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### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

STATED SESSION.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

TUESDAY, September 15, 1885,  
1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in their chamber, No. 16 City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Adolph L. Sanger, President;

ALDERMEN

Henry W. Jaehne,  
Vice-President,  
George B. Brown,  
Thomas Cleary,  
James A. Cowie,  
Robert E. De Lacy,  
Frederick Finck,  
Robert Hall,

Anthony Hartman,  
Bartholomew F. Kenney,  
Patrick H. Kerwin,  
Peter B. Masterson,  
Bankson T. Morgan,  
James B. Mulry,  
Joseph Murray,  
Owen McGinnis,

Arthur J. McQuade,  
Patrick N. Oakley,  
Edward F. O'Dwyer,  
John Quinn,  
Charles H. Reilly,  
Thomas Rothman,  
James T. Van Rensselaer,  
Thomas P. Walsh.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Cleary—

Petition of the Riding Club, asking permission to improve their club-house on the north side of Fifty-eighth street, between Fifth and Madison avenues, by removing two old porches and substitute one new porch at the easterly door, extending only four feet, also a new porch at the westerly entrance to the club-house, extending but four feet, with a bay-window above the same.

Alderman Cleary moved the prayer of the petitioner be granted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Petition of Truman H. Baldwin to have W. Vernon Chaney reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the President—

Petition of West Side Association, asking the Common Council to pass an ordinance providing for surface railroad facilities from Madison avenue, at Eighty-fifth street, to Riverside Park and Eighty-sixth street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 393.)

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed resolution requiring a certificate of the Inspector of Buildings before the licensing of theatres, etc., by the Mayor, do respectfully

REPORT:

That a meeting, held September 10, 1885, the said resolution was duly considered by the undersigned members of said Committee, and the same was found to be not inconsistent with law and the Constitution of this State.

Your Committee are therefore of opinion that the adoption of said resolution will be of great benefit to the community at large, inasmuch as the better protection of the patrons of places of public amusement is sought thereby, and hence recommend the same for your favorable consideration.

Resolved, That hereafter no license shall be granted by the Mayor of the City of New York to the agent, owner, or manager of any theatre, show or place of public amusement in the City of New York, or to such theatre, show, or place of public amusement, except upon the production to the said Mayor of the City of New York, by the party or parties applying for such license, of a certificate signed by the Inspector of the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings in the Fire Department of the City of New York, certifying that such theatre, or place of public amusement or building for which a license is sought, conforms to all requirements of said Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

Dated NEW YORK, September 15, 1885.

EDWARD F. O'DWYER,  
ANTHONY HARTMAN,  
BANKSON T. MORGAN,  
JOHN QUINN,  
JAMES T. VAN RENSSELAER, } Committee  
on  
Law Department.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative, on a division called by Alderman O'Dwyer, as follows:  
Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Hall, Hartman, Kerwin, Morgan, Murray, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Rothman, and Van Rensselaer—12.

Negative—Aldermen Brown, Cowie, Kenney, Masterson, Mulry, McGinnis, and Oakley—7.

Alderman O'Dwyer moved a reconsideration of the above vote.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The report was then laid over.

The Committee on Law Department, to whom was referred the annexed proposed ordinance to amend section one hundred and eleven of article VIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, respectfully

REPORT:

That, after due consideration of the same at a meeting of said Committee, held September 10, 1885, the undersigned members were of the opinion that said ordinance, if adopted, would delegate the powers of the Common Council to the Mayor's Marshal, which in law your Honorable Board has no right to do.

Also, that your Committee are of the opinion that said proposed ordinance would, if adopted, be used in evading the law which now governs the laying-out of stage routes and granting the franchises.

Your Committee therefore recommend that the same be not adopted.

NEW YORK, September 15, 1885.

EDWARD F. O'DWYER,  
JOHN QUINN,  
JAMES T. VAN RENSSELAER, } Committee  
on  
Law Department.

Alderman O'Dwyer moved that the report be laid over.

Alderman Hall moved, as an amendment, that the report be placed on file.

Which was accepted and the paper ordered on file.

(G. O. 394.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying water-pipes in Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Fourteenth street to One Hundred and Seventeenth street, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That Croton water-mains be laid in Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Fourteenth to One Hundred and Seventeenth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
ROBERT HALL, } on  
P. H. KERWIN, } Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 395.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging a space four feet wide, through the centre of the sidewalks, where not already done, in Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, be regulated, graded, the curb-stones be set and the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

THOS. P. WALSH, } Committee  
ROBERT HALL, } on  
P. H. KERWIN, } Public Works.

Which was laid over.

PETITIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman De Lacy—

Petition of the Twenty-eighth and Thirtieth Streets Railroad Company for permission to construct and operate a street surface railroad, in certain streets of the city, as follows:

OFFICE OF THE TWENTY-EIGHTH AND THIRTIETH STREETS RAILROAD COMPANY,  
No. 5 BEEKMAN STREET, Nos. 188, 189, 190 TEMPLE COURT.  
NEW YORK, September 11, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York:

The undersigned, "The Twenty-eighth and Thirtieth Streets Railroad Company," a corporation incorporated and organized under and by virtue of the Laws of the State of New York, and which corporation, by order of the Supreme Court dated and entered August 12, 1885, has been authorized and directed from and after the 21st day of September, 1885, to assume the new corporate name of the Twenty-eighth and Twenty-ninth Streets Railroad Company, and to be known by and to use the said new corporate name,

Respectfully petitions your Honorable Body to grant to it your consent, permission and authority, under such provisions, conditions and restrictions as are provided and required by the said laws, to construct, maintain and operate a surface or street railroad to be operated by horses or such other means as may be consented to by the property-owners, through, upon and along the following streets and avenues in the City of New York, upon such terms and conditions as shall to your Honorable Body seem meet and proper.

Such railroad to commence at or near the ferry landing at West Forty-second street and North river, and running thence on West Forty-second street with double tracks to Eleventh avenue; thence on Eleventh avenue with double tracks to West Thirty-fourth street; also from West Thirty-fourth street and North river, on West Thirty-fourth street with double tracks to Tenth avenue; thence on Tenth avenue with double tracks to West Thirtieth street, thence on West Thirtieth street with single track and turnout to Ninth avenue; thence on Ninth avenue with double tracks to West Twenty-ninth street and to West Twenty-eighth street; thence on West and East Twenty-ninth street and on West and East Twenty-eighth street with a single track in each street to First avenue; thence on First avenue with double tracks to East Twenty-fourth street; thence on East Twenty-fourth street with double tracks to Avenue A; thence on Avenue A with double tracks to East Twenty-third street; thence on East Twenty-third street with double tracks to the ferries at East Twenty-third street and East river; also from East Twenty-ninth street and First avenue, on First avenue with double tracks to East Thirty-fourth street; thence on East Thirty-fourth street with double tracks to the ferry landing at East Thirty-fourth street and East river, or from First avenue on East Thirty-third street and private property with double tracks to the last mentioned ferry landing; also from Ninth avenue and West Twenty-ninth street, on West Twenty-ninth street with single track to Tenth avenue; thence on Tenth avenue with double tracks to West Twenty-eighth street; or, by continuing single track on West Twenty-ninth street to Eleventh avenue; and thence on Eleventh avenue with single track to West Twenty-eighth street; also from Ninth avenue and West Twenty-eighth street, on West Twenty-eighth street with single or double tracks to Eleventh avenue; thence on Eleventh avenue with double tracks to West Twenty-fourth street; thence on West Twenty-fourth street with double tracks to Thirteenth avenue; thence on Thirteenth avenue with double tracks to West Fourteenth street and North river, with all necessary switches, turn-outs, turn-tables, connections and stands for the proper and convenient working of the said road.

The object and purposes of this railroad is the conveyance of passengers from its termini on either side of the city to either of its termini on the opposite side of the city for a single fare of five cents, transfers being given when necessary.

And your petitioners will every pray.

THE TWENTY-EIGHTH AND THIRTIETH STREETS RAILROAD COMPANY,  
By JONATHAN H. CRANE, President.

FRED'K A. BARTLETT, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

In connection therewith, Alderman De Lacy offered the following:

Resolved, That Wednesday, the 7th day of October, 1885, at eleven o'clock A. M., and the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, be and hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the application of the Twenty-eighth and Thirtieth Streets Railroad Company to the Common Council of the City of New York, for its consent and permission for the construction, maintenance and operation of the street surface railroad described in the petition of said company for such consent will be first considered; and that public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board, by publishing the same for fourteen days, exclusive of Sundays, in two newspapers published in this city, to be designated therefor by His Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884; such advertising to be at the expense of the petitioner.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

Alderman Cleary moved that the Committee on Railroads be discharged from the further consideration of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Monday, the 31st day of August, 1885, at 1 o'clock P. M., and the chamber of the Board of Aldermen, be and hereby are designated as the time and place when and where the application of The Southern Boulevard Railway Company, to the Common Council of the City



of New York, for its consent and permission for the construction, maintenance and operation of the street surface railroad proposed to be constructed by said company, as mentioned in their petition for such consent, will be first considered; and that public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board by publishing such notice for fourteen days, excluding Sundays, in two newspapers published in the City of New York, to be designated therefor by his Honor the Mayor, according to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884; such advertising to be at the expense of the petitioners.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Cleary then moved to amend the resolution by striking out the words and figures "Monday, the 31st day of August, 1885, at one," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "Wednesday, the 7th day of October, 1885, at eleven."

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution as amended.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kerwin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Paul Kluge to place and keep a barber's pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1076 Second avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it do so to meet on Monday next, the 21st instant, at 1 o'clock P.M.

Alderman O'Dwyer moved as an amendment that Friday, the 18th instant, at 1 o'clock, be fixed as the time for the next meeting of the Board.

Which was accepted by Alderman Oakley.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Cleary—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Agostino Obici to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 141 Pearl street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed five feet long by three feet wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 396.)

By Alderman O'Dwyer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Saracco to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, etc., on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 736 Sixth avenue, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed eight feet long by three feet wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Cleary—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mary F. Merriam to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, etc., on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 24 Desbrosses street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Davoren & Kerwick to retain the sign in front of No. 108 Broad street, corner of Water street, provided such sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert Herbert to place and keep a post and sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 141 Fulton street, provided such post shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed nine feet in height by eight inches in diameter; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. K. Myers to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1682 Third avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets, provided such coal-box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 397.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Ninth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Sixth avenue east to the river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid on the west side of Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Eighteenth to One Hundred and Nineteenth street, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Benjamin Collard to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers, etc., under the steps of the elevated railroad, northwest corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Sixteenth street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Cowie—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. J. Post & Son to place and keep a movable sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, on northwest corner of Eighth avenue and Twenty-third street, provided such sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed twelve feet high by six feet wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Kate MacColl to place and keep a small sign near the curb, in front of premises No. 351 Sixth avenue, the work to be done at her own expense; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Hartman—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain, for man and beast, be erected on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and North Third avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Kingsbridge road, from Hoffman street to Columbia avenue, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

(G. O. 398.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the vacant ground located on the west side of St. Ann's avenue, between Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, known as the "Bensonia Cemetery," be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Department of Public Parks be and is hereby directed to report to this Board, as soon as possible, the reasons, if any, why the work of regulating, grading, etc., of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, between North Third and Railroad avenues, has been discontinued west of College avenue, and if it is not possible to have the work completed before the advent of inclement weather.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Van Rensselaer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Abraham Lesser to retain, at his own expense, the barber-pole now standing on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises, No. 1385 Broadway, said pole not exceeding twelve feet in height by ten inches in diameter, provided such pole shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kerwin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. H. Brett to place and keep an emblematic sign on post on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 998 Second avenue, provided such post shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Vice-President Jaehne—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Kaul to retain a barber-pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 178 Macdougall street, provided such pole shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Kerwin—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James R. Gibson to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1451 Second avenue, provided such coal-box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed six feet long by three feet wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Masterson—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick Schmidt to erect and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises on the Boulevard, northeast corner of Eighty-eighth 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.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 398½.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 399.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and lamps lighted in Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-first street to One Hundred and Forty-third street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 400.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Seventy-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 401.)

By the same—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Seventy-second street, between the Boulevard and Eleventh avenue, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 402.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Twentieth street, from the Eighth to the Ninth avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, that permission be and the same is hereby given to Ralph Ogle to place and keep a movable sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 988 Eighth avenue, provided such sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed five feet in height by two and a half feet wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Morgan—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Nathan Sleeve to place and keep a post and sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 2 East Fourteenth street, provided such post shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Sweeney to retain the storm-door at the side entrance to his premises, No. 244 Third avenue, corner of Twentieth street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Domenick Augliers to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 136 Chatham street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Richard Tobin to place and keep a movable stand for the sale of newspapers on the sidewalk, near the curb, in Twentieth street, near Broadway, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed five feet long by two feet wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council, and to be exercised only during the forenoon every day.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Quinn—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Brunno Eusner to erect and retain a barber-pole on the curb, in front of premises No. 644 Tenth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.



By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Paul Fay to erect and retain a pedestal sign on curb in front of premises No. 504 West Fifty-first street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Anton Barcher to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 532 West Fifty-fifth street, provided such box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Pepler Bros. to exhibit goods on line of curb, in front of premises No. 648 Tenth avenue; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the President—

Resolved, That J. J. Frederick Pfluger be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expired September 12, 1885. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Charles A. Clark be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expired September 12, 1885. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That Joseph F. Larkin be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Cleary—

Resolved, That Martin B. Kennedy be and he hereby is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman De Lacy—

Resolved, That Jacob C. Goebel be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Jacob C. Goebel, whose term of office expired September 12, 1885. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Finck—

Resolved, That Arno F. Krumbholz be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Moritz Grosse be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Hall—

Resolved, That Lewis A. Hoffman be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Hartman—

Resolved, That R. H. Crombie be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Kerwin—

Resolved, That John Goode be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman McKenna—

Resolved, That John Turner be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Murray—

Resolved, That Peter Little be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That John H. Hanan be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Quinn—

Resolved, That Henry Templer be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expires September 12, 1885. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Reilly—

Resolved, That Edward C. Sheehy be and he is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Edward C. Sheehy, whose term of office expired September 12, 1885. Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, September 14, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted August 31, 1885, permitting John Bennett to erect a storm-door at No. 494 Hudson street.

The exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Bennett to erect and retain a storm-door at No. 494 Hudson street, 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.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, September 14, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted August 31, 1885, permitting John T. Reagan to retain a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 491 First avenue.

The exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John T. Reagan to retain a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 491 First avenue, provided such coal-box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, September 14, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted August 31, 1885, permitting A. Cartwright to keep an oil-cloth frame sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 30 Clinton place.

The exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to A. Cartwright to place and keep an oil-cloth frame sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 30 Clinton place; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, September 14, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted August 31, 1885, permitting J. M. Burse to keep a booth near the curb, in front of No. 14 Fulton street.

The exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. M. Burse to place and keep a booth on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 14 Fulton street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed two and a half feet square; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, September 14, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted August 31, 1885, that an additional lamp, etc., be placed in front of the Church of the Holy Rosary, No. 444 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street, for the reason that there are already two lamps in front of this church. An additional lamp would be an unnecessary expense to the city.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That an additional lamp-post and lamp be placed in front of the Church of the Holy Rosary, No. 444 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, September 15, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted August 31, 1885, giving permission to the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States to extend a porch in front of their building on Broadway, between Pine and Cedar streets, for the reason that the proposed structure would be an encroachment upon the public street and in violation of law.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That, inasmuch as the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States is about to build an addition to its present building, covering the entire block on Broadway, between Pine and Cedar streets, that permission be granted to it to build a porch of the same general design and with the same projection as its present porch, to cover the five central piers of the front, that is to say, the projection is to commence at a point about forty-nine (49) feet south from the intersection of the street-line of Broadway and Cedar street and about forty-nine feet six inches (49' 6") north from the intersection of the street-lines of Broadway and Pine street, measured at the shafts of the porch columns.

Resolved, That permission be granted to extend this porch with face columns and cornices of similar or less projection than the present porch columns and cornices to the top of the building.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor :

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, September 14, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted August 31, 1885, permitting John Collins to keep a fruit stand, near the curb, in front of No. 66½ Vesey street.

The exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Collins to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 66½ Vesey street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed five and a half feet long by three and one-quarter wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Third District Civil Court :

Departmental Estimate of the District Court of the Third Judicial District of the City of New York for the Year 1886.

The salaries of the several officers named below are fixed in chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 (the Consolidation Act).

Annexed to the name of each officer is the section of the act fixing his salary :

NAME.	OFFICE.	SALARY PER ANNUM.	LAWS OF 1882, CHAPTER 410.	DATE OF ELECTION OR APPOINTMENT.
George W. Parker.....	Justice .....	\$6,000 00	Section 1283..	1881.
George B. Deane, Jr.....	Clerk .....	3,000 00	" 1427..	Jan., 1882.
Whitfield Van Cott.....	Assistant Clerk....	3,000 00	" 1427..	Oct., 1884.
Michael J. Kelly.....	Stenographer .....	2,000 00	" 1434..	Jan., 1876.
Joseph Weill.....	Interpreter.....	1,200 00	" 1433..	Oct., 1882.
Joseph D. Costa.....	Court Attendant..	1,200 00	" 1432..	June, 1877.
John McKeever.....	" .....	1,200 00	" 1432..	Jan., 1876.
Daniel Mooney.....	Janitor.....	900 00	" 1435..	Jan., 1882.
Total.....		\$18,500 00		

GEO. W. PARKER, Justice.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Finance :

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
September 12, 1885.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council from January 1 to December 31, 1885, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances.

Titles of Appropriations.	Amount of Appropriations.	Payments.	Amount of Unexpended Balances.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,000 00	\$354 22	\$645 78
City Contingencies—Expenses of a Public Reception of the Bartholdi Statue.....	5,000 00	1,866 02	3,133 98
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.	250 00	48 61	201 39
Salaries—Common Council.....	71,000 00	47,182 35	23,817 65

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.



The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Ninth District Civil Court :

NINTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT,  
ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIFTH STREET, BETWEEN LEXINGTON AND FOURTH AVENUES,  
NEW YORK, September 11, 1885.

*The Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York :*

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with request contained in circular issued by Department of Finance on August 25, 1885, I furnish below Departmental Estimate of the amount of expenditure required for the Ninth District Civil Court, for the year 1886, viz. :

SALARIES.		
Salary of Justice.....	\$6,000 00	
" Clerk.....	3,000 00	
" Assistant Clerk.....	3,000 00	
" Stenographer.....	2,000 00	
" Interpreter.....	1,200 00	
" Attendant.....	1,000 00	
" Attendant.....	1,000 00	
" Janitor.....	900 00	
		\$18,100 00
SUPPLIES.		
Stationery.....	\$250 00	
Fuel.....	75 00	
Gas.....	20 00	
Law books.....	100 00	
		445 00
Total.....		\$18,545 00

Respectfully submitted,  
HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### COMMUNICATIONS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Society for the Relief of Ruptured and Crippled :

*To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York :*

GENTLEMEN—The following estimate of the amount of expenditures of the Hospital of the "New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled," for the year 1886, is respectfully presented :

Salaries—		
Surgeon-in-Chief.....	\$3,000 00	
Senior Assistant.....	1,000 00	
Three Junior Assistants.....	1,200 00	
Surgeon Dentist.....	200 00	
Clerk.....	1,200 00	
Assistant Clerk.....	800 00	
Warden.....	1,000 00	
Matron.....	600 00	
Instructor in Gymnastics.....	300 00	
Four Teachers and Two Assistants.....	1,188 00	
Two Instrument-makers.....	1,275 00	
Two Engineers.....	1,080 00	
Boy for general labor.....	180 00	
Cook and Two Assistants.....	444 00	
Three Laundresses.....	492 00	
Six Seamstresses.....	648 00	
Ten Nurses.....	1,536 00	
Five Housemaids.....	636 00	
Three Cleaners.....	384 00	
		\$17,163 00
Provisions.....		\$14,600 00
Manufacturing material.....	4,700 00	
Medicines.....	675 00	
Stationery and printing.....	500 00	
School requisites.....	175 00	
Renewing furniture, bedding, etc.....	600 00	
Repairs to Hospital building.....	2,800 00	
Fuel.....	1,500 00	
Gas.....	800 00	
Premium on insurance.....	320 00	
Croton-water rates.....	500 00	
		27,170 00
Total expenditure.....		\$44,333 00

The number of dependent children, for whose support the city pays at the rate of \$150 per annum for each child (Laws of 1872, chapter 835), will not be less than 170, amounting to \$25,500.

In addition to the number of children treated in the Hospital, probably 8,000 patients will receive professional treatment and, in most instances, surgical apparatus in the out-door department of the Hospital—all this apparatus being kept in repair during the time of treatment, which, in many cases, continues for years.

For the support of this department we rely chiefly on the contributions of the benevolent. As may be seen by the above figures there will be a balance of \$18,833 to be collected.

JAMES KNIGHT, M. D., Surgeon-in-Chief to the Hospital.

New York, September 11, 1885.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

The President called up G. O. 391, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That, pursuant to the power vested in this Common Council by section 64 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Charities and Correction is hereby authorized and empowered to do the work of constructing new sewer and connections, including new plumbing and necessary repairs to the present system in Insane Asylum building on Ward's Island, for which an appropriation has heretofore been made, without advertising for estimates or contracting therefor, provided the cost of such work shall not exceed the sum so appropriated for that purpose.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Brown, Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Rothman, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—22.

The President called up G. O. 340, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between New avenue and Ninth avenue, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Brown, Cleary, Cowie, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Reilly, Rothman, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—22.

Alderman Masterson, by unanimous consent, called up G. O. 330, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized to lay water-mains in Eighth avenue, between Sixty-sixth and Eighty-first streets, pursuant to the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, sections 189 and 194.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Brown, Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hartman, Kenney, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Rothman, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—21.

Vice-President Jaehne moved that the vetoes of his Honor the Mayor, received August 31, 1885, beginning with Veto No. 297, be reconsidered in regular order ; that they be read separately, and if

no objection be made, that one vote be taken on the whole ; when objection is made, that a vote be taken on every such resolution so vetoed, separately.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 297) of resolution, as follows, was first read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Morris Schiff to place and keep a post and sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1057 Third avenue, provided such post shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 298) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Dr. John A. Leighton to keep a small sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 505 West Forty-second street, provided such sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 299) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Burrell to place a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the premises known as No. 58 Great Jones street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed five feet long by two feet wide ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 300) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Becker to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the west side of Tenth avenue, one hundred and six feet north of Manhattan street, provided such box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed four feet long by six wide ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 301) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Alexander McCarthy to exhibit merchandise on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 39 Sixth avenue, provided such goods shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 302) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hugh Reilly to exhibit merchandise on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 685 Hudson street, provided such goods shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 303) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Fred. Baumann to place and keep a barber-pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1049 Second avenue, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-sixth streets, provided such pole shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed fifteen feet in height ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 304) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Nickola Slego to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, etc., on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 240 Grand street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed six feet long by two and one-half feet wide ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 305) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Muzzio to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, etc., on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 67 Cedar street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed six feet long by three feet wide ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 306) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hanson & Co. to retain the signs in front of No. 80 Warren street, inside the stoop-line, provided such signs shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 307) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Cappelletti to place and keep a hand-wagon for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 29 Cortlandt street, provided such wagon shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed five feet long by two and one-half feet wide ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 308) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. Hoffman to exhibit goods on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 69 First avenue, provided such shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 309) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That be and the same is hereby given to Charles A. Held to place and retain a pole, with sign on top, near the curb, in front of premises No. 412 West Forty-first street ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 310) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given Louis H. Fritz to exhibit goods on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 35½ Sixth avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 311) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Marcus to place and keep a barber-pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 16 Essex street, provided such pole shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed fifteen feet in height ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 312) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John McConnell to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 223 East One Hundred and Third street, provided such coal-box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 313) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Barney Keegan to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of southeast corner of Third avenue and Seventy-ninth street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 314) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Kammer to place and keep a meat-rack on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 587 Ninth avenue, provided such rack shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 315) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Conly to place and keep a coal-box near the curb in front of premises No. 662 Eleventh avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 316) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Simon Stern to exhibit goods on sidewalk, near the curb, in front of premises No. 706 Ninth avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 317) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Victor Burke to place and keep a coal-box on sidewalk, near the curb, in front of premises No. 414 West Forty-first street ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 318) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Beyer to place and keep a barber-pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 612 Ninth avenue, provided such pole shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 319) of resolution, as follows, was then read :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Jacob Bopp to place and keep a barber-pole near the curb, in front of premises No. 692 Eighth avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.



Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 320) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to McPartland & O'Flaherty to exhibit goods on sidewalk, near the curb, in front of premises No. 629 Eighth avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 322) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid across Hudson street, opposite No. 313, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be charged to the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading."

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 324) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick H. Otten to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 435 West Forty-fifth street, provided such box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed five feet long by three wide ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 325) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Kreek to place and keep a barber-pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 362 West Forty-third street, provided such pole shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 326) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick Flynn to place and keep a post, surmounted by a key, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 902 Eighth avenue, provided such post shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 327) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Benedetto Morello to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 35 White street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 328) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Bertolomeo Ferugiaro to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 60 Park place, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 329) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. Federoll to exhibit goods on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 372 Seventh avenue ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 330) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Hemmer to retain a barber-pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 764 Eighth avenue, provided such pole shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 331) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Bernard Mooney to retain a wire sign across the sidewalk, to the curb, in front of his premises, No. 733 Third avenue, the sign to be thirteen feet over the sidewalk, the work 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.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 332) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Kaufmann & Co. to retain a post and sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 107 Duane street, provided such post and sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The Board then, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, were severally adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows :  
Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Brown, Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hartman, Kenney, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Rothman, and Walsh—20.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 321) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That the carriage-way of Ninety-first street, from Avenue A to Third avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

And was not reconsidered as required by section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

Veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 323) of resolution, as follows, was then read :  
Resolved, That One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Twelfth avenue to the North river, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

And not reconsidered as required by section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Walsh—

Resolved, That Jeremiah Cronin be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Cleary called up G. O. 309, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :  
Resolved, That Courtland avenue, from One Hundred and Sixty-first to One Hundred and Sixty-third street, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Brown, Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hartman, Kenney, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Rothman, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—21.

Alderman Cleary called up G. O. 388, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows :  
Resolved, That a crosswalk be laid across Forty-second street, in front of No. 148 West Forty-second street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading" ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Brown, Cleary, Cowie, De Lacy, Finck, Hartman, Kenney, Masterson, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McGinnis, McQuade, Oakley, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Rothman, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—21.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Morgan moved that the Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Friday, the 18th instant, at one o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending September 12, 1885.

No meeting held this week.

Cash to the amount of \$985.06 was deposited with the City Chamberlain.

Pay-rolls amounting to \$25,507.63 were approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

### ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the Week ending September 12, 1885.

#### Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
					Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
SEPTEMBER.								
Sunday, 6	30.038	30.114	30.076	30.043	30.078	12 P. M.	29.964	0 A. M.
Monday, 7	30.098	30.058	30.086	30.081	30.100	9 A. M.	30.040	4 P. M.
Tuesday, 8	30.084	29.998	29.880	29.987	30.084	7 A. M.	29.774	12 P. M.
Wednesday, 9	29.638	29.578	29.612	29.609	29.774	0 A. M.	29.578	2 P. M.
Thursday, 10	29.780	29.918	30.018	29.905	30.072	12 P. M.	29.678	0 A. M.
Friday, 11	30.110	30.100	30.100	30.103	30.132	10 A. M.	30.072	0 A. M.
Saturday, 12	30.106	30.092	30.086	30.095	30.122	9 A. M.	30.050	12 P. M.

Mean for the week ..... 29.974 inches.  
Maximum " at 10 A. M., 11th..... 30.132 "  
Minimum " at 2 P. M., 9th..... 29.578 "  
Range " ..... .554 "

#### Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
SEPTEMBER.									
Sunday, 6	56	52	66	57	60	55	3	59	6 P. M. 50
Monday, 7	56	54	66	59	62	57	3	60	4 P. M. 54
Tuesday, 8	58	56	71	62	66	64	5	65	12 P. M. 56
Wednesday, 9	71	69	80	73	72	65	74	5	66
Thursday, 10	60	58	57	54	57	54	58	0	62
Friday, 11	51	47	64	56	60	57	58	3	64
Saturday, 12	59	55	70	63	64	61	64	3	70

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.  
Mean for the week..... 63.1 degrees ..... 58.6 degrees.  
Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 9th..... 81. " at 5 P. M., 9th..... 74. "  
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 11th..... 49. " at 6 A. M., 11th..... 45. "  
Range " ..... 32. " ..... 29. "

#### Wind.

DATE.	DIRECTION.	VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.			
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time.
SEPTEMBER.									
Sunday, 6....	NW	WNW	WNW	29	42	22	93	0	3.20 P. M.
Monday, 7....	N	ENE	SE	10	15	29	54	0	4.50 P. M.
Tuesday, 8....	NW	SSE	SSE	5	40	62	107	0	10 P. M.
Wednesday, 9....	SW	WSW	WNW	88	76	57	221	1/4	10.50 A. M.
Thursday, 10....	N	NE	NE	33	55	41	130	0	10.30 A. M.
Friday, 11....	NNE	E	SSE	42	55	17	114	0	8.50 A. M.
Saturday, 12....	NW	SW	SSW	6	29	45	80	0	4.40 P. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 799 miles.  
Maximum force " " ..... 5 1/4 pounds.

DATE.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.				
	FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.				
SEPTEMBER.											
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
Sunday, 6	.335	.346	.426	74	54	82	2 Cir. Cu.	3 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....
Monday, 7	.391	.407	.460	87	63	83	10	7 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....
Tuesday, 8	.422	.436	.569	87	57	89	0	6 Cir. Cu.	10	6.45 P. M.	12 P. M.
Wednesday, 9	.682	.717	.524	90	70	67	10	1 Cu. S.	0	0 A. M.	4.10 A. M.
Thursday, 10	.456	.378	.378	88	81	81	10	10	10	.....	.....
Friday, 11	.270	.343	.426	72	57	82	9 Cir.	4 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....
Saturday, 12	.380	.482	.497	76	66	83	0	6 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....

Total amount of water for the week..... .26 inch.  
Duration for the week..... 9 hours, 25 minutes.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, AUGUST 17 TO 22, 1885.

## Communications Received.

From Penitentiary. List of prisoners received during week ending August 15, 1885, males, 42; females, 9. On file.

List of 37 prisoners to be discharged from August 23 to 29, 1885. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island. History of 13 patients received during week ending August 15, 1885. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. History of 3 patients received during week ending August 15, 1885. On file.

From City Prison. Amount of fines received during week ending August 15, 1885, \$295. On file.

## Contracts Awarded.

Rowland A. Robbins, 4,000 yards cassimere, at 48 47-100 cents per yard. Sureties, W. H. Barron, No. 329 West Twenty-second street; F. B. Thurber, No. 49 West Twenty-fifth street.

Thurber, Whyland & Co., 10,000 pounds hominy, at \$1.73 per 100 pounds; 20,000 pounds rice, at \$5.22 per 100 pounds. Sureties, W. H. Barron, No. 329 West Twenty-second street; John Early, No. 324 West Twenty-ninth street.

S. T. Willets & Co., 7,500 pounds dairy butter, at 13 12-100 cents per pound; 2,000 pounds macaroni, at 6 85-100 cents per pound; 10 barrels sal soda, at 1 11-100 cents per pound. Sureties, George E. Maltby, No. 41 Harrison street; H. Henneberger, No. 317 Washington street.

## Appointments.

August 17. Teresa E. Ring, Nellie Houlihan, Attendants, Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$192 per annum each.

" 17. Rebecca Daly, Nurse, Homeopathic Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 17. Julia O'Connor, Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$192 per annum.

August 18. Samuel Nash, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.

" 18. Peter Greenan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.

" 20. Edward McEvoy, Pilot, Steam Launch. Salary, \$600 per annum.

" 20. John Thomas, John Trizelle, John A. T. Bailey, Laborers, Store-house. Salary, \$60 per annum each.

## Resignations.

August 17. John J. Quinn, Albert Kelly, John Kane, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

" 20. Joseph Bowers, Attendant, Randall's Island Hospital, Edward Kirtland, Guard, Branch Work House.

" 20. Edmund Denihan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

## Relieved from Duty.

August 17. Ebenezer H. Vail, Daniel Lehane, Charles H. Wilson, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

## Position Declared Vacant

August 18. James Dore, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

## Compensation Increased.

August 19. John P. McGowan, Apothecary, Out-door Poor Dispensary, from \$120 to \$240 per annum.

" 19. N. Allen Overmiller, Apothecary, Randall's Island Hospital, from \$120 to \$240 per annum.

" 19. William Howard, Steam-fitter, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, from \$360 to \$480 per annum.

## Promoted.

August 22. Edith Haylard, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum to Nurse, Charity Hospital. Salary increased from \$216 to \$240 per annum.

## Reappointed.

August 19. George E. Simmons, Timothy F. O'Leary, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum each.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
Nos. 31 AND 32 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, September 2, 1885.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following report of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning for the week ending August 29, 1885:

Number of loads of ashes removed.....	12,654
" " rubbish removed.....	5,221
" " material received from Department Public Works.....	188
" " " " markets.....	166
" " " " permits.....	2,469
Total.....	20,698

Public moneys received and deposited in the City Treasury:

For trimming scows, street dirt, etc.....	\$255 60
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## Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning," for the year 1885:

Schedule No. 64—	
American District Telegraph Co., services.....	\$24 88
Cicarelli, Jos., unloading scows.....	576 00
Cicarelli, Jos., unloading scows.....	771 00
Dillon, Jas., hire of horses.....	562 50
Finn, John, painting.....	233 85
Finn, John, painting.....	65 20
Gilchrest & Tobey, supplies.....	44 87
Guilfoyle, Keran J., repairs, etc.....	90 00
Hayes, J. J., repairs, etc.....	772 33
Heipshausen Bros., repairs, etc.....	25 11
Huffman, Theo. B. & Bro., feed.....	646 85
Mutual District Messenger Co., services.....	13 72
Shewan, Jas., repairs.....	745 24
Short, W. G. & Co., supplies.....	7 27
The Croton Water Co., testing.....	13 00
The Eckford Iron Works, sheaves.....	16 50
The Metropolitan Telegraph and Telephone Co., services.....	26 20
	\$4,634 52

## Appointments.

Wm. Falvey, Driver.  
Ml. Moran, Driver.  
Patk. Henry, Driver.

Andrew Warner, Driver.  
Timothy O'Keefe, Special Inspector.  
Patrick Meagher, Driver.

## Dropped from Roll.

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## 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.

Resolved, That, in consideration of the extreme heat of the weather, and the fact that very little, if any business is transacted in the public offices after 12 o'clock M. on Saturdays, during the summer season, the various public offices of the city, except those specially by law required to be kept open, be closed at noon every Saturday during the months of June, July and August, 1885.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 20, 1885. Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 30, 1885, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk Common Council.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; RICHARD J. MORRISON, Secretary; WILLIAM L. TURNER, 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.

## Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY WOOD, Registrar.

## 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. McCULLOUGH, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer.

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ADOLPH L. SANGER, 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; DAVID LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

## Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

## Bureau of Water Register.

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

## Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

## Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEVENSON TOWLE, 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. BACOCK, Superintendent.

## Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

## Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## Comptroller's Office.

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

## Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
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.  
ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

## Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

## Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.  
GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

## Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

## Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.  
MOOR FALLS, 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.  
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

## Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

## 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.  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, 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. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

## Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'ORCH, Inspector 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 SHERA, Foreman-in-Charge.  
Open at all hours.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALEXANDER SHAHER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN D. CRIMMINS, 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.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH KOCH, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.  
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from September 15 to June 15, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 15 to September 15, 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 COMBERFORD, 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; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.  
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Advisory Board; CHARLES H. WOODMAN, Secretary and Executive Officer.

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.  
THE MAYOR, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; JOHN K. PERLEY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALEXANDER V. DAVIDSON, Sheriff; ARON ARONS, Under Sheriff; DAVID MCGONIGAL, 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.  
PATRICK KERNAN, County Clerk; EDWARD SELLECK, 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, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10 1/2 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
 General Term, Room No. 9.  
 Special Term, Room No. 10.  
 Chambers, Room No. 11.  
 Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.  
 Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.  
 Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.  
 Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.  
 NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

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, to 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 Justice; 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.  
 CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.  
 FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court. Terms, first Monday each month.  
 JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.  
 General Term, Room No. 20.  
 Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.  
 Part II., Room No. 19.  
 Part III., Room No. 15.  
 Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 DAVID MCADAM, Chief Justice; JOHN REID, Clerk.

OYER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 13. Court opens at 10 1/2 o'clock A. M.  
 Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturday.  
 Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.  
 MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.  
 Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.  
 Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted), from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.  
 Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.  
 ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.  
 Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.  
 JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.  
 Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighteenth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.  
 WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.  
 Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays), and continues to the close of business.  
 AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.  
 Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues to close of business.  
 FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.  
 Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.  
 HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.  
 Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9 1/2 A. M.  
 Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.  
 Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.  
 JAMES R. ANGELL, Justice.  
 Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue; Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of Sixth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 LEO C. DESSAR, Justice.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, September 15, 1885, at 4 o'clock P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN, Secretary.

Dated New York, September 8, 1885.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

NEW YORK, September 10, 1885.

TO CONTRACTORS AND BIDDERS ON FIFTH AVENUE REPAVING WORK.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, THAT A MEETING of the Board appointed under chapter 371, Laws of 1885, to consider such proposals, plans and specifications which may be before them for

REPAVING FIFTH AVENUE, FROM NINTH STREET TO THE NORTHERLY LINE OF NINETIETH STREET, EXCEPT THE FIVE BLOCKS FROM THE NORTH SIDE OF THIRTY-SECOND STREET TO THE SOUTH SIDE OF THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET,

will meet at the Mayor's office, on Thursday, September 17, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M.

By advice of the Counsel to the Corporation, the Board will decline to consider the proposal of any bidder who has withdrawn his deposit of twenty-five thousand dollars.

By order of the Board.

JOHN S. ROUTH, Secretary.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, New York, May 23, 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 June 1, 1885, contrary to such ordinance, will be seized and disposed of as provided there in.

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 June next.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING A COMPLETE SYSTEM FOR STEAM-HEATING AND VENTILATING THE TEN-DAY HOUSE AND THE WOMEN'S BUILDING OF THE CITY PRISON, "TOMBS."

THE SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR which are at this office—will be received at No. 66 Third avenue, the Central office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, September 26, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Furnishing a Complete System for Steam-heating and Ventilating the Ten-day House and the Women's Building of the City Prison, 'Tombs,'" for which there is one separate set of specifications and the work for which is to be let in one contract, 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 bids or estimates received will be publicly opened and read.

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

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or 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.

The person or persons to whom a contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) 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 any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, 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 27 of

chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons 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 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 BOND required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the lowest formal estimate be accepted by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, due notice of the fact will be given forthwith upon the receipt of the Comptroller's approval of the sureties, presented by the bidder as consenting to be bound for the faithful execution of this contract if awarded. Thereupon, if the Board shall not deem it for the best interests to reject all the proposals, the contract for this aforesaid work and materials shall be awarded to this lowest bidder, who shall execute the contract and bond of even date therewith, within five days after the award aforesaid. If the party or parties to whom said contract is awarded neglect or refuse to execute the same, the said contract shall be regarded as having been abandoned, the party or parties notified as in default to the Corporation of the City of New York, and the work and materials will be re-advertised as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contracts, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, AND ARE PARTICULARLY CAUTIONED TO EXAMINE WITH CARE THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 5 OF THE PRINTED CONTRACT FORM.

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, September 15, 1885.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING OLD BOILERS FROM RETREAT BUILDING, SETTING SAME IN NEW BOILER-HOUSE AT RETREAT, EMBRACING ALL PIPE AND CONNECTIONS, TOGETHER WITH NEW THIRD BOILER FOR NEW BOILER-HOUSE AT RETREAT BUILDING, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

THE SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR which are at this office—will be received at No. 66 Third avenue, the Central office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, September 26, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for REMOVING OLD BOILERS ETC., AT RETREAT, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND," for which there is one separate set of specifications and the work for which is to be let in one contract, 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 bids or estimates received will be publicly opened and read.

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

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or 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.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety 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 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accom-

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

Should the lowest formal estimate be accepted by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, due notice of the fact will be given forthwith upon the receipt of the Comptroller's approval of the sureties, presented by the bidder as consenting to be bound for the faithful execution of this contract if awarded. Thereupon, if the Board shall not deem it for the best interests to reject all the proposals, the contract for this aforesaid work and materials shall be awarded to this lowest bidder, who shall execute the contract and bond of even date therewith in due form, to the satisfaction of said Board, within five days after the award aforesaid. If the party or parties to whom said contract is awarded neglect or refuse to execute the same as aforesaid, and the BOND accompanying the same, the said contract shall be regarded as having been abandoned, the party or parties notified as in default to the Corporation of the City of New York, and the work and materials will be re-advertised as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, AND ARE PARTICULARLY CAUTIONED TO EXAMINE WITH CARE THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 5 OF THE PRINTED CONTRACT FORM.

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, September 15, 1885.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FELTS BOILERS.

THE SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR which are at this office—will be received at No. 66 Third avenue, the Central office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, September 26, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for FELTS BOILERS," for which there is one separate set of specifications and the work for which is to be let in one contract, 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 bids or estimates received will be publicly opened and read.

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

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or 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.

The person or persons to whom a contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) 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 any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety 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 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons 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 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 BOND required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the



amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the lowest formal estimate be accepted by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, due notice of the fact will be given forthwith upon the receipt of the Comptroller's approval of the sureties, presented by the bidder as consenting to be bound for the faithful execution of this contract if awarded. Thereupon, if the Board shall not deem it for the best interests to reject all the proposals, the contract for this aforesaid work and materials shall be awarded to this lowest bidder, who shall execute the contract and bond of even date therewith in due form, to the satisfaction of said Board, within five days after the award aforesaid. If the party or parties to whom said contract is awarded neglect or refuse to execute the same as aforesaid, and the Board accompanying the same, the said contract shall be regarded as having been abandoned, the party or parties notified as in default to the Corporation of the City of New York, and the work and materials will be re-advertised as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contracts, as the Commissioners may determine.

*Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, AND ARE PARTICULARLY CAUTIONED TO EXAMINE WITH CARE THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 5 OF THE PRINTED CONTRACT FORM.*

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, September 15, 1885.

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

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS TO CARPENTER AND JOINER WORK OF STEAMBOAT "MINNAHANONCK."

THE SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR which are at this office—will be received at No. 66 Third Avenue, the Central office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, September 26, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for REPAIRS TO CARPENTER AND JOINER WORK OF STEAMBOAT 'MINNAHANONCK,'" for which there is one separate set of specifications and the work for which is to be let in one contract, 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 bids or estimates received will be publicly opened and read.

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The person or persons to whom a contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) 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 any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons 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.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS TO ENGINE AND BOILERS OF STEAMBOAT "MINNAHANONCK."

THE SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR which are at this office—will be received at No. 66 Third Avenue, the Central office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Saturday, September 26, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for REPAIRS TO ENGINE AND BOILERS OF STEAMBOAT 'MINNAHANONCK,'" for which there is one separate set of specifications and the work for which is to be let in one contract, 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 bids or estimates received will be publicly opened and read.

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

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

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

The person or persons to whom a contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) 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 any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons 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 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 BOND required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the lowest formal estimate be accepted by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, due notice of the fact will be given forthwith upon the receipt of the Comptroller's approval of the sureties, presented by the bidder as consenting to be bound for the faithful execution of this contract if awarded. Thereupon, if the Board shall not deem it for the best interests to reject all the proposals, the contract for this aforesaid work and materials shall be awarded to this lowest bidder, who shall execute the contract and bond of even date therewith in due form, to the satisfaction of said Board, within five days after the award aforesaid. If the party or parties to whom said contract is awarded neglect or refuse to execute the same as aforesaid, and the Board accompanying the same, the said contract shall be regarded as having been abandoned, the party or parties notified as in default to the Corporation of the City of New York, and the work and materials will be re-advertised as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, as the Commissioners may determine.

*Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, AND ARE PARTICULARLY CAUTIONED TO EXAMINE WITH CARE THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 5 OF THE PRINTED CONTRACT FORM.*

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, September 15, 1885.

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

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, TIN, LIME, LUMBER, PAINTS, ETC.

#### SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

##### GROCERIES.

- 5,000 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition Thursday, September 24, 1885.
- 8,000 pounds Barley, price to include packages.
- 200 pounds Farina (one-pound papers).
- 10,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.
- 30,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
- 500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.
- 50 barrels Crackers.
- 4,000 gallons Syrup.
- 50 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.
- 50 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
- 50 prime quality City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.
- 100 bags Coarse Meal (two pounds each).
- 300 bales long, bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds each and weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
- 2,900 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
- 75 barrels prime quality Charcoal (3 bushels each).

##### DRY GOODS.

- 3,000 yards Canton Flannel.
- 700 yards Red Flannel.
- 300 yards White Flannel.
- 300 yards Blue Flannel.
- 2,000 yards Furniture Chalk.
- 15,000 yards Brown Muslin.
- 3,000 yards Ticking.
- 10,000 yards Dark Calico.
- 3,000 yards Cottonades.
- 3,000 yards Crash Toweling.
- 700 yards Huckabuck Toweling.
- 150 pounds Linen Thread, black, No. 40.
- 250 Rubber Blankets.
- 10 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces to the pound.
- 50 dozen Spool Cotton, white, No. 30.
- 2 gross Spectacles.
- 10 gross Women's Thimbles, Nos. 8 to 11.
- 20 dozen Hair Brushes.

##### TIN.

- 500 pounds best quality Block Tin.
- 6 boxes best quality Charcoal Roofing Tin, 1X, 14 x 20.
- 3 boxes best quality Bright Tin, 1XX, 14 x 20.

##### PAINTS AND OILS.

- 500 pounds prime quality Red Lead, dry, 8 50s, 4 25s.
- 5 barrels prime quality Boiled Linseed Oil.
- 5 barrels prime quality Raw Linseed Oil.

##### LIME, ETC.

- 25 barrels best quality Common Lime.
- 25 barrels best quality Whitewash Lime.
- 25 barrels best quality Chloride of Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. of chloride.

##### LUMBER.

- 5,000 feet first quality Clear White Pine, dressed one side, 1 1/4 inch, 12 to 16 inches wide, 12 to 16 feet long.
- 10,000 feet first quality Clear Shelving, 12 to 16 inches wide, 12 to 16 feet long.
- 1,000 best Merchantable Worked White Pine Boards, 1 x 10 inches by 13 feet.
- 8,000 square feet prime quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 2 1/2 x 1 1/2 inches, dressed both sides.
- 10,000 lineal feet prime quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 3 1/2 to 4 inches wide by 1 1/4 thick, same milling.
- 6 prime quality Chestnut Sleepers, 4" x 6" by 10 ft.
- 6 " " " " 4" x 6" by 7 ft.
- 17 " " " " 4" x 6" by 12 ft.
- 10 " " " " 4" x 6" by 13 ft.
- 2 pieces prime quality Spruce, 3" x 12" by 20 ft.
- 3 pieces " " " 2" x 12" by 16 ft.
- 20 pieces " " " 3" x 10" by 16 ft.
- 60 prime quality Pine Roofing Plank, 1 1/2" x 9 1/2" by 13 ft.
- 240 prime quality Pine Boards, tongued and grooved, dressed one side, 3/4" x 9 1/2" by 12 to 13 ft.
- 650 square feet Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, prime quality, 1 1/2" x 3 1/2".
- 2 pieces prime quality Spruce, 3" x 9" by 22 ft.
- 2 pieces " " " 4" x 4" by 22 ft.
- 18 pieces " " " 3" x 9" by 18 ft.
- 15 pieces " " " 3" x 8" by 18 ft.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, September 25, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Tin, Lime and Lumber," 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.

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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.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the

same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; 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 any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as 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 Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Bidders will state the prices for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, September 14, 1885.

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

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING and delivering free of all expense at the Bakehouse dock, Blackwell's Island (east side), 4,000 barrels extra Wheat Flour, in lots of 500 to 1,000 barrels, one-half of each quality, as follows:

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1.

2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2. —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, September 25, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Flour," 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 bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, and read.

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the Committee on Flour of the Exchange that the flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and which certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor, also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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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.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the ESTIMATED amount of the contract.



Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, the names of all persons interested with him or them therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; 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 any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety 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 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 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.

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

Bidders will state the prices for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, September 14, 1885.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,  
HENRY H. PORTER,  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS,  
Commissioners of the Department of  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, September 8, 1885.

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 7 Roosevelt street—Unknown man; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair and beard; blue eyes. Had on dark sack coat, dark pants, blue check jumper, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white Canton flannel drawers, purple socks, gaiters, leather belt, white straw hat.

Unknown man from off Borge Office; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; sandy hair, mixed with gray; sandy moustache and beard. Had on brown check sack coat, vest and pants, white shirt, with letters H. W. on band, white undershirt and drawers, blue barred socks, no shoes.

Unknown man from Bellevue Hospital; fell from Elevated Station, corner First Avenue and Nineteenth street; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; sandy hair and moustache. Had on brown mixed sack coat, dark pants, calico barred shirt, laced shoes, brown mixed socks.

Unknown man from One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Boulevard; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair; brown eyes. Had on brown and gray mixed coat, vest and pants, white shirt, black derby hat, boots.

Unknown man from foot of Seventh street, East river; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair, mixed with gray; iron-gray moustache. Had on black diagonal coat, dark cheviot vest and pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white muslin drawers, white cotton socks, boots.

Unknown man, from foot of Twenty-sixth street, North river; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair and moustache. Had on black diagonal vest, two pairs dark pants, brown barred calico shirt, white knit undershirt, white cotton socks, boots, belt around waist.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Francis Campbell; aged 70 years. Committed July 8, 1885, for 3 months.

Daniel O'Connell; aged 52 years. Committed August 24, 1885, for 3 months.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Louisa Spencer; aged 23 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Edward McGurin; aged 55 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; brown eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted, blue overcoat, brown mixed frock coat, gray pants, laced shoes, black derby hat.

At Randall's Island Hospital—Daniel King; aged 47 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray hair and eyes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,  
G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
September 9, 1885.

PROPERTY-OWNERS INTERESTED IN THE proposed adoption, by the Department of Public Parks, of the streets and places heretofore laid out on the so-called "Jumel property" north of One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street in the Twelfth Ward by the owners of said property are requested to call at the office of the Department, 36 Union Square, within ten days from date and examine the map showing such streets and places and state, in writing, any objection they may have to its adoption.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,  
CHARLES DE F. BURNS,  
Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
36 UNION SQUARE,  
September 9, 1885.

PROPERTY-OWNERS INTERESTED IN THE opening of East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, from Webster Avenue to Jerome Avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, are requested to call at the office of the Department of Public Parks, No. 36 Union Square, within ten days from date, and examine the grade and monument map, plan, and profile, showing said street as proposed to be laid out and established by said Department, and make known any objections they may have thereto before final action is taken in the matter.

By order of the Department of Public Parks,  
CHARLES DE F. BURNS,  
Secretary.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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

## 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, 1885.

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 jurors, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are 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 18th day of September, 1885.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Coal," and with his or her 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.

Each 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 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, 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 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, September 5, 1885.  
POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET.

### TO CONTRACTORS. PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with Stationery and Printing for election purposes will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Friday, the 18th day of September, 1885.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Stationery and Printing," and with his or her 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 and kind of stationery and printing 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 for the work and material furnished in accordance with 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 stationery and printing is to be put up in boxes and delivered at such times and places and in such quantities in each place, as shall be directed by the Chief of the Bureau of Elections.

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.

Each 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 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, 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

ing 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.

Samples of stationery and printing required may be examined and blank forms of 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, September 5, 1885.  
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.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CORPORATION SALE OF THE IRON BELL-TOWER, No. 253 SPRING STREET.

THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW York will sell at Public Auction on Saturday, September 19, 1885, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Comptroller's office, Stewart Building, corner Broadway and Chambers street, the

IRON BELL-TOWER, located in rear of the quarters of Engine Company No. 30, at No. 253 Spring street, consisting of 66 cast-iron Columns, 11 feet 7 inches high, 9 inches diameter,  
102 cast-iron Steps,  
7 sets cast-iron Girders,  
7,500 pounds (about) Wrought Iron, Anchor Rods, etc.  
35 cubic yards (about) Stone Foundation.

TERMS OF SALE.  
All the material of the Bell-Tower will be sold in one lot for cash, to be paid at the time and place of sale. The purchaser must remove the whole, including the foundation, within ten days from the date of the sale, and leave the premises free from all the material, and the ground on which the tower stands to be leveled and graded, subject to the approval of the Engineer of the Finance Department.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, September 8, 1885.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
August 31, 1885.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment list for the opening of—

One Hundred and Fortieth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, August 11, 1885, and entered on the 24th day of August, 1885, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before November 4, 1885, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

### NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF YORK.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives Public Notice that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said city for unpaid assessments laid and confirmed during the year 1879 and prior thereto, for local improvements, which sale was advertised to be held at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, November 24, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, and which was postponed until Monday, May 25, 1885, has been and is again postponed until Wednesday, November 25, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room 31, Stewart Building.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.  
CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 22, 1885.



## REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00  
The same in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 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.

**NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID TAXES AND CROTON WATER RENTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.**

**PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW YORK City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said city for unpaid taxes levied in the year 1880, and Croton water rents for the year 1879, and now remaining due and unpaid, which sale was advertised to be held at the County Court-house in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, December 22, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, and was postponed until Monday, May 11, 1885, has been and is hereby again postponed until Wednesday, November 11, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.**

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room 31, Stewart Building.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 9, 1885.

## 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 assessment has been completed, and is lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:**

List 1860, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging Sixty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated—  
No. 1. Both sides of Sixty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 October ensuing.

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, September 9, 1885.

**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 assessment has been completed, and is lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:**

List 1870, No. 1. Sewers in One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues; in One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, between Mount Morris and Sixth avenues, and in Mount Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated—  
No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; both sides of Mount Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street, and both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, from Mount Morris to Sixth avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 2d day of October ensuing.

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, September 1, 1885.

**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 assessment has been completed, and is lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:**

List 1877, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb stones and flagging Ninth avenue, from Eighty-first to One Hundred and Tenth street.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated—  
Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Eighty-first to One Hundred and Tenth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 28th day of September ensuing.

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, August 25, 1885.

**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 assessment has been completed, and is lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:**

List 1816, No. 1. Sewer in Ninth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-second and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Ninth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—  
No. 1. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Ninth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas; and west side of Public Drive, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 22d day of September, ensuing.

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, August 20, 1885.

**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 assessment has been completed, and is lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:**

List 1726, No. 1. Sewer in Ninth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-eighth, and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, connecting with present sewer in Avenue St. Nicholas.

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

No. 1. East side of Ninth avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-eighth to One Hundred and Fifty-second street, also property bounded by One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, Avenue St. Nicholas and Ninth avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 21st day of September, ensuing.

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, August 19, 1885.

**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 assessment has been completed, and is lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:**

List 1650, No. 1. Sewer in the Boulevard, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between the Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Boulevard to Tenth avenue, and east side of Boulevard from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the centre line of the block, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, also Trinity Cemetery, west of Boulevard.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 19th day of September, ensuing.

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, August 18, 1885.

## NEW AQUEDUCT.

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## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IT is the intention of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.**

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 24th day of October, 1885, at 12 o'clock noon.

The object of such application is to obtain an order of court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, as commissioners of appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid, is located in the County of New York, south of Harlem river, and is laid out and indicated on two similar or duplicate maps filed, one in the Register's office in the City and County of New York, on the 28th day of August, 1885, the other in the Register's office in the village of White Plains and County of Westchester, on the same day, and each bearing the following certificate:

We, the Commissioners, appointed to carry out the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps prepared in accordance with the requirements of section 4 of said act, and do further certify that the same has been adopted by us in the manner prescribed in such section, this 17th day of June, 1885.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor,  
EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller,  
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,  
Commissioner of Public Works,  
WM. DOWD,  
C. C. BALDWIN.

Of the real estate so proposed to be taken or affected certain parcels are required, as

## SHAFT SITES AND APPURTENANCES AND DUMPING-GROUNDS.

for the purpose of constructing and maintaining said Aqueduct.

The boundaries of said parcels are as follows, the said parcels being colored on said maps in pink:

All those parcels of land forming parts of Farms Nos. 56 and 59, contained within the boundaries described as follows: Beginning at a point in the westerly line of the proposed street known as Exterior street, at the intersection of said westerly line with the northerly line of the lands owned by the City of New York, and known as Hige Bridge Park; and running thence (1) along said westerly line of Exterior street north 24° 54' 24" east 353.87 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 178; thence (2) northerly still along said westerly line of Exterior street upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 2,700 feet 506.12 feet to a point on Farm No. 59; thence (3) still along said westerly line of Exterior street north 35° 32' 30" east 453 feet; thence (4) north 56° 30' west 652.73 feet to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (5) north 38° 19' east along said easterly line of Tenth avenue 100.36 feet; thence (6) south 56° 30' east 707.91 feet to a point distant at a right angle 40 feet easterly of the United States bulkhead line; thence (7) south 35° 32' 30" west 556.36 feet; thence (8) southerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 2,640 feet 499.15 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 178; thence (9) south 24° 54' 24" west, and parallel to the said United States bulkhead line 345.13 feet to the aforesaid northerly line of Hige Bridge Park; thence (10) along said northerly line south 73° 53' 45" east 60.64 feet to the place of beginning, comprising within said boundaries parts of lots Ward Nos. 177, 178, 179, 180 and 181 of Farm No. 56, and part of Farm No. 59, containing 3.3617 acres, more or less; and numbered on said property map Parcel 1 to 6 inclusive.

All those three parcels of land known as Ward Nos. 195, 196 and 197 of Farm No. 55, containing 8.426 square feet; and numbered respectively on said property map Parcels 8, 9, and 10.

All that parcel of land known as Ward No. 4 of Farm No. 54 containing 2,034 square feet, and numbered on said property map Parcel 11.

All those four parcels of land known as Ward Nos. 61, 62, 63 and 64 of Farm No. 1, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered respectively on said property map Parcels 12, 13, 14 and 15.

All that piece or parcel of land which is bounded and described as follows, viz. Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, projected easterly, which point is the intersection of said projected line and the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along the said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 743.98 feet to the westerly line of St. Nicholas Avenue; thence (2) southerly along the westerly line of St. Nicholas Avenue, 61.35 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected easterly; thence (3) westerly along the said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 756.83 feet to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (4) northerly along the easterly line of Tenth avenue 60 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1.0336 acres; and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 44.

All that piece or parcel of land which is bounded and described as follows, viz. Beginning at a point in the northerly line of property owned by the Convent of the Sacred Heart, which point is the intersection of said line and the proposed westerly line of Convent avenue, and running thence (1) S. 34° 34' 43" E. along said northerly line 78.48 feet to the proposed easterly line of Convent avenue; thence (2) northerly along the proposed easterly line of Convent avenue 386.48 feet; thence (3) N. 34° 34' 43" W. 78.48 feet to the proposed westerly line of Convent avenue; thence (4) southerly along the proposed westerly line of Convent avenue 386.48 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1.0962 acres, and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 70.

Of the real estate so proposed to be taken or affected certain parcels are required as

The boundaries and descriptions of the sites of the several tunnels which it is proposed to construct are as follows, being colored on said maps in blue.

All that piece or parcel of land under the water of the Harlem river, between the westerly boundary of lands now owned or occupied by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company on the east and a line parallel to the United States bulkhead line on the westerly side of the Harlem river and 40 feet westerly therefrom, which is bounded and described as follows, viz. Beginning at a point in the westerly line of land owned or occupied by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, distant along said line 50 feet and ½ inch southerly from its intersection with the centre line of the proposed New Aqueduct, and running thence (1) N. 56° 30' W. 563.79 feet; thence (2) N. 35° 32' 30" E. 100.06 feet; thence (3) S. 56° 30' E. 556.43 feet to the westerly line of the aforesaid New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company's lands; thence (4) along said westerly line S. 31° 21' W. 100.08 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 1.2858 acres; and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 7.

All that part of Block No. 1078 described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Tenth avenue with the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, and running thence (1) southerly along said easterly line of Tenth avenue 45.80 feet; thence (2) southerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 375 feet 69.354 feet to the easterly line of the Old Croton Aqueduct lands; thence (3) southwesterly along said Old Croton Aqueduct lands 2.84 feet; thence (4) southeasterly along the dividing line between lots Ward Nos. 4 and 67 of said block 2.8 feet; thence (5) southerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 375 feet 137.23 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 7; thence (6) southerly reversing upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 225 feet 59.33 feet to a point on the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, which is distant on said line 214.84 feet easterly of the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (7) easterly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street 81.50 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 12; thence (8) northerly upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 375 feet 137 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 8; thence (9) northerly reversing upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 325 feet 94.71 feet to the westerly line of lot Ward No. 63; thence (10) northerly 4.02 feet along said westerly line of said lot Ward No. 63, to the southerly line of lot Ward No. 66; thence (11) westerly 4.91 feet along said southerly line of said lot Ward No. 66; thence (12) northerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 325 feet 100.02 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street; thence (13) westerly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street 29.23 feet to the place of beginning, comprising part of lots Ward Nos. 64, 66, 67, 63, 62, 4, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of said Block No. 1078, containing 13.181 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels 16 to 29, inclusive.

All that part of Block No. 1077 which is described as follows: Beginning at a point upon the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street upon lot Ward No. 53 and distant 285 feet and ¼ inch easterly of the easterly line of Tenth avenue; and running thence (1) southerly upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 325 feet 219.36 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street at a point upon lot Ward No. 15 and distant on said line 365.54 feet from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (2) easterly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street 50.04 feet; thence (3) northerly upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 375 feet 211.06 feet to a point on the division line between lots Ward Nos. 50 and 51; thence (4) northerly along said division line 2.23 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence (5) westerly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street 64.98 feet to the place of beginning, comprising part of lots Ward Nos. 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of said Block No. 1077, containing 10.578 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 30 to 37, inclusive.

All that part of Block No. 1076, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street upon lot Ward No. 49 of said block, and distant 365 feet 10¼ inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running

thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of the lot Ward No. 49, all of lot Ward No. 48, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 47 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 38, 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43.

All that part of Block No. 1075, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected upon lot Ward No. 49 of said block and distant 365 feet 10¼ inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of the lot Ward No. 49, all of lot Ward No. 48, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 47 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 45, 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50.

All that parcel of land bounded and described as follows, viz. Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, distant 365 feet 10¼ inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and at right angles to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 60 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence (3) westerly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and at right angles to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 60 feet to the place of beginning, containing 3,000 square feet; and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 51.

All that part of Block No. 1074, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street on lot Ward No. 50 of said block, and distant 365 feet 10¼ inches from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of lot Ward No. 50, all of lot Ward No. 49, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 48 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57.

All that part of Block No. 1073, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street on lot Ward No. 50 of said block, and distant 365 feet 10¼ inches from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of lot Ward No. 50, all of lot Ward No. 49, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 48 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 58, 59, 60, 61, 62 and 63.

All that part of Block No. 1072 which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street on lot Ward No. 50 of said Block and distant 365 feet, 10¼ inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of lot Ward No. 50, all of lot Ward No. 49, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 48 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 64, 65, 66, 67, 68 and 69.

The track or route of the said Aqueduct in tunnel from a point on the easterly bank of the Harlem river to a point in Convent avenue, near One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, in the City of New York, as shown upon said maps, is as follows:

Beginning upon the centre line of the survey of said Aqueduct route, as shown on said maps, at a point upon the westerly line of the lands now owned or occupied by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company upon the easterly bank of the Harlem river, about one-fourth of a mile northeasterly of the High Bridge, and distant upon said westerly line of said railroad lands 79.31 feet from the prolongation of the northerly line of a road or street from Sedgwick avenue to Commerce avenue; and running thence (1) along said centre line upon a course of north 56° 30' west across and under the Harlem river, and thence to a point in Tenth avenue 330 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and near the centre of said avenue, a distance of about 1,320 feet; thence (2) still upon said centre line, upon a course of south 38° 19' west along and parallel with Tenth avenue and 45 feet 7½ inches westerly of the easterly line of said avenue, a distance of about 7,103 feet to a point in said avenue 114.56 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street; thence (3) still along said centre line, upon a curve bending to the eastward, with a radius of 350 feet, to a point upon lot Ward No. 7, of Block No. 1078, and thence reversing upon a curve bending to the westward, with a radius of 350 feet, a distance of 830.78 feet to a point in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street distant 14.68 feet southerly from the northerly line of said street, and 390.87 feet easterly of the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (4) still along said centre line upon a course of south 38° 19' west to and through Convent avenue, parallel with and near its centre to a point in said avenue near its intersection with the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, a distance of 3,906 feet; the whole length upon said centre line of said aqueduct, as above described, being 13,160 feet, and its width throughout said distance being 25 feet on each side of said centre line, save and except in its passage across the Harlem river, and where a greater width is shown upon the said map at the several sites of the working shafts for the construction of the tunnel of the said aqueduct, and which sites are colored on said map in pink.

The enumeration of the numbers of the parcels to be taken in fee is as follows: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 44 and 70.

The enumeration of the numbers of the parcels in which an easement in perpetuity is to be acquired is as follows: Nos. 7, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68 and 69.

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