

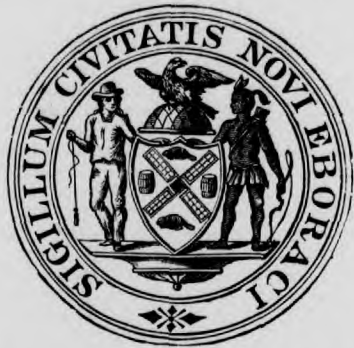
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LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending March 12, 1887:

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

Peo. ex rel. James A. Colgan vs. Stephen J. French, Fitz John Porter, John McClave and John R. Voorhis, composing the Board of Police Commissioners of the Police Department of the City of New York—Certiorari to review dismissal of relator, a Patrolman, from force, December 21, 1886.

Ann Marshall—Summons only served.

The Mayor, etc. vs. Charles Wemter, Karl Von Kuckrian, John Doe et al.—To restrain giving of theatrical performance at the "Tivoli," No. 137 Bowery.

The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York vs. William McMahon, John Doe et al.—To restrain giving of theatrical performances at "The Haymarket," No. 494 Sixth avenue.

The Mayor, etc. vs. George J. Kraus, John Doe, et al.—To restrain giving of theatrical performances at "The Volk's Garden," No. 231 Bowery.

William A. Cauldwell—For excess of assessment paid for Ninety-sixth street outlet sewer, in Ward Nos. 28 and 29, Block 1032, Twelfth Ward, \$39.68.

Charles L. Cammann, Henry J. Cammann, Susan Cammann, Oswald Cammann, an infant, by Charles L. Cammann, his guardian ad litem, and Charles L. Cammann, as Trustee, under and by virtue of the last will and testament of Susan B. Cammann, deceased—Damages for trespass on plaintiffs' premises, between December 15, 1886, and January 20, 1887, premises on Harlem river, between Fordham Landing road and road leading to McComb's Dam, \$15,000.

Henry W. T. Mali, Henry L. Cammann and Isabella M. Cammann, an infant, by Henry W. T. Mali her guardian ad litem—Damages for trespass on plaintiffs' premises between December 15, 1886 and January 20, 1887, premises on Harlem river, between Fordham Landing road and road leading to Macomb's Dam, \$15,000.

The Mayor, etc., vs. Ira Brown and Martin B. Brown—To recover on a bond for \$15,000.

Guy R. Pelton and Guy R. Pelton as sole acting executor of the last will and testament of Timothy D. Pelton—To recover back amount paid on a void assessment for Sixty-second and Sixty-eighth streets underground drains between Eighth and Ninth avenues, in Ward Nos. 45, 46 and 47, block 112, \$299.75.

The Mayor, etc., vs. Frederick Merrill et al., etc.—To restrain the giving of theatrical performances at the "Chelsea Garden," No. 110 West Thirty-third street.

In re petition of William Fernschild—To vacate an assessment for paving Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.

In re petition of Isabella S. Tripler—To vacate an assessment for sewers in One Hundred and Eighth street outlet sewer, from Hudson river to Boulevard.

In re petition of Isabella S. Tripler—To vacate an assessment for Boulevard regulating, etc., from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

In re Isabella S. Tripler—To vacate an assessment for sewers in Riverside avenue, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets.

In re Isabella S. Tripler—To vacate an assessment for sewers in the West End (formerly Eleventh) avenue, between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Fifth streets.

SUPERIOR COURT.

In the matter of regulating and grading Seventy-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to Riverside Drive, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein, except between West End avenue and Riverside Drive, on the petition of August Mehler—For an award made to unknown owners, \$500.

Andrew J. Campbell vs. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York, James Duffy, The Murray Hill Bank, Louis C. Tufts, Dennis W. Moran, the American Encaustic Tiling Company, John R. Candee, George Moore Smith, Alonzo C. Decker, William H. Kirby, Arthur M. Dodge, Cleveland H. Dodge, Edward K. Meigs and Cornelius Becker—Summons only served.

James Reid—To recover back amount paid on a void assessment for Sixty-second and Sixty-eighth streets underground drains, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, on Ward Nos. 53, 54, 55, 56, 57 and 58, Block No. 114, \$420.26.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Michael Emperor—Damages for personal injuries received October 20, 1886, caused by defective sidewalk in Catharine street near southwest corner of Catharine and Cherry streets, \$5,000.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Matter Marie Cella Ranney et al., sale Seventh avenue sewers—Order entered vacating sale pursuant to decision in re Willis.

Edward M. Tyler—General Term order of affirmance entered with costs.

One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street opening—Order entered appointing Edward L. Parris, John H. Kitchen and John Jeroloman Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

Forrest avenue opening—Order entered appointing Edward L. Parris, John H. Kitchen and John Jeroloman Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

The Mayor, etc., vs. Eighth Avenue Railroad Company—General Term order entered affirming order and judgment appealed from.

In re James A. Deering, Manhattan street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Isaias Meyer, Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re J. J. Lyness, Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re George M. Miller, Tenth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re T. W. Meyers, Tenth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Roscoe Conkling, Tenth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re James A. Deering, Tenth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re W. A. M. Culbert, Tenth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re The Central National Bank, Tenth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

The Mayor, etc. vs. Daniel D. Wylie—General Term order of affirmance entered.

Francis Baker—Order entered withdrawing City's demurrer upon payment of \$39.60.

In re B. H. Hutton, St. Nicholas avenue regulating—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re A. Wigh, Macdougall street paving—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re C. Keating, Macdougall street paving—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

The Mayor, etc. vs. Frederick Steen—Order entered continuing injunction by consent.

Bailey avenue—Order entered confirming report of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment.

In re Courtlandt Palmer, Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer—General Term order of reversal entered with \$10 costs, etc.

Morris K. Jesup—Order entered discontinuing action by consent.

Peo. ex rel. Walter J. Bradley vs. Police—General Term order entered dismissing writ of certiorari.

The Mayor, etc. vs. George J. Kraus et al.—Order entered continuing injunction during the pendency of action by consent.

Isaac Levy—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$778.80 without trial, letter to Comptroller.

In re Simon Witmark, Seventeenth street outlet sewer—Order entered dismissing without costs by consent.

Mayor, etc. vs. Eighth avenue Railroad Co.—General Term judgment of affirmance entered in favor of the City for \$95.92, costs, etc.

American Tool Company vs. George J. Smith—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

Joseph P. Jardine vs. Charles Bennett et al.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

Ferdinand Seeger vs. Charles Bennett et al.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

John B. Healy—Entered order of Larremore, J., directing Comptroller to pay the money retained by lien herein to the Clerk of the Court.

In re Catharine M. Balmore, One Hundred and Tenth street regulating, etc.—Order entered vacating assessment pursuant to decision in re Manhattan Railway Co.

George W. McLean, as Receiver, etc. vs. Broadway Underground Railroad Co.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

The Mayor, etc. vs. The Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Co.—Judgment entered in favor of defendants for \$107.64 costs, etc., after trial before Beach, J., and jury.

The Mayor, etc., vs. The Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery Railroad Co.—Judgment entered in favor of defendants for \$107.54, after trial before Beach, J., and jury.

In re Hiram Moore, One Hundred and Tenth street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re George W. Rader, Fourth avenue sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re James E. Kelly, Seventy-first street sewer—Order entered reducing the assessment pursuant to decision in re Merriam.

In re John Kelly, Third avenue sewers—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to decision in re New York Lumber and Wood Turning Company.

In re Ann Elderl, Third avenue sewers—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to decision in re New York Lumber and Wood Turning Company.

In re Henry C. Thompson, Third avenue sewers—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to decision in re New York Lumber and Wood Turning Company.

Cunard Steamship Company (Limited) vs. John H. Voorhis et al., Dock Commissioners—Judgment and order on remittitur entered in favor of plaintiff reversing judgment of General Term and dismissing proceedings.

Ann Marshall (Supreme)—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

Bradley H. Baldwin, as Receiver, etc.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

Edward M. Tyler—Judgment of affirmance entered in favor of the City and for \$122.17 cost, etc.

George W. McLean, as Receiver, etc., vs. Lucius H. Bigelow—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

New York Life Insurance and Trust Company, trustees, etc.—General Term order entered reversing Special Term order and granting the motion with \$10 costs to abide the event.

In re E. Ellery Anderson, One Hundred and Fourth street, regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion before Patterson J.

Association for Benefit of Colored Orphans—General Term order entered dismissing appeal without costs.

In re William A. Cummings, sewer Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion before Patterson, J.

In re William A. Cummings, sewer in Madison avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion before Patterson, J.

In re J. Watts De Peyster, sewer in Manhattan street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion before Patterson J.

In re Trustees of Eighty-fourth Street Presbyterian Church, Sewer from Hudson river to Eighty-first street to Tenth avenue, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion before Patterson, J.

In re Richard J. Clark, regulating, etc., Seventy-sixth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion before Patterson, J.

In re J. Watts De Peyster, Manhattan street sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

William J. Cole—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

Sarah M. Shotts—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

In re Caspar Hake and Frederick W. Wurzburg, Third avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to compromise.

The Mayor, etc., vs. Daniel D. Wylie—General Term, judgment of affirmance and for \$123.57 costs, etc.

Henrietta F. Byrne—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$240.22 without trial, upon offer.

William H. Flemer et al. executors—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$166.16 without trial upon offer.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Peo. ex rel. Hanover Fire Insurance Co. vs. Tax Commissioners—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; G. S. Coleman for the City.

Peo. ex rel. Knickerbocker Fire Insurance Company—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; G. S. Coleman for the City.

Peo. ex rel. George W. Blonk vs. Police Commissioners—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for the City.

Matter application of the Comptroller for examination of certain City Marshals—Examined Alt, Cohen, Leahy, Levy, Hill and Wagner; adjourned to March 8; T. B. Clarkson for the City.

Matter application of the Comptroller for examination of certain City Marshals—Examined Goldstein, Prepeirbring; adjourned without day; T. B. Clarkson for the City.

The Mayor, etc. vs. Alexander Mason et al.—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for the City.

Matter New Parks—Hearing proceeded and adjourned to March 11, at 2 P. M.; Franklin Bartlett for the City.

Peo. ex rel. Matthew Puck vs. Police Commissioners—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for Police Commissioners.

Matter of Erastus H. Munson, Parade Ground—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; A. H. Masten for the City.

August Rosenfeld—Tried before Truax, J., and jury; complaint dismissed; E. J. Freedman for the City.

Sarah Short—Argued at General Term; judgment reversed; new trial ordered; costs to abide the event; T. P. Wickes for the City.

Ralph Schoonmaker—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; G. S. Coleman for the City.

Frederick W. Loew—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; G. S. Coleman for the City.

Thomas J. Powers—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; G. S. Coleman for the City.

In re E. Ellery Anderson, One Hundred and Fourth street regulating, etc.—Motion to dismiss petition made before Patterson, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

Association for Benefit of Colored Orphans—Motion made at General Term to dismiss appeal; motion granted.

In re William A. Cummings, sewers Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets—Motion made to dismiss petition before Patterson, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re William A. Cummings, sewer in Madison avenue—Motion made to dismiss petition before Patterson, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

J. Watts DePeyster, sewer in Manhattan street—Motion made to dismiss petition before Patterson, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Trustees of Eighty-fourth street Presbyterian Church, sewer from Hudson river to Eighty-first street to Tenth avenue, etc.—Motion made to dismiss petition before Patterson, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Richard J. Clark, regulating, etc., Seventy-sixth street—Motion made to dismiss petition before Patterson, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re J. Watts DePeyster, Manhattan street sewer—Motion made to dismiss petition before Patterson, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

Matter of Matthew P. Breen—Hearing proceeded and adjourned to 18th instant at 3 P.M.

Mayor, etc. vs. William McMahon, et al.—Motion for injunction argued before Patterson, J.; decision reserved; F. M. Scott, for the City.

Matter Agnes McCauley, Boston road award—Reference proceeded and closed; R. H. Smith for the City.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 15th day of March, 1887.
Present—Commissioners French, Porter, McClave, and Voorhis.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Patrolman John W. Smith, Seventh Precinct, 30 days, half pay.
" Bernard O'Reilly, First Court, 60 days, half pay.

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

Report of the Superintendent, enclosing \$350, fees for masked ball permits, was referred to the Treasurer to pay into the Pension Fund.

Report of the Superintendent on character of performances, etc., at Palm Garden, No. 140 East Fourteenth street, and Alexander Musee, 317 Bowery, was ordered on file, and copy to be forwarded to the Mayor.

Report of the Superintendent on application Sergeant Albert W. McDonald, Twelfth Precinct, for transfer, was ordered on file.

Mask Ball Permits Granted.

Charles Schum, at Harmony Rooms, March 19. Fee, \$25.
Jacob Guterding, at Walhalla Hall, March 14. Fee, \$25.
George Rode, at Turn Hall, March 19. Fee, \$25.
L. S. Grenner, at Irving Hall, March 24. Fee, \$25.
Joseph J. Gocker, at Brechts Hall, March 25. Fee, \$10.

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

Roundsman Richard J. Barry, Sixth Precinct.
" John Hutton, Twenty-first Precinct.
Patrolman Patrick Moran, Twenty-third Precinct.
" Frederick E. Wade, Thirtieth Precinct.
" Frank S. Price, Thirty-first Precinct.

Second Grade Denied.

Patrolman Alexander D. Norval, Thirty-third Precinct.
Application of Charles E. Hoag, relative to G. W. Foster, 42 Broadway, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Application of John O'Byrne, for permission to Patrolman Jacob Brown, Twenty-fifth Precinct, to sue Max Edlitz for compensation for personal injuries, was granted.

Application of Mrs. Cassidy, Dublin, for information of her sister, Mrs. Jane Murray, was referred to the Superintendent.

Application of John R. Anderson, Secretary, etc., Old London Street Company for appointment of E. D. Shultz as Special Patrolman, was referred to the Superintendent for report.

Communications Ordered on File.

Civil Service Board, relative to eligible list for Patrolmen.
Frank J. Keller, relative to witnesses in case Roundsman James K. Price.
Communication from the Mayor enclosing telegram from Aaron Davenport, Crossville, Ill., relative to British America Claim Agency, was ordered on file, and copy of report of the Superintendent to be forwarded to the Mayor.

Communication from the Mayor, giving notice of injunction served upon William McMahon, restraining him from giving certain exhibitions at the "Haymarket," No. 494 Sixth avenue, was referred to the Superintendent.

Communication from the Chief of Police, Liverpool, relative to system of telegraph signals and patrol wagons, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.

Communication from the Superintendent and Inspectors, relative to General Orders, and recommending amendments to certain rules, was laid over.

Forms of two bills relative to the Police Pension Fund, were referred to the Mayor for approval, etc.

On reading report of Captain Smith, Twenty-fourth Precinct, it was
Resolved, That Adolph Dryboldt be employed as cabin-boy on steamboat "Patrol," with compensation of \$20 per month, in place of Otto C. Feller, resigned.

On reading communication from Isaac Bell, President Old Dominion Steamship Company and others, it was
Resolved, That Captain George W. Gastlin, Twenty-eighth Precinct, be granted permission to receive a reward of \$200 (without deduction) from the Old Dominion Steamship Company and others, for faithful services in January and February last.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the Police Department of the City of New York be and is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the Treasurer of the Police Pension Fund the sum of \$20,000, from the appropriation made to this Department for the year 1885, entitled "Police Fund—Salaries of Superintendent, Inspectors, Sergeants, Captains, Patrolmen, Doormen, Detective-Sergeants," etc., being a portion of the unexpended balance remaining to the credit of said fund, in accordance with chapter 364, section 305, passed May 28, 1885—all aye.

Pension granted—all aye.

Mary A. Brady, widow of Christopher Brady (late Patrolman), \$300 per year, from February 26, 1887.

On report of Commissioners Voorhis and McClave, it was
Resolved, That John H. Spellman be authorized to furnish summer hats for the use of members of the force, of the same style and quality, and at the same price as the same were furnished to this Department last year, through the Bureau of Clothing and Equipment.

Resolved, That the Civil Service Board be respectfully requested to restore John M. Andrews to the eligible list of persons for appointment as Patrolman, he having been returned five times.

Resolved, That Martin F. Morrison and Thomas Parks be granted a re-examination by the Surgeons.

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

Francis Tagner,
John Gerlinger,
Joshua H. Nelson,
Claude Waterman.

Transfers, Etc.

Patrolman John Guinan, from Twenty-ninth Precinct to Thirty-third Precinct.
" James Toomey, from Twenty-ninth Precinct to Eighth Precinct.
" James A. Seymour, from Twenty-ninth Precinct to Eighth Precinct.
" John J. Gehan, from Fourteenth Precinct to Twenty-ninth Precinct.
" Emil Klinge, from Nineteenth Precinct to Twenty-ninth Precinct.
" William Beattie, from First Precinct to Ninth Precinct.
" B. C. Thompson, from Thirty-third Precinct to Thirty-second Precinct.
" John M. Bray, Thirty-third Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.
" William Reilly, Thirteenth Precinct, detail three days special duty.
" William J. Huston, Thirty-first Precinct, detail twenty days special duty.
" Charles W. Schulze, Thirty-first Precinct, detail twenty days special duty.
Roundsman Francis Kelly, Tenth Precinct, detail as Acting Sergeant, temporarily.

Advanced to First Grade.

Patrolman John F. McGorry, Eighteenth Precinct, March 14, 1887.

Advanced to Second Grade.

Patrolman Henry Lang, Fifteenth Precinct, March 13, 1887.
" Bernard Banks, Twenty-second Precinct, March 13, 1887.
" Frank Hennessey, Thirtieth Precinct, March 13, 1887.

On recommendation of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies, it was
Resolved, That the following bills be approved, and the Treasurer authorized to pay the same—all aye.

Account, 1887.

W. & J. Sloane, carpets, etc.	\$128 04	N. Y. Belting and Packing Co., rubber hose	\$14 30
" " " "	14 75	Doremus & Corbett, wardrobe	14 00
" " " "	31 98	" " " "	7 00
" " " "	12 77	Miller, Morrison & Co, currycombs, etc.	72 00
T. & W. Thorn & Co., horsefeed	192 45	" " " "	1 50
White & Co., horsefeed	142 11	Charles M. Young, Att'y, keeping horse	50 00
Martin B. Brown, stationery, etc.	287 00	L. Eickwort, drugs, etc.	13 79
" " " "	25 00	Francis McCabe, cartages	28 00
Metropolitan Telegraph & Telephone Co., rent telephones	43 10	James H. Loghry, feeding horses	123 00
Northern Gas Co., gas	25 26	James Neeley, rents	46 00
Central " " "	30 38	Thomas F. Adams, detective expenses	24 15
Consolidated " " "	916 00	Richard O'Connor, " "	5 74
Cassidy & Son, chandelier	10 90	Frank Mangin, Jr., " "	16 50
" " hardware, etc.	15 94	George F. Titus, " "	25 70
Knickerbocker Ice Co., ice	16 70	Alexander S. Williams, expenses	11 25
B. Gray, carriage hire	83 00	James K. Price, " "	13 15
Wm. McKenna, horseshoeing	5 00	William H. Clinchy, " "	7 25
Howe Bros., " "	58 75	James G. Cooper, Jr., " "	31 65
P. Malone, " "	38 94	Michael Kirley, " "	5 95
Wm. Carlin, " "	40 25	Peter Yule, " "	6 50
John J. Fox, " "	38 25	James Harris & Co., gas fixtures	6 62
" " " "	33 25	F. X. Haggarty, expenses	3 32
P. Connolly, " "	9 63	C. H. Hance, soap	30 35
Sebastian Mfg. Co., repairing wagon	13 00	Clark & Wilkins, wood	22 00
Oakley & Smith, horse	250 00	" " " "	10 00
" " " "	240 00	" " " "	122 42
" " " "	250 00	" " " "	54 11
" " " "	240 00	" " " "	16 40
L. G. O'Brien & Co., painting	15 00	" " " "	42 73
" " " "	10 00	George W. Gastlin, expenses	100 47
" " " "	10 00	Abraham Steers, lumber	334 10
" " " "	10 00	John Doran, newspapers	12 16
" " " "	12 00	C. H. Delamater & Co., repairing engine	4 40
" " " "	12 00	James S. Barron & Co., hair brooms	36 00
John H. Seaman, lime, sand, etc.	24 00	George Reed, expenses	5 90
Hugh Martin, painting, etc.	10 00	Charles Hedelberg, detective expenses	69 65
" " " "	9 00	Owen Haley, " "	46 96
Patterson Bros., hardware	51 66	Herman Lahr, " "	42 60
" " " "	41 56	Joseph C. Bruner, " "	34 45
F. B. Hedenberg, window shades	20 72	Jacob Von Gerichten, " "	25 00
" " " "	13 24	William W. McLaughlin, " "	79 04
Nicholson & Galloway, repairing roof, etc.	140 47	Mary Webb, detective expenses	43 80
Nicholson & Galloway, repairing roof, etc.	56 30	" " lost children	24 60
Nicholson & Galloway, repairing roof, etc.	41 23	Nuhn & Strobacher, repairing bedsteads	72 00
		" " water-pipe	43 00
			\$5,472 14

Account, 1886.

Slote & Jones, stationery, etc.	\$649 40	Ward & Olyphant, coal	\$327 00
Pearce & Jones, electric bells	92 03	John H. Seaman, lime, sand, etc.	165 75
" " " "	116 63	Hugh Martin, painting, etc.	700 00
" " " "	86 86	William H. Taylor, bandages, etc.	61 26
" " " "	79 39	Rudolph Fuchs, prisoners' meals	13 25
" " " "	81 75	Elizabeth Taylor, " "	19 00
" " " "	94 45	James Harris & Co., painting, etc.	525 00
" " " "	102 24	" " " "	90 00
" " " "	99 03	" " " "	150 00
" " " "	76 02	H. M. Smith & Son, repairs	142 99
" " " "	88 69	" " " "	30 29
" " " "	26 13	" " " "	19 27
Nicholson & Galloway, repairs, etc.	56 79	" " " "	38 19
Nicholson & Galloway, repairs, roof, etc.	41 38		\$4,027 85
Nicholson & Galloway, repairs and painting	54 45		

Judgments—Dismissals.

Patrolman James W. Steed, Second Precinct—all aye.
" James Griffin, Fourth Precinct—all aye.
" Michael H. Brady, Thirtieth Precinct—all aye.

Fines Imposed.

Patrolman Michael Raftery, Fifth Precinct, one day's pay.
" Edward F. Flood, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
" John H. Smith, Eighth Precinct, one day's pay.
" William J. Foster, Ninth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Timothy O'Leary, Tenth Precinct, one day's pay.
" Kerin J. Larkin, Twelfth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Charles Mayer, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Adam Newman, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Herman Kern, Fourteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" James C. McAdam, Jr., Fifteenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Thomas F. Wall, Sixteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
" John McDonnell, Twentieth Precinct, one day's pay.
" James Duncan, Twenty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
" John Graham, Twenty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
" Joseph Mulligan, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Richard Walker, Twenty-ninth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Francis Hughes, Thirty-fourth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Bernard McKeon, Thirty-fifth Precinct, one day's pay.
" William J. Cunningham, Fourth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Frank McGarry, Fourth Precinct, one day's pay.
" Peter J. Klein, Tenth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" William F. Connery, Fifteenth Precinct, one day's pay.
" Robert O'Raw, Twenty-seventh Precinct, one day's pay.
" John T. Lake, First Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Michael Higgins, Fourth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Thomas P. Burke, Fifth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Henry Wilcox, Fifth Precinct, one-half day's pay.
" Henry E. Cullen, Twenty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
" Frederick Schlottman, Twenty-first Precinct, one day's pay.
" John Ward, Twenty-seventh Precinct, two days' pay.
" William J. Nally, Twenty-seventh Precinct, two days' pay.

Reprimands.

Precinct.		Precinct.	
Patrolman James J. McBride	5	Patrolman William H. Cook	13
" James Fitzgibbons	9	" Edward Sick	14
" John H. Quinlan	10	" Ferd. L. White	19
" Thomas A. Butler	10	" John J. McCormick	26
" Max Meiers	12	" Richard Walker	29
" John Lang, Jr.	13	" Joseph H. Gibson	23

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman Thomas McCarthy, Fourth Precinct.
" Harry J. Hume, Nineteenth Precinct.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
SANITARY BUREAU, SEVENTH DIVISION—VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending March 12, 1887, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending March 5, 1887.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register.

SIR—There were 731 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, March 12, 1887, which is a decrease of 42, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 45 less than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1886. The actual mortality for the week ending March 5, 1887, was 742, which is 3.2 below the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 26.38 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,468,042.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending March 12, 1887, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending March 5, 1887.

METEOROLOGY.			Week ending Mar. 12.	Week ending Mar. 5.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, MARCH 5, 1887.										AGE BY YEARS.																			SEX.					
Mean temperature (Fahr.) for the week was.			33.7	26.4																																			
" reading of barometer			29.949	30.015																																			
" humidity for the week was.....			57	63																																			
Number of miles traveled by the wind was..			1,448	1,694																																			
Total rain-fall, in inches, for the week.....			.58	.15																																			
CAUSES OF DEATH					Total Deaths reported during the week ending Mar. 12, 1887.	Total Deaths reported during the week ending Mar. 5, 1887.	DATE.							Total Actual Mortality during the week ending Mar. 5, 1887.	Actual number of Deaths for the corresponding week of 1886.	Average number of Deaths in the corresponding week of the past five years.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 1,468,042).	Under 1 year.															Colored.						
							Feb. 27.	Feb. 28.	Mar. 1.	Mar. 2.	Mar. 3.	Mar. 4.	Mar. 5.				Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.	Male.	Female.	
Total Deaths from all Causes.....					731	773	122	108	102	100	105	103	95	742	746	745.2	26.28	159	72	49	20	16	316	35	5	20	28	38	30	36	29	33	23	25	29	32	63	335	357
Total Zymotic Diseases.....					171	173	27	35	24	18	22	22	23	171	150	156.4	6.05	41	39	27	15	10	132	18	2	2	2	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	90	81
Total Constitutional Diseases.....					152	150	20	21	23	22	27	22	18	153	184	161.2	5.42	17	4	3	2	2	26	2	2	11	13	18	17	8	11	7	5	6	5	4	80	73	
Total Local Diseases.....					337	381	62	43	55	53	48	45	46	352	335	356.6	12.47	74	29	19	3	5	130	13	3	5	14	7	9	17	14	17	12	19	21	23	48	182	170
Total Developmental Diseases.....					44	43	10	6	5	4	4	7	6	42	52	46.0	1.49	27	1	1	1	1	27	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	16	26
Deaths by Violence.....					27	26	3	3	2	3	4	7	2	24	25	25.0	.85	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	17	7	
Small-pox.....					1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	2.4	.11	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1
Measles.....					30	25	6	3	3	3	1	2	3	21	1	15.0	.74	4	11	3	1	1	20	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	9
Scarlatina.....					12	16	2	3	2	3	2	3	2	17	11	30.0	.60	1	4	3	4	1	13	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	8
Diphtheria.....					57	48	6	13	5	3	5	8	9	49	38	27.6	1.74	5	8	12	16	6	37	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	24	25	
Membranous Croup.....					22	29	4	6	2	4	6	2	2	26	29	20.0	.92	3	10	6	4	2	25	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	13
Whooping Cough.....					2	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	3	28	12.2	.11	1	2	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Erysipelas.....					6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3.6	.07	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Typhus Fever.....					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.0	.02	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Yellow Fever.....					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.0	.02	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Typhoid Fever.....					5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	5	5.0	.18	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....					5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	5	5.0	.18	2	1	2	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	
Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive and Simple Continued Fevers.					4	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	9	9.6	.25	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	3	
Puerperal Diseases.....					8	9	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	6	10	9.8	.21	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	1
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....					15	14	2	4	4	1	2	1	4	17	7	10.2	.60	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	7
Inanition, Want of Breast Milk, etc.....					4	9	2	1	3	1	1	1	3	10	5	3.6	.35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	6	
Alcoholism.....					1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3.6	.04	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Rheumatism and Gout.....					10	6	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	8	3	3.4	.28	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	4	
Cancer.....					12	13	1	2	1	2	4	3	1	14	21	18.2	.50	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	12	
Phthisis Pulmonalis.....					100	105	16	15	16	15	16	14	13	105	117	109.0	3.72	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	61	44	
Bronchitis.....					43	44	6	3	7	6	12	5	10	49	50	47.0	1.74	19	8	3	1	1	31	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	24		
Pneumonia.....					83	101	21	14	11	13	7	11	6	83	104.8	2.91	19	7	7	3	2	38	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	34	49	
Heart Diseases.....					41	42	5	5	4	8	8	9	7	46	44	37.2	1.63	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	26	
Aneurism.....					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	4	2.2	.07	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Marasmus—Tabes Mesenterica and Scrofula.....					14	13	1	3	2	2	1	3	2	14	23	14.6	.50	1	1	1	1	1	14	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	7	
Hydrocephalus and Tubercular Meningitis.....					14	13	1	4	4	1	5	1	1	12	20	14.8	.42	3	3	2	2	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	
Meningitis and Encephalitis.....					17	31	4	4	5	6	6	4	3	32	22	18.8	1.13	10	5	3	1	18	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	20	12		
Convulsions.....					12	20	3	2	4	2	4	1	1	16	8	12.8	.57	12	2	2	1	16	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	7	
Direct Effect of Solar Heat.....					1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1.0	.02	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Apoplexy.....					19	17	4	1	4	1	2	1	1	14	16	16.6	.50	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7	7		
All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.....					64	81	13	8	16	10	15	7	9	78	60	65.2	2.76	24	7	5	1	36	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	44			
Cirrhosis of Liver and Hepatitis.....					11	9	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	8	2	6.8	.28	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	2	
Enteritis, Gastro-Enteritis, Peritonitis, and Gastritis.....					13	17	3	4	3	2	1	2	1	16	12	15.4	.57	7	2	1	1	1	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	8	
Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....					46	50	6	5	7	6	5	5	6	40	57	45.2	1.42	1	2	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	25		
Cyanosis and Atelectasis.....					6	12	1	1	2	1	1	3	2	10	8	5.8	.35	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	7		
Premature and Preterm Births.....					18	10	4	2	2	1	2	2	1	12	14	12.4	.42	12	1	1	1	1	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	6		
Surgical Operations.....					4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2.4	.07	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2		
Deaths by Suicide.....					4	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	4.4	.07	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2		
Deaths by Drowning.....					2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	2.0	.11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1		
Deaths in Children.....					156	161	28	33	26	21	19	21	21	159	175	157.6	5.63	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	

Births * reported during the week ending March 12, 1887.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.										NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.	
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.				
590	582	8	311	279	..	331	160	67	28	..	..	2	2	..	506	84

Marriages * reported during the week ending March 12, 1887.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.										CONDITION.				
	White.	Colored.	Foreign.	Native.	Born at sea.	Not stated.	First Marriage.	Second Marriage.	Third Marriage.	Fourth Marriage.	Not stated.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
210	205	5	4	4	143	119	67	91	..	..	..	174	185	32	23	4	..

* The returns of births, marriages, and still-births are incomplete.

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending March 12, 1887, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending March 5, 1887.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
6	Austria	12	10	27	24	11	9	1	..
8	British America	5	7	5	5	1	1	..	1
11	England	20	17	10	10	12	8	..	2
4	France	5	5	4	3	..	..	1	..
62	Germany	137	132	175	160	81	69	20	21
115	Ireland	206	203	59	59	8	12	6	6
8	Italy	28	28	20	22	3	..	2	3
..	Poland	4	4	14	8	4	3	2	2
3	Scotland	11	6	5	1	1	..	..	..
1	Switzerland	3	3	0	6	2	3	1	..
501	United States	227	253	188	229	67	91	24	26
6	Unknown or not stated	45	39	4	..	..	..	5	3
..	West Indies	1	..	3	1	1	..	..	..
16	Other countries	38	35	52	48	19	14	3	2

Still-Births reported during the week ending March 12, 1887.

TOTAL.	SEX.		COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.									
	Male.	Female.	White.	Colored.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	MONTH.									
											1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
66	27	36	3	63	1	24	37	5	26	37	3	..	1	3	1	3	8	8	19	23

Deaths reported during the week ending March 12, 1887.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.											RESIDENCE.		CONDITION.								
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more).	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.							New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.		Not stated. †			
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.				Top.	Not Stated.		Single.	Married.	Widowed.
731	119	427	138	16	11	..	8	132	182	149	98	28	4	..	..	703	28	..	94	182	92	36

† Principally children and deaths in Institutions.

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 209, 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. BIRDSALL, 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.
LIAM H. 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. BABCOCK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEENE, 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. 19, 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.
ARTEMAS 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.

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. 49 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 I. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M. to 5.30 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 Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'OECH, 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 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES C. BAYLES, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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-fourth 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.

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Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Saturdays, 3 P. M.

MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

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 COMERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, 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.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.
The Mayor, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bon street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HUGH J. GRANT, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, MARCH 7, 1887.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE work and furnishing the materials called for in the approved form of contract now on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, for the construction of additional Shaft No. 13½, situated on Section 7 of the New Croton Aqueduct, at about Station 792+50, will be received at this office, until the 25th day of MARCH, 1887, at 3 o'clock P. M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

Blank forms of said approved contract and the specifications thereof, and the bids or proposals, and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and forms of bonds, and also the plans for said work, and all other information required can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JAMES C. SPENCER, President.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

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, will receive a "jury en-
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 exempt, the party must bring
proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in
person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc. etc.
No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called
or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or
interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be en-
tered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, March 17, 1887.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH
of the Health Department of the City of New York,
held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, March 15, 1887,
the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 100 of the Sanitary Code be and
is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 100.* That every owner, lessee, tenant, and
occupant of any stall, stable, or apartment in which any
horse, cattle or swine, or any other animal shall be kept,
or of any place in which manure or any liquid discharge
of such animals shall collect or accumulate, within the
built-up portion of said city, shall cause said liquid and
manure to be at once removed to some proper place, and
shall at all times keep or cause to be kept such stalls,
stables and apartments, and the drainage, yard and
appurtenances thereof, in a cleanly and wholesome con-
dition, so that no offensive smell detrimental to health
shall be allowed to escape therefrom; and when within
three hundred feet of any occupied dwelling-house, or of
any manufactory where more than five persons are
employed, the removals from the stables shall not be
made, nor shall the manure or refuse from the stable be
allowed to remain on any street or place near such stable,
any time between 8 o'clock A. M. and 11 o'clock P. M.,
without a permit from this Board. Whenever there shall
be a cart-load of manure on any premises it shall be
immediately removed, unless it be pressed or baled.
The Sanitary Superintendent may issue permits for and
regulate the removal of bales or pressed manure upon
conditions stated in such permits, which shall prescribe
not more than ten days for such removal, and shall pre-
vent a nuisance. No manure vault under the sidewalk
outside of a stable shall be built or used on any premises,
except pursuant to the terms of a permit granted therefor
by the Health Department.

[L. S.] JAMES C. BAYLES,
President.
EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the Board of School Trustees of the Eighth Ward, at
the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until Friday, April 1, 1887, and until 10 o'clock A. M., on
said day, for the Furniture required for the new school
building located at Nos. 29 to 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.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties pro-
posing 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.

C. WESLEY BAUM,
GEORGE F. VETTER,
O. ROCKEFELLER,
CHARLES H. HOUSLEY,
WILLIAM BRANDON,
Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

Dated New York, March 18, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the Board of School Trustees for the First Ward, at
the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until 9½ o'clock A. M., on Friday, April 1, 1887,
for Painting, etc., Primary School Building No. 15,
located at No. 68 Pearl street.

THOMAS WILLIAMS, Chairman,
JOSEPH H. FORD, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, First Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School
Trustees for the Second Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on
the day and at the place before-named, for Repairs to
Wall, etc., of Primary School No. 34, located at No. 293
Pearl street.

HENRY C. PARKE, Chairman,
JAMES W. HALE, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Second Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the Board of
School Trustees for the Fourth Ward, until 9½ o'clock
A. M., on Monday, April 4, 1887, at the place before-
named, for Ceilings, Flooring, Painting, etc., in Grammar
School Building No. 1, located at No. 30 Vandewater
street; also, for Repairing and Painting Primary School
Building No. 12, located at Nos. 83 and 85 Roosevelt
street.

FRANCIS DANNBACHER,
Chairman,
MICHAEL J. DUFFY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the Board of
School Trustees for the Fifth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M.,
on the day last named and at the same place, for Repairing,
etc., Grammar School Building No. 44, located corner of
North Moore and Varick streets; also, for Repairing and
Painting Primary School Building No. 11, located at No.
31 Vestry street.

HENRY C. WEST, Chairman,
WM. H. NAETHING, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fifth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the Board of
School Trustees for the Sixth Ward, at the same place,
until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, April 5, 1887, for
Repairs, etc., of Primary School Building No. 8, located
at Nos. 62 and 64 Mott street.

JOHN F. WHALEN, Chairman,
PETER KRAEGER, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Sixth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the Board of
School Trustees for the Seventh Ward, at the same place
and on the day last named, until 4 o'clock P. M., for
Repairing, etc., Grammar School Building No. 12, located
at No. 371 Madison street; also, for Repairing and Paint-
ing Primary School Building No. 36, located at Nos. 68 and
70 Monroe street.

WM. H. TOWNLEY, Chairman,
JAMES W. MCBARRON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Seventh 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.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties pro-
posing 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.

Dated New York, March 18, 1887.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 243.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING
FOR AND BUILDING A CRIB BULKHEAD
FROM WEST SEVENTY-SEVENTH TO WEST
SEVENTY-EIGHTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND
building a Crib Bulkhead from West Seventy-sev-
enth to West Seventy-eighth street, North river, will be
received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of
the Department of Docks, at the office of said Depart-
ment, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river,
in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30, 1887,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly
opened by the head of said Department. The award of
the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as prac-
ticable after the opening of the bids.

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

The bidder to whom an award is made shall give
security for the faithful performance of the contract, in
the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the
sum of Five Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

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

CLASS 1. Dredging for the site of the crib bulkhead and
in the slip in front of it—about 17,000 cubic yards.

CLASS 2. Crib bulkhead complete, containing about the
following quantities:

1. About 202,000 cubic feet, more or less, of crib work
complete, including fenders, mooring posts and backing
logs, etc.

NOTE.—This quantity is estimated from the top of the
stone filling down to the bottom of the crib work.

2. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all mov-
ing of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, paint-
ing, and furnishing the materials for painting, and labor
of every description, for the crib bulkhead.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal ex-
amination of the location of the proposed work, and by
such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy
of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any
time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or com-
plain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that
there was any misunderstanding in regard to the
nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be com-
menced within five days after the date of the contract,
and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on
or before the first day of July, 1887, and the damages
to be paid by the contractor for each day that the con-
tract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the
fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the
contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty
Dollars per day.

All the material excavated is to be removed by the
contractor, and deposited, in all respects, according to
law, and any material dredged, not so deposited, shall
not be paid for.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole
of the work to be done, in each class in conformity with
the approved form of agreement and the specifications
therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be tested.
These prices are to cover all expenses of every kind
involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract,
including any claim that may arise through delay from
any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.
The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made to
the bidder who is the lowest for doing the whole of the
work comprised in the two classes, and whose estimate is
regular in all respects.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in
figures, the amount of their estimates for doing each class
of the work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be
awarded will be required to attend at this office with the
sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract
within five days from the date of the service of a notice
to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do,
he or they will be considered as having abandoned it,
and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract
will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it be
accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their
names and places of residence; the names of all persons
interested with them therein; and if no other person be
so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact,
also that the estimate is made without any connection
with any other person making an estimate for the same
work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collu-
sion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common

Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, De-
puty thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Cor-
poration is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in
the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion
of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by
the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate,
that the several matters stated therein are in all respects
true. Where more than one person is interested, it is
 requisite that the verification be made and subscribed
to by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in
writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of
New York, with their respective places of business or
residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to
the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on
its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sure-
ties for its faithful performance; and that if said person
or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract,
they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York
any difference between the sum to which said person or
persons would be entitled on its completion and that
which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the per-
son to whom the contract may be awarded at any subse-
quent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated
upon the estimated amount of the work to be done in each
class, by which the bids are tested. The consent above
mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation,
in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he
is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York
and is worth the amount of the security required for the
completion of the contract, over and above all his
debts of every nature, and over and above his
liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has
offered himself as surety in good faith and with the inten-
tion to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy
and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to
approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York,
after the award is made and prior to the signing of the
contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accom-
panied 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 security required for the faith-
ful 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 per-
sons 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.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the speci-
fications will be allowed unless under the written instruc-
tions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if
deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of
New York.

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

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
JOSEPH KOCH,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, March 18, 1887.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHAR-
ITIES AND CORRECTION.**

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-
ing Steam Pipe, Radiators, Fittings, etc., in accord-
ance with specifications and schedules to be seen at the
office of the Commissioners of the Department, No. 66
Third avenue, 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, March
25, 1887. The person or persons making any
bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a
sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for
Steam Pipe, Radiators, etc.," with his or their
name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head
of said Department, at the said office, on or before the
day and hour above named, at which time and place the
bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by
the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION
RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTI-
MATES 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 Corpo-
ration upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as
surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corpo-
ration.

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 Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be en-
gaged in and well prepared for the business, and must
have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the
person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded
will be required to give security for the performance of
the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient
sureties, 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 be 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 with-
out collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Com-
mon 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 con-
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in
the City of New York, with their respective places of
business or residence, to the effect that if the contract
be awarded to the person making the estimate, they
will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sure-
ties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit
or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Cor-
poration any difference between the sum to which he would
be entitled on its completion and that which the Corpora-
tion 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 shall be accompanied by
the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons
signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in

the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the
security required for the completion of this contract, over
and above all his debts of every nature, and over and
above his liabilities, as bail, surety or otherwise; and that
he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with
the intention to execute the bond required by section 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 accom-
panied 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 Esti-
mate-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 written notice that the same has been
awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they
accept but do not execute the contract and give the
proper security, he or they shall be considered as having
abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and
the contract will be re-advertised and relet as provided
by law.

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 Compt-
roller, 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 speci-
fications will be allowed, unless under the written instruc-
tion of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Cor-
rection.

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

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, March 14, 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.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY
GOODS, HARDWARE, LEATHER,
LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-
ing

GROCERIES.

7,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition
Thursday, March 24, 1887.
1,000 pounds Cheese.
1,000 pounds Dried Apples.
100 pounds Chocolate.
1,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.
10,000 pounds Oat Meal, price to include packages.
15,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
300 bushels Beans.
100 bushels Dried Peas.
100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds
net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's
Island.
30 kits prime quality No. 1 New Mackerel, 20
pounds net each.
40 dozen Canned Peaches.
6 dozen Tomato Catsup.
5 dozen Olive Oil.
3,000 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
585 barrels good, sound 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 Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per
barrel.
100 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.

DRY GOODS.

3,000 yards Stillwater muslin.
3,000 yards Cottonades.
3,000 yards Blue Denims.
25,000 yards Brown Muslin.
5,000 yards Crash Toweling.
100 White Spreads.

HARDWARE, WOODENWARE, ETC.

10 kegs first quality Cut Nails, 20d.
5 dozen Scythe Rifles.
6 dozen Garden Hoes.
10 gross Sewing Awls.
20 gross Patent Peg Awls.
50 gross Matches.
6 dozen Hay Rakes.
100 dozen Spectacles.
10 bundles first quality Galvanized Iron, No. 24,
21 x 84.
2 boxes first quality Tin IX., 14 x 20.
12 dozen Flat Shovels.

LEATHER.

150 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to average
about 22 to 25 pounds.
100 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to
average about 11 feet.

LIME.

50 barrels first quality Whitewash Lime.

LUMBER.

700 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 in.,
dressed two sides.
500 feet first quality clear White Pine flooring, thor-
oughly seasoned, 1 in. x 4½ in., dressed,
tongued and grooved.
1,000 square feet first quality thoroughly seasoned,
clear, edged or vertical grained Yellow
Georgia Pine flooring 1½ in. x 3 in., dressed,
tongued and grooved.
2,500 square feet first quality thoroughly seasoned,
clear, edged or vertical grained Yellow
Georgia Pine flooring, 1½ in. x 3½ in.,
dressed, tongued and grooved.
4,000 square feet first quality, thoroughly seasoned,
clear, edged or vertical grained Yellow
Georgia Pine Flooring, 1½ in. x 3½ in.,
dressed, tongued and grooved.
75 first quality, clear, thoroughly seasoned White
Pine Ceiling Boards, 1½ in. x 4½ in. x 16
feet, dressed and beaded two sides.

1,600 feet clear first quality, thoroughly seasoned
Clap-boards, 3/4 x 6 in., dressed one side.
18 pieces first quality Spruce, 2 in. x 9 in. x 12
feet.
18 pieces first quality Spruce, 2 in. x 6 in. x 12
feet.
1,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/4 in.,
dressed two sides.
1,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/2 in.,
dressed two sides.
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine 1 in. x 12
to 16 in. x 12 to 16 ft., dressed one side.
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine 2 in. x 12
to 16 in. x 12 to 16 ft., dressed one side.
All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—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, March 25, 1887. The person
or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the
same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate
for Groceries, Dry Goods, Lumber, etc.," with his or
their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the
head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the
day and hour above named, at which time and place the
bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the
President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION
RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTI-
MATES 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 Corpora-
tion upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as
surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corpora-
tion.

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 Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be en-
gaged in and well prepared for the business, and must
have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person
or persons to whom the contract may be awarded
will be required to give security for the performance of
the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient
sureties, 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 be 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 Corpora-
tion, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the
supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of
the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified
by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making
the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are
in all respects true. Where more than one person is in-
terested, it is requisite that the verification be made and
subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the con-
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the
City of New York, with their respective places of busi-
ness or residence, to the effect that if the contract be
awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on
its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its
faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse
to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation
any difference between the sum to which he would be
entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation
may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom
the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting.
The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by
the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons
signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder
in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the
security required for the completion of this contract, over
and above all his debts of every nature, and over and
above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that
he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with
the intention to execute the bond required by section 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 accom-
panied 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 enclosed in the sealed envelope con-
taining 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, ex-
cept that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the
persons making the same within three days after the con-
tract 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 exe-
cute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount
of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and
merchandise must conform in every respect to the sam-
ples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said
Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the
specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., re-
quired, 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 Compt-
roller, 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 speci-
fications will be allowed, unless under the written instruc-
tion of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correc-
tion.

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

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, March 14, 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, March 8, 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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Chambers Street
Hospital.—Unknown man; aged about 30 years; 5 feet
8 inches high; blue eyes; sandy moustache; no clothing.
Unknown man, from South Ferry Slip; aged 40 years;
5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair mixed with gray; dark
brown moustache; hazel eyes. Had on dark coat, dark
vest, brown pants, blue flannel shirt, gray undershirt and
drawers, gray socks, boots.

Unknown woman, from foot of Hamilton street; aged
about 35 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; dark brown hair.
Had on purple cashmere waist, black satin overskirt,
cashmere underskirt, gray petticoat, white chemise and
drawers, white stockings, black prunella gaiters.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island.—Susan Green;
aged 23 years. Committed February 23, 1887.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island.—Bridget
Cook; aged 85 years; 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high; hazel
eyes, gray hair.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island.—Tobias
Torgensen; aged 31 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray
eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted blue coat and
vest, dark striped pants, gaiters, 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.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR THE CARPENTER-
WORK, PAINTING AND OTHER IN-
CIDENTAL WORK REQUIRED IN
FITTING UP THE CHEMICAL LABOR-
ATORY AND STOREHOUSE FOR
SPIRITS AND OILS, ERECTED ON
GROUNDS OF BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE
aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications
and plans, will be received at the office of the Department
of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue,
in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of
Tuesday, March 22, 1887. The person or persons making
any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed
envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Carpenter-
Work, etc., for the General Drug Department Building,
etc., on grounds of Bellevue Hospital, City of New York,"
and with his or their name or names, and the date of pre-
sentation, to the head of said Department, at the said
office, on or before the day and hour above named, at
which time and place the bids or estimates received
will be publicly opened by the President of said Depart-
ment, and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION
RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTI-
MATES 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 Corpora-
tion upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as
surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corpora-
tion.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be en-
gaged in and well prepared for the business, and must
have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person
or persons to whom the contract may be awarded
will be required to give security for the performance of
the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient
sureties, each in the penal amount of THREE
THOUSAND (\$3,000) dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name
and place of residence of each of the persons making the
same; the names of all persons interested with him or
them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it
shall distinctly state that fact; 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 with-
out collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Com-
mon Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau,
Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Cor-
poration 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 in-
terested, it is requisite that the verification be made and
subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accom-
panied by either a certified check upon one of the National
or State 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 enclosed in the sealed envelope con-
taining 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, ex-
cept that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the
persons making the same, within three days after the con-
tract 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 exe-
cute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount
of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Compt-
roller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

BIDDERS ARE INFORMED THAT NO DEVIATION FROM
THE SPECIFICATIONS WILL BE ALLOWED, UNLESS UNDER
THE WRITTEN INSTRUCTIONS OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF
PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

The form of the agreement, including specifications,

and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at
the office of the Department, where the plans will be on
exhibition for information of bidders.

Dated, New York, March 10, 1887.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING,
NEW YORK.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE
City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby adver-
tised that the books of "The Annual Record of the
Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the
City and County of New York, for the year 1887, will
be open for examination and correction from the second
Monday of January, 1887, until the first day of May,
1887.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make
application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assess-
ments, at this office, during the period said books are
open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

Applications for correction of assessed valuations on
personal estate must be made by the person assessed, to
the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M.
and 2 P. M., at this office, during the same period.

MICHAEL COLEMAN,
EDWARD C. DONNELLY,
THOMAS L. FEINER,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

THE INTEREST DUE MAY 1, 1887, ON THE
Bonds and Stocks of the City of New York, will be
paid on that day by the Comptroller, at the office of
the City Chamberlain, Room 27, Stewart Building,
corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from March 26,
to May 1, 1887.

E. V. LOEW, Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, March 18, 1887.

SALE OF LEASE OF VACANT CITY LOTS AT MANHATTANVILLE, IN THE TWELFTH WARD.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW
York will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder
of a yearly rental, at his office, Room 15, Stewart
Building, corner Broadway and Chambers street, on
Wednesday, the 30th day of March, 1887, at 12 o'clock M.,
a LEASE for the term of Ten years from May 1, 1887, of
that certain plot of vacant land in the Twelfth Ward of
the City of New York, belonging to the Corporation, situ-
ated between the Twelfth avenue and the roadway of
the Hudson River Railroad and One Hundred and Thir-
ty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets, as
shown on a map drawn by Eugene E. McLean, City Sur-
veyor, on file at the Comptroller's office.

TERMS OF SALE.

The lease will be awarded by the Commissioners of
the Sinking Fund to the highest responsible bidder of an
annual rental payable quarterly, and the successful bidder
will be required to pay, when the award is made, twenty-
five per cent. of the amount of the yearly rent bid by
him, and at the same time an obligation shall be executed
by two satisfactory sureties, to be approved by the
Comptroller, for carrying into effect the terms of the
sale.

The amount so paid will be credited against the rent
first becoming due, or will be forfeited to the city if a
lease and bond for the faithful performance of its covenants
and conditions be not executed by the purchaser when
notified by the Comptroller, who is authorized, at his
option, to lease the premises by a resale at public auction,
upon the same terms and conditions, if the highest bidder
should so fail to comply with the terms of sale.

A form of lease and bond for sureties, containing the
usual covenants and conditions may be examined at the
Comptroller's office.

No bid will be accepted from, nor will a lease be
awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corpora-
tion of the City of New York upon debt or contract, or
who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obli-
gation to the Corporation, nor shall such person be
accepted as surety on the lease.

The lessee will be required to give a bond for double
the amount of the annual rent, with two sureties, ap-
proved by the Comptroller.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

E. V. LOEW,

Comptroller

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 15, 1887.

LEASES OF CITY PROPERTY, AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW
York will sell at public auction to the highest bidder
of yearly rentals, at his office, Room 15, Stewart
Building, corner Broadway and Chambers street, on Wed-
nesday, the 30th day of March, 1887, at 12 o'clock M.,
leases of the following-described premises belonging to
the Corporation of the City of New York, for the term
of five years from May 1, 1887, viz.:

1. Building, Nos. 8, 10 and 12 Chambers street, Fourth
Ward.
2. First floor of old City Armory, corner of Elm and
White streets, Sixth Ward.
3. Upper part of old City Armory, Sixth Ward.
4. North end of upper part of Centre Market, Four-
teenth Ward.
5. South end of upper part of Centre Market, Four-
teenth Ward.

TERMS OF SALE.

The rental shall be paid monthly in advance, and the
highest bidder shall be required to pay the auctioneer's
fee and one month's rent, or one-twelfth of the amount of
the yearly rent bid by him at the time and place of sale.

The amount so paid for one month's rent shall be for-
feited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease
and bond within fifteen days after the sale, and the Compt-
roller is authorized, at his option, to resell the premises
bid off by any person failing to comply with this condition
of the sale, and the person so failing to comply shall be
liable for any deficiency that may result from such resale.
No person will be received as lessee or surety who is
delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation,
and no bid will be accepted from any person who is in
arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who
is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation
to the Corporation, as provided by law.

The lessee will contain the usual covenants and condi-
tions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the
lease whenever the premises may be required by them for
public purposes.

All repairs will be made at the expense of the lessees,
except for necessary repairs of the roof of the building.

The lessee will be required to give a bond for double
the amount of the annual rent, with one surety, to be ap-
proved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the payment
of the rent monthly, and the fulfillment on their part of
the covenants of the lease.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

E. V. LOEW, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 15, 1887.

CITY LEASES OF HOUSES IN TWELFTH WARD, ON THE LINE OF THE NEW AQUEDUCT, TO BE SOLD AT PUB- LIC AUCTION.

THE Comptroller of the City of New York will sell
at public auction, to the highest bidder of yearly
rentals, at his office, Room 15, Stewart Building, corner
Broadway and Chambers street, on Wednesday, the
30th day of March, 1887, leases of the following-de-
scribed premises belonging to the Corporation of the
City of New York, for the term of three years, from
May 1, 1887, viz.:

1. Frame shanty, Convent avenue, near One Hundred
and Thirtieth street.
2. Frame shanty, Convent avenue, near One Hundred
and Fortieth street.
3. Two-story frame dwelling, south side of One Hun-
dred and Forty-sixth street, Block No. 1072, Ward No.
48.
4. Two-story frame dwelling, south side of One Hun-
dred and Forty-sixth street, Block No. 1072, Ward No.
49.
5. Two-story frame dwelling, south side of One Hun-
dred and Forty-sixth street, Block No. 1072, Ward No.
50.
6. Frame stable (part) north side of One Hundred and
Forty-sixth street, Block No. 1073, Ward No. 15.
7. Stone front, two-story brick dwelling, north side of
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, Block No. 1073,
Ward No. 17.
8. Frame shanty, on rear of lot, north side of One
Hundred and Forty-seventh street, Block No. 1074,
Ward No. 17.
9. Frame hotel, One Hundred and Forty-eighth street
(new Mount St. Vincent Building), with parts of sheds.
10. Frame shanty, north side of One Hundred and
Forty-ninth street, Block No. 1076, Ward No. 15.
11. Two-story frame dwelling, north side of One Hun-
dred and Fiftieth street, Block No. 1077, Ward No. 16.
12. Frame stable, on rear of lot, north side of One
Hundred and Fiftieth street, Block No. 1077, Ward No.
17.
13. Frame stable, north side of One Hundred and
Fifty-first street, Block No. 1078, Ward No. 10, 21.
14. New three-story brick dwelling, north side of One
Hundred and Fifty-first street, Block No. 1078, Ward
No. 6.
15. New three-story brick dwelling, north side of One
Hundred and Fifty-first street, Block No. 1078, Ward
No. 7.
16. Two-story frame dwelling, south side of One
Hundred and Fifty-second street, Block No. 1078, Ward
Nos. 63, 66, 67.
17. Two-story frame dwelling, corner of One Hundred
and Fifty-second street and Tenth avenue, Block No.
1078, Ward No. 64.

TERMS OF SALE.

The rental shall be paid monthly in advance, and the
highest bidder shall be required to pay the auctioneer's
fee and one month's rent, or one-twelfth of the amount
of the yearly rent bid by him at the time and place of sale.

The amount so paid for one month's rent shall be for-
feited if the successful bidder does not execute the lease
and bond within fifteen days after the sale; and the
Comptroller is authorized, at his option, to resell the
premises bid off by any person failing to comply with
this condition of the sale; and the person so failing to
comply shall be liable for any deficiency that may result
from such resale.

No person will be received as lessee or surety who is
delinquent on any former lease from the Corporation,
and no bid will be accepted from any person who is in
arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who
is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obli-
gation to the Corporation, as provided by law.

The leases will contain the usual covenants and con-
ditions, reserving to the Corporation the right to cancel the
lease whenever the premises may be required by them
for public purposes.

All repairs will be made at the expense of the lessee,
except for necessary repairs of the roof of the building.

The lessee will be required to give a bond for double
the amount of the annual rent, with one surety, to be
approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the pay-
ment of the rent monthly, and the fulfillment, on his part,
of the covenants of the lease.

The Comptroller shall have the right to reject any bid.

E. V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, March 15, 1887.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 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, be-
tween Sedgwick and Boston avenues, 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 said entry of the assessment,
interest will be collected thereon as provided in section
998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 of the said act provides that, "If any such
assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty
days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of
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 20,
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 cent. 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.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
January 27, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 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.:

Depot place regulating, grading, laying crosswalks,
flagging, setting curb and gutter-stones, between Sedg-
wick avenue and New York Central and Hudson River
Railroad.

Sixty-seventh street regulating, grading, curbing and

One Hundred and Forty-third street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones and flagging, and laying crosswalks, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-fourth street regulating, grading, curb and flagging, from Seventh avenue to the east line of the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones and flagging, from Elton to Courtland avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-sixth street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones and flagging, and laying crosswalks between North Third and St. Ann's avenues.

Lincoln avenue paving, from Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue, with trap-block pavement.

Fourth avenue paving, from Seventy-second to Ninety-sixth street, with granite-block pavement, which was confirmed by operation of law on July 18, 1885.

Seventieth street paving, from Avenue A to a line about 650 feet easterly, with trap-block pavement.

Seventy-third street paving, from Ninth avenue to a line about 225 feet west of Eighth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

Eighty-ninth street paving, from First avenue to Avenue A, with granite-block pavement.

Ninety-third street paving, from Second avenue to Avenue A, with granite-block pavement.

One Hundred and Forty-third street paving, from Alexander to Brook avenue, with trap-block pavement.

One Hundred and Fifty-second street paving, from Avenue St. Nicholas to St. Nicholas Place, with Telford-macadam pavement.

One Hundred and Fifty-third street paving, from Tenth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, with granite-block pavement.

One Hundred and Fifty-third street paving, from St. Nicholas place to Avenue St. Nicholas, with Telford-macadam pavement.

Sixth avenue, flagging sidewalks four feet wide, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

Fifty-ninth street flagging, south side, commencing at Fourth avenue and extending east about 110 feet.

Sixty-second street flagging, south side, between First and Second avenues.

Seventy-ninth street flagging, north side, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-first street flagging, south side, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

Morris avenue, laying crosswalks, between North Third and Railroad avenues.

Second avenue sewer, west side, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-seventh streets, and in Sixty-seventh street, between Second and Third avenues.

Eighty-fourth street sewer, between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets.

Sixty-sixth street sewer, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Eighty-fourth street sewer, between Tenth and Riverside avenues.

Eighty-eighth street sewers, between Madison and Fifth avenues, and in Madison avenue, between Eighty-seventh and Ninety-first streets.

Eighty-eighth, Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets sewers, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street sewer, from the summit between Alexander and Willis avenues to Brook avenue.

One Hundred and Forty-fourth street sewer, between Eighth avenue and first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and in said new avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets.

One Hundred and Forty-fifth street sewer, north side, between Boulevard and Tenth avenue, and in Tenth avenue, west side, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets.

One Hundred and Forty-sixth street sewer, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Forty-seventh street sewer, between Eighth avenue and first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, with branches in said new avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.

Kingsbridge road sewer, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth streets.

Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Fiftieth street sewers, between Brook and Courtland avenues, with branches in North Third and Bergen avenues, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Westchester avenue.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments January 14, 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 said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 97 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 97 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of 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 April 4, 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 cent. 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 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price..... \$100 00
The same in 25 volumes, half bound..... 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding..... 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound..... 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell Room 23, Stewart Building."

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1886.

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, lead, male and female 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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 & 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, January 26, 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,
ELWARD SMITH,
Commissioners.
CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 19, 1887.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1887, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, under the direction of the Superintendent of Incumbrances, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on the premises, the following viz.:

PART OR PARTS OF FRAME BUILDING LYING WITHIN THE LINES OF SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, BETWEEN WEST END AVENUE AND THE BOULEVARD.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the part or parts of building or structures entirely out of the line of the street, within thirty days from the date of the sale, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor; the purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale or the building to be resold.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, March 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., Monday, March 28, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOP-COCKS, HYDRANTS, WOODEN HYDRANT BOXES AND CAST-IRON STOP-COCK BOXES.

Bidders for the above contract must be regularly engaged in the business and well prepared for furnishing the materials they propose for; and no contract will be made with any bidder who is not prepared to furnish satisfactory evidence to that effect.

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the 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 neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 enclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Croton Aqueduct, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,
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Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
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No. 1. FOR SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS IN SIXTY-SECOND STREET, from the Boulevard to Eighth avenue.

No. 2. FOR FLAGGING SIDEWALKS IN SEVENTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

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

No. 4. SEWER IN AVENUE B, between Fifth and Sixth streets.

No. 5. SEWER IN AVENUE B, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, and between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets.

No. 6. SEWER IN FOURTH AVENUE, west side, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets, WITH BRANCH IN ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

No. 7. SEWER IN SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, between Avenue A and East river.

No. 8. SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, between Ninth and Manhattan avenues.

No. 9. SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD STREET, between Ninth and Manhattan avenues.

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JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
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 the 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 WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
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 allowing the faucets to be 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 wasteful use of water 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 are further 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.

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JOHN NEWTON,
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CORPORATION NOTICE.

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 2290, No. 1. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in Grove street, between Brook avenue and North Third avenue, with connecting sewers in Bergen avenue, between Westchester avenue and Grove street; North Third avenue, between Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between North Third and Courtland avenues; One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between North Third and Courtland avenues; One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between North Third and Courtland avenues; One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between North Third and College avenues; Elton avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, and Courtland avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets.

List 2313, No. 2. Paving Saint Nicholas place, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to Saint Nicholas avenue, with Telford-macadam pavement.

List 2319, No. 3. Paving First avenue, from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Ninth street, with granite-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. Both sides of Third avenue, between Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; both sides of Elton avenue, from North Third avenue to One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-first, One Hundred and Fifty-second and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets, between Courtland avenue and North Third avenue; both sides of Courtland and Melrose avenues, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets; both sides of Bergen avenue, between Westchester avenue and Grove street; both sides of Grove street, between Brook and North Third avenues; both sides of Rose street, between Bergen and North Third avenues, and both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between College and North Third avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of St. Nicholas place, from One Hundred and Forty-eighth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of First avenue, from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Ninth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting 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 11th day of April, 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, March 9, 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 1344, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Second street to Harlem river.

List 1899, No. 2. Paving Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-first street, with granite-block pavement.

List 2258, No. 3. Regulating and grading, setting curbs, paving gutter and flagging sidewalks in Willis avenue, between the Southern Boulevard and North Third avenue.

List 2305, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curb and flagging One Hundred and Third street, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive.

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 Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Second street to Harlem River, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting street.

No. 2. Both sides of Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-first street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Willis avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Third street, from Tenth avenue to the Riverside Drive, 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

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH STREET, between Railroad avenue and Webster avenue, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fourth day of March, 1887, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, March 10, 1887.

WILLIAM H. BARKER,
PATRICK H. RYAN,
JOHN WHALEN,
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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to that certain street or avenue called RAILROAD AVENUE, east from the Harlem river to One Hundred and Sixty-first street, in the Twenty-third 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 eighteenth day of April, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eighteenth day of April, 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 eighteenth day of April, 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.: West by a line parallel or nearly so with and distant about four hundred feet westerly from the westerly side of Railroad avenue East; north by the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; east by a line parallel or nearly so with and distant about seven hundred feet easterly from the easterly side of Railroad avenue East as widened, extending from the southerly side of One Hundred and Sixty-first street to a point where the westerly side of Morris avenue if extended would intersect the centre of One Hundred and Forty-third street, and by the westerly side of the Mott Haven Canal, from the head thereof to the bulkhead-line in the Harlem river, and southerly by an irregular line extending westerly from a point where the westerly side of Morris avenue if extended would intersect the centre of One Hundred and Forty-third street to the head of the Mott Haven Canal in the Harlem river, and by the bulkhead-line in the Harlem river, excepting from said area all the streets and avenues herebefore 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 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, 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 sixth 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 4, 1887.

H. M. WHITEHEAD,
JOHN WHALEN,
ROBERT A. VAN WYCK,
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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to GROVE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Third avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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 1st day of April, 1887, at the opening of 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises within the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Grove street, extending from Third avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Third avenue, distant 865½ feet northeasterly from the intersection of the northern line of Westchester avenue with the eastern line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Third avenue for 50½ feet.

2d. Thence easterly deflecting 80° 04' 40" to the right for 314½ feet to the western line of Brook avenue.

3d. Thence southerly along the western line of Brook avenue for 50½ feet.

4th. Thence westerly deflecting 94° 07' 30" to the right for 326½ 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 Register of the City and County 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, March 1, 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to ROSE STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Third avenue to Bergen avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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 1st day of April, 1887, at the opening of 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises within the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Rose street, extending from Third avenue to Bergen avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Third avenue, distant 412½ feet from the intersection of the northern line of Westchester avenue with the eastern line of Third avenue.

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Third avenue for 50 feet.

2d. Thence southeasterly deflecting 89° 40' 40" to the right for 187½ feet.

3d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 90° 00' 00" to the right for 50 feet.

4th. Thence northwesterly deflecting 90° 00' 00" to the right for 187½ 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 Register of the City and County 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, March 1, 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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title to all that certain plot or gore of land in the Twenty-second Ward in the City of New York, bounded northerly by Seventy-third street, easterly by Tenth avenue, southerly by Seventy-second street, and westerly by the Broadway Boulevard, for a public place, as laid out under and in pursuance of chapter 451 of the Laws of 1884.

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 twelfth day of April, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twelfth day of April, 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 twelfth day of April, 1887.

Third.—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 twenty-ninth day of April, 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, February 19, 1887.

EDWARD L. PARRIS,
G. M. SPIER, JR.,
GEORGE CAULFIELD,
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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of GERARD AVENUE, although not yet named by proper authority, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to Jerome avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

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 twenty-second day of March, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-second day of March, 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 twenty-second day of March, 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 side of Jerome avenue and by a line drawn at right angles, or nearly so with the easterly side of Gerard avenue at its northerly termination at Jerome avenue and extending easterly from the said easterly side of Gerard avenue to the centre line of the block between Gerard and Mott avenues; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Gerard avenue and Railroad, Mott and Walton avenues and Marchwood place; southerly by the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Gerard avenue and River avenue; 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 fifteenth day of April, 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, January 29, 1887.

LUKE F. COZANS,
J. DANA JONES,
JOHN WHALEN,
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 Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the Opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH STREET, from Tenth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, 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 twenty-second day of March, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-second day of March, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 12 o'clock 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 twenty-second day of March, 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 Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets; easterly by the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets; and westerly by the easterly side of Tenth avenue; 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 fifteenth day of April, 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, January 29, 1887.

DAVID G. YUENGLING, JR.,
EUGENE S. IVES,
GEORGE F. LANGHEIN,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

GAS COMMISSION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING the Gas or other illuminating material for and Lighting, Extinguishing, Cleaning, Repairing, and Maintaining the Public Lamps (and supplying Gas, etc., for new lamps when required) on the Streets, Avenues, Piers, Parks, and Public Places in the City of New York, for the period of one year, commencing May 1, 1887, and ending April 30, 1888, both days inclusive.

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 Wednesday, March 30, 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 the public lamps," and also with the name of the person 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 thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the 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 as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he or they shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he or they would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a household or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the proposals, and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith, and with an intention to execute the bond required by 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 gas they propose to furnish, when tested, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture, and bidders

proposing to furnish any illuminating material other than illuminating or coal gas, must state distinctly what kind of material they propose to furnish, and the illuminating power of the light they propose to furnish.

Bidders are also required to state the price per year for which they will furnish the gas (of not less than eighteen-candle power by photometrical test, at a distance of not less than one mile from the place of manufacture) or other illuminating material for each lamp, including the lighting, extinguishing, cleaning, repairing, reglazing, and painting lamp-posts and lanterns, and replacing the cocks, tubes, burners, cross heads, lamp irons, and lanterns thereto, for the period from May 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); 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 electric 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.

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

For each lamp-post straightened, stating the price per post.

For each column releaded, stating the price per post.

For each column refitted, stating the price per post.

For each lamp-post removed, stating the price per post.

For each lamp-post reset, stating the price per post.

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

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

The total number of public lamps to be contracted for is about 10,000, but bidders may bid for any portion of the same, naming their location as to districts, streets, avenues, piers, parks and public places, or parts thereof.

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

Should any alteration or any attachment be required to any portion of the lamps for which 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 gas or naphtha lamps are to be kept burning during the contract is 4,000, and electric lamps are to be kept lighted 3,830 hours.

The amount of security required on any contract which will amount to \$400,000, and upwards, shall be \$150,000; on any contract which will amount to \$300,000, and less than \$400,000, shall be \$125,000; on any contract which will amount to \$200,000, and less than \$300,000, shall be \$100,000; on any contract which will amount to \$100,000, and less than \$200,000, shall be \$75,000; on any contract which will amount to \$80,000, but is less than \$100,000, shall be \$60,000; on any contract which will amount to \$60,000, but is less than \$80,000, shall be \$45,000; on any contract which will amount to \$40,000, but is less than \$60,000, shall be \$30,000; on any contract which will amount to \$20,000, but is less than \$40,000, shall be \$15,000; on any contract which will amount to \$10,000, but is less than \$20,000, shall be \$10,000; on any contract which amounts to less than \$10,000, \$5,000.

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 Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per cent. 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 person 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 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, it may be re-advertised and relet as provided by law and ordinance.

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

The right is 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 decline all estimates if deemed 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 as surety 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 the making of 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 such bidder, nor except for the time during which all the requirements herein mentioned shall have been fully performed.

The attention of bidders is called to the provisions of Specification 2 and paragraph P in the form of agreement. Blank forms of estimates can be obtained on application at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

NEW YORK, March 17, 1887.

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