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CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 15, 1886.

Hon. W. R. GRACE, Mayor :

SIR—I have the honor to send you herewith a statement of the operations and condition of the City Treasury for the quarter ending June 30, 1886, as required by section 49 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Respectfully,
EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

Statement of the Operations and Condition of the City Treasury for the Quarter ending June 30, 1886,

AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 49 OF THE NEW YORK CITY CONSOLIDATION ACT OF 1882.

I.

THE CITY TREASURY.

Receipts.

TAXES.

Amount of Taxes collected :

By Receiver of Taxes	\$470,059 13
By Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears (arrears of taxes)	559,368 16
Total receipts from Taxes	\$1,029,427 29

THE GENERAL FUND.

Attorney for the Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes—Costs....	\$270 00
CITY RECORD, Sales of.....	360 98
Collector of City Revenue—Railroad franchises.....	77,300 36
“Conscience”.....	5 00
Corporation Counsel—Costs.....	2,217 14
County Clerk's fees.....	\$38,564 49
“arrears, 1883, 1884 and 1885.....	35,829 16
	74,393 65
Department of Public Charities and Correction—Board, steamboat fares, ferriages, etc.....	17,525 03
Department of Public Parks—Rents, licenses, etc.....	4,128 05
Department of Public Works—	
Labor and material.....	\$60 53
Sales of old material.....	59 68
Sewers and drains.....	10,054 71
Street incumbrances.....	673 51
Tapping water-pipes.....	3,992 00
	14,840 43
Department of Street Cleaning—Sales of street sweepings, trimmings, etc.....	3,366 25
District Attorney—Forfeited recognizances.....	500 00
Equitable Gas-light Company—Franchise.....	4,290 84
Health Department—Searches and transcripts of births, marriages, and deaths.....	982 62
Inspector of Weights and Measures.....	623 66
Interest on Taxes—	
Receiver of Taxes.....	\$20,968 22
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.....	90,390 51
	111,358 73
Interest on Assessments—Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.....	76,329 18
Interest on security deposits.....	189 84
Licenses—City Treasury—Mayor's First Marshal.....	8,725 25
Police Department—Unexpended balances of appropriations.....	2,006 03
Public Administrator—Commissions.....	1,035 42
School moneys from State of New York.....	589,310 96
Surrogate's Court—Fees.....	368 10
Miscellaneous.....	23 05
Total receipts of the General Fund.....	\$990,150 57

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

Being sundry unexpended balances, unclaimed amounts, errors, or overpayments refunded :	
Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	\$5 52
Fire Department Fund.....	162 00
Restoring Public Records.....	45 16
Total refunds on Appropriation Account.....	\$212 68

SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

Additional Water Fund—	
Premium on stock.....	\$100,920 00
Rent and sales of plans, etc.....	265 00
	\$101,185 00
American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals—Fines for cruelty to animals.....	206 00
Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded (Transfer from Sinking Fund).....	429 75
Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	439 50
Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	362 25
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account (Transferred from Sinking Fund).....	578 02
Dock Fund—Sales of “dump tickets,” sales of maps, etc.....	211 94
Dog License Fund—Licenses and Redemptions.....	4,558 00
Excise Licenses.....	242,055 00
Excise Licenses—Special Account—Old Board.....	33,790 00
Fire Department—Bureau of Buildings Fund—Penalties and Costs.....	119 00
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination—Sales of vaccine lymph or virus.....	879 71
Fund for Street and Park Openings—Assessments collected.....	70,934 61
Fund for Local Improvements—Assessments collected.....	228,969 72
Greenwich Street Elevated Railroad Fund.....	5,131 58
Game Law Fund—Fines.....	212 50
Gansevoort Market Fund—Assessments collected.....	836 00
Intestate Estates.....	1,505 13
Interest on Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments.....	305 81
Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	383 29
Land Drainage Fund—Assessments collected.....	162 01
New York Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children—Fines for cruelty to children.....	190 00
Restoring and Repaving (Special Fund)—Department of Public Works.....	10,148 00
Restoring and Repaving (Special Fund)—Department of Public Parks.....	174 00
Street Cleaning—Security deposits.....	20,000 00
Theatrical Licenses.....	11,900 00
Water Meter Fund—	
Water Register.....	\$3,092 83
Receiver of Taxes.....	252 14
Clerk of Arrears.....	480 00
	3,824 97
Total receipts on Special and Trust Accounts.....	\$739,491 79

LOANS.

Moneys Borrowed on the Credit of the Corporation, on Bonds and Stocks.

TITLES OF BONDS AND STOCKS.	FOR WHAT PURPOSES ISSUED.	AUTHORITY FOR THE ISSUE.	RATE OF INTEREST, PER CENT.	AMOUNT.
Additional Croton Water Stock.....	To provide a further supply of pure and wholesome water for the City of New York	Sec. 141, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.....	3	\$50,000 00
Additional Water Stock.....	New reservoirs, dams, and a New Aqueduct, etc.....	Sec. 34, Chap. 490, Laws of 1883.....	3*	2,000,000 00
Assessment Bonds.....	Local improvements, contracts, prior to January 1, 1885.....	Chap. 420, Laws 1886.	3	60,000 00
Revenue Bonds, 1886.....	Current expenses of the City Government.....	“Charter,” 1873, or Sec. 154, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.....	4½	3,542,000 00
			2	7,400,000 00
Total amount derived from loans.....				\$13,052,000 00

* Premium \$100,920, credited “Additional Water Fund.”

Payments.

APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

For State Taxes.....	\$2,806,606 15
For Expenses of the City Government—	
Interest on the City Debt.....	3,135,228 09
Redemption of the City Debt.....	4,000 00
The Common Council.....	18,129 00
The Mayoralty.....	5,529 96
Finance Department.....	59,930 03
Law Department.....	42,872 87
Department of Public Works.....	449,969 27
Department of Public Parks.....	240,255 45
Department of Public Charities and Correction.....	379,144 86
Health Department.....	63,973 43
Police Department.....	958,080 45
Department of Street Cleaning.....	274,767 02
Fire Department.....	345,642 46
Board of Education.....	1,469,943 92
College of the City of New York.....	57,291 19
Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	26,096 05
The Judiciary.....	341,701 53
Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	69,189 54
Asylums, Reformatories and Charitable Institutions.....	262,989 53
Municipal Service Examining Board.....	2,077 30
Election Expenses.....	1,624 98
Judgments.....	23,349 32
Miscellaneous.....	141,470 44
Total Warrants drawn on Appropriation Account.....	\$11,179,862 84
Add Warrants outstanding March 31, 1886.....	\$881,187 58
Total.....	\$12,061,050 42
Deduct Warrants outstanding June 30, 1886.....	1,369,475 82
Total payments from City Treasury on Appropriation Account.....	\$10,691,574 60

SPECIAL AND TRUST ACCOUNTS.

Additional Water Fund.....	\$935,182 76
American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	232 00
Armory Fund.....	34,109 58
Assessment Commission—Awards.....	42 39
Assessment Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	821 27
Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	4,146 40
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	6,210 32
Croton Water Fund.....	79,181 74

Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	\$762 43
Dock Fund.....	67,918 90
Dog License Fund.....	2,516 00
Excise Licenses.....	141,557 10
Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	600 00
Fund for Local Improvements.....	80,553 66
Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	23,058 68
Game Law Fund.....	75 00
Intestate Estates.....	1,750 00
Local Improvement Fund—Contracts prior to January 1, 1885.....	15,110 08
Morningside Park Improvement Fund.....	33,393 48
New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	322 00
New York Fire Department Relief Fund.....	15,243 00
Police Pension Fund.....	4,952 50
Revenue Bonds, 1886.....	1,000,000 00
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	4,926 37
Refunding Assessments Paid in Error.....	18 45
Restoring and Repaving (Special Fund)—Department of Public Works.....	8,706 36
Restoring and Repaving (Special Fund)—Department of Public Parks.....	77 00
School-house Fund.....	10,864 25
Street Cleaning—Security Deposits.....	8,000 00
Tax Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	8,956 34
Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	1,461 14

Total Warrants drawn on Special and Trust Accounts. \$2,490,749 20
Add Warrants outstanding March 31, 1886..... 85,001 39

Total..... \$2,575,750 59
Deduct Warrants outstanding June 30, 1886..... 128,000 55

Total payments from City Treasury on Special and Trust Accounts... \$2,447,750 04

SUMMARY OF CITY TREASURY ACCOUNT.

Balance in City Treasury at close of business March 31, 1886..... \$1,838,002 74

Receipts—

From Taxes.....	\$1,029,427 29
Of General Fund.....	990,150 57
On Appropriation Account.....	212 68
On Special and Trust Accounts.....	739,491 79
From Loans.....	13,052,000 00

Total receipts on City Treasury Account..... 15,811,282 33

Total..... \$17,649,285 07

Payments—

On Appropriation Account.....	\$10,691,574 60
On Special and Trust Accounts.....	2,447,750 04

Total payments on City Treasury Account..... 13,139,324 64

Balance in City Treasury at close of business June 30, 1886..... \$4,509,960 43

II.

THE SINKING FUNDS.

I.—SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.

RECEIPTS.

Market Rents and Fees.....	\$88,881 76
Market Cellar Rents.....	2,336 50
Bonds and Mortgages.....	9,672 00

Licenses—

Hackney Coaches.....	\$3,026 00
Second-hand Dealers.....	3,700 00
Junk Dealers.....	3,322 50
Pawnbrokers.....	40,500 00

Dock and Slip Rents.....	50,548 50
Street Vaults.....	298,245 77
Revenue from Investments.....	21,052 05
Interest on Deposits.....	797,786 28
Water Lot Quit Rent.....	13,423 35
Commutation of Quit Rent.....	13 53
Commissioner of Jurors—Fines.....	79 67
West Farms Gas Tax.....	375 00
	21 45

Assessments Collected under chapter 550, Laws of 1880, etc.—

Assessment Fund.....	\$26,696 48
Street Improvement Fund.....	111,424 87
Assessment, Road or Public Drive—Boulevard Fund.....	213 00
Third Avenue, Morrisania, Opening and Improvement Fund.....	764 80

Surplus Revenue of the Interest Fund.....	139,099 15
Railroad Franchises.....	400,000 00
	41,000 00

Investment paid off, viz.:

New York County Bonds for State Sinking Fund Deficiency ..	449 54
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Total receipts of the Redemption Fund..... \$1,862,984 55

PAYMENTS.

Warrants drawn for, viz.:

Redemption of—	
Seven per cent. New York County Bonds for State Sinking Fund Deficiency.....	\$389,949 54

Investments in—

Three per cent. Additional Croton Water Stock.....	\$50,000 00
Three per cent. Assessment Bonds.....	60,000 00
One and one-half per cent. Revenue Bonds, 1886.....	1,600,000 00
Two per cent. Revenue Bonds, 1886.....	1,750,000 00
	3,460,000 00

Refundings—

Overpayments on Street Vaults.....	\$78 20
Erroneous and Overpayments of Assessments.....	429 75
	507 95

Total Warrants drawn on Redemption Fund..... \$3,850,457 49

Add Warrants outstanding March 31, 1886..... 17,608 61

Total..... \$3,868,066 10

Deduct Warrants outstanding June 30, 1886..... 15,243 50

Total payments from City Treasury on account of Redemption Fund. \$3,852,822 60

II.—SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.

RECEIPTS.

Interest on Bonds and Mortgages.....	\$1,705 66
House Rent.....	7,434 19
Ground Rent.....	12,936 25
Ferry Rent.....	62,415 02
Water Lot Rent.....	2,287 59

Croton Water Rent Collected by, viz.:

Water Register.....	\$696,551 33
Receiver of Taxes.....	9,888 67
Clerk of Arrears.....	16,208 15
	722,648 15

Interest on Croton Water Rent.....	2,779 32
Court Fees and Fines.....	28,680 04
Stenographers' Fees.....	3,159 00
Fines and Penalties.....	6,751 14
Interest on West Farms Gas Tax.....	9 90

Total receipts of the Interest Fund..... \$850,806 26

PAYMENTS.

Warrants drawn for, viz.:

Payment of Interest on the City Debt.....	\$65,493 00
Transfer of Surplus Revenue to the Redemption Fund.....	400,000 00
Refunding Croton Water Rents paid in error.....	578 02
New York County Medical Society (one-half fines imposed for practicing medicine without license).....	112 50

Total Warrants drawn and paid from City Treasury on Interest Fund Account..... \$466,183 52

SUMMARY OF THE SINKING FUNDS.

	REDEMPTION FUND.	INTEREST FUND.	TOTALS.
Cash balance in City Treasury at close of business March 31, 1886.....	\$2,379,036 86	\$473,397 94	\$2,852,434 80
Receipts.....	1,862,984 55	850,806 26	2,713,790 81
Total.....	\$4,242,021 41	\$1,324,204 20	\$5,566,225 61
Payments.....	3,852,822 60	466,183 52	4,319,006 12
Balance in City Treasury at close of business June 30, 1886..	\$389,198 81	\$858,020 68	\$1,247,219 49

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Cash Balance on hand at close of business March 31, 1886 :
To credit of the City Treasury..... \$1,838,002 74

To credit of the Sinking Funds, viz. :
For Redemption of the City Debt..... \$2,379,036 86
For Payment of Interest on the City Debt.... 473,397 94
2,852,434 80

Total balance..... \$4,690,437 54

Receipts during the quarter ending June 30, 1886 :

For account of the City Treasury..... \$15,811,282 33

For account of the Sinking Funds, viz.:

For Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$1,862,984 55
For Payment of Interest on the City Debt ...	850,806 26
	2,713,790 81

Total receipts..... 18,525,073 14

Total..... \$23,215,510 68

Payments during the same period :

On account of the City Treasury..... \$13,139,324 64

On account of the Sinking Funds, viz.:

For Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$3,852,822 60
For Payment of Interest on the City Debt....	466,183 52
	4,319,006 12

Total payments..... 17,458,330 76

Balance at close of business June 30, 1886 :

To credit of the City Treasury..... \$4,509,960 43

To credit of the Sinking Funds, viz.:

For Redemption of the City Debt.....	\$389,198 81
For Payment of Interest on the City Debt....	858,020 68
	1,247,219 49

Total balance..... \$5,757,179 92

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, }
NEW YORK, July 14, 1886.

ISAAC S. BARRETT, General Bookkeeper.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1886.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW, }
NEW YORK, July 1, 1886.

To the Honorable WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor, etc.:

SIR—Pursuant to the requirements of section 49, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments make the following

REPORT

of the "operations and action" of the Department of Taxes and Assessments for the quarter ending June 30, 1886.

This report, though nominally for the quarter, is in reality a statement of the result of the work of this Department for the official year, which commences with the assessment of property by the Deputy Tax Commissioners for purposes of taxation on the first Monday of September, and terminates with the delivery of the assessment rolls, certified by the Commissioners, to the Board of Aldermen on the first Monday of July.

On the first day of May, the books of annual record of assessed valuation of real and personal estate, which were opened for inspection and correction on the second Monday of January, were closed, as provided by law, for the purpose of enabling the Commissioners to prepare the assessment rolls, which are now complete and ready for delivery to the Board of Aldermen on the first Monday of July, as required by section 828 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

The following is a statement of the assessed valuations of the taxable real estate, by wards, and personal estate in the City of New York for the year 1886, as compared with the same for the year 1885:

Relative Assessed Valuation of the Real and Personal Estate in the City and County of New York for 1885 and 1886.

WARDS.	ASSESSED VALUATION, 1885.	ASSESSED VALUATION, 1886.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
	<i>Real Estate.</i>	<i>Real Estate.</i>	<i>Real Estate.</i>	<i>Real Estate.</i>
First.....	\$79,636,814	\$78,790,763	.....	\$846,051
Second.....	34,202,140	34,366,378	\$164,238	.....
Third.....	38,294,000	38,385,429	91,429	.....
Fourth.....	13,151,809	13,210,803	58,994	.....
Fifth.....	45,539,678	45,997,412	457,734	.....
Sixth.....	23,971,441	24,252,693	281,252	.....
Seventh.....	16,634,659	16,965,446	330,787	.....
Eighth.....	38,452,209	39,037,817	585,608	.....
Ninth.....	29,039,766	29,246,990	207,224	.....
Tenth.....	17,437,085	17,900,365	463,280	.....
Eleventh.....	16,577,370	16,791,129	213,759	.....
Twelfth.....	121,905,680	124,031,832	2,126,152	.....
Thirteenth.....	10,187,345	10,366,415	179,070	.....
Fourteenth.....	24,312,215	24,675,727	363,512	.....
Fifteenth.....	55,189,266	55,836,241	646,975	.....
Sixteenth.....	37,033,514	37,857,127	823,613	.....
Seventeenth.....	33,584,921	33,885,094	300,173	.....
Eighteenth.....	77,690,378	78,153,344	462,966	.....
Nineteenth.....	198,296,968	204,918,455	6,621,487	.....
Twentieth.....	44,954,495	45,641,076	686,581	.....
Twenty-first.....	88,341,111	89,084,423	743,312	.....
Twenty-second.....	95,178,889	103,728,440	8,549,551	.....
Twenty-third.....	18,559,059	19,616,976	1,057,917	.....
Twenty-fourth.....	10,272,115	11,194,090	921,975	.....
Total Real Estate.....	\$1,168,443,137	\$1,203,941,065	\$35,497,928	\$846,051
	<i>Personal Estate.</i>	<i>Personal Estate.</i>	<i>Personal Estate.</i>	<i>Personal Estate.</i>
Resident.....	\$132,257,930	\$148,470,530	\$16,212,600	.....
Non-resident.....	9,669,642	9,543,848	.....	\$125,794
Shareholders of Banks.....	60,746,294	59,012,843	.....	1,733,451
Total Personal Estate.....	202,673,866	217,027,221	16,212,600	1,859,245
Total Real and Personal Estate for 1885.....	\$1,371,117,003	Total for 1886.....\$1,420,968,286	Total Inc. \$52,556,579	Total Dec. \$2,705,296
Total Assessed Valuation for 1886.....	\$1,420,968,286 00	Total Increase in Assessed Valuation, 1886	\$52,556,579 00	
Total Assessed Valuation for 1885.....	1,371,117,003 00	Total Decrease in Assessed Valuation, 1886	2,705,296 00	
Increase in 1886.....	\$49,851,283 00	Net Increase, 1886.....	\$49,851,283 00	

REAL ESTATE.

The assessed value of real estate was, for 1885..... \$1,168,443,137
For 1886 it is..... 1,203,941,065

The increase is..... \$35,497,928

This increase, as will be seen by the foregoing statement, is mostly above Fortieth street, in the Twelfth, Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, and is attributable to the erection and completion of new buildings and appreciation in the value of real estate.

PERSONAL ESTATE.

The following table exhibits the assessments on personal property in the City of New York for the years 1884, 1885, and 1886:

	1884.	1885.	1886.
Resident.....	\$141,625,409	\$132,257,930	\$148,470,530
Non-resident.....	10,660,572	9,669,642	9,543,848
Shareholders of Banks.....	66,250,765	60,746,294	59,012,843
Totals.....	\$218,536,746	\$202,673,866	\$217,027,221

NUMBER OF ASSESSMENTS.

The following table exhibits the number of names assessed for personal property, the number of applications for relief, the number proving to be non-assessable, and the number passed into the Receiver's books, for the years 1884, 1885 and 1886:

	1884.	1885.	1886.
Names on rolls at opening.....	19,657	21,823	20,135
Applications for reduction.....	8,496	10,638	9,209
Erased, not liable.....	7,441	9,632	8,230
Retained on Receiver's books.....	12,216	12,191	11,905

The number of Banks and Shareholders for the years 1884, 1885 and 1886, was as follows:

	1884.	1885.	1886.
Number of Banks.....	74	75	73
Number of shareholders on rolls at opening.....	22,312	21,946	20,405
Erased, not liable.....	1,203	1,472	1,185
Retained on Receiver's books.....	21,109	20,474	19,220

The following are statements of the assessments of Shareholders of Banks for the years 1885 and 1886:

Statement of the Assessments of Shareholders of Banks for the Year 1885.

NAME OF BANK.	Ward.	Number of Shares.	Par.	Capital.	Gross Value per Share.	Gross Value.	Interest in Clearing House.	Real Estate.	Total Real Estate.	Rate to Shareholders.	Assessed to Shareholders.	Sworn off.	Exempt.	Total Sworn off and Exempt.	Amount of Receiver's Book.
American Exchange National.....	1	50,000	\$100	\$5,000,000	\$119 80	\$5,990,000	\$15,000	\$475,000	\$490,000	\$110	\$5,500,000	\$222,191	\$77,990	\$300,181	\$5,199,819
Bank of America.....	1	30,000	100	3,000,000	138 30	4,149,000	9,000	420,000	429,000	124	3,720,000	153,697	54,684	208,381	3,511,619
Bank of North America.....	1	10,000	70	700,000	70 00	700,000	3,000	167,000	170,000	53	530,000	121,953	1,060	123,013	406,987
Bank of New York, N. B. A.....	1	50,000	100	5,000,000	139 90	6,995,000	9,000	571,000	580,000	110	6,200,000	128,470	34,210	162,680	6,037,320
Bank of the Metropolis.....	18	3,000	100	300,000	136 33	408,990	.....	18,990	18,990	130	390,000	61,620	.....	61,620	328,380
Bank of the State of New York.....	1	8,000	100	800,000	106 00	848,000	6,000	242,000	248,000	75	600,000	7,500	6,600	14,100	585,900
Bowery National.....	14	2,500	100	250,000	177 50	443,750	750	38,000	38,750	162	405,000	264,084	.....	264,084	140,916
Central National.....	6	20,000	100	2,000,000	106 30	2,126,000	6,000	420,000	426,000	85	1,700,000	77,129	1,870	78,999	1,621,001
Chemical National.....	3	3,000	100	300,000	126 00	3,780,000	900	197,100	198,000	1194	3,582,000	38,208	.....	38,208	3,543,792
Chase National.....	1	3,000	100	300,000	150 00	450,000	.....	.....	.....	160	450,000	307,461	.....	307,461	142,539
Chatham National.....	2	18,000	25	450,000	35 30	635,400	1,350	40,050	41,400	33	594,000	198,924	.....	198,924	395,076
Columbia.....	19	1,000	100	100,000	75 00	75,000	.....	.....	.....	75	75,000	750	.....	750	74,250
Continental National.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	108 40	1,084,000	4,500	649,500	654,000	43	430,000	127,925	2,838	130,763	299,237
Corn Exchange.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	159 00	1,590,000	3,000	137,000	140,000	145	1,450,000	159,376	6,815	166,191	1,283,809
East River National.....	15	10,000	25	250,000	29 00	290,000	1,050	88,950	90,000	20	200,000	57,340	560	57,900	142,100
Eleventh Ward.....	11	4,000	25	100,000	28 00	112,000	.....	20,000	20,000	23	92,000	40,917	.....	40,917	51,083
First National.....	1	5,000	100	500,000	756 30	3,781,500	1,500	500,000	501,500	656	3,280,000	3,260,320	.....	3,260,320	19,680
Fourth National.....	1	32,000	100	3,200,000	115 21	3,686,720	15,000	567,720	582,720	97	3,104,000	189,063	17,169	206,232	2,897,768
Fifth National.....	18	1,500	100	150,000	160 50	240,750	.....	69,750	69,750	114	171,000	114,456	.....	114,456	56,544
Fulton National.....	2	20,000	30	600,000	34 00	680,000	1,800	18,200	20,000	33	660,000	198	2,475	2,673	657,327
Fifth Avenue.....	19	1,000	100	100,000	400 00	400,000	.....	.....	.....	400	400,000	84,000	.....	84,000	316,000
Gallatin National.....	1	20,000	50	1,000,000	75 22	1,504,400	4,500	139,900	144,400	68	1,360,000	56,304	13,600	69,904	1,290,096
Garfield National.....	18	2,000	100	200,000	110 00	220,000	.....	.....	.....	110	220,000	112,200	11,000	123,200	96,800
Germania.....	17	2,000	100	200,000	160 00	320,000	.....	44,000	44,000	138	276,000	158,208	.....	158,208	117,792
German American.....	1	10,000	75	750,000	75 44	754,400	4,400	.....	4,400	75	750,000	46,350	.....	46,350	703,650
German Exchange.....	15	2,000	100	200,000	170 00	340,000	.....	74,000	74,000	133	266,000	198,914	.....	198,914	67,086
Greenwich.....	9	8,000	25	200,000	28 00	224,000	600	15,400	16,000	26	208,000	49,608	.....	49,608	158,392
Hanover.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	137 80	1,378,000	3,000	45,000	48,000	133	1,330,000	476,235	931	477,166	852,834
Home.....	22	1,250	100	125,000	94 00	117,500	.....	.....	.....	94	117,500	98,230	.....	98,230	19,270
Importers and Traders' National.....	3	15,000	100	1,500,000	245 47	3,682,050	4,500	227,550	232,050	230	3,450,000	660,370	5,750	666,120	2,783,880
Irving National.....	3	10,000	50	500,000	56 50	565,000	1,500	113,500	115,000	45	450,000	99,506	.....	99,506	350,494
Leather Manufacturers' National.....	1	6,000	100	600,000	150 00	900,000	1,800	274,200	276,000	104	624,000	103,584	9,360	112,944	511,056
Lincoln National.....	19	3,000	100	300,000	94 00	282,000	.....	.....	.....	94	282,000	.....	.....	.....	282,000
Madison Square.....	18	2,000	100	200,000	75 00	150,000	.....	.....	.....	75	150,000	29,250	.....	29,250	120,750
Mount Morris.....	13	1,000	100	100,000	107 00	107,000	.....	.....	.....	107	107,000	74,151	.....	74,151	32,849
Manhattan Company.....	1	41,000	50	2,050,000	66 59	2,730,190	6,150	551,040	557,190	53	2,173,000	36,752	79,023	115,775	2,057,225
Marine National.....	1	4,000	100	400,000	97 75	391,000	.....	387,000	387,000	1	4,000	4,000	.....	4,000	.....
Market National.....	2	5,000	100	500,000	140 00	700,000	3,000	48,000	45,000	131	655,000	72,723	917	73,640	521,360
Mechanics' National.....	1	80,000	25	2,000,000	31 88	2,550,400	6,000	464,400	470,400	26	2,080,000	92,144	36,426	128,570	1,951,430
Mercantile National.....	3	10,000	100	1,000,000	104 60	1,046,000	3,000	153,000	156,000	89	890,000	89,128	.....	89,128	800,872
Mechanics and Traders'.....	10	8,000	25	200,000	22 00	176,000	1,800	54,200	56,000	15	120,000	37,285	255	37,540	82,460

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Merchants' Exchange National	1	20,000	\$50	\$1,000,000	\$44 40	\$888,000	\$3,000	\$165,000	\$168,000	\$36	\$720,000	\$50,940	\$2,988	\$53,928	\$666,072
Merchants' National	1	40,000	50	2,000,000	60 00	2,400,000	9,000	551,000	560,000	46	1,840,000	88,189	60,766	148,955	1,691,045
Metropolitan National	1	30,000	100	3,000,000	21 75 ³⁸	652,569	12,000	370,569	382,569	9	270,000	36,081	2,682	38,763	231,237
Murray Hill	19	2,000	50	100,000	106 00	212,000	.....	60,000	60,000	76	152,000	100,700	.....	100,700	51,300
New York National Exchange	3	3,000	100	300,000	100 00	300,000	1,500	49,500	51,000	83	249,000	33,390	.....	33,390	215,610
Nassau	2	10,000	50	500,000	50 30	503,000	3,000	.....	3,000	50	500,000	10,950	.....	10,950	489,050
National City	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	252 00	2,520,000	3,000	417,000	420,000	210	2,100,000	89,562	10,080	99,642	2,000,358
National Bank of Commerce	1	50,000	100	5,000,000	143 60	7,180,000	30,000	600,000	630,000	131	6,550,000	162,237	184,186	346,423	6,203,577
National Bank of the Republic	1	15,000	100	1,500,000	104 73	1,570,950	6,000	499,950	505,950	71	1,065,000	74,408	3,905	78,313	986,687
National Park	2	20,000	100	2,000,000	135 50	2,710,000	6,000	864,000	870,000	92	1,840,000	138,436	9,752	148,188	1,691,812
National Broadway	3	40,000	25	1,000,000	53 50	2,140,000	3,000	297,000	300,000	46	1,840,000	731,168	.....	731,168	1,108,832
National Butchers and Drovers'	14	12,000	25	300,000	35 00	420,000	2,100	81,600	84,000	28	336,000	51,380	2,436	53,816	282,184
National Citizens'	5	24,000	25	600,000	30 00	720,000	1,800	214,200	216,000	21	504,000	48,783	.....	48,783	455,217
National Shoe and Leather	3	5,000	100	500,000	119 00	595,000	3,000	212,000	215,000	76	380,000	17,328	5,776	23,104	356,896
New York County National	9	2,000	100	200,000	93 00	186,000	600	33,400	34,000	76	152,000	.....	.....	.....	152,000
New York Produce Exchange	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	98 00	980,000	.....	.....	.....	98	980,000	50,000	.....	50,000	930,000
North River	3	8,000	30	240,000	31 00	248,000	1,200	62,800	64,000	23	184,000	2,300	.....	2,300	181,700
Ninth National	5	7,500	100	750,000	109 00	817,500	4,500	453,000	457,500	48	360,000	88,224	.....	88,224	271,776
Nineteenth Ward	19	1,000	100	100,000	91 00	91,000	.....	.....	.....	91	91,000	.....	.....	.....	91,000
Oriental	14	12,000	25	300,000	35 00	420,000	900	95,100	96,000	27	324,000	32,265	.....	32,265	291,735
Pacific	14	8,454	50	422,700	68 50	579,099	1,268	62,137	63,405	61	515,694	31,738	.....	31,738	483,956
People's	8	8,000	25	200,000	34 84	278,720	1,238	69,482	70,720	26	208,000	18,798	.....	18,798	189,202
Phoenix National	1	50,000	20	1,000,000	20 60	1,030,000	5,400	324,600	330,000	14	700,000	35,980	3,850	39,830	660,170
Seaboard	1	5,000	100	500,000	107 00	535,000	.....	.....	.....	107	535,000	403,453	.....	403,453	131,547
Second National	18	3,000	100	300,000	72 30	216,900	900	.....	900	72	216,000	43,200	.....	43,200	172,800
Seventh Ward National	2	3,000	100	300,000	90 30	270,900	900	.....	900	90	270,000	10,530	.....	10,530	259,470
St. Nicholas	1	5,000	100	500,000	116 20	581,000	3,000	3,000	6,000	115	575,000	32,096	7,015	39,111	535,889
Sixth National	21	2,000	100	200,000	117 00	234,000	.....	30,000	30,000	102	204,000	2,958	.....	2,958	201,042
Third National	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	104 50	1,045,000	3,000	42,000	45,000	100	1,000,000	35,000	.....	35,000	965,000
Tradesmen's National	5	25,000	40	1,000,000	39 60	990,000	3,000	287,000	290,000	28	700,000	131,176	1,400	132,576	567,424
Union National	1	24,000	50	1,200,000	93 00	1,752,000	4,500	307,500	312,000	60	1,440,000	91,440	12,600	104,040	1,335,960
United States National	1	5,000	100	500,000	112 00	560,000	.....	.....	.....	112	560,000	464,800	.....	464,800	95,200
Wall Street	1	10,000	50	500,000	1 00	10,000	.....	.....	.....	1	10,000	1,425	.....	1,425	8,575
West Side	20	2,000	100	200,000	129 00	258,000	.....	.....	.....	129	258,000	47,472	.....	47,472	210,528
Total .....	.....	.....	.....	\$64,337,700	.....	\$86,283,688	\$232,206	\$13,377,288	\$13,609,494	.....	\$72,674,194	\$11,256,931	\$670,969	\$11,927,900	\$60,746,194

Statement of the Assessments of Shareholders of Banks for the Year 1886.

NAME OF BANK.	Ward.	Number of Shares.	Par.	Capital.	Gross Value per Share.	Gross Value.	Interest in Clearing House.	Real Estate.	Total Real Estate.	Assessed Value per Share.	Assessed to Shareholders.	Sworn off.	Exempt.	Total Sworn off and Exempt.	Amount of Receiver's Book.
American Exchange National	1	50,000	\$100	\$5,000,000	\$113 80	\$5,690,000	\$16,500	\$473,500	\$490,000	\$104	\$5,200,000	\$214,599	\$76,960	\$291,559	\$4,908,441
Bank of America	1	30,000	100	3,000,000	134 30	4,029,000	9,900	419,100	429,000	120	3,600,000	147,272	52,920	200,192	3,399,808
Bank of North America	1	10,000	70	700,000	72 03	720,300	3,300	167,000	170,300	55	550,000	134,255	1,100	135,355	414,645
Bank of New York, N. B. A.	1	20,000	100	2,000,000	142 00	2,840,000	9,900	570,100	580,000	113	2,260,000	113,000	29,719	142,719	2,117,281
Bank of the Metropolis	18	3,000	100	300,000	144 00	432,000	.....	.....	.....	144	432,000	67,104	.....	67,104	364,896
Bank of the State of New York ..	1	8,000	100	800,000	115 10	920,800	6,600	242,200	248,800	84	672,000	5,944	7,728	13,672	658,328
Bowery National	14	2,500	100	250,000	176 53	441,325	825	38,000	38,825	161	402,500	261,558	.....	261,558	140,942
Central National	6	20,000	100	2,000,000	102 43	2,048,600	6,600	422,000	428,600	81	1,620,000	84,969	1,782	86,751	1,533,249
Chemical National	3	3,000	100	300,000	1361 03	4,083,090	990	197,100	198,090	1,295	3,885,000	41,440	.....	41,440	3,843,560
Chase National	1	3,000	100	300,000	127 00	381,000	.....	.....	.....	127	381,000	353,060	.....	353,060	27,940
Chatham National	2	18,000	25	450,000	36 45	656,100	1,485	42,615	44,100	34	612,000	293,930	.....	293,930	318,070
Continental National	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	106 44	1,064,400	4,950	649,450	654,400	41	410,000	131,733	3,198	134,931	275,069
Columbia	19	1,000	100	100,000	81 00	81,000	.....	.....	.....	81	81,000	2,430	.....	2,430	78,570
Corn Exchange	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	170 03	1,700,300	3,300	137,000	140,300	156	1,560,000	163,949	7,332	171,281	1,388,719
Commercial National	1	3,000	100	300,000	94 00	282,000	.....	.....	.....	94	282,000	128,310	.....	128,310	153,690
East River National	15	10,000	25	250,000	27 24	272,400	1,155	81,245	82,400	19	190,000	51,768	.....	51,768	138,232
Eleventh Ward	11	4,000	25	100,000	29 00	116,000	.....	20,000	20,000	24	96,000	47,568	.....	47,568	48,432
First National	1	5,000	100	500,000	771 30	3,856,500	1,650	499,850	501,500	671	3,355,000	3,334,870	.....	3,334,870	20,130
Fourth National	1	32,000	100	3,200,000	114 44	3,662,080	16,500	477,580	494,080	99	3,168,000	139,791	20,691	160,482	3,007,518
Fifth National	18	1,500	100	150,000	154 50	231,750	.....	69,750	69,750	108	162,000	113,616	.....	113,616	48,384
Fulton National	2	20,000	30	600,000	31 00	620,000	1,980	18,020	20,000	30	600,000	90	2,250	2,340	597,660
Fifth Avenue	19	1,000	100	100,000	499 00	499,000	.....	.....	.....	499	499,000	74,850	.....	74,850	424,150
Gallatin National	1	20,000	50	1,000,000	87 00	1,740,000	18,150	161,850	180,000	78	1,560,000	25,974	15,600	41,574	1,518,426
Garfield National	18	2,000	100	200,000	119 00	238,000	.....	.....	.....	119	238,000	146,370	.....	146,370	91,630
Germania	17	2,000	100	200,000	150 00	300,000	.....	44,000	44,000	128	256,000	145,536	.....	145,536	110,464
German American	1	10,000	75	750,000	77 48 ⁷⁵	774,840	4,840	.....	4,840	77	770,000	27,566	.....	27,566	742,434
German Exchange	15	2,000	100	200,000	182 00	364,000	.....	62,000	62,000	151	302,000	226,349	.....	226,349	75,651
Greenwich	9	8,000	25	200,000	25 00	200,000	660	15,340	16,000	23	184,000	42,734	.....	42,734	141,266
Hanover National	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	126 83	1,268,300	3,300	55,000	58,300	121	1,210,000	408,382	847	409,229	800,771
Home	22	1,250	100	125,000	101 00	126,250	.....	.....	.....	101	126,250	119,180	.....	119,180	7,070
Importers and Traders' National ..	3	15,000	100	1,500,000	230 50	3,457,500	4,950	227,550	232,500	215	3,225,000	468,780	5,375	474,155	2,750,845
Irving National	3	10,000	50	500,000	56 16	561,600	1,650	109,950	111,600	45	450,000	84,595	.....	84,595	365,405
Leather Manufacturers' National ..	1	6,000	100	600,000	152 03	912,180	1,980	274,200	276,180	106	636,000	80,666	9,540	90,206	545,794
Lincoln National	19	3,000	100	300,000	100 00	300,000	.....	.....	.....	100	300,000	.....	.....	.....	300,000
Madison Square	18	2,000	100	200,000	80 00	160,000	.....	.....	.....	80	160,000	37,600	.....	37,600	122,400
Mount Morris	12	1,000	100	100,000	123 00	123,000	.....	.....	.....	123	123,000	86,838	.....	86,838	36,162
Manhattan Company	1	41,000	50	2,050,000	61 58	2,524,780	6,765	550,015	556,780	48	1,963,000	29,563	71,568	101,136	1,866,864

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Market National.....	2	5,000	\$100	\$500,000	\$141 06	\$705,300	\$3,300	\$42,000	\$45,300	\$132	\$660,000	\$74,516	\$924	\$75,440	\$584,560
Mechanics' National	1	80,000	25	2,000,000	35 70	2,856,000	6,600	449,400	456,000	30	2,400,000	111,330	41,430	152,760	2,247,240
Mercantile National	3	10,000	100	1,000,000	111 35	1,113,500	3,300	180,200	183,500	93	930,000	76,886	.....	76,886	853,114
Mechanics and Traders' National	10	8,000	25	200,000	24 46	195,680	1,980	49,700	51,680	18	144,000	82,296	306	82,602	61,398
Merchants' Exchange National	3	12,000	50	600,000	45 00	540,000	3,300	164,700	168,000	31	372,000	37,138	1,457	38,595	333,405
Merchants' National	1	40,000	50	2,000,000	57 00	2,280,000	9,900	550,100	560,000	43	1,720,000	87,118	57,405	144,523	1,575,477
Murray Hill.....	19	2,000	50	100,000	110 00	220,000	.....	100,000	100,000	60	120,000	70,440	.....	70,440	49,560
New York National Exchange.....	3	3,000	100	300,000	101 00	303,000	1,650	49,350	51,000	84	252,000	32,766	.....	32,766	219,234
Nassau.....	2	10,000	50	500,000	49 33	493,300	3,300	.....	3,300	49	490,000	12,103	.....	12,103	477,897
National City.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	231 83	2,318,300	3,300	385,000	388,300	193	1,930,000	88,201	9,264	97,465	1,832,535
National Bank of Commerce.....	1	50,000	100	5,000,000	140 66	7,033,000	33,000	600,000	633,000	128	6,400,000	166,016	185,216	351,232	6,048,768
National Bank of the Republic.....	1	15,000	100	1,500,000	115 76	1,736,400	6,600	499,800	506,400	82	1,230,000	45,836	4,510	50,346	1,179,654
National Park.....	2	20,000	100	2,000,000	132 23	2,644,600	6,600	898,000	904,600	87	1,740,000	117,363	9,222	126,585	1,613,415
National Broadway	3	40,000	25	1,000,000	53 50	2,140,000	3,300	296,700	300,000	46	1,840,000	750,082	.....	750,082	1,039,918
National Butchers and Drovers'	14	12,000	25	300,000	36 00	432,000	2,640	81,360	84,000	29	348,000	37,410	2,523	39,933	308,067
National Citizens'.....	5	24,000	25	600,000	28 00	672,000	1,980	214,020	216,000	19	456,000	53,522	.....	53,522	402,478
National Shoe and Leather	3	5,000	100	500,000	122 00	610,000	3,300	211,700	215,000	79	395,000	16,432	6,004	22,436	372,564
New York County National	9	2,000	100	200,000	93 00	186,000	660	33,340	34,000	76	152,000	.....	.....	.....	152,000
New York Produce Exchange	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	96 00	960,000	.....	.....	.....	96	960,000	176,816	.....	176,816	783,184
North River.....	3	8,000	30	240,000	30 40	243,200	1,320	73,880	75,200	21	168,000	840	.....	840	167,160
Ninth National	5	7,500	100	750,000	107 00	802,500	4,950	452,550	457,500	46	345,000	85,468	.....	85,468	259,532
Nineteenth Ward.....	19	1,000	100	100,000	93 00	93,000	.....	.....	.....	93	93,000	930	.....	930	92,070
Oriental	14	12,000	25	300,000	38 00	456,000	990	95,010	96,000	30	360,000	40,520	1,200	41,700	318,300
Pacific.....	14	8,454	50	422,700	67 50	570,645	1,394	62,011	63,405	60	507,240	34,920	.....	34,920	472,320
People's.....	8	8,000	25	200,000	34 85	278,800	1,362	63,438	70,800	26	208,000	2,470	.....	2,470	205,530
Phoenix.....	1	50,000	20	1,000,000	20 60	1,030,000	5,940	324,060	330,000	14	700,000	38,136	3,850	41,986	658,014
Seaboard	1	5,000	100	500,000	109 00	545,000	.....	.....	.....	109	545,000	360,474	.....	360,474	184,526
Second National.....	18	3,000	100	300,000	84 33	252,990	990	.....	990	84	\$52,000	54,600	.....	54,600	197,400
Seventh Ward National	2	3,000	100	300,000	100 33	300,990	990	.....	990	100	300,000	28,700	.....	28,700	271,300
St. Nicholas	1	5,000	100	500,000	113 26	566,300	3,300	3,000	6,300	112	560,000	28,598	6,832	35,430	524,570
Sixth National	21	2,000	100	200,000	100 00	200,000	.....	30,000	30,000	85	170,000	.....	.....	.....	170,000
Third National	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	100 67	1,006,700	3,300	43,400	46,700	96	960,000	20,640	.....	20,640	939,360
Tradesmen's National.....	5	25,000	40	1,000,000	39 60	990,000	3,300	286,700	290,000	28	700,000	108,924	1,400	110,324	589,676
United States National.....	1	5,000	100	500,000	105 00	530,000	.....	.....	.....	106	530,000	350,542	.....	350,542	179,458
Wall Street.....	1	10,000	50	500,000	1 00	10,000	.....	.....	.....	1	10,000	1,041	.....	1,041	8,959
West Side.....	20	2,000	100	200,000	132 00	264,000	.....	.....	.....	132	264,000	56,696	.....	56,696	207,304
Total.....	.....	.....	.....	\$59,637,700	.....	\$83,257,300	\$250,476	\$12,269,834	\$12,520,310	....	\$70,736,990	\$11,085,994	\$638,153	\$11,724,147	\$59,012,843

The assessments upon the Shareholders of Banks since 1873, have been as follows :

1873.....	\$77,650,395
1874.....	74,897,570
1875.....	73,390,989
1876.....	85,145,116
1877.....	73,614,274
1878.....	65,179,320
1879.....	58,082,970
1880.....	55,601,607
1881.....	58,424,394
1882.....	57,534,510
1883.....	59,152,420
1884.....	66,250,765
1885.....	60,746,294
1886.....	59,012,843

The decrease of \$1,733,451 in the assessed valuation of bank shares for this year is to be ascribed chiefly to the fact that the shares of the Union National and Metropolitan National Banks, both of which were assessed last year, have no value for taxation this year, the Union National Bank having dissolved and distributed its capital and surplus, and the Metropolitan National Bank being in a state of liquidation.

The following table gives the assessed value of the various kinds of personal property for the years 1885 and 1886, together with the increase or decrease in each case :

	1885.	1886.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.	NET INCREASE.
Insurance Companies.....	\$2,146,379	\$2,110,538	.....	\$35,841	.....
Trust Companies.....	156,506	64,681	.....	91,825	.....
Miscellaneous Companies.....	29,234,409	31,541,217	\$2,306,808	.....	.....
Railroad Companies.....	12,339,871	20,274,275	7,934,404	.....	.....
Resident.....	88,380,765	94,479,819	6,099,054	.....	.....
Non-resident.....	9,669,642	9,543,848	.....	125,794	.....
Totals.....	\$141,927,572	\$158,014,378	\$16,340,266	\$253,460	.....
Shareholders of Banks.....	60,746,294	59,012,843	.....	1,733,451	.....
Totals.....	\$202,673,866	\$217,027,221	\$16,340,266	\$1,986,911	\$14,353,355

COMPARATIVE ASSESSED VALUATIONS.

The following table exhibits the total assessed valuation on real and personal estate for the years 1884, 1885 and 1886 :

	1884.	1885.	1886.
Real Estate.....	\$1,119,761,597	\$1,168,443,137	\$1,203,941,065
Resident Personal.....	141,625,409	132,257,930	148,470,530
Non-resident Personal.....	10,660,572	9,669,642	9,543,848
Shareholders of Banks.....	66,250,765	60,746,294	59,012,843
Totals.....	\$1,338,298,343	\$1,371,117,003	\$1,420,968,286

Increase in 1886 over 1885, \$49,851,283.

ASSESSMENT UPON REAL ESTATE.

The number of pieces or plots of real estate assessed in 1881 was 152,630; in 1882, 152,211; in 1883, 152,182; in 1884, 156,333; in 1885, 159,432; and in 1886, 161,617.

This increase in the number of pieces of real estate is caused by the division of several large tracts of land into lots in the upper wards of the city.

During the time the books were open, from the second Monday in January to the 30th day of April, to receive applications from parties considering themselves aggrieved by assessments upon their real property, there were received, in 1881, 2,478 applications; and during the same period in 1882 there were received 1,262 applications; in 1883 there were received 1,133 applications; in 1884 there were received 910 applications; in 1885 there were received 1,511 applications, and in 1886 there were received 907 applications.

TOTAL NUMBER OF ASSESSMENTS.

	1884.	1885.	1886.
Number of Pieces of Real Estate.....	156,333	159,432	161,617
Number of Names on Personal Books.....	12,216	12,791	11,905
Number of Shareholders of Banks.....	21,109	20,474	19,220
Corporations.....	.....	.....	784
Total Number of Assessments.....	189,658	192,697	193,526

During the quarter the Commissioners have remitted taxes of 1885 in twenty-one instances. The following is a detailed statement of such remissions:

NAME.	DESCRIPTION OF ASSESSMENT.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	ASSESSED VALUATION ON WHICH TAX WAS REMITTED.	DATE OF REMISSION.	AMOUNT OF TAX REMITTED.	REASON FOR REMISSION.
Edwin P. Romar.....	Non-resident personal.....	\$1,000	\$1,000	April 7, 1886	\$24 00	Continuous absence from the city during time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
Homer Morgan, administrator estate Caroline L. F. Morgan.....	Resident personal.....	15,000	14,000	" 7, "	336 00	Continuous sickness during time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
Austin G. Day.....	Non-resident personal.....	1,000	1,000	" 14, "	24 00	Continuous absence from the city during the time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
Nathan B. Perry.....	".....	2,000	2,000	" 14, "	48 00	Continuous absence from the city during the time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
John Callahan.....	Resident personal.....	3,000	3,000	" 14, "	72 00	"Sworn off" when Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
Daniel Hinckley.....	".....	4,000	4,000	" 14, "	96 00	Erroneous assessment; not a resident of New York City.
William M. Bruce.....	".....	2,000	2,000	" 21, "	48 00	Continuous sickness during time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
George H. Hopper.....	".....	5,000	5,000	" 21, "	120 00	Continuous absence from the city during time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
William O'Connell.....	".....	1,500	1,500	" 21, "	36 00	Continuous absence from the city during time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
William T. Magee.....	Non-resident personal.....	3,000	3,000	" 27, "	72 00	Continuous absence from the city during time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
William Rutter.....	Resident personal.....	5,000	5,000	" 27, "	120 00	Continuous sickness and absence from the city during time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
Henry L. Clapp.....	".....	10,000	10,000	" 27, "	240 00	Continuous sickness and absence from the city during time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
New York Applegate Electric Matting Co.....	".....	18,400	18,800	May 12, "	403 20	Clerical error.
Isaac W. Dannenberg.....	".....	3,000	3,000	" 12, "	72 00	Resident of Brooklyn, N. Y.
Benjamin H. Davis.....	".....	5,000	5,000	" 25, "	120 00	"
Alfred Speer.....	Non-resident personal.....	2,000	2,000	" 25, "	48 00	Continuous absence from the city during the time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
Joshua Youngs.....	".....	1,500	1,500	" 25, "	36 00	Resident of Brooklyn, N. Y.
James W. Packer.....	".....	1,000	1,000	June 9, "	24 00	"Sworn off" when Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
Henry J. Sheffield.....	Resident personal.....	2,000	2,000	" 9, "	48 00	Continuous absence from the city during time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
James Stokes.....	".....	25,000	25,000	" 16, "	600 00	Same person assessed as James Stokes, Jr.
Samuel T. Preston.....	".....	5,000	5,000	" 23, "	120 00	Continuous sickness during time Annual Record was open for correction in 1885.
Total.....					\$2,707 20	

The total amount of taxes of 1885 remitted during the year ending June 30, 1886, is \$23,446 64-100.

The following is a summary of the Report of the Board of Assessors to this Department for the quarter ending April 30, 1886:

Number of Assessment Lists received (including \$637.84 interest, as certified by Comptroller), 6, amounting to.....	\$27,246 30
Number of Assessment Lists apportioned and advertised, 23, amounting to.....	364,267 46
Number of Assessment Lists transmitted to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for Confirmation, 22, amounting to.....	504,277 71

The Report in detail is on file in this Department.

During the quarter writs of certiorari have been served upon the Commissioners to review their action in relation to the assessment of personal estate for the year 1886 in three instances, all of which have been transmitted to the Counsel to the Corporation for legal action.

Respectfully submitted,

MICHAEL COLEMAN,
EDWD. C. DONNELLY,
THOS. L. FEITNER, } Commissioners
of
Taxes and Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, held July 14, 1886.

Present—Commissioners Koch and Matthews.

Absent—Commissioner Stark.

On motion Commissioner Koch was elected president pro tem.

The minutes of the meeting held July 8, 1886, were read and approved.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, presented his report of receipts for the week ending July 13, 1886, which was received, and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1886.					1886.
July 8	Thos. E. Crimmins.....	Wharfage District No. 9.....	\$547 95		
" 8	".....	" 7.....	91 00		
				\$638 95	July 8
" 13	Chas. H. Thompson.....	" 1.....	\$473 06		
" 13	Geo. W. Wanmaker.....	" 2.....	189 94		
" 13	Edward Abeel.....	" 3.....	938 98		
" 13	John M. Smith.....	" 4.....	695 53		
" 13	Eugene McCarthy.....	" 5.....	211 05		
" 13	Patrick J. Brady.....	" 6.....	343 87		
" 13	Chas. P. Blake.....	" 7.....	78 27		
" 13	Joseph B. Erwin.....	" 8.....	404 83		
" 13	Jos. F. Sharkey.....	" 9.....	183 16		
" 13	Abram Duryee.....	" 10.....	58 46		
" 13	John Callan.....	" 11.....	46 42		
				3,623 57	July 13
	Total.....		\$4,262 07	\$4,262 07	

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed)

JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet on Thursday, July 15th instant, at 11 A. M.

B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN,
No. 8 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, May 29, 1886. }

PUBLIC NOTICE.

A resolution, of which the following is a copy, was adopted by the Common Council, May 26, 1886, and was approved by the Mayor, May 28, 1886, viz.:

"Resolved, That in consideration of the fact that little, if any, business is transacted in the public offices of the Corporation after 12 o'clock, M., on Saturdays during the summer season, the various offices of the City, except those specially required by law to be kept open, be closed at noon every Saturday during the months of June, July, August and September, and the heads of the several departments of the City government be and are hereby requested to give their employees a half-holiday on Saturdays during the months above named."

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1886.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,
NOS. 31 AND 32 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, July 13, 1886. }

Hon. WM. R. GRACE, Mayor, etc.:

SIR—In pursuance of the provisions of section 49, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, I transmit the following report of the transactions of this Department for the quarter ending June 30, 1886:

Number of Loads, Ashes, Rubbish, etc., Collected and Removed.

MONTH.	Removed by the Department.		Removed from the First District.		Removed from the Second District.		Received from Permits.	Received from Department of Public Works.	Received from Bureau of Markets.	TOTAL.
	Ashes.	Rubbish.	Ashes.	Rubbish.	Ashes.	Rubbish.	Loads.	Loads.	Loads.	
1886.										
April.....	45,066	15,888	11,483	5,302	15,929	7,740	15,613	553	851	118,425
May.....	42,657	14,799	9,973	4,484	14,657	6,857	13,863	684	816	103,790
June.....	38,885	14,304	8,495	4,323	13,512	6,537	13,330	788	788	100,962
Total.....	126,608	44,991	29,951	14,109	44,098	21,134	42,806	2,025	2,455	328,177

Miles of Streets Cleaned.

MONTH.	BY DEPARTMENT.		BY CONTRACTOR FIRST DISTRICT.		BY CONTRACTOR SECOND DISTRICT.		TOTAL.	
	Miles.	Feet.	Miles.	Feet.	Miles.	Feet.	Miles.	Feet.
1886.								
April.....	1,483	2,958	645	3,449	1,085	825	3,214	1,952
May.....	1,666	2,082	805	3,657	1,363	2,856	3,835	3,315
June.....	1,618	773	862	4,341	1,391	1,900	3,872	1,734
Total.....	4,768	533	2,314	887	3,840	301	10,922	1,721

Expenditures.

MONTH.	WAGES.	SALARIES.	UNLOADING SCOWS.	REPAIRS AND SUPPLIES.	CLEANING FIRST DISTRICT.	CLEANING SECOND DISTRICT.	TOTAL.
1886.							
April.....	\$38,593 19	\$6,540 98	\$3,077 72	\$17,133 67	\$11,421 80	\$19,104 54	\$95,871 50
May.....	38,108 09	6,560 30	2,917 00	15,379 62	9,978 60	17,402 47	90,346 08
June.....	35,551 35	6,556 31	3,232 00	15,130 95	9,656 71	16,841 09	86,968 41
Total.....	\$112,252 63	\$19,657 59	\$9,226 72	\$47,644 24	\$31,057 11	\$53,348 10	\$273,186 39

RÉSUMÉ.

Total Number of Loads of Material Removed.

April	118,425
May	108,790
June	100,962
Total	328,177

Expenditures.

April	\$95,871 90
May	90,346 08
June	86,968 41
Total	\$273,186 39

Total Number of Miles of Streets Cleaned and Dirt Removed Therefrom.

	Miles.	Feet.
April	3,214	1,952
May	3,835	3,315
June	3,872	1,734
Total	10,922	1,721

Receipts.

April	} For trimming scows, street dirt, etc.	\$3,100 25
May		
June		

I am, sir, very respectfully,

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of each of the persons named in the accompanying bills, for the amounts thereof respectively, viz.:

P. Henry Breen, printing	\$30 00
McAdams & Duane, coaches	120 00
Devlin & Co., gloves, etc.	162 75
Incidental expenses paid by Alderman Ryan, Chairman of Special Committee	12 80
	\$325 55

—being expenses incurred by the Special Committee appointed to make arrangements for attending the funeral of the late John Kelly, and charge the amount to the account of "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, July 14, 1886.

Resolved, That the premises on the south side of Ninety-sixth street, about one hundred feet east of Third avenue, extending about fifty feet on Ninety-sixth street, be and is hereby designated as and for a public pound, and that a pound-master be appointed therefor by his Honor the Mayor, without any expense to the city.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, July 15, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Lewis Poper to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post and lamp on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 148 Avenue C, provided such post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by resolution (18 inches square), and that the work be done and gas supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Rev. W. J. O'Kelly, pastor of the Church of the "Lady of Good Counsel," to construct a vault in front of the church edifice on Ninety-second street, beginning at a point about three hundred and three feet west of Second avenue, and running east a distance of about eighty feet, without payment of the usual fee, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1886.

Resolved, That Emil W. Rudolphy be and he is hereby appointed a City Surveyor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Higgins to place and keep a watering-trough on northwest corner of Tenth avenue and Sixty-first street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the owners of property adjacent to lay a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone across One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, on a line parallel with the sidewalk, on the easterly side of Edgecomb avenue, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1886.

Resolved, That the resolution locating a watering-trough at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street and Washington avenue, which was approved by the Mayor May 5, 1886, be and is hereby amended by striking out "One Hundred and Eighty-fifth" and inserting in lieu thereof "One Hundred and Eighty-sixth," so that said watering-trough shall be located at the northwest corner of One Hundred and Eighty-sixth street and Washington avenue, instead of One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Carroll Cunneen to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 89 Macdougall street, the work to be done and the water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Cornelius Daly to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in First avenue, near the southeast corner of Seventy-ninth street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1886.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 16th day of July, 1886.

Present—Commissioners Porter, McClave, and Voorhis.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Inspector George W. Dilks, twenty days' vacation.

Captain Alexander S. Williams, Twenty-ninth Precinct, ten days, half pay.

Leave of Absence Denied.

Detective Sergeant Philip Reilly, Detective Squad, ten days.

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

The Chief Clerk submitted a report of the operations and transactions of the Police Department and force for the quarter ending June 30, 1886, which was ordered to be signed by the President and Chief Clerk and forwarded to the Mayor.

Application of Sergeant Patrick Oates, First Precinct, for promotion, was referred to the Board of Examiners for citation.

Applications Denied.

Roundsmen Patrick H. Lyan, Thirteenth Precinct—For transfer.

Patrolman Peter A. J. Masterson, Twenty-ninth Precinct—For detail.

Application of the Counsel to the Corporation for certain printed blanks was referred to the Chief Clerk to furnish.

Applications Referred to the Superintendent for Report.

Henry Hughs and others—For appointment of Henry Wooley as Special Patrolman.

H. D. Purroy, President Fire Department—For detail of Patrolman Charles Lenz, Thirty-fourth Precinct.

Application of Daniel E. Daly, guardian of children of Hannah Walsh, for pension, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Applications Ordered on File.

William H. Wilcox—For appointment as Doorman.

C. Baptist—For employment as Deck-hand.

Application of D. J. Whitney, of Society for Prevention of Crime, for detail of an officer on Sunday evenings at Christ Church Chapel, was referred to the Superintendent for necessary action.

Communication from George P. Schirmer, relative to charges against Patrolman Henry A. Rimers, Thirty-first Precinct, was referred to Commissioner McClave.

Communications Referred to the Superintendent.

Mayor, from—enclosing letter of George B. Goodwin, United States Consul, Saxony, inquiring whereabouts of Franz Zzhneke.

Mayor, from—enclosing letter of A. H. Ford, S. C., and letter from Walter Talbott, No. 416 Sixth avenue, relative to "green goods."

Communication from W. Scott Simonson, relative to pension of A. B. Simonson, was referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Communication from Amasa J. Parker, Jr., acknowledging receipt of Manual, was ordered on file.

Resolved, That the leave of absence granted to Patrolman Thomas Mulvey, Fifth Precinct, on the 13th instant, be and is hereby revoked.

Resolved, That Morton Bishop be granted a re-examination by the Surgeons.

Advanced to Second Grade.

Patrolman William H. Burns, Ninth Precinct, from July 11, 1886.

Employed on Probation.

Jacob Hersch.

Joseph H. McCauley.

Jacob Burkard.

John H. Thompson.

Transfers and Details.

Roundsmen Robert A. Montgomery, from Twenty-third Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct.

Patrolman Geo. W. Holmes, from Thirty-second Precinct to Thirty-fifth Precinct.

" Patrick Kelly, from First Precinct to Ninth Precinct.

" William S. Bean, Seventh Precinct, detail as Doorman temporarily.

Roundsmen William D. Terry, Thirty-fifth Precinct, detail as Acting Sergeant temporarily.

Patrolman John J. McNally, Fourteenth Precinct, detail at Treasury Office, temporarily.

Resolved, That Roundsmen James Price, Twenty-ninth Precinct, be detailed to attend Court in Massachusetts as a witness, without expense to this Department.

N. Y. SUPREME COURT.

The People ex rel. Jesse Carter }

vs.

The Board of Police. }

Upon reading and filing order of the General Term Supreme Court in the above case, affirming the proceedings of the Board of Police concerning the dismissal, discharge and removal of Jesse Carter from the Police force; and upon reading and filing communication from the Corporation Counsel, stating that the motion of the relator for a stay of proceedings pending an appeal to the Court of Appeals, has been withdrawn; and therefore

Resolved, That the name of Jesse Carter be and is hereby stricken from the roll of membership of the Police force, and that the Superintendent, in promulgating this order, be directed to recover the shield and manual of said Carter—all aye.

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:

William Carlin, horseshoeing	\$31 50	N. Y. Belting and Packing Co., hose ..	\$11 03
P. Connolly, "	10 50	Northern Gas Co., gas	7 38
Central Gas Co., gas	18 75	Patterson Bros., hardware	23 45
N. L. Coe, photographs	27 50	" "	15 79
Wm. L. Cole & Co., repairing wagon	16 00	" "	7 97
Colwell Lead Co., plumbing materials	50 25	Pearce & Jones, telegraph supplies ..	143 82
Colwell Lead Co., plumbing materials	23 51	" "	22 37
Consolidated gas Co., gas	526 50	George Reed, expenses	2 90
A. S. & H. M. Dickinson, flagging ..	77 00	A. Savage, horsehire	50 00
John Doran, newspapers	4 44	John H. Seaman, lime, sand, etc.	26 00
" "	4 70	Abraham Steers, lumber	35 33
" "	3 90	John Stier & Son, rep'g wagons	169 40
Thomas C. Dunham, paints	16 70	W. & J. Sloane, oil-cloth	40 35
" "	15 45	T. & W. Thorn & Co., horsefeed	174 79
J. O. Emery, prisoners meals	8 00	Mary Webb, meals	45 00
Frazer & Co., horsefeed	212 86	" "	41 55
" "	200 67	Western Union Tel. Co., rent of wire ..	62 50
" "	166 44	White & Co., horsefeed	140 74
John J. Fox, horseshoeing	33 25	Robert L. Wood, expenses	3 65
" "	27 13	Thorndyke & Son, ice	26 94
James Flood, services	25 00	C. M. Young, Atty., keeping horses ..	73 00
Rudolph Fuchs, prisoners meals	6 50	Joseph C. Bruner, detective exps.	16 27
B. Gray, carriage hire	43 00	Owen Haley, "	169 15
" coach hire	40 00	Chas. Heidelberg, "	34 25
Charles Hagan, expenses	2 50	Michael J. Lyman, "	6 25
F. X. Haggarty, "	2 90	W. W. McLaughlin, "	67 12
C. H. Hance, soap	34 55	Richard O'Connor, "	7 50
Howe Bros., horseshoeing	51 19	John Ruland, "	10 80
Michael Kirley, expenses	3 45	Sam'l G. Sheldon, "	32 15
Francis McCabe, cartages	23 50	Patrolman Eugene D. Collins, det. ex. ..	4 15
S. McFadden & Co., repairing flags ..	3 50	" James G. Cooper, "	9 45
John F. McHugh, flags	5 00	" Louis G. McCord, "	3 80
P. Malone, horseshoeing	10 50	" Joseph A. Saul, "	8 15
Metropolitan Telegraph and Tele-		" C. L. Schauwecker, "	16 70
phone Co., rent telephones	43 65	" Robert O. Webb, "	2 00
Hugh Nesbitt, painting	89 65	" Alex. S. Williams, "	22 65
N. Y. Belting and Packing Co., hose ..	7 35		
			\$3,401 64

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending June 30, 1886.

Hon. WM. R. GRACE, Mayor :

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to June 30, 1886, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since June 19, 1886, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on June 30, 1886.

Very respectfully,
WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain, *during the week ending* June 30, 1886.

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June 30. By Balance \$4,111,210 43

WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* WM. M. IVINS, *Chamberlain, for and during the week ending* June 30, 1886.

June 30, 1886. By Balances.....	\$237,948 81	\$858,020 68
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E. & O. E.
NEW YORK, June 30, 1886.

WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 7, 1886.

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 339, Laws of 1883, I hereby designate "New York Times" 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.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1885.

In pursuance of the ordinance, approved April 30, 1877, and amended June 1, 1877, entitled, "An ordinance to prevent the danger of hydrophobia to any of the inhabitants of the City of New York," notice is hereby given that all Dogs found at large in the City of New York on and after January 1, contrary to such ordinance, will be seized and disposed of as provided therein.

The Dog Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, is hereby designated as the place where dogs so captured must be delivered to the Keeper thereof. The Pound will be open from eight o'clock A. M. until five o'clock P. M. daily, Sundays excepted, on and after the first day of January, 1886.

WM. R. GRACE,
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.
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; WILLIAM L. TURNER, 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.
THE MAYOR, President; JAMES W. MCCULLOH, 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.
ROBERT B. NOONEY, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner; WILLIAM V. 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.
THOMAS H. MCAVOY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN MCCORMICK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEO. A. McDERMOTT, Superintendent.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KRESSE, 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.
WM. J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts; DAVID E. AUSTEN, Deputy Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. KELSO, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

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.
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 J. 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. 155 and 157 Mercer 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. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'OENCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

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.
ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 27 and 29 Reade street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY R. BECKMAN, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
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 Advisory Board.

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 Bond 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.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN REILLY, Register; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES A. FLACK, County Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney; JOHN M. COMAN, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.
NOAH DAVIS, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, JOSEPH P. McDONOUGH, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD.

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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$470,845.47 CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, KNOWN AS SCHOOL-HOUSE BONDS.

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Comptroller of the City of New York, at his office, until Wednesday, the 28th day of July, 1886, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, as provided by law, for the whole or a part of an issue of Four Hundred and Seventy Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-five Dollars and Forty-seven Cents, Registered Stock, denominated

CONSOLIDATED STOCK

of the City of New York, and known as "School-House Bonds," the principal payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the Comptroller's Office of said city, on the fifteenth day of August, 1886, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four (1894), with interest at the rate of three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year.

The said stock is issued in pursuance of the provisions of section 132 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and of chapter 458 of the Laws of 1884, for the purchase of new school sites for the erection of new school buildings, and for fitting up and furnishing the same for the use of the common schools of the City of New York, and is exempt from taxation by the City and County of New York, but not from State taxation, pursuant to the provisions of section 137 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, and under an ordinance of the Common Council of said city, approved by the Mayor October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Sinking Fund, adopted July 28, 1884, and as authorized by a resolution of the Board of Estimate and Apportionment adopted on July 12, 1886.

CONDITIONS.

Section 146, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, provides that "The Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law"; and provided also, "that no proposals for bonds or stocks shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of stock awarded to them at its par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

The proposals should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "School-House Bonds" of the Corporation of the City of New York, and each proposal should also be inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 15, 1886.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due August 1, 1886, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from July 15 to August 1, 1886.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 7, 1886.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 27 and 29 READE ST.,
NEW YORK, July 20, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, 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 by the Department of Public Parks, at its office, Nos. 27 and 29 Reade street, until 10 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday the 4th day of August, 1886:

No. 1. For Furnishing the Materials and Labor required in executing the Carpenter and Joiner Work, Painting and Glazing for the Enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art in the Central Park; the whole in accordance with the Plans, Specification, Schedule and Directions therefor.

No. 2. For Furnishing the Materials and Labor and erecting complete all the Plumbing of the Enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art in the Central Park; the whole in accordance with Plans, Specifications and Directions therefor.

No. 3. For Furnishing and Erecting all the Wrought, Cast and Galvanized Iron Work in the Floors, Roofs, Partitions and Skylights; all the Ornamental and other work in the Cresting, Railings, Window Guards, Gates, Doors and Stairways; all Sheet Copper Work; all Tin Work; all Siding; and all Skylight Glass for the Enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art; the whole in accordance with the Plans, Specification, Schedule and Directions therefor.

No. 4. For Excavating and Removing all Earth and Rock, furnishing the Materials and completing the Drainage, furnishing the Materials and erecting all the Mason Work, Granite and other Stone Work, furnishing the Materials and executing all the Plastering and Stucco Work, of the Enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art in the Central Park; the whole in accordance with the Plans, Specification, Schedule and Directions therefor.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately, that is, two or more works must not be included in the same estimate or envelope.
The Architect's schedules of materials to be furnished and work to be done, upon which the bids are to be based, are as follows:

NUMBER 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

(a) All windows and doors with the sashes, frames, casings, architraves, jambs, soffits, mouldings, paneling and other work appertaining thereto.

(b) All flooring and sheathing and work appertaining thereto.

(c) All framing, casing and trimming for plumber, gas and steam fitters.

(d) Setting all grounds for plastering and rough work for temporary enclosures.

(e) All hardware for windows, doors and transoms, and fitting same, and all other hardware for carpenters' and joiners' work complete.

(f) All glass and glazing of windows, doors and transoms.

(g) All painting and finishing of woodwork.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

All plumbing work.

NUMBER 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

(a) All the wrought and cast iron work in girders and beams, columns and lintels, with the fixtures and appurtenances belonging thereto, for the several floors, corridors, boiler-room and coal vaults.

(b) All the wrought and other iron work in the partitions and interior skylights of the gallery floor, including galvanized iron work of the interior skylights, with the fixtures and appurtenances belonging thereto.

(c) All the wrought and other iron work in the roofs,

troller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, July 19, 1886.

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 REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS OF STEAMER "BELLEVUE" INTO A SCOW OR STONE BARGE, CITY OF NEW YORK.

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 Friday, July 30, 1886. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs and Alterations of Steamer 'Bellevue' into a Scow or Stone-barge" 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.

It is hereby agreed and understood that this bid or estimate is in lieu and place of such sale by auction, as is provided for by section 62, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, of the engine, boiler, machinery and other materials now in said steamer, but not needed in said scow or stone-barge; and that, after deducting the cost of repairing and altering said steamer into said scow, in accordance with the plans and specifications which form a part of the contract for said work, from the value of said engine, boiler and machinery, etc., the difference in cash shall be paid into the city treasury as if the said property had been sold by auction under said section of the Consolidation Act; and the said engine, boiler, machinery and other materials shall thereupon become the property of the contractor. The person allowing the largest difference will become the lowest bidder for the aforesaid work.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, and said bondsmen shall be held to be securely bound not only for the faithful compliance with all the specifications of this contract, but for the payment on demand on completion of the aforesaid work of the sum of money agreed upon in cash or current funds of the City of New York and continue to be so bound until released by the receipt in full of the Board of Public Charities and Correction by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of four thousand (\$4,000) 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 without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation the excess, if any there be, of the amount which the Corporation would have been entitled to receive had the same been complete, over the amount which the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting may be obliged to pay to the Comptroller. 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 accompanied 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 inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 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 required on delivery of the scow or stone-barge, completed to the entire satisfaction of Charles H. Haswell, Assistant Supervising Engineer and the Board of Public Charities and Correction, whose receipt in full shall release the bondsmen of the Contractor.

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

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

Dated, New York, July 17, 1886.

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, July 15, 1886.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, North river—Unknown man; aged about 25 years; 5 feet 7½ inches high; sandy hair and moustache. Had on black diagonal coat, vest and pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white cotton sock, button gaiters.

Unknown man, from Ward 6, Bellevue Hospital—Aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light brown hair and moustache. Had on dark coat, pants and vest, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from Ninety-sixth street and Twelfth avenue—Aged about 55 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair and beard mixed with gray; blue eyes. Had on black coat, striped vest and pants, laced shoes, straw hat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Charles P. Lockwood; aged 53 years. Committed July 2, 1886.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, July 13, 1886.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Harvey Williams, aged 68 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray hair, blue eyes.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Martin Fox, aged 39 years. Committed July 2, 1886.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Marie Robert, aged 65 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted check merino skirt and sacque, laced shoes.

Michael Edwards, aged 33 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted brown coat, brown check pants, laced shoes, brown derby hat.

Michael Healy, aged 38 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted gray coat, black vest, dark check pants, gaiters, black derby hat.

Jane Cook, aged 30 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted black alpaca skirt and sacque, slippers, black straw hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, July 8, 1886.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Fifteenth street, East river—Unknown man; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; sandy hair and moustache. Had on striped shirt, white knit undershirt, white muslin drawers, gray striped vest and pants, brogan shoes, gray woolen socks.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Adolph Heyman; aged 38 years. Committed June 9, 1886.

Kitty Howard; aged 25 years. Committed January 9, 1886.

Sarah Devlin; aged 35 years. Committed June 23, 1886.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Gustave Merwitz; aged 45 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted dark mixed overcoat, blue sack coat, dark mixed vest and pants, brogan shoes, black derby hat.

Anthony Dennis; aged 45 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; black eyes and hair. Had on when admitted brown coat, dark mixed pants and vest, boots, black derby hat.

At Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island—Lizzie Hayden; aged 31 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; dark hair; brown eyes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

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 1767, No. 1. Regulating and grading Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, and grading approaches to the same, at intersecting streets, between Harlem river and One Hundred and Forty-seventh street.

List 2216, No. 2. Sewers in Fourth avenue, east and west sides, between Twenty-seventh and Thirtieth streets, with connections to present sewers.

List 2219, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Fortieth street, between North Third avenue and Alexander avenue, with a branch in Alexander avenue, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets.

List 2222, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from North Third avenue to the summit between Alexander and Willis avenues, with branches in Alexander avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets.

List 2229, No. 5. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Willis and Brook avenues, with a branch in Brown place, between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets.

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, from Harlem river to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets; also both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Lincoln to Rider avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, from Alexander to Rider avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, from Alexander to Morris avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from Twenty-seventh to Thirtieth street.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Alexander and Third avenues, and west side of Alexander avenue, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Third and Willis avenues, and both sides of Alexander avenue, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, between Brook and Willis avenues, and both sides of Brown place, between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets; also north side of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, between Brown place and Willis avenue.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 10th day of August, 1886.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, July 9, 1886.

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 2215, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Third to Alexander avenue.

List 2231, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Kingsbridge road to Eleventh avenue.

List 2215, No. 3. Sewers in Eighty-sixth street, between Tenth and Riverside avenues.

List 2242, No. 4. Regulating and grading, setting curb stones and flagging the sidewalks, laying crosswalks and paving the roadway in Alexander avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue.

List 2286, No. 5. Paving Eighty-eighth street, from Second to Third avenue, with granite-block pavement.

List 2293, No. 6. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

List 2295, No. 7. Paving Eighty-second street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

List 2300, No. 8. Paving One Hundred and Fifteenth street from Fifth to Sixth avenue, 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 One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Third to Alexander avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, from Kingsbridge road to Eleventh avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-sixth street, between Tenth and Riverside avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Alexander avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 5. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Eighty-second street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 26th day of July, 1886.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, June 25, 1886.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, July 14, 1886.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1886, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at the Corporation Yard, foot of Gansevoort street, North river, the following articles, viz.:

Trucks, Baskets, Furniture, Poles, Signs, Carts, Coal-boxes, Iron Boilers, Wooden and Tin Awnings, Boot-black Stands and Chairs, Fruit and Newspaper Stands, etc.; Lumber, Beams, Tin, etc.; Trunks, Show Cases, Barrels, Express Boxes, Cradles and Cribs, Bill-boards, Drop Curtains, Push Carts, Rolls of Carpet, Wagons, Beer Kegs, Ale Hogsheads, Stepping Stones, Bales of Excelsior Hay; Bar Fixtures, Furniture, etc.; Kerosene Barrels, Cots and Springs, Brown Stone, Boxes, Tables, Chairs, Irons, Racks, Awnings, etc.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payment in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal of the articles purchased.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 2, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Wednesday, July 21, 1886, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT NINTH AVENUE, from Seventy-seventh to One Hundred and Tenth street, where not already paved, and LAYING CROSSWALKS at the intersecting streets where required.

No. 2. PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, TENTH AVENUE, from Seventy-fourth to One Hundred and Tenth street, and LAYING CROSSWALKS at the intersecting streets where required.

No. 3. PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, and LAYING CROSSWALKS at the intersecting streets where required.

No. 4. PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET, from First to Second avenue.

No. 5. PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET, from the easterly crosswalk of Lexington avenue to the easterly crosswalk of Fifth avenue, and LAYING CROSSWALKS at the intersecting avenues where required.

No. 6. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, from First to Second avenue.

No. 7. PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET, from Third to Lexington avenue.

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 State or national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall 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 and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

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

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
No. 31 CHAMBERS ST., ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, June, 1886.

CROTON WATER RATES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual water rates for 1886 are now due and payable at this office.

Notice is also given that according to law, five per cent. will be added on the first of August next on all unpaid Croton water rates.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 & 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, May 12, 1885.

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

By order of
HENRY D. PURROY, President.
RICHARD CROKER,
EDWARD SMITH,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from First Avenue to Second Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, at the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday the 30th day of July, 1886, at the opening of the Court on that day or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Ninety-fourth street, from First Avenue to Second Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of lands, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Second avenue distant 201 feet 5 inches northerly from the northerly line of Ninety-third street; thence easterly and parallel with said street 650 feet to the westerly line of First avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence westerly 650 feet to the easterly line of Second avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of First and Second avenues.

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, from Eighth Avenue to Ninth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1886, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Eighth Avenue to Ninth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth Avenue, distant 201 feet 10 inches southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 370 feet to the easterly line of Manhattan Avenue; thence southerly and along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 370 feet to the westerly line of Eighth Avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Manhattan Avenue, distant 201 feet 10 inches southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 350 feet to the easterly line of Ninth Avenue; thence southerly and along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 350 feet to the westerly line of Manhattan Avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the Application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Eighth Avenue to Ninth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1886, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Eighth Avenue to Ninth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth Avenue distant 201 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 370 feet to the easterly line of Manhattan Avenue; thence northerly and along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 370 feet to the westerly line of Eighth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Manhattan Avenue distant 201 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twentieth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 350 feet to the easterly line of Ninth Avenue; thence southerly and along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 350 feet to the westerly line of Manhattan Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Eighth and Ninth avenues.

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH STREET, from Tenth Avenue to the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1886, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Tenth Avenue to the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 201 feet 10 inches southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirtieth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 775 feet to the easterly line of Boulevard; thence southerly and along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 775 feet to the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Tenth Avenue and Boulevard.

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SIXTH STREET, from Tenth Avenue to Eleventh Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1886, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Tenth Avenue to Eleventh Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 2,974 feet 3 3/4 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 540 feet 4 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Kingsbridge Road; thence northerly and along said road 72 feet 11 1/2 inches; thence still northerly and along said road 18 feet 10 1/2 inches; thence easterly 572 feet 8 inches to the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; thence southerly and along said line 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue, distant 2,974 feet 3 3/4 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street 122 feet 8 inches to the westerly line of Kingsbridge Road; thence northerly and along said road 83 feet 10 1/2 inches; thence westerly 97 feet 6 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence southerly and along said line 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between Tenth and Eleventh Avenues.

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, from Eighth Avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1886, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Eighth Avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth Avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 225 feet to the easterly line of Avenue St. Nicholas; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 225 feet to the westerly line of Eighth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide, between the lines of Eighth Avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Vanderbilt (formerly Railroad) Avenue to Webster 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 30th day of July, 1886, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as East One Hundred and Seventieth street, extending from Vanderbilt (formerly Railroad) Avenue to Webster 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 of Public Parks, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Webster Avenue (being the southeastern corner of Webster Avenue and East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, distant 6,300 3/4 feet northerly from the eastern prolongation of the southern line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, measured on a line at right angles to the same.

1st. Thence southeasterly at right angles to Webster Avenue for 406 1/2 feet to the western line of Vanderbilt Avenue.

2d. Thence northeasterly along the western line of Vanderbilt Avenue for 50 feet.

3d. Thence northeasterly at right angles to Vanderbilt Avenue for 406 1/2 feet to the eastern line of Webster Avenue.

4th. Thence southwesterly along the eastern line of Webster Avenue for 50 feet to the point of beginning.

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

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, from Eighth Avenue to the first new Avenue west of Eighth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1886, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Eighth Avenue to the first new Avenue west of Eighth Avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eighth Avenue, distant 719 feet 4 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 350 feet to the easterly line of first new Avenue west of Eighth Avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence easterly 350 feet to the westerly line of Eighth Avenue; thence southerly 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Eighth Avenue and first new Avenue west of Eighth Avenue.

Dated, New York, July 1, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
2 Tryon Row, New York City.

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 enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING the Police Department with two thousand tons of best quality of Lehigh Coal, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, in the City of New York, until ten o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 23d day of July, 1886.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Coal," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract made to the lowest bidder with adequate security as soon thereafter as practicable.

For particulars as to the quality, kind and size of coal required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department.

Bidders will state a price per ton of two thousand pounds for the coal to be delivered (see eighth paragraph of the specifications). The price must be written in the bid, and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

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

The entire quantity of coal is to be delivered within thirty days from the date of the execution and delivery of the contract.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract in the manner prescribed by law, in the sum of five thousand dollars.

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. When more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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, and that the adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered has been approved by the Comptroller, 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.

No estimate will be received or 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 enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and be 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.

Blank forms for estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, July 9, 1886.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
NO. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1885.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BATTERY PLACE,
NEW YORK, July 13, 1886.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, BY MESSRS. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, will sell at public auction on the premises in front of Piers, new 27 and new 28, North river, between Hubert and Laight streets, on Monday, the 26th day of July, 1886, at 11 o'clock, A. M., a quantity or lot of boards, planks, braces, joists, beams, trusses, rafters, roofing, bolts, old iron, skylights, and other lumber and material, composing the shed or structure immediately in front of and adjoining the iron structure or shed of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

L. J. N. STARK,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
JOSEPH KOCH,
Commissioners of Docks.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

COMPETITIVE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS with estimates of cost are solicited from Architects, for Armory buildings for the Eighth and Twenty-second Regiments, N. G. S. N. Y., to be erected on the plots already secured for them, viz.: for the Eighth Regiment, the block, 201 ft. 5 in. by 400 feet, located between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets and Fourth and Madison avenues; and for the Twenty-second Regiment, the block, 200 ft. 10 in. on Ninth Avenue, by 225 ft. 9 in. on the Boulevard, and 224 ft. 7 in. on Sixty-seventh street, by 327 ft. 9 in. on Sixty-eighth street.

To receive recognition plans must be presented on or before the 12th day of August, 1886.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all plans and estimates if they deem it to be the best interests of the city so to do.

For further particulars call upon the Secretary of the Board.

M. COLEMAN,
Staats Zeitung Building.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 6, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments that the assessment rolls of real and personal estate in said city, for the year 1886, have been finally completed and have been delivered to the Board of Aldermen of said city, and that such assessment rolls will remain open to public inspection, in the office of the Clerk of said Board of Aldermen, for a period of fifteen days from the date of this notice.

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