of material removed by the Union Dredging Company with Department dredges during the month of April, 1887. The Treasurer authorized to collect amount from the Union Dredging Company.

5th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6476, respecting the application of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for renewal of lease of site for pier at West Fifty-ninth street, North river. The President authorized to have lease prepared and forwarded to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for execution.

6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6432, repairs required to the bulkhead between Piers, old 34 and 35, North river, and the pavement in front thereof. The President authorized to notify S. Charles Welsh, executor, to make the repairs required thereat, as recommended by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department and under his direction and supervision.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6460, in reference to the application of the Department of Public Works for permission to extend sewer outlet through the bulkhead at Sixty-fourth street, East river, and recommending that the said sewer shall not be carried out through the bulkhead, but on the northerly side thereof within the limits of East Sixty-fourth street. On motion, the report was received, recommendation adopted, and the President authorized to advise the Department of Public Works that permission is granted to extend the sewer outlet thereat, as recommended by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department and under his direction and supervision.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6444, in reference to the application of Thomas O'Brien for permission to place an ice bridge, weigh scales and box on Pier 55, East river. Permission granted to place ice bridge, etc., on said pier under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and to be and remain only during the will of the Board.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6452, that he had repaired sheathing on lower end of Pier at West Eleventh street, North river.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6043, that he had repaired new-made land on the bulkhead north of Pier, new 41, North river.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6042, that he had repaired new-made land on the bulkhead in front of Pier, new 43, North river.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6279, that he had repaired roof of shed on Pier, new 43, North river.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6428, that he had directed and superintended the driving of piles and repairing backing-log at Pier north of Ninety-first street, North river.

14th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5535, that he had directed and superintended dredging and erection of ferry-houses at the bulkhead between Piers 2 and 3, East river.

15th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6347, that he had superintended driving piles at south-west end of Battery.

16th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6367, that he had repaired damage to Pier foot of Eighteenth street, North river.

17th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6369, that he had removed piles driven at bulkhead on the site of old Dead-house north of Twenty-sixth street, East river.

18th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6381, that he had superintended driving four fender-piles, Pier 39, East river.

19th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6393, that he had driven three white oak spring-piles at outer upper corner of Pier 44, East river.

20th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6426, that he had superintended the erection of a movable platform on wooden horses on south side of Pier, old 24, North river.

21st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6440, that he had superintended driving three oak piles about twenty feet from Castle Garden wharf.

22d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6445, that he had superintended placing a weigh-scale on north side Pier 55, East river.

23d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6449, that he had refastened fender-piles on the north-west corner of Pier foot of Fifty-fifth street, North river.

24th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5667, that he had fastened fenders at Pier foot of Bethune street, North river.

25th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5834, that he had superintended repairing Pier 49, East river.

26th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6046, that he had repaired Pier A, North river.

27th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6249, that he had superintended repairing platform around Castle Garden.

28th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6307, that he had directed the repairing of Pier 9, North river.

29th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6319, that he had superintended and directed the erection of an ice platform on the northerly half of the bulkhead between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, North river.

30th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6320, that he had superintended repairing bulkhead on south side of Fifteenth street, North river.

31st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6334, that he had superintended placing two new fender-piles at upper outer corner of Pier 39, East river.

32d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6363, that he had superintended repairing deck of Pier, old 24, North river.

33d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6451, that he had repaired hole in deck of approach to Pier, New 59, North river.

34th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6152, that he had superintended erecting platform in front of bulkhead south of Warren street, North river.

35th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6436, that he had superintended altering water pipe, and placing a water meter on Pier, new 43, North river.

36th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6343, that he had superintended repairing spring pile loose on the northwest corner of Pier, new 21, North river.

37th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5876, that the erection of a ferry-house and shed structures at bulkhead between Piers 2 and 3, East river, had been superintended, and the work done in accordance with the plans, specifications and amendments filed therefor.

38th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6238, that he had superintended and directed the driving of piles in front of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Harlem river.

The application of James H. Caulfield, agent of the Haverstraw Brick Company, requesting use of Pier foot of West Seventeenth street, North river, was,  
On motion, ordered to be placed on file and the following resolution was adopted:  
Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to James H. Caulfield, agent of the Haverstraw Brick Company, to use and occupy, during the will of the Board, the Pier at the foot of West Seventeenth street, North river, provided he agrees to pay as compensation for the use thereof the sum of \$6 per day for each and every day, payable weekly in advance, to the Dock Master of the District, commencing May 14, 1887.

The application of the Western Stock Yard Company, lessees, requesting permission to sub-let portion of Pier foot of West Fortieth street, North river, to the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company, was,  
On motion, ordered to be placed on file and the following resolution was adopted:  
Resolved, That license and consent be and hereby is granted to the Western Stock Yard Company, lessees, to sublet to the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company, so much of the wharfage granted by a certain lease, dated the 29th day of April, 1887, as may accrue at the southerly side of the Pier foot of West Fortieth street, North river; provided that the said lessees, The Western Stock Yard Company, and the sureties to the said lease shall execute and file an agreement in writing with this Board that their obligations under the provisions thereof shall not in any manner be affected or impaired by reason of such license and consent to the said sub-letting.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 6484, in reference to the application of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company for permission to erect and maintain a freight transfer bridge and racks between Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, North river, was,  
On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution was adopted:  
Resolved, That permission be and hereby is granted to the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company to erect and maintain, between West Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, North river, "that kind of a pier called a freight transfer bridge and racks," in accordance with the plans submitted, which are hereby approved; all of the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and in accordance with the resolution adopted by the Board April 28, 1886.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, reported that he had notified Kennedy, Rinehart & Company that the rate of compensation to be paid by them for the privilege of maintaining an ice bridge on the approach of Pier foot of West Twenty-ninth street, North river, had been fixed at \$4 per day, payable weekly when due from and after Saturday, May 7, 1887.

On motion, his action was approved.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending May 3, 1887, amounting to \$115,580.68, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1887.					1887.
Apr. 25	William Brooks.....	dump tickets. 348-397 Y, at 20c....	\$10 00		
" 25	J. Mullen.....	" 398-422, " ....	5 00		
" 26	Frank Farrell.....	" 423-472, " ....	10 00		
" 26	M. Campbell.....	" 473-522, " ....	10 00		
" 26	M. Finin.....	" 523-547, " ....	5 00		
" 26	G. Seaman.....	" 547-552, " ....	1 00		
" 27	J. Campbell.....	" 553-602, " ....	10 00		
" 27	E. Kelly.....	" 603-612, " ....	2 00		
" 27	J. Mulry.....	" 613-620, " ....	1 60		
" 27	E. Kelly.....	" 621-645, " ....	5 00		
" 27	M. Campbell.....	" 646-670, " ....	5 00		
" 27	M. Campbell.....	" 671-721, " ....	10 20		
" 27	F. Finin.....	" 722-746, " ....	5 00		
" 28	F. Mullery.....	" 747-756, " ....	2 00		
" 28	F. Mullery.....	" 757-763, " ....	1 40		
" 28	P. Kelly.....	" 764-767, " ....	80		
" 28	M. Campbell.....	" 768-792, " ....	5 00		
" 28	F. Mullery.....	" 773-822, " ....	20 00		
			\$109 00	Apr. 30.	

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1887.					1887.
May 2	Cunard Steamship Co.....	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 40, N. R., and water, north side.....	\$7,500 00		
" 2	Ehrenreich Bros.....	1 qrs. rent, platform s. e. 63d street..	25 00		
" 2	H. P. Farrington.....	1 qrs. rent Pr., old 40, N. R., and bhd, northerly.....	5,000 00		
" 2	M. Goodwin.....	1 qrs. rent bhd. East 49th street.....	150 00		
" 2	Quebec S. S. Co.....	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 47, North river..	4,250 00		
" 2	Homer Ramsdell.....	1 qrs. rent Pier, old 35, North river..	3,750 00		
May 2	Sand & Koenig.....	1 mos. berth for bath, 56th st., E. R. ..	6 25		
" 2	Union Stock Yd. & Market Co.	1 qrs. rent Pier W. 58th st.....	1,250 00		
" 2	Van Sickler & Co.....	1 qrs. rent bulkhead south Franklin st.	700 00		
" 2	Prov. & Stonington S. S. Co.....	1 qrs. rent S. ½ Pier, old 23, etc., N. R.	6,250 00		
" 2	Compagnie Generale Transatlantique .....	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 42, N. R.....	7,625 00		
" 2	Peter Charles.....	1 qrs. rent pfm. bet. Prs. 38 & 39, E. R.	100 00		
" 2	Daniel Shea .....	1 qrs. rent Pier, Gansevoort st., N. R.	750 00		
" 2	Clark & Seaman .....	1 qrs. rent pfm. bet. Piers 8 and 9, N. R.	375 00		
" 2	William Cruikshank.....	1 qrs. rent extension to Pier 9, N. R. ..	200 00		
" 2	Catskill Evening Line.....	1 qrs. rent l. u. w. pfm. south side Pier, old 33, N. R.....	1,875 00		
" 2	Del. Lack. & West. R. R. Co.....	1 qrs. rent pfm. bet. Prs. 18 & 19, N. R.	375 00		
" 2	N. Y. & Baltimore Trans. Line.	1 qrs. rent pfm. and bhd. bet. Piers 6 and 8, N. R.....	100 00		
" 2	Pim, Forwood Co.....	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 55, N. R.....	5,000 00		
" 2	M. Campbell.....	Dumping tickets, 893-942 Y, at 20 cts.	\$10 00		
" 2	P. Kelly.....	" 943-947 " .....	1 00		
" 2	E. Kelly.....	" 948-972 " .....	5 00		
" 2	M. Brooks.....	" 973-997 " .....	5 00		
" 2	M. Finin.....	" 998-1022 " .....	5 00		
" 2	M. Semer.....	" 1023-1027 " .....	1 00		
" 2	M. Jackson.....	" 1028-1032 " .....	1 00		
" 2	E. Bradley.....	" 1033-1057 " .....	5 00		
" 2	F. McCarthy.....	" 1058-1107 " .....	10 00		
" 2	T. Mullery.....	" 1108-1112 " .....	1 00		
" 2	P. Kelly.....	" 1113-1115 " .....	60		
" 2	M. Earl.....	" 1116-1125 " .....	2 00		
" 2	M. Jackson.....	" 1126-1130 " .....	1 00		
" 2	F. Finin.....	" 1131-1155 " .....	5 00		
" 2	E. W. Fisher.....	Test of cement.....	10 00		
" 2	Jeremiah Skidmore's Sons.....	1 qrs. rent bulkhead at E. 35th st.....	125 00		
" 2	C. P. Huntington.....	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 37, N. R.....	17,500 00		
" 2	C. P. Huntington.....	1 mos. rent Pier, new 46, E. R.....	2,500 00		
" 2	Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Co.....	1 mos. rent Pier, new 43, N. R., except water on north side.....	2,000 00		
" 2	Twenty-third Street R'y Co.....	1 mos. use l. u. w., pfm, W. 23d st., N. R.....	100 00		
" 2	Associates Jersey Co.....	1 qrs. rent S. ½ Pier 18 and bhd. adj.	2,000 00		
" 2	Pennsylvania R. R. Co.....	1 qrs. rent Piers, new 27 and 28, N. R.	13,750 00		
" 2	" .....	1 qrs. rent l. u. w. adj. Piers 4 & 5, N. R.	4,500 00		
" 2	" .....	1 qrs. rent reclaimed land S. old Pier 1, N. R.....	250 00		
" 2	" .....	1 qrs. rent l. u. w. S. Pier 16, N. R....	250 00		
" 2	N. J. R. R. and Trans. Co.....	1 qrs. rent pfm. N. Desbrosses street.	250 00		
" 2	Associates Jersey Co.....	1 qrs. rent N. ½ Pier, old 39, N. R....	1,875 00		
" 2	Williams & Guion.....	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 38, N. R.....	7,500 00		
" 2	Metropolitan S. S. Co.....	1 qrs. rent pfm. at bhd. N. Pier 20, etc., N. R.....	187 50		
" 3	C. H. Mallory & Co.....	1 qrs. rent W. ½ Pier 21, E. R.....	\$1,500 00		
" 3	" .....	1 qrs. rent bhd. pfm. bet. Piers 20 and 21, E. R.....	418 75		
" 3	" .....	1 qrs. rent E. ½ Pier 20, E. R. and bhd. S.....	1,375 00		
" 3	" .....	1 qrs. use l. u. w. for pfm. S. Pier 20, E. R.....	50 00		
" 3	Hartford and N. Y. Trans. Co.	1 qrs. rent E. ½ Pier 24, E. R. and ½ bhd.....	1,625 00		
" 3	H. Yonge, Jr., agent.....	1 qrs. rent Pier, new 35, N. R.....	8,750 00		
" 3	J. V. Brown.....	1 qrs. rent E. ½ Pier 51, W. ½ Pier 50, etc., E. R.....	625 00		
" 3	" .....	1 qrs. rent Pier at 5th street, E. R.....	750 00		
" 3	C. H. Thompson.....	Wharfage District No. 1.....	118 07		
" 3	John Simpson.....	" 2.....	34 48		
" 3	Edward Abeel.....	" 3.....	406 36		
" 3	Patrick Curley.....	" 4.....	265 18		
" 3	Eugene McCarthy.....	" 5.....	131 41		
" 3	Charles B. Husted.....	" 6.....	269 63		
" 3	Charles P. Blake.....	" 7.....	75 11		
" 3	Patrick J. Brady.....	" 8.....	364 05		
" 3	Anthony Hartman.....	" 9.....	85 35		
" 3	Joseph B. Erwin.....	" 10.....	207 72		
" 3	John Callan.....	" 11.....	60 10		
" 3	Joseph F. Sharkey.....	" 12.....	209 12		
			17,340 33	May 3	
			\$115,580 68	\$115,580 68	

Respectfully submitted,  
JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.



The following requisitions were read, and  
On motion, adopted.

Register No.		Estimated cost,	
6017.	For services of tug, per hour.....	\$5 00	
6018.	For 105 tons of coal.....	425 00	
6019.	For drive piles, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-second street, N. R. ....	250 00	
6020.	For about 5,000 feet 5-inch yellow pine, per M. ....	26 00	
6021.	For about 85 spruce piles, each.....	3 75	
6022.	For repair of pavement in front of Pier, new 44, N. R. ....	12 50	
6023.	For 500 cubic yards broken stone.....	875 00	
6024.	For 250 cubic yards sand.....	187 50	
6025.	For 1,000 barrels Portland cement.....	2,250 00	
6026.	For services dredge, etc., Pier, new 35, N. R. ....	600 00	

Requisition No.

313. For 1 box laundry soap.

On motion, the President and Treasurer were authorized to prepare a list of bulkhead or wharf property to be sold at public auction between June 15 and 20, 1887.

The Board then went into Executive Session.

The President offered the following preamble and resolutions, which were unanimously adopted: Whereas, By the resignation of B. W. Ellison, Secretary, this Board is now without a Secretary; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Gouverneur Kemble be and he is hereby appointed Secretary of this Board, upon filing the bond required for the faithful performance of the duties of Secretary, in accordance with the By-laws of this Board.

Resolved, That the compensation of Gouverneur Kemble as Secretary, be and is hereby fixed at the rate of \$3,000 per annum, payable monthly, to take effect on the filing of his bond named in the foregoing resolution.

On motion, William Hayden was appointed Dock Builder and James Butler, Laborer.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

CHARLES MILLER, Jr., Acting Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, held May 9, 1887.

Present—Commissioners Stark, Matthews and Koch.

The minutes of the meeting held May 4, 1887, were read and approved.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

G. KEMBLE, Secretary.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending April 30, 1887.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,  
NEW YORK, May 6, 1887.

Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor:

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to April 30, 1887, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since April 23, 1887, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on April 30, 1887.

Very respectfully,

WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain, during the week ending April 30, 1887. CR.

1887. Apr. 30			1887. Apr. 30			
To Additional Water Fund.....	\$75,665 39		By Balance.....			\$2,447,163 86
Assessment Commission—Awards.....	630 38		Arrears of Taxes.....		Cady.....	\$40,196 34
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	3 05		Interest on Taxes.....		".....	9,210 16
Croton Water Fund.....	300 00		Fund for Street and Park Openings.....		".....	380 92
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	30 00		Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886.....		".....	15,325 86
Dock Fund.....	3,544 29		Interest on Assessments.....		".....	10,485 35
Dog License Fund.....	303 00		Harlem River Improvement Fund.....		".....	261 22
Excise Licenses.....	45,138 93		Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....		".....	76 00
For Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	109,033 37		Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....		".....	26 50
Local Improvement Fund.....	328 10		Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....		".....	35 21
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	321 89		Restoring and Repaving.....		Department of Public Parks	137 00
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	4,651 91	\$239,992 91	Restoring and Repaving.....		Department of Public Works	959 00
Advertising.....	1887. 86 30		Taxes.....		McLean.....	2,548,195 21
Armories and Drill Rooms—Wages.....	1886. 1,030 00		Licenses.....		Brynes.....	669 00
Assessment Commission—Expenses.....	1886. 15 63		Dog License Fund.....		Matthews.....	433 00
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	1887. 1,192 96		Dock Fund.....		".....	129 00
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	1887. 11 25		Iron Bridge—Fourth Avenue and Ninety-eighth Street.....		Comptroller.....	1,650 00
Bronx River Bridges—Repairs and Maintenance.....	" 19 40		Contingencies—Law Department, 1887.....		".....	15,133 55
Civil Service of the City of New York.....	" 3,075 33		Tapping Pipes.....		Chambers.....	413 50
Cleaning Markets.....	1886. 275 30		Water Meter Fund No. 2.....		Lacombe.....	113 57
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	1887. 7,438 71		General Fund.....		Britton.....	493 28
College of the City of New York.....	1885. 1 54		".....		Newton.....	883 21
College of the City of New York.....	1887. 87 47		".....		".....	44 53
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	1886. 7 60		".....		Cadwalader.....	477 22
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	1887. 105 19		3 per cent. Assessment Bonds.....		Commissioners Sinking Fund	75,000 00
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	" 104 82		Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded.....		".....	146 50
Contingencies—Law Department.....	" 326 34		Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....		".....	597 40
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	1886. 15 73					
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	1887. 237 88					
Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	" 1 16					
Cromwell's Creek Bridges.....	" 7 36					
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors and Marines.....	1886. 6,326 57					
Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	1887. 3,463 73					
Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	" 330 70					
Fire Department Fund—Furnishing.....	" 197 63					
For Procuring and Presenting Evidence as to the Value of Lands to be taken for New Parks.....	1886. 08 00					
For Repairs to Seventh Regiment Armory Building.....	1887. 22,367 86					
For Support of Children Committed by Police Magistrates.....	" 275 06					
Health Fund—Contingencies.....	" 1,170 10					
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	" 781 51					
Hospital for the Care of Contagious Diseases.....	1884. 1,650 00					
Iron Bridge—Fourth Avenue and Ninety-eighth Street.....	" 35 50					
Incumbrances—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Removal of.....	1887. 1,112 50					
Interest on the City Debt—Before January, 1886.....	1887. 105 00					
Interest on the City Debt—Before January, 1887.....	" 1,179 10					
Judgments.....	" 98 50					
Jurors' Fees.....	" 270 10					
Laying Croton Pipes.....	" 590 62					
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	" 2,459 38					
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1886. 3,082 90					
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Labor.....	1887. 8,958 03					
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Museums.....	" 1,576 30					
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Police.....	" 6,734 33					
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Zoological Department.....	" 696 87					
Police Fund.....	" 325,435 58					
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	" 3,484 58					
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	" 682 35					
Public Charities and Correction—Alterations, Additions and Repairs.....	1886. 139 36					
Public Charities and Correction—Alterations, Additions and Repairs.....	1887. 299 99					
Public Charities and Correction—Coal.....	" 215 00					
Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1886. 820 30					
Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1887. 8,481 16					
Public Charities and Correction—Paupers.....	" 220 70					
Public Instruction.....	1885. 90 00					
Public Instruction—Building Contingent Fund.....	1886. 137 01					
Public Instruction—Building Contingent Fund.....	1887. 327 54					
Public Instruction—Clerks to Boards of Trustees.....	1886. 17 43					
Public Instruction—Gas.....	" 12 51					
Public Instruction—Heating.....	1887. 175 75					
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Board of Education.....	1887. 294 00					
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Evening Schools.....	1886. 125 84					
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Normal College.....	" 5 00					
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Normal College.....	1887. 178 65					
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Ward Schools.....	1886. 245 38					
Public Instruction—Incidental Expenses Ward Schools.....	1887. 437 39					
Public Instruction—Repairs.....	" 91 34					
Public Instruction—Salaries of Teachers, Evening Schools.....	1887. 3,728 50					
Public Instruction—Salaries of Teachers, Grammar and Primary Schools.....	1886. 80 75					
Public Instruction—Nautical School.....	1887. 3,944 95					
Public Instruction—Supplies.....	1886. 101 63					
Public Instruction—Supplies.....	1887. 4,823 11					
Riverside Park and Avenue.....	" 725 27					
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling.....	" 90 00					
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	" 10 90					
Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	" 68 70					
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 271 75					
Sprinkling—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 49 70					
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	" 1,524 48					
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	" 672 28					
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	1886. 75 73					
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	1887. 3 45					
Surveying, Laying-out, etc.—Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 23 50					
Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....	" 190 35					
Salaries—Judiciary.....	" 57 46					
Water Supply—Twenty-fourth Ward.....	1886. 379 87					
Water Supply—Twenty-fourth Ward.....	1887. 804 96					
Balance.....		437,189 12				
		4,574,701 60				
		\$5,011,890 63				\$5,011,890 63

E. & O. E.

NEW YORK, April 30, 1887.

1887.

Apr. 30 By Balance.....

WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending April 30, 1887.

1887. Apr. 23 Apr. 30			SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.	
			Dr.	Cr.	Dr.	Cr.
	By Balance, as per last account current.....	Cady.....		\$1,732,580 62		\$552,245 82
	Assessment Fund.....	Kelso.....				
	Street Improvement Fund.....	Byrnes.....				
	Market Rent and Fees.....	Matthews.....				
	Bond and Mortgage.....	Twelfth Ward Bank.....				
	Licenses.....	Central National Bank.....				
	Dock and Slip Rent.....	Metropolitan Trust Company.....				
	Interest on Deposits.....					
	".....					
	".....					
	Croton Water Rent and Penalties.....	Chambers.....		55,595 76		
	Croton Water Arrears and Interest.....	Cady.....				
	Croton Water Arrears.....	McLean.....				
	Court Fees and Fines.....	Sparks.....				
	Interest on Bond and Mortgage.....	Kelso.....				
	Ground Rent.....	".....				
	House Rent.....	".....				
	To Sinking Fund Redemption.....					25,756 67
	To Sinking Fund Interest.....					
	Balances.....					
			\$75,146 50		\$597 40	
			1,713,029 88		577,405 09	
			\$1,788,176 38	\$1,788,176 38	\$578,002 49	\$578,002 49
Apr. 30, 1887.	By Balances.....			\$1,713,029 88		\$577,405 09
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	NEW YORK, April 30, 1887.					
						WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 6th day of May, 1887.  
Present—Commissioners Porter, McClave, and Voorhis.

### Leave of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Patrick W. Valley, Sixteenth Precinct, 60 days, half pay.  
Sundry reports were ordered on file, and copies to be forwarded to the Mayor.

### Reports ordered on File, and copies to be forwarded to the Board of Excise.

Captain Webb, Fourth Precinct—On character of Stephen P. Ryan, No. 8 Chambers street.  
Captain Allaire, Eleventh Precinct—On character of Jacob Guterding, No. 50 Orchard street.  
Report of the Superintendent as to character of the British Claim Agency, Stewart Building, was ordered on file, and copy to be forwarded to M. W. Burnham, Curtis Corner, Me.

### Reports approved and ordered on File.

Surgeon Damainville—Stating that he had relieved Patrolman George Michaelson, Thirty-third Precinct, because of contagious disease in family.  
Surgeon Voorhis—Stating that Patrolman Edward Wallace, Sixteenth Precinct, had been sent to hospital, suffering with small-pox, and the Superintendent, stating that he had directed all Patrolmen in School of Instruction with Wallace to be vaccinated, and the School of Instruction to be fumigated.

Report of Captain Williams, Nineteenth Precinct, on complaint of disorderly persons at Twenty-seventh street and Sixth avenue, was ordered on file, and copy to be forwarded to J. L. Prevost.

Report of Captain McElwain, Sixteenth Precinct, on complaint against No. 224 West Sixteenth street, was ordered on file, and copy to be forwarded to P. Fagin.

### Reports referred to the Treasurer to pay the Sums named into the Pension Fund.

Superintendent—Enclosing \$147.50, fees for pistol permits in April, 1887.  
Treasurer's Bookkeeper—Enclosing \$253.75, proceeds of sale of four horses.

### Reports Ordered on File.

Superintendent—On application of Sergeant Michael M. Rooney, Twenty-third Precinct.  
Surgeons—On permanent disability for April, 1887.  
Captain Conlin, Twenty-seventh Precinct—Death Patrolman James Mullany, on 1st instant.  
Captain Ryan, Twenty-first Precinct—Death Patrolman John W. Campbell, on 6th instant.  
Reports as to character of performances, etc., at the following places, were ordered on file, and copies to be forwarded to the Mayor:

Niblo's Garden, No. 582 Broadway.  
Lycium Theatre, No. 316 Fourth avenue.  
London Theatre, No. 235 Bowery.  
Dockstadter's Hall, No. 1195 Broadway.  
Union Square Theatre, No. 56 East Fourteenth street.  
Fourteenth Street Theatre, No. 105 West Fourteenth street.  
Daly's Theatre, No. 1219 Broadway.  
Recreation Hall, One Hundred and Seventh street and Lexington avenue.  
Windsor Theatre, No. 145 Bowery.  
Meyer's Music Hall, No. 165 Chrystie street.  
Fifth Avenue Theatre, Broadway and Twenty-eighth street.  
Chickering Hall, No. 130 Fifth avenue.  
Metropolitan Opera-house, No. 1411 Broadway.  
Harrigan's Park Theatre, Broadway and Thirty-fifth street.  
Lexington Avenue Opera-house, No. 155 East Fifty-eighth street.  
Wallacks Theatre, No. 1222 Broadway.  
Star Theatre, No. 844 Broadway.

### Applications for Pension Referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Robert Gordon, guardian of children of John Dunlop.  
Mary L. Russell, widow of William A. Russell.

### Applications for Promotion Referred to the Board of Examiners for Citation.

Sergeant Judson Golden, Tenth Precinct.  
Patrolman Patrick Leonard, Thirtieth Precinct.  
Application of Roundsman James W. Jordan, Fourteenth Precinct, for promotion, was referred to the Superintendent for report as to conduct and efficiency.

### Applications Denied.

Patrolman Patrick A. Leslie, Thirty-first Precinct—For advancement to First Grade.  
James Elliott, Twentieth Precinct—For advancement to Second Grade.

### Application for Appointment of Special Patrolmen referred to the Superintendent for Report.

Rudolph Aronson—For Henry G. Mallam.  
Twenty-third Street Railway Company—For Thomas Gorey.  
Application of Lawrence Collins, for appointment as Doorman, was referred to the Civil Service Board.

### Applications Ordered on File.

District Attorney—For presence of Patrolman Willis D. Ives, Seventeenth Precinct.  
F. H. Staaks—For appointment as Patrolman.  
Application of William H. Eckert, General Superintendent Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, for return of specifications, drawings, etc., was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, with power.

The Superintendent submitted a proposed bill amending the Police Pension Law, which was ordered on file and copies to be forwarded to the Mayor and Counsel to the Corporation for approval.  
Communication from the Comptroller, transmitting warrants, was referred to the Treasurer.  
Communication from Ed. F. Koell and others, complaining of noise of machinery in factory No. 240 Eldridge street, was referred to the Health Department.

### Communications Ordered on File.

Counsel to the Corporation—Opinion as to right of hotel keepers to furnish ales, wines, etc., to guests on Sunday.

Commissioners Charities and Correction—Relative to detail of officer on Ward's Island.  
Communication to the Mayor, relative to ordinance against sweeping dirt from stores into streets, was ordered on file, and copy to be forwarded to the Superintendent for his information and guidance, and to issue instructions to force in accordance therewith.

Communication from the Board of Apportionment, calling for statement of unexpended balances, was referred to the Treasurer.

### Communications referred to the Superintendent for Action, as indicated.

From the Mayor—Sundry complaints, for report.  
From Board of Excise—For information as to character of:  
Benjamin H. Heath, No. 3 First street.  
Stephen P. Ryan, No. 8 Chambers street.  
Jacob Guterding, No. 50 Orchard street.  
Samuel J. Knight, No. 136 Chrystie street.  
Notices of applications rejected (2).  
Notices of licenses transferred (37).  
Commissioner of Public Works—Request that contractors be prohibited from placing material or doing any work in the streets unless they produce an order from the Department of Public Works (Superintendent to issue order in compliance).  
Commissioner of Street Cleaning—Relative to night collection of ashes, etc., in Fifteenth Precinct (Superintendent to distribute circular, when issued, and co-operate with Department of Street Cleaning).

Joseph B. Walsh—Complaint against Patrolman John Hock, Fourteenth Precinct (for investigation and report).

On reading communication from William DeLacy, Grand Marshal, etc., it was  
Resolved, That the Superintendent be authorized to grant leave of absence to members of the force who are members of the Grand Army of the Republic, to participate in the ceremonies of Decoration Day, if exigencies of the service will permit.

On reading communication from the Comptroller, it was  
Resolved, That the requisition upon the Comptroller dated March 18, 1887, for the sum of \$16,507.20 for the first payment on the new Twenty-eighth Precinct Station-house, be and is hereby amended by making the amount \$14,937.48.

Whereas, The Supervising Architect in the building of the new Twenty-eighth Precinct Station-house has certified to this Board that he "prohibited and restrained" the contractor, Mr. James H. Brady, from proceeding with the work during certain days in December, 1886, January, February, March and April, 1887 (the dates being named in said certificate), because the weather on those dates "was so cold and freezing, or storming, that cement mortar could not be safely used, and also because the Building Law prohibits the building of stone or other walls during freezing" weather; and

Whereas, For the reasons assigned some of said work had to be taken down and done over again; therefore

Resolved, That the act of the Supervising Architect in prohibiting and restraining the said work, and for the reasons stated, be ratified and approved; and that the said contract be extended ninety-four days, or to September 1, 1887, with the assent of the sureties to said contract and approval thereof by the Counsel to the Corporation.

### Resignations Accepted.

Patrolman Joseph Hicman, Twelfth Precinct.  
James F. Conway, Twenty-second Precinct.  
Special Patrolmen Henry G. Mallam and George W. Hawkins.

### Appointed Patrolmen.

Precinct.		Precinct.	
Thomas O'Brien.....	9	James Macauley.....	18
Jeremiah Mahony.....	4	Daniel H. Driscoll.....	4
Peter McDermott.....	19		

### Special Patrolman Appointed.

George Muller, for Commissioners of Emigration.

### Transfers, etc.

Roundsman John McCarthy, First Precinct, detail as Acting Sergeant, temporarily.  
" Henry Aitken, Sixteenth Precinct, detail as Acting Sergeant, temporarily.  
Patrolman Michael Flanner, First Precinct, detail as Doorman, temporarily.  
" Joseph F. Lewis, Twenty-third Precinct, detail as Doorman, temporarily.  
" Thomas F. Lawler, Eighth Precinct, detail as Precinct Detective.  
" Philip E. Reville, Thirty-first Precinct, detail at Fleetwood Park.  
" John D. McCarthy, Nineteenth Precinct, detail at Ward's Island.  
" Philip Blass, Seventeenth Precinct, remand to patrol.  
" Frank Baker, from Eighteenth Precinct to Fourteenth Precinct, detail at Cooper Institute.  
" Frank Gunn, from Fourteenth Precinct to Eighteenth Precinct, remand to patrol.  
" Joseph P. McGuire, from Eighth Precinct to Fifteenth Precinct.  
" Philip F. Mahoney, from Eighth Precinct to Seventh Precinct.  
" Thomas J. Keliher, from Second Precinct to Fifth Precinct.  
" John H. Smith, from Eighth Precinct to Ninth Precinct.  
" John J. Shiel, from Ninth Precinct to Twenty-sixth Precinct.  
" Thomas F. Wall, from Sixteenth Precinct to Second Precinct.  
" Samuel Aiken, from Sixteenth Precinct to Second Precinct.  
" William Thompson, from Sixteenth Precinct to Nineteenth Precinct.  
" Patrick Hardiman, from Sixteenth Precinct to Eighth Precinct.  
" George W. Krowl, from Sixteenth Precinct to Ninth Precinct.

### Advanced to First Grade.

Patrolman Patrick Giblin, Second Precinct, May 6, 1887.  
" William Cunningham, Fourth Precinct, May 6, 1887.  
" John Harrold, Eighth Precinct, May 2, 1887.  
" August Brichof, Tenth Precinct, May 6, 1887.  
" Charles Jacob, Twelfth Precinct, May 6, 1887.  
" Jacob T. Meyer, Fourteenth Precinct, May 6, 1887.  
" Edward F. Smith, Fourteenth Precinct, May 6, 1887.  
" Peter J. Blanch, Fifteenth Precinct, May 6, 1887.



Patrolman Thomas F. Maguire, Sixteenth Precinct, May 6, 1887.  
 " Lewis P. Warren, Twenty-first Precinct, May 4, 1887.  
 " Thomas T. Bambrick, Twenty-second Precinct, May 2, 1887.  
 " Caspar Platte, Twenty-ninth Precinct, May 4, 1887.  
 " George Nicolai, Twenty-ninth Precinct, May 6, 1887.  
 " Guido A. Mangoni, Thirty-second Precinct, May 6, 1887.

#### Advanced to Second Grade.

Patrolman John Calhoun, Seventh Precinct, May 5, 1887.  
 " William J. Fraser, Fourteenth Precinct, May 5, 1887.  
 " Hugh Gaffney, Sixteenth Precinct, May 5, 1887.

Resolved, That the Board of Surgeons be directed to examine Patrolman August Willow, Thirty-third Precinct, and report as to his physical condition, with a view to retirement.

Resolved, That Charles S. Schneider be granted re-examination by the Surgeons.

Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen:

Archibald Taggart.	Matthew Slattery.
George Stephenson.	John Shail.
John Boyle.	Alexander Finley.
Robert F. Wildauer.	William J. Moran.
Philip F. Birmingham.	

Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to pay to the City Chamberlain the sum of \$1,008.59, being unexpended balance of appropriation for 1885, "Expenses of Detectives, etc."—all aye.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be directed to pay to Stern Brothers the sum of \$8.49, being rebate on salaries of officers detailed to their store in December, 1886—all aye.

Resolved, That the following bills be referred to the Comptroller for payment:  
 Joseph H. Godwin, rent Thirty-fifth Precinct Station-house, \$425.  
 J. H. Timmerman, light, etc., for polling booth, \$1.93.  
 J. H. Timmerman, heat, etc., for polling booth, \$2.25.

#### Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Peter J. Tucker, Second Precinct, did not properly patrol, one day.  
 " Peter Barnett, Fourth Precinct, absent roll-call, one-half day.  
 " Edward Fitzgibbons, Eighth Precinct, did not properly patrol, one day.  
 " Edward F. Flood, Eighth Precinct, standing in conversation, one-half day.  
 " Henry C. Bischoff, Eighth Precinct, did not properly patrol, one day.  
 " James Toomey, Eighth Precinct, off post, one day.  
 " William Henzee, Eighth Precinct, in beer saloon, one-half day.  
 " David M. Gibbons, Ninth Precinct, neglect to pay debt, three days.  
 " John H. Smith, Ninth Precinct, absent from drill, one day.  
 " John McNeely, Sixteenth Precinct, in beer saloon, one-half day.  
 " John S. Kennedy, Eighteenth Precinct, off post, one day.  
 " William McCoy, Twentieth Precinct, failed to arrest boys, one-half day.  
 " John J. Sweeney, Twenty-first Precinct, absent from roll-call, one-half day.  
 " William Burns, Twenty-first Precinct, absent from roll-call, one-half day.  
 " William Burns, Twenty-first Precinct, absent from roll-call, one-half day.  
 " Thomas W. Roe, Twenty-third Precinct, failed to arrest, one day.  
 " John O'Brien, Twenty-fifth Precinct, did not properly relieve, one-half day.  
 " John Ewald, Twenty-sixth Precinct, off post, in liquor saloon, three days.  
 " Valentine Smith, Twenty-sixth Precinct, off post, in liquor saloon, three days.  
 " John J. McCormick, Twenty-sixth Precinct, off post, in liquor saloon, three days.  
 " Charles T. Schreff, Thirty-first Precinct, absent from reserve, one day.  
 " George Walsh, Thirty-second Precinct, riding horse full speed, one day.  
 " Francis Hughes, Thirty-fourth Precinct, off relieving-point, one-half day.  
 " Louis Schmidt, Thirty-fourth Precinct, off post, one-half day.  
 " Edward F. Conroy, Sixth Precinct, did not properly patrol, one day.  
 " Joseph Scott, Eighth Precinct, did not properly patrol, one day.  
 " Joseph P. McGuire, Fifteenth Precinct, in beer saloon, two days.  
 " William G. Lambrecht, Fifteenth Precinct, standing in conversation, one-half day.  
 " Lawrence Fay, Twentieth Precinct, absent from roll-call, one day.  
 " Alexander Murphy, Twenty-first Precinct, did not properly patrol, one-half day.  
 " George E. Houser, Twenty-first Precinct, absent from roll-call, one-half day.  
 " Walter F. Kane, Thirty-fourth Precinct, absent from relieving-point, one-half day.  
 " George W. Godson, First Precinct, off post, in liquor store, one day.  
 " Edward Busted, Fourth Precinct, did not properly patrol, one-half day.  
 " Edward McCormick, Eighth Precinct, standing in conversation, one-half day.  
 " Alfred Powers, Eighth Precinct, absent from roll-call, one-half day.  
 " Alfred Powers, Eighth Precinct, reported in citizen's clothes, one day.  
 " Hugh McGuire, Ninth Precinct, off post, one day.  
 " George Broderick, Ninth Precinct, did not properly patrol, one day.  
 " James Mahony, Ninth Precinct, sitting, two days.  
 " Lawrence Deley, Eighteenth Precinct, standing in conversation, one day.  
 " Frederick F. White, Nineteenth Precinct, did not properly patrol, one day.  
 " James Bisland, Twentieth Precinct, failed to arrest boys, one-half day.  
 " Philip Oppenheimer, Twentieth Precinct, failed to arrest boys, one-half day.  
 " Maurice O'Connor, Twenty-first Precinct, off post, one day.  
 " Frederick Schlottman, Twenty-first Precinct, did not properly patrol, two days.  
 " Frederick Schlottman, Twenty-first Precinct, failed to report excavation, one-half day.  
 " Matthew McConnell, Twenty-second Precinct, did not properly patrol, one-half day.  
 " John M. Purcell, Thirty-fifth Precinct, not found on post, one-half day.

#### Reprimands.

Patrolman John Kelliher, Fourth Precinct, absent from inspection.  
 " John Kelliher, Fourth Precinct, absent from relieving-point.  
 " Thomas Ahearn, Fourth Precinct, absent from roll-call.  
 " John J. Meagher, Fifth Precinct, did not properly patrol.  
 " Charles White, Sixth Precinct, did not properly patrol.  
 " Thomas F. Farley, Sixth Precinct, assaulted citizen.  
 " Morton Bishop, Eighth Precinct, did not properly patrol.  
 " Henry C. Bischoff, Eighth Precinct, absent from roll-call.  
 " Henry C. Bischoff, Eighth Precinct, not in proper uniform.  
 " Robert Moore, Ninth Precinct, standing in conversation.  
 " James Donohue, Ninth Precinct, standing in conversation.  
 " John Raleigh, Tenth Precinct, failed to relieve.  
 " Andrew J. Kenna, Twelfth Precinct, absent from inspection.  
 " James E. Murray, Thirteenth Precinct, absent from post.  
 " John J. Hall, Fourteenth Precinct, sitting.  
 " William Sheridan, Fourteenth Precinct, walking and in conversation.  
 " Edward F. Smith, Fourteenth Precinct, riding in car.  
 " Thomas L. Dolan, Nineteenth Precinct, off post in restaurant.  
 " Alexander Mains, Twentieth Precinct, lost fire key.  
 " Edward Lawrence, Twentieth Precinct, failed to discover burglary.  
 " George A. Neil, Twenty-second Precinct, failed to report disposition of prisoner.  
 " Abraham Brunner, Twenty-third Precinct, off post.  
 " John J. Cronin, Twenty-third Sub-Precinct, sitting and reading.  
 " Henry Ahles, Twenty-fifth Precinct, did not properly patrol.  
 " Francis O'Neil, Twenty-fifth Precinct, absent without leave.  
 " James B. Jones, Twenty-fifth Precinct, absent from post.  
 " Floyd T. Gill, Twenty-sixth Precinct, failed to report gas-lamp.  
 " James Doyle, Twenty-sixth Precinct, absent from roll-call.  
 " William Swain, Twenty-sixth Precinct, absent from roll-call.  
 " John T. Corey, Twenty-sixth Precinct, off post.  
 " George A. Doran, Twenty-seventh Precinct, standing in conversation.  
 " Harry J. R. Tabor, Twenty-ninth Precinct, absent from drill.  
 " George F. Bartholomew, Twenty-ninth Precinct, did not discover burglary.  
 " George W. Macfail, Twenty-ninth Precinct, leaning in conversation.  
 " John Buckley, Thirty-first Precinct, absent from roll-call.  
 " Redmond P. Kersey, Thirty-first Precinct, off relieving-point.  
 " Charles Dapping, Thirty-second Precinct, did not discover burglary.  
 " William H. Kuhn, Thirty-second Precinct, did not properly relieve.  
 " Bernard C. Thompson, Thirty-second Precinct, off post.  
 " William Mulcare, Thirty-second Precinct, off post.  
 " William H. Anthes, Thirty-second Precinct, off post.  
 " Richard Tobin, Thirty-third Precinct, did not report disposition of prisoner.  
 " Alexander D. Norval, Thirty-third Precinct, did not report disposition of prisoner.  
 " Patrick McKenna, Thirty-third Precinct, off post.  
 " Joseph McKenna, Thirty-fourth Precinct, absent from drill.  
 " William Clark, Thirty-fourth Precinct, off post.

#### Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman Thomas F. Kehos, Fifth Precinct, did not properly relieve.  
 " Thomas Duffy, Eighth Precinct, did not properly relieve.  
 " Aug. M. De Nyse, Ninth Precinct, off post.  
 " Patrick Lavin, Sixteenth Precinct, lost fire key.  
 " John C. Amon, Eighteenth Precinct, off post.  
 " James Churchill, Twentieth Precinct, did not discover burglary.  
 " William E. Gray, Twentieth Precinct, did not discover burglary.  
 " Joseph H. Gibson, Twenty-third Precinct, off post.  
 " Frederick A. Kennedy, Twenty-fifth Precinct, did not properly patrol.  
 " Charles G. Schmidt, Twenty-sixth Precinct, off post.  
 " Robert O. Raw, Twenty-seventh Precinct, off post.  
 " Hiram Levy, Twenty-ninth Precinct, did not discover burglary.  
 " Daniel Rinn, Thirty-second Precinct, refused to make arrest.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

### CITY RECORD.

ANNUAL DESIGNATION OF NEWSPAPERS IN WHICH MAY BE INSERTED BRIEF NOTICES.

APRIL 29, 1887.

Resolved, That the following-named newspapers, being two morning, two evening and two weekly papers, published in the English language, and one published in the German language, be and they are hereby designated as the newspapers in which may be inserted, at their customary advertising rates, brief advertisements calling attention to any contracts intended to be awarded or bonds to be sold, and referring for full information to the CITY RECORD, as provided in chapter 3, section 66 of the New York City Consolidation Act, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882:

Journal of Commerce.  
 The Star.  
 Evening Post.  
 Daily News.  
 Weekly Graphic.  
 Sunday Mercury.  
 Staats Zeitung.

(Signed)

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.  
 E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.  
 JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner of Public Works.

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
 NEW YORK, March 12, 1887.

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 339 of the Laws of 1883, I hereby designate "The Star" and the "Daily News," two of the daily newspapers printed in the City of New York, in which notice of each sale of unredeemed pawns or pledges by public auction in said City by pawnbrokers shall be published for at least six days previous thereto, until otherwise ordered.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

### 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.  
 ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor; ARTHUR BERRY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.  
 No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 THOMAS W. BYRNES, First Marshal.  
 GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.  
 Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WM. PITT SHEARMAN, J. B. ADAMSON.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.  
 Room 200, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
 JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.  
 THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.  
 Address: M. COLEMAN, Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.  
 Office of Clerk of Common Council.  
 No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 HENRY R. BECKMAN, President Board of Aldermen.  
 FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.  
 No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 BERNARD JACOBS, City Librarian.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner; D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE W. BRIDGALL, Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 HORACE LOOMIS, Engineer-in-Charge.

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 ALSTON CULVER, Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Streets.  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEO. E. BARCOCK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbencies.  
 No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JOHN RICHARDSON, Superintendent.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.  
 MARTIN J. KREESE, City Hall.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.  
 No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.  
 Nos. 10, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.  
 DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.  
 Nos. 31, 33, 35, 37, 39 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 ARTHUR S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.  
 Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JAMES J. KELSO, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.  
 GRAHAM MCADAM, Chief Clerk.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.  
 First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.  
 GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.  
 Nos. 25, 27 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 WM. M. IVINS, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.  
 No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.  
 JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

#### LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.  
 Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
 Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.  
 ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.  
 No. 40 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

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

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.  
 No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

#### DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.  
 No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4:30 P. M.  
 HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 3 P. M.

Headquarters.  
 Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.  
 HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.  
 CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

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

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

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.  
 ALBERT F. D'ORCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.  
 WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.  
 J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
 Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

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

Hospital Stables.  
 Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.  
 JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.  
 Open at all hours.

#### HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Moit street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 JAMES C. BAYLES, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
M. C. D. BORDEN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

## Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, Sixty-third street and Fifth avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.  
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North River, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
L. J. N. STARK, President; B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.  
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays, on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEAROLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HOKNER, Chief Clerk.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.  
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMBERFORD, Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 33 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MICHAEL J. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEAROLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HOKNER, Chief Clerk.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.  
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

## JURORS.

## NOTICE

## IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
Room 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,  
New York, June 1, 1886.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 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, receive a "jury rollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered in person, if possible, and at this office only under severe penalties. If exempted, they must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No more excuse will be allowed for interference permitted. The fines 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 jurors, 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, unable to perform military service, and those in the 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, or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
New York, May 12, 1887.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office, at 12 o'clock, M., Thursday, May 19, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Public Works SEVEN HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE (725) CUBIC YARDS OF LIMESTONE SCREENINGS, suitable for road surfacing.

No. 2. For furnishing and delivering to the Department of Public Works TWO THOUSAND (2,000) CUBIC YARDS OF ROA HOOK GRAVEL, suitable for road surfacing, THREE THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED (3,200) CUBIC YARDS OF ROA HOOK GRAVEL BANK SCREENINGS.

No. 3. For furnishing the labor and material required for the LAYING OF A CONCRETE FLOOR IN THE BASEMENT OF TOMPKINS MARKET.

No. 4. For furnishing materials and performing work in BUILDING FOUNDATIONS FOR HOUSE FOR STORAGE OF COAL on the lot 50 feet by 100 feet or inches, between Ninety-sixth and Ninety-seventh streets, 100 feet west of Ninth avenue, and SEWER through the centre of said lot, and TUNNEL ACROSS NINETEENTH STREET to vault of present engine-house.

No. 5. For LAYING WATER-MAINS IN MORRIS, COLUMBIA JACKSON, BROOK AND WESTCHESTER AVENUES, and in ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHT, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINE, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREETS.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person is so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is

awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance. That if the person making the estimate neglects to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him. THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 12, 13, and 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,  
New York, May 12, 1887.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office, until 12 o'clock, M., Thursday, May 26, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from the east line of first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, to the west line of the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and SETTING CURBS, STONES, AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-NINTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTIETH STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT, THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-FOURTH STREET, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF NINETY-FIFTH STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above his liabilities of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law. No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him. THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained for Regulating and Grading and Setting curbs and flagging sidewalks at Room 5, and for Regulating and Paving at Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
New York, May 4, 1887.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office, until 12 o'clock, M., Thursday, May 19, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF WILLIAM STREET, from Duane street to North William street.

No. 2. SEWER IN AVENUE B, between Fifth and Sixth streets, and between Seventh and Eighth streets.

No. 3. SEWER IN ATTORNEY STREET, between Broome and Delancey Streets.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person is so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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

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

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Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained for paving at Room 1, for sewers at Room 9, No. 31 Chambers street.

D. LOWBER SMITH,  
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
New York, November 10, 1886.

## NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

NUMEROUS APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN made to this Department by citizens claiming reductions or rebates on bills for water supplied through meters, on the alleged ground of leakage caused by defective plumbing and worn-out service pipes, or by willful waste of water by tenants and others, and it has been turned on in full force in water-closets, sinks, etc., without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the premises.

The main object of the use of water-meters is to enable this Department to detect and check the useless and unwarrantable waste of an element so valuable and essential to the health and comfort of all the citizens, and this object can only be accomplished by enforcing payment for the water wasted.

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted. Notice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks, from defective service pipes or plumbing, or water used by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

House-owners who are notified that whenever their premises become vacant, and are likely to remain vacant, they must notify this Department in writing, and that unless this requirement is complied with no deductions in extra water rents will be allowed for any portion of one year.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
New York, September 29, 1886.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING ANY BUSINESS IN THIS Department which is not assigned to or transacted by the several Bureaux in the Department, and which should come under immediate notice of the Commissioner of Public Works, are requested to communicate directly in person, or by letter, with the Commissioner.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, AND TIN, LEATHER, PAINTS, LUMBER, PIPE, FITTINGS, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.  
7,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, May 19, 1887.  
1,000 pounds Cheese.  
1,000 pounds Dried Apples.  
5,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.  
5,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.  
4,000 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.  
1,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.  
10,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.  
10,000 pounds Rice.  
1,500 pounds Chicory.  
2,500 pounds Macaroni.  
2,500 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.  
50 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.  
50 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.  
25 prime quality City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 16 pounds each.  
100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 30 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.  
600 barrels good, second Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.  
50 barrels prime Red Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.  
100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.  
100 barrels prime Russet Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.  
2,000 gallons Syrup.  
20 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.  
100 bushels Dried Peas.  
1,000 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.  
100 barrels prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels each.  
350 pounds Indigo.  
10 gross Safety Matches.

DRY GOODS.  
200 Rubber Sheet.  
5,000 yards Light Colico.  
4,000 yards Cottonade.  
5,000 yards Blue Denims.  
100 pieces Oiled Canvas, 6 yards each.  
50 gross L. R. Jacket Buttons.  
600 gross Suspender Buttons.  
50 gross Dress Buttons.  
25 dozen White Spool Cotton, No. 50.  
60 dozen Boys' Socks.  
150 Tait Quilts.

CROCKERY, HARDWARE AND TIN.  
1 gross Ewers.  
10 kgs best quality Cut Nails, 8d.  
6 pigs best quality Cut Tin.  
LEATHER AND FINDINGS.  
200 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.  
1,000 pounds Offal Leather.  
12 dozen Shoe Ink.

PAINTS AND OILS.  
50 pounds first quality Venetian Red in oil, 1 pound packages.  
150 pounds first quality Chrome Green in oil, 10 35.  
200 35 15.  
3 barrels first quality Raw Linseed Oil.  
10,000 pounds pure White Lead ground in oil, free from all adulteration and any added impurities, and subject to analysis, if necessary.  
50,000 30 30, 100 25.

300 first quality good ash rough Spruce Plank, 2 m. x 9 in. x 12 feet.  
500 feet Chestnut Moulding.

PIPE AND FITTINGS.

Sundry Pipe and Fittings as per Specifications.  
—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, May 20, 1887. The person or persons making any estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Tin, Leather, Paints, Steam-Fittings, Pipe, etc.," with his or her name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the office of the Board of Public Charities and Correction, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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 and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioner.

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 her bond, with two sufficient sureties, each 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 is so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also 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, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall 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 consent above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that



he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, or to execute the same, 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 re-advertised 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 on exhibition in 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, in accordance with the terms of the contract, 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.

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, or 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, May 9, 1887.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioner,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, MAY 7, 1887.

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 22, East river—Unknown man; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair, brown moustache. Had on brown coat, dark vest and pants, blue flannel shirt, white knit undershirt, red flannel drawers, rubber boots.

Unknown man from Forty-first street; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on cloth slippers, brown ribbed socks. Body about eight months in water.

Unknown man, from Pier 49, East river; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair. Had on blue flannel shirt, red flannel shirt and drawers, gray ribbed drawers, dark diagonal coat, dark chevrot vest and pants, red woolen socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Sixteenth street, North river; dark hair, full beard. Had on dark ribbed vest, brown striped pants, blue overalls, white shirt, lawn tennis shirt, gray socks, laced shoes.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Mary Roberts; aged 75 years; 5 feet high; dark hair, dark brown eyes. Had on when admitted dark calico wrapper, dark plaid shawl, green hood.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Ann Ahearn; aged 30 years; 5 feet 14 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted black velvet coat, brown dress, blue calico waist, flannel petticoat, shoes.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Andrew Burns; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 9 inches high. Had on when admitted black overcoat, dark mixed coat, brown pants and vest, brown shoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, MAY 9, 1887.

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 40, North river—Unknown man, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; body in advanced state of decomposition. Had on dark carigan jacket, dark diagonal vest, dark pants, white shirt, red flannel undershirt and drawers, red woolen socks, gaiters.

Unknown man from One Hundred and Thirtieth street and Hudson river, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; hair washed from body. Had on blue hickory jacket, brown carigan jacket, black and blue shirt, red flannel shirt, dark pants, white knit drawers, gaiters, black barbed socks.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Sing, aged 63 years. Contained April 23.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Mary Cunningham, aged 45 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black fur trimmed cloak, brown alpaca sacque and skirt, laced slippers, brown velvet boots.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, APRIL 30, 1887.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC Auction, for account of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third Avenue, on Thursday, May 12, 1887, at 11 o'clock A. M., the following articles:

15,000 pounds Mixed Scrap Iron, more or less.  
1,000 pounds Old Scrap Lead, more or less.  
100,000 pounds Mixed Rags, more or less.  
200 Syrup Barrels, more or less.  
70 Iron-bound Barrels, more or less.  
3,500 pounds Soap Grease, more or less.

—to be delivered at the foot of East Twenty-third street, and to be paid for by check on the City of New York, Twenty-five per cent. of estimated value to be paid on day of sale, and the remainder on delivery.

R. E. CLEARY, Storekeeper.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, APRIL 26, 1887.

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 48, North river; unknown man; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair and moustache, goatee. Had on black Chinese overcoat, dark vest and pants, gaiters, brown woolen shirt, gray woolen socks and drawers, leather belt around waist; body in water about five months.

Unknown man from foot of Twenty-sixth street, North river, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light brown hair; blue eyes; brown moustache and chin whiskers. Had on dark diagonal coat, dark Melton vest, dark pants, gray flannel shirt, white flannel drawers, gray woolen socks, heavy boots; from appearance supposed to be an English sailor.

Unknown man from No. 80 Cannon street; aged about 60 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes; gray chin beard. Had on blue Chinese overcoat, brown carigan jacket, gray woolen pants, gray mixed pants, white shirt, brogan shoes, brown woolen socks.

Unknown man from One Hundred and Twentieth street and Harlem river; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7½ inches high; dark hair and moustache. Had on black coat and vest, dark pants, brown striped hickory shirt, white knit undershirt, buttoned gaiters, gray socks.

Unknown man killed on Harlem Railroad, between Woodlawn and Williamsburg; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair and moustache, dark eyes. Had on brown mixed coat and vest, dark pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white muslin drawers, brown woolen socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man from foot of Livingston street; body in an advanced state of decomposition. Had on dark vest and pants, white shirt, red flannel undershirt, gray drawers, gray socks, laced shoes.

Unknown woman from Eighty-fourth street and East river; aged about 50 years; 5 feet high; gray hair and eyes. Had on black woolen dress and waist, gray petticoat, white chemise and drawers, knit barred stockings, laced shoes.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Armstrong, aged 60 years. Committed January 12, 1887.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Susan Meyers, aged 35 years; 4 feet 8½ inches high; brown eyes and hair.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Edward Nunnenberg, aged 34 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted dark mixed coat, pants and vest, gaiters, black derby hat.

At Branch Insane Asylum, Randall's Island—Cornelius Berger, aged 54 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair, blue eyes.

George Beckelman, aged 37 years; 5 feet 3½ inches high; dark hair, dark brown eyes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, MAY 6, 1887.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, MAY 6, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That claims for awards for damages to land caused by the closing of Kingsbridge road and certain other streets, adjacent thereto, south of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, have been received by the Board of Assessors from the following persons:

JAMES MONTEITH.

For land lying east side of Kingsbridge road, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets.

ANN MARIA DEAN.

For land lying east side of Kingsbridge road, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets.

FRANCIS K. HOLTON.

For land lying on south side of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Eighth avenue and Kingsbridge road.

JNO. G. RADER.

For land lying on south side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Eighth avenue and Kingsbridge road.

JNO. W. and GEORGE D. BURTON.

For land lying on south side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, southeast corner of Kingsbridge road.

JOSEPH I. WEST.

For land lying on north side of One Hundred and Forty-first street, between Eighth avenue and Kingsbridge road.

That a public hearing will be given to all parties interested therein, either as applicants for awards or objectors thereto, at this office on Thursday, the 12th inst., at 11 A. M.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,  
P. M. HAVERLY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

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

List 2343, No. 1. Sewers in Lexington avenue, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, and between Lexington and Fourth avenues, with alterations and improvements to existing sewers in Third avenue, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets.

List 2366, No. 2. Regulating and grading William street, from Duane street to the intersection of North William street.

List 2374, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to McComb's Dam Lane.

List 2387, No. 4. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Old Broadway to the Boulevard.

List 2390, No. 5. Paving One Hundred and Ninth street, from Madison to Fourth avenue, with Belgian or trap-block pavement.

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

No. 1. Property bounded by Ninety-third and Ninety-eighth streets, Third and Fourth avenues, including both sides of Third avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of William street, from Duane street to North William street.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to McComb's Dam Lane.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Old Broadway to the Boulevard.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from Madison to Fourth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 7th day of June, 1887.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, MAY 6, 1887.

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

List 2378, No. 1. Sewer in Fourth avenue, east side, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets.

List 2379, No. 2. Flagging with an additional course of flagging on Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

List 2381, No. 3. Sewer in Ninety-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 2385, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Third street, and laying crosswalks, from First to Second avenue.

List 2386, No. 5. Paving with trap-block pavement Ninety-third street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

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

No. 1. East side of Fourth avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street.

No. 2. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, excepting on the west side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninety-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and on the east side of Tenth avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Third street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-third street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 3d day of June, 1887.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman;  
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, MAY 2, 1887.

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

List 2303, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in One Hundred and First street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and First street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 30th day of May, 1887.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, APRIL 29, 1887.

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

List 2326, No. 1. Paving Sixty-fourth street, between First and Second avenues, with trap-block pavement.

List 2327, No. 2. Receiving-basins on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, at the junction of Manhattan street and south side at east and west corners of Manhattan street.

List 2328, No. 3. Flagging sidewalks on Grand Boulevard, from Sixty-first to Sixty-third street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Sixty-fourth street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Manhattan street to the Boulevard, and both sides of Manhattan street, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and the Boulevard.

No. 3. West side of Grand Boulevard, between Sixty-first and Sixty-third streets.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 28th day of May, 1887.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, APRIL 27, 1887.

List 2369, No. 4. Fencing vacant lots, south side Seventy-seventh street, between Madison and Fourth avenues; west side Fourth avenue, between Seventy-sixth and Seventy-seventh streets; north side of Seventy-sixth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

List 2371, No. 5. Flagging south side of Leroy street, from Greenwich to West street.

List 2376, No. 6. Basin, southeast corner of Eighty-first street and Avenue A.

List 2378, No. 7. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Seventh street and First avenue.

List 2379, No. 8. Receiving-basin on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Fourth avenue.

List 2380, No. 9. Receiving-basin on southeast corner of One Hundred and Ninth street and Fourth avenue.

List 2381, No. 10. Fencing vacant lots east side of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Eleventh street.

List 2383, No. 11. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

List 2384, No. 12. Receiving-basin in the northeast corner of One Hundred and Seventh street and First avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Lexington avenue, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fifth streets.

No. 3. West side of Seventh avenue, between Seventy-second and Seventy-third streets, and both sides of West End avenue, between Seventy-third and Seventy-fifth streets.

No. 4. South side of Seventy-seventh street, commencing 80 feet west of Fourth avenue, and running 75 feet westerly; also north side of Seventy-sixth street, commencing 225 feet west of Fourth avenue and running 65 feet westerly.

No. 5. South side of Leroy street, from Greenwich to West street.

No. 6. Commencing at the southeast corner of Avenue A and Eighty-first street, and running 102 feet southerly.

No. 7. North side of One Hundred and Seventh street, running 400 feet west of the office of the Board of Assessors, and west side of First avenue, 101 feet north of One Hundred and Seventh street.

No. 8. North side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Madison and Fourth avenues, and east side of Fourth avenue, about 101 feet south of One Hundred and Ninth street.

No. 9. South side of One Hundred and Ninth street, between Lexington and Fourth avenues, and east side of Fourth avenue, about 101 feet south of One Hundred and Ninth street.

No. 10. East side of Madison avenue, running about 102 feet south of One Hundred and Eleventh street.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 12. North side of One Hundred and Seventh street, commencing at the east side of First avenue and running 225 feet easterly, and east side of First avenue, 101 feet north of One Hundred and Seventh street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 27th day of May, 1887.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,  
PATRICK M. HAVERLY,  
CHAS. E. WENDT,  
VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,  
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, APRIL 26, 1887.

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

List 2329, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in North Third avenue and Boston road, between Brook avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, with branch sewer in North Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets.

List 2327, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

List 2327, No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in One Hundred and Fourth street, from the Boulevard or Public Drive to Riverside Drive.

List 2328, No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in One Hundred and First street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

List 2342, No. 5. Paving Eighty-second street, from Avenue A to Avenue B, with granite-block pavement.

List 2344, No. 6. Paving One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with granite blocks.

List 2349, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

List 2356, No. 8. Paving One Hundred and Seventh street, from Third to Lexington avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of North Third avenue and Boston road, between Brook avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street; also property bounded by One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets, Trinity avenue and Boston road; also property bounded by Clifton street, One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Cauldwell avenue and North Third avenue; and both sides of Clifton street, between North Third and Cauldwell avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.



Dated New York, May 11, 1887.



## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
April 4, 1887.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 216 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

Madison avenue regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from One Hundred and Thirty-first to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

Sixty-fourth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from First avenue to East river.

Ninety-first street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Third to Fourth avenue.

Ninety-fourth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Second to Third avenue.

One Hundred and Third street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue.

One Hundred and Twelfth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

One Hundred and Forty-first street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones, flagging and laying crosswalks, between North Third and Rider avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-second street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones, flagging and laying crosswalks, between North Third and Rider avenues.

One Hundred and Fifty-first street regulating, grading and setting curb-stones, from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Boulevard.

One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

Washington avenue crosswalks, at intersections of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth, One Hundred and Sixty-seventh, One Hundred and Sixty-eighth, One Hundred and Sixty-ninth, One Hundred and Seventy-second, One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

Willis avenue crosswalks, between Southern Boulevard and North Third avenue.

Eighty-fifth street sewer, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-ninth street sewer, between Brook and Robins avenues.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments March 23, 1887, and entered on the same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before June 10, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
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 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
March 14, 1887.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 216 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of Bailey avenue, between Sedgwick and Boston streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, March 4, 1887, and entered on the 10th day of March, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before May 10, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

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## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Thursday, May 26, 1887, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., for Steam Heating Apparatus for Primary School No. 26, located at No. 536 East Twelfth street.

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

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

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

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

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

HIRAM MERRITT,  
Chairman.

HENRY H. HAIGHT,  
CHARLES MIEHLING,  
HENRY ALLEN,

Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 12, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, May 26, 1887, for a steam-heating apparatus for Grammar School No. 21, located at No. 55 Marion street.

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CHARLES M. CLANCY,  
HENRY IDEN, JR.,  
FRANKLIN SMITH,  
JOHN VAUSE,

Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 12, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, until Monday, May 23, 1887, and until 5:30 o'clock A. M., on said day, for New Furniture required for Grammar School No. 41, located at Nos. 36-40 Greenwich avenue; also for New Furniture and Records for Grammar School No. 16, located at Nos. 208-212 West Thirtieth street.

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

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E. M. L. EHLERS,  
JAMES A. SEAMAN,  
F. J. TINSDALE,  
CHARLES A. BENEDICT,

Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.  
Dated New York May 10, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by School Trustees for the Eighth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 20, 1887, for a steam-heating apparatus for the new school building in course of erection at Nos. 29, 31, 33 and 35 King street.

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

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C. WESLEY BAUM,  
GEORGE F. VETTER,  
O. ROCKEFELLER,  
CHARLES H. HOUSLEY,  
WILLIAM BRANDON,

Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.  
Dated New York, May 7, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees of the Seventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Friday, the 20th day of May, 1887, and until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on said day, for the Plumbing, erecting a new School-house in course of erection on Henry street, near Pike.

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

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WM. H. TOWNLEY,  
JAMES W. MCCARRON,  
JAMES B. BURNETT,  
JOHN H. BOSCHEN,  
THOMAS GARRY,

Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.  
Dated New York, May 6, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Monday, May 23, 1887, and until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on said day, for general repairs to Grammar School Building No. 25, on Fifth street near First avenue; for repairs to Primary School Building No. 22, at No. 150 First avenue, corner of Ninth street; for repairs and painting Primary School Building No. 26, at No. 536 East Twelfth street.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman.

CHARLES MIEHLING, Secretary.

Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same day and at the same place, for new ceilings, floors, painting, etc., at Grammar School building No. 40, Nos. 221 and 225 West Twenty-third street; also for general repairs to Grammar School Building No. 50, at No. 211 East Twentieth street; also for repairing and painting Primary School Building No. 4, at No. 413 East Sixteenth street; also for repairing and painting Primary School Building No. 28, at No. 325 East Twentieth street; also, for general repairs and flooring at Primary School No. 29, at No. 433 East Nineteenth street.

AUGUSTUS G. VANDERPOEL, Chairman,  
DAVID MCCLURE, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.

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

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Dated New York, May 3, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 20, 1887, for general repairs and flooring in Grammar School No. 15, located at No. 121 East First street; for general overhauling of Grammar School No. 27, located at Nos. 208 and 210 East Forty-second street; for general overhauling of Grammar School No. 53, located at No. 207 East Seventy-ninth street; for painting, etc., Grammar School No. 73, located at No. 200 East Forty-sixth street; for painting, etc., Grammar School No. 74, located at No. 200 East Sixty-third street; and for altering closets, etc., in Grammar School No. 76, located corner Sixty-eighth street and Lexington avenue.

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

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

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Dated New York, May 6, 1887.

RICHARD KELLY,  
C. E. SIMMONS, M.D.,  
JOSEPH PETRETTI,  
L. M. HORNATH,

Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 20, 1887, for general repairs and flooring in Grammar School No. 15, located at No. 121 East First street; for general overhauling of Grammar School No. 27, located at Nos. 208 and 210 East Forty-second street; for general overhauling of Grammar School No. 53, located at No. 207 East Seventy-ninth street; for painting, etc., Grammar School No. 73, located at No. 200 East Forty-sixth street; for painting, etc., Grammar School No. 74, located at No. 200 East Sixty-third street; and for altering closets, etc., in Grammar School No. 76, located corner Sixty-eighth street and Lexington avenue.

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

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Dated New York, May 6, 1887.

RICHARD KELLY,  
C. E. SIMMONS, M.D.,  
JOSEPH PETRETTI,  
L. M. HORNATH,

Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 20, 1887, for general repairs and flooring in Grammar School No. 15, located at No. 121 East First street; for general overhauling of Grammar School No. 27, located at Nos. 208 and 210 East Forty-second street; for general overhauling of Grammar School No. 53, located at No. 207 East Seventy-ninth street; for painting, etc., Grammar School No. 73, located at No. 200 East Forty-sixth street; for painting, etc., Grammar School No. 74, located at No. 200 East Sixty-third street; and for altering closets, etc., in Grammar School No. 76, located corner Sixty-eighth street and Lexington avenue.

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Dated New York, May 6, 1887.

RICHARD KELLY,  
C. E. SIMMONS, M.D.,  
JOSEPH PETRETTI,  
L. M. HORNATH,

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 20, 1887, for general repairs and flooring in Grammar School No. 15, located at No. 121 East First street; for general overhauling of Grammar School No. 27, located at Nos. 208 and 210 East Forty-second street; for general overhauling of Grammar School No. 53, located at No. 207 East Seventy-ninth street; for painting, etc., Grammar School No. 73, located at No. 200 East Forty-sixth street; for painting, etc., Grammar School No. 74, located at No. 200 East Sixty-third street; and for altering closets, etc., in Grammar School No. 76, located corner Sixty-eighth street and Lexington avenue.

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Dated New York, May 6, 1887.

RICHARD KELLY,  
C. E. SIMMONS, M.D.,  
JOSEPH PETRETTI,  
L. M. HORNATH,

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward until 4 o'clock P. M., on Friday, May 20, 1887, for general repairs and flooring in Grammar School No. 15, located at No. 121 East First street; for general overhauling of Grammar School No. 27, located at Nos. 208 and 210 East Forty-second street; for general overhauling of Grammar School No. 53, located at No. 207 East Seventy-ninth street; for painting, etc., Grammar School No. 73, located at No. 200 East Forty-sixth street; for painting, etc., Grammar School No. 74, located at No. 200 East Sixty-third street; and for altering closets, etc., in Grammar School No. 76, located corner Sixty-eighth street and Lexington avenue.

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RICHARD KELLY,  
C. E. SIMMONS, M.D.,  
JOSEPH PETRETTI,  
L. M. HORNATH,

Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Morris avenue for 32 feet;

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 89° 53' to the right for 2,025.75 feet to the western line of Third avenue;

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Third avenue for 52.75 feet;

4th. Thence westerly for 2,008.75 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the office of the City of New York, in the City of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, May 4, 1887.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of 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 us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 4th day of June, 1887; and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 4th day of June, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all 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 4th day of June, 1887.

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, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz. northwesterly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Nineteenth street and One Hundred and Twentieth street; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between Twentieth street and Nineteenth street; and One Hundred and Eighteenth street, and westerly by the easterly side of Ninth avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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 at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 11th day of June, 1887, 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, April 16, 1887.

JOSEPH A. WELCH,  
HERMAN W. VANDER POEL,  
JOS. P. FALLON,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Second avenue to the bulkhead-line of the Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 20th day of May, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Second avenue to the bulkhead-line of the Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Second avenue—distance 129.90 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street 96 feet to the bulkhead-line, Harlem river; thence northerly along said line 100 feet 3/4 inches; thence westerly 82 feet 8 1/4 inches to the bulkhead-line of Second avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.



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 thirty-first day of May, 1887.

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 which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth street and One Hundred and Thirteenth street; easterly by the westerly side of Tenth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth street and One Hundred and Eleventh street; and westerly by the easterly side of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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 at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the seventeenth day of June, 1887, 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, April 16, 1887.

JOSEPH A. WELCH,  
EDWARD HINMAN,  
HERMAN W. VANDER POEL,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the Matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the Opening of ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Eighth avenue, to Ninth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of 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 us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said City, on or before the thirty-first day of May, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said thirty-first day of May, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all 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 thirty-first day of May, 1887.

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, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Eighteenth street and One Hundred and Nineteenth street; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Eighteenth street and One Hundred and Seventeenth street; and westerly by the easterly side of Ninth avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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 at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the seventeenth day of June, 1887, 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, April 16, 1887.

DENIS A. SPELLISSY,  
MICHAEL J. KELLY,  
DENIS BURNS,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of 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 us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said City, on or before the thirty-first day of May, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said thirty-first day of May, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all 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 thirty-first day of May, 1887.

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 which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-first street and One Hundred and Twenty-second street; easterly by the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas and the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-first street and One Hundred and Twentieth street; and westerly by the easterly side of Ninth avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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 at the chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twentieth day of May, 1887, 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, March 21, 1887.

E. B. HART,  
JOSEPH A. WELCH,  
JOHN JEROME,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the Matter of the Application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of WELCH STREET, from the western line of the New York and Harlem Railroad to the Kingsbridge Road, as said Welch street has been laid out by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 315 of the Laws of 1879, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of 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 us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said City, on or before the fifth day of May, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said fifth day of May, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all 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 fifth day of May, 1887.

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, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by the centre line of the block between Pellham street and West street; easterly by the westerly side of Third avenue and the westerly side of Vanderbilt avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and Welch street; and westerly by the eastern line of the block between East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street and East One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter six hundred and four of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four and the laws amendatory thereof; or of chapter four hundred and ten of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, as such area is shown upon our benefit map, deposited as aforesaid.

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 at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twentieth day of May, 1887, 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, March 18, 1887.

JAMES M. LYDDY,  
WILLIAM H. BARKER,  
JOHN T. BOYD,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the acquisition of title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of a certain street or avenue known as RIDER AVENUE (although not yet named by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, on the twentieth day of May, 1887, 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.

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 us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said City, on or before the thirty-first day of May, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said seventh day of May, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all 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 seventh day of May, 1887.

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 which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by the southerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and by a line parallel or nearly so with the northerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, and distant about one hundred feet northerly therefrom, and extending from the easterly side of the Mott Haven Canal westerly for about ninety feet and by the southerly termination of the Mott Haven Canal; and a line in continuation thereof at right angles with the westerly side of the same and extending to the centre line of the block between Rider avenue and Railroad avenue east; westerly by the easterly line of the Mott Haven Canal; southerly by the southerly line of the block between Rider avenue and Railroad avenue east; and by the centre line of the block between Rider avenue and Railroad avenue east; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter six hundred and four of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and the Laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter four hundred and ten of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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 at the chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twentieth day of May, 1887, 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.

the City of New York, on the twenty-seventh day of May, 1887, 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, March 23, 1887.

B. CASSERLY,  
JAS. F. HIGGINS,  
JOHN H. CARL,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

## GAS COMMISSION.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING, LIGHTING AND MAINTAINING ELECTRIC-LIGHTS FOR THE PERIOD FROM MAY 1, 1887, TO APRIL 30, 1888, ON SUCH STREETS OR PARTS OF STREETS, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, AS MAY BE DETERMINED UPON BY THE MAYOR, COMPTROLLER AND COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS AFTER THE ESTIMATES ARE OPENED.

ESTIMATES FOR THE ABOVE WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works, No. 31 Chambers street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of MONDAY, MAY 16, 1887, at which place and time they will be publicly opened by said Commissioner and read.

Any person making an estimate for the above shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for furnishing the illuminating material for, and lighting and extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, and maintaining electric lamps" and also to be marked with the name of the bidder making the same, and the date of its presentation.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein, and, if no other person be so interested, they shall 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 Sheriff, 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; and that no estimate may be made by the bidder, or by the party making the same, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound by his or their signature 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 made, and 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 householdholder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of security required for the completion of the contract, and that he is not a bankrupt, and that he has 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 law.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates the district or several streets, avenues, piers, parks and places, or parts of streets, avenues, piers, parks and places in which they propose to perform the requirements herein contained, and also the illuminating or candle-power of the light they propose to furnish, when tested at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture.

Bidders are also required to state the price per year for which they will furnish the lights for the period from May 1, 1887, to April 30, 1888, both days inclusive; stating the price for the above-named period of one year, for each lamp.

Bidders proposing to furnish electric lights must state the kind or system of light they propose to furnish (whether the Voltaic Arc or Incandescent), and also the candle power of the electric light by photometric test made in one direction, and which for arc lights shall be made at an angle of 30 degrees from the horizontal. They must also state whether the lamps are to be used on the ordinary lamp-posts of the city, or on special lamp-posts to be fitted up by the bidder without cost to the city for such lamp-posts or their fittings. If the light is to be by the "Voltaic Arc," the bidder must state the number of such lamps to be used for lighting the streets or district for which the bid is made and the diameter of the carbon electrodes to be used in such lamps.

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

Should any alteration or any attachment be required to any portion of the lamps for which estimates 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 3,850 hours is \$25,000.

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

The award of any contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Should the person or persons to whom any contract is so awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his bid or estimate, or if he accept, but does not execute the contract and give the proper security, the same shall be re-advertised and let as provided by law and ordinance.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the speci-

fications will be allowed, unless a written permission shall have been previously obtained from the Mayor, Comptroller, and Commissioner of Public Works.

The right is also reserved, whatever may be the illuminating material named in the estimate, when an estimate is made containing bids for lamps in one or more streets, avenues, piers, parks or places, to accept from such estimate or bids so much thereof as may be the lowest per lamp in any one or more of such streets, avenues, piers, parks or places, and to reject the remainder of such estimate or bid which may not be the lowest as aforesaid. The contract for lamps in any particular street, avenue, pier, park or place will be awarded, if awarded, to the lowest bidder per lamp in such particular street, avenue, pier, park or place.

The right is also reserved to determine and designate in any locality, after the estimates are opened, what illuminating material shall be used in the public lamps, or any number of them, in such locality during the period above mentioned; also upon such determination to decline any estimate or part thereof for lighting such locality with illuminating material other than that so determined upon; also to decide what material if desired for the best interests of the city. No estimate will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter on any contract or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

If the estimate of any bidder shall include any lamps with which the pipes or conductors of such bidder are not connected at the time of making the bid, and a contract for furnishing the illuminating material 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 conductors with such lamps, and all such connections shall be made by the party of the second part without expense to the city.

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 or conductors of the City of New York, and the time during which all the requirements herein mentioned shall have been fully performed.

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

New York, April 28, 1887.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor;  
E. V. LOEW, Comptroller;  
JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner of Public Works.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
New York, April 30, 1887.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following articles will be offered for sale at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Thursday, May 12, 1887, at the following times and places:

Repair Shops, Nos. 128 and 130 West Third Street, at 10 o'clock A. M.

- Lot No. 1. 250 pairs brass hose couplings.
- " 2. Lot of scrap iron.
- " 3. 600 brass tubes.
- " 4. 21 copper boiler tubes.
- " 5. Lot of tin hand lamps.
- " 6. 22 fire extinguishers.
- " 7. 1 light wagon.
- " 8. 1 hand engine.
- " 9. 1 horse carriage.

Nos. 153 and 157 Mercer Street,  
Immediately after the sale at the Repair Shops.

- Lot No. 10. 4 Valentine & Butler iron safe.
- " 11. 1 McBride & Davidson iron safe.
- " 12. 1 McBride iron safe.
- " 13. 1 clock.

Storehouse, No. 30 Eldridge Street,  
Immediately after the sale at Nos. 153 and 157 Mercer street.

- Lot No. 14. Lot of scrap iron.
- " 15. 3 steel axes.
- " 16. 4 steel springs.
- " 17. 30 engine wheels.
- " 18. Wagon body, top and 17 wagon wheels.
- " 19. Lot of bedsteads and guard rails.
- " 20. Lot of wire.
- " 21. 12 axes.
- " 22. Lot of battery copper.
- " 23. 4 iron skylight frames.
- " 24. Lot of chain.
- " 25. 7 barrels.
- " 26. Lot of tackle, blocks and flags.
- " 27. Lot of rope.
- " 28. Lot of paper.
- " 29. 4 hay cutters.
- " 30. 126 pieces rubber hose.
- " 31. 158 pieces cotton and canvas hose.
- " 32. Lot of chemical and Croton hose.
- " 33. Lot of harness and collars.
- " 34. 47 pieces cotton.
- " 35. 45 rubber, cotton and leather pipes.

Each of the lots will be sold separately.  
The right to reject all bids received is reserved.  
The highest bidder for each lot, in case the bid is accepted, will be required to pay for the same in cash at the time of sale, and if necessary will be required to handle and weigh the lot on scales furnished by the Fire Department, and must remove the articles within five (5) days after the day of sale.

The articles may be seen before the day of sale at the places above specified.

HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
EDWARD SMITH,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
Nos. 157 & 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
New York, January 1, 1887.

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 HENRY D. PURROY, President,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
EDWARD SMITH,  
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
New York, May 11, 1887.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants. Boats, rope, iron and brass clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.