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APPROVED PAPERS.

Approved Papers for the week ending July 30, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Exchange Bath Company to lay a ten-inch iron pipe from the U. T. P. Exchange Building, at No. 8 Broadway, along the south-side of Battery place to the Hudson river, a distance of about one thousand six hundred feet, for the purpose of conveying salt water to be used on the premises for bath purposes; provided the said Exchange Bath Company shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage to any gas or water pipe or sewer, or from any other cause that may occur during the progress or subsequent to the laying of such pipe, that may be caused by the use of the privilege hereby given; the work to be done at the expense of the company, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 2, 1887.

Approved by the Mayor, July 26, 1887.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held July 21, 1887.

Present—Commissioners Stark, Matthews and Marshall.

The minutes of the meetings held July 14 and 18, 1887, were read and approved.

The following estimate was received for granite work and masonry on the boat-landing wall and about the approach to Pier "A," North river, advertised to be opened this day at 12 o'clock M. A representative of the Comptroller was present.

From Joseph Moore, with certified check for \$75 \$9,100 00

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller of the City the security deposit made by the said bidder and accompanying his estimate.

The following preamble and resolution was,

On motion, adopted:

Whereas, This Board deems it for the interests of the City to reject the bid received this day for granite work and masonry on the boat-landing wall and about the approach to Pier "A," North river; therefore

Resolved, That the bid received this day, namely, No. 1, from Joseph Moore, for \$9,100, be and hereby is rejected, and the Secretary be and hereby is directed to re-advertise in the papers designated by law, inviting estimates for doing said work.

The following communications were received, read and,

On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:

From James McClenahan—Requesting dredging in slip at south side of Pier foot of Thirtieth street, North river.

From O'Brien & Norman—Requesting use of dumping-board foot of Eightieth street, East river.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting that the repairs made to the east half of Pier 12, East river, are insufficient, and not in accordance with the order of the Board.

2d. Requesting the appointment of twelve additional Dock Builders. Referred to Executive Session.

3d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6771, in reference to the application of the Comptroller of the City for storage-room or space for the purpose of storing various articles belonging to the Bureau of Encumbrances on the bulkhead between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, East river.

4th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6782, respecting the application of R. H. Wolff & Co. for permission to build a crib-bulkhead between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets, Harlem river.

The following communications were received, read and,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit: From Department of Street Cleaning—Reporting that they have cleaned the bulkhead between Pier 54 and Corlears street, East river.

From Alfred C. Chapin, attorney Screw Dock Co.—Acknowledging receipt of communication respecting the purchase of Pier 39, East river, and the bulkhead adjoining.

From F. P. Eastman—Respecting possession of bulkhead foot of East Seventieth street, East river. Referred to the Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews.

From James A. Roberts, assignee Gardner & Co.—Stating that he has given strict orders that no more ashes be thrown into the river at the foot of Forty-ninth street, East river.

From Charles A. Silliman and James H. Butler—Respecting the damage to piles at Pier 59, East river.

From Hazlewood Ice Co.—Respecting watchman's house at Pier 55, East river. Referred to Commissioner Marshall.

From Benjamin Richardson—Requesting the Department to build a pier at One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Harlem river. The action of the Secretary, in stating that the Department have submitted to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund plans for the Harlem river improvement, was approved.

From Western Stock Yard Company—Requesting dredging at the north side of Pier foot of Fortieth street, North river.

From Robert S. Briggs—Requesting the use of Pier foot of West Seventeenth street, North river.

From Edward Sheehy—Requesting use of dumping-board foot of Eightieth street, East river.

From New York Steam Company—Requesting permission to erect coal pockets and make improvements between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets, East river, in accordance with plans and specifications submitted. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Consolidated Gas Company—Requesting permission to replace gas-pipe on Pier, new 46, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Health Department—Stating that the sand stored on the Pier at North Brother Island will be removed and transportation provided while repairs are being made to said pier.

From Edward Abeel, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting that bearing pile and half-round fender are required at the upper side of Pier 44, East river. The action of Commissioner Matthews in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and cause the work to be done if necessary, was approved.

2d. Reporting repairs required to fender piles on the upper side of Pier 43, East river, and on the lower side of the bulkhead near said pier. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report, was approved.

From Patrick J. Brady, Dock Master—Reporting holes on the inner end of Pier, new 59, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and repair if necessary, was approved.

From Joseph B. Erwin, Dock Master—Reporting that the Pier at Fifty-fifth street, North river, is in need of cleaning. The action of the President in requesting the Department of Street Cleaning to clean, was approved.

From Patrick Curley, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting repairs required to one of the iron bands on sliding door on Pier, new 43, North river.

2d. Recommending that cleat be replaced on the bulkhead between Piers, new 42 and 43, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and repair if necessary, was approved.

From John Simpson, Dock Master—Reporting holes in the bulkhead between Piers, old 26 and 27, North river. The action of the President in directing the alleged owner or owners to repair, under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, was approved.

From Anthony Hartman, Dock Master—In reference to and recommending that the permit issued to Henry Fisher, March 25, 1887, to erect derrick on the bulkhead between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, East river, be revoked, and that he be directed to remove it without delay.

On motion, the report was received, recommendation adopted, and the Secretary directed to notify Henry Fisher and the Dock Master of the action of the Board.

From John Simpson, Dock Master—Reporting that a fence has been erected around the bulkhead on the north side of Pier, old 34, North river, by Contractor Walsh without a permit. The action of the Secretary in requesting an explanation from T. and A. Walsh, was approved.

From Patrick J. Brady, Dock Master:

1st. That he had served notice on Michael Connelly and Edward Teague to vacate the dumping-board at Pier foot of West Thirty-seventh street, North river.

2d. In reference to the application of Joseph May for permission to place a float on the north side, inner end, of Pier foot of Thirty-fourth street, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty.

2d. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending July 16, 1887.

3d. Reporting that there is a small triangular wing shed or addition to a boat-house north of West One Hundred and Thirty-second street, North river, which comes over land under water owned by the City to be occupied by the crib work now under construction. The Secretary directed to notify A. M. Tieman to remove said structure at once, in order that the work of this Department may be proceeded with thereat.

4th. Enclosing map of certain property on East and Harlem rivers, in front of southerly half of the block between East One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets, and recommending that the Board request the Counsel to the Corporation to take the necessary steps to put the Department in possession of the same.

On motion, the report was received and recommendation adopted.

5th. Reporting the completion of dumping-board foot of East Eightieth street, East river, under Contract No. 245. The Secretary directed to notify the Dock Master to collect wharfage from all vessels using the said dumping-board.

6th. Reporting that Morris & Cumings Dredging Co. are dredging near the foot of Fiftieth street, East river, without a permit from the Board. The action of the Secretary in requesting the Morris & Cumings Dredging Co. to inform the Board by whose authority they are dredging thereat, was approved.

7th. In reference to and reporting that Morris & Cumings Dredging Co. will do the work of dredging in the slip, between Piers 3 and 4, East river.

8th. Reporting repairs required to Pier, new 43, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$10.

9th. Transmitting Inspector's report of material used under Contract No. 245, building dumping-board at Eightieth street, East river.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6726, repairs required to Pier 2, East river. The action of the President in notifying the Union and South Brooklyn Ferry Companies, respectively, occupants of the west and east sides of said pier, to repair under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, was approved.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5479, in reference to the application of the New York and Long Island Ferry Company for permission to erect platform, ferry racks, bridges, etc., twenty feet north of Ninety-ninth street, East river, and recommending that all piles driven by the said company outside of the established bulkhead line be removed.

On motion, the report was received, recommendation adopted, and the Secretary directed to notify the Long Island Ferry Company to remove said piles forthwith, under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6650, respecting the application of Henry C. Phillips for permission to drive piles in front of the bulkhead between One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, East river.

On motion, the application of Henry C. Phillips was denied.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6676, in relation to the application of Sanderson & Son, lessees of Pier, new 54, North river, for permission to erect a temporary structure south of said Pier. Referred to Commissioner Marshall, with power.

14th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6767, repairs required to the bulkhead along the centre line of East Seventeenth street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$150.

15th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6535, respecting the application of E. Browne, for permission to erect a shed on the Pier at Ninety-second street, East river.

On motion, the application of E. Browne was denied.

16th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6757, in relation to the application of James E. Ward & Co., for permission to lay a covering of three-inch plank on surface of bulkhead between Piers 16 and 17, East river. Referred to Commissioner Marshall, with power.

17th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6289, that the South Pacific Company, to whom permit was granted to cut gangways in Pier, new 46, North river, do not intend to do said work, and recommending that the permit be revoked.

On motion, the report was received and recommendation adopted.

18th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6762, respecting the cost of replacing cluster of piles driven at the outer end of Pier 59, East river, broken by tug-boat "F. A. Low." The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to replace piles and report the cost for collection from the owners of said tug-boat was approved.

19th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6737, in reference to the application of the Equitable Gas Light Company for an extension of time until after September 1, 1887, in which to repair the bulkhead between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, East river. The Secretary directed to notify the Equitable Gas Light Company that the request to have the time extended is denied, and that they must commence to repair the said bulkhead at once as heretofore ordered by the Board, and under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and that a copy of the report be sent.

20th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6598, that he had directed and superintended the repairing of ferry racks at One Hundred and Thirtieth street, North river, by the Fort Lee Ferry Company, and recommending that the permit issued to said company on the 20th May, 1887, to place a light and fog-bell on end of Pier foot of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, and build a platform on north side of existing ferry platform, about twenty feet wide, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Thirty-first streets to the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, North river, be revoked, as it is not the intention of the Ferry Company to do said work at the present time.

On motion, the report was received and recommendation adopted.

21st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6261, that he had directed and superintended the location of a tally-house on Pier 44, East river, and also stating that it is not the intention of the Inland and Seaboard Coasting Company to cut gangway in said pier, and recommending that the permit be revoked.

On motion, the report was received and recommendation adopted.

22d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5802, that he had superintended repairing Piers at Eleventh and Thirteenth streets, East river.

23d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6724, that repairs have been made to deck of bulkhead foot of Fifty-fourth street, East river.

24th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6313, that he had repaired the bulkhead at Fifty-fourth street, East river.

25th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6472, that he had superintended repairing Pier 2, North river.

26th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6588, that he had superintended driving piles, Pier 11, North river.

27th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6610, that he had superintended repairing Pier, new 60, North river.

28th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6657, that he had superintended the erection of a structure for the conveyance of coal from boats to a point about seventy-five feet distant from bulkhead, One Hundred and Twenty-second to One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Harlem river.

29th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6712, that he had superintended replacing piles in timber boom at bulkhead, between One Hundred and Twenty-fifth and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets, Harlem river.

30th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6738, that he had repaired pavement at entrance of and adjoining the south side of Pier, old 33, North river.

31st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6752, that he had superintended repairing bulkhead at north side Pier, old 35, North river.

32d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6769, that he had superintended repairing south side of Pier, old 34, North river.

33d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6478, that he had superintended repairing Pier 14, North river.

34th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6706, that he had superintended repairing Pier, new 44, North river.

35th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6591, that he had placed a silt basin on the new-made land near Pier, new 41, North river.

36th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6733, that he had repaired the approach to Pier, new 42, North river.

37th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6649, that he had superintended the erection of a temporary passenger office at Pier, old 26, North river.

38th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6760, that he had repaired sheathing on deck of Pier at Seventy-ninth street, North river.

39th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6713, that he had repaired Pier, new 43, North river.

40th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6770, that he had refastened pile at outer end of Pier at Thirty-eighth street, East river.

41st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6159, that he had superintended the erection of derricks and the placing of a boiler and hoisting engine on Pier, new 54, North river.

42d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6250, that he had superintended repairing Pier, new 40, North river.

43d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5597, that he had superintended the placing of boilers, etc., on Pier, new 55, North river.

44th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6724, that repairs had been made to deck of bulkhead foot of Fifty-fourth street, East river.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, to whom was referred the application of William Rainer, late Foreman of Floating Property, respecting salary due him, submitted the following report:

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, July 18, 1887.

To the Board of Docks:

The within bill of William Rainer against this Department, amounting to \$68.71, having been referred to me, I beg leave to report that I have examined the same and have had a personal interview with the claimant concerning the same; that it appears by a resolution of the Board, adopted May 4, 1882, that "his compensation or salary," as Foreman of Floating Property, was fixed at \$100 per month; that by way of settlement he is willing to waive the payment of the \$18.76, being for the period from January 25, 1885, to January 31, 1885; that he has been paid in full (waiving the \$18.76) up to August 1, 1885; that on the 27th day of July, 1885, he obtained a leave of absence with pay for one week, and it does not appear that any further leave of absence, either with or without pay, was given; that on the 15th of August, 1885, his services were dispensed with, since which time he has not performed or appeared to perform any services whatever for this Department. Under all the circumstances and to avoid further controversy in this matter, I am of the opinion, and accordingly recommend, that the bill (\$49.95) be paid.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

On motion, the report was received, recommendation adopted, and the Chief Clerk directed to draw requisition for said amount.

Commissioner Matthews offered the following preambles and resolutions, which were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, At a meeting of the Board of Docks duly held June 1, 1887, it was Resolved, That permission be granted to the Consumers' Ice Company to use and occupy during the will of the Board, the Pier foot of Horatio street, North river (except reservation for public bath at outer northerly side), at the rate of \$150 per month, payable monthly (or during occupancy) to the Treasurer of this Department, commencing May 1, 1887; and

Whereas, The said Consumers' Ice Company has failed and neglected to pay the said sum of \$150 per month, or any part thereof, for the use and occupancy of the said pier, although payment therefor has been duly demanded; therefore

Resolved, That said Consumers' Ice Company be and it is hereby ordered and required to show cause before the Board of Commissioners governing this Department, in the Board Room, Pier "A," North river, on Friday, the 29th day of July, 1887, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, why the said \$150 per month has not been paid, and why the said resolution granting it permission to use and occupy the premises as aforesaid should not be revoked, and why this Department should not be declared entitled to such further or other relief in the premises as may be just and proper.

Whereas, One James L. Miller is the lessee from the City of the wharfage and crange, with the right to collect the same, for the use and occupancy of the bulkhead at Forty-third street, East river, as provided for in the lease to him thereof, dated April 1, 1885; and

Whereas, It is provided in said lease, among other things, that the said lease may be declared forfeited, null and void in case of failure to pay rent or comply with the terms, covenants and conditions of said lease; and

Whereas, The said James L. Miller has failed and neglected to pay the rent of said premises, as provided in said lease, although often requested so to do, and although more than ten days have elapsed since the same became due and payable, and there is now due to this Department from the said Miller on account of said lease the sum of \$525.

Resolved, That he, the said James L. Miller, be and he is hereby ordered and required to show cause before the Board of Commissioners governing this Department, at the Board Room, Pier "A," North river, on Friday, the 29th day of July, 1887, at 12 o'clock noon, of that day, why the said rent has not been or is not paid, and why the said lease should not be declared forfeited, null and void, and why this Department should not be declared entitled to such further or other relief in the premises as may be just and proper.

Resolved, That the recommendation of Commissioner Matthews and the resolution passed October 21, 1885, adopting such recommendation, granting permission to John A. Bouker to erect dumping-board on the Pier at East Seventy-third street, East river, during the pleasure of the Board, be and the same are hereby revoked, and that he, the said John A. Bouker, vacate and surrender possession of said pier on the 30th day of July, 1887.

Commissioner Marshall, to whom was referred the application of the East River Ferry Company for permission to assign lease of Pier foot of Thirty-third street, East river, offered the following preambles and resolution, which were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Application has been made by the East River Ferry Company for permission to transfer to the Metropolitan Ferry Company the remainder of the terms of certain leases heretofore made, to wit, May 1, 1881, and April 15, 1886, by this Department to the said East River Ferry Company, of the use and occupation of a certain pier at the foot of Thirty-third street, East river, New York City, said pier to be used by the said Metropolitan Ferry Company in the operation of its ferries, subject to the rents, covenants and conditions of the leases above referred to; and

Whereas, The Metropolitan Ferry Company has complied with the requirements of this Department in furnishing two responsible sureties, who have duly qualified and executed a bond, the form of which has been approved by the Counsel to the Corporation;

Resolved, That the Board of Commissioners of this Department hereby agrees and consents to such transfer and assignment of the leases as described and mentioned above, and to the substitution by the Metropolitan Ferry Company of the sureties who have been submitted, it being understood and agreed that all the covenants, rents and conditions of said leases shall remain and be in force, and shall not be changed or vitiated in any way by this assignment, and provided that the written assent to the terms of these preambles and resolution shall be given to this Department in writing by the East River Ferry and the Metropolitan Ferry companies.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of four bills, amounting to \$17,840.32, which were approved, and the Secretary directed to enter in full on the minutes, as follows:

Audit No.	Name.	Amount.
9713.	Liverpool, London and Globe Insurance Co., fire insurance.....	\$254 25
9714.	W. Danforth, Estimate No. 1, Final Contract No. 245.....	2,395 00
Construction Account		\$2,649 25

9715.	William W. Tebo, Estimate No. 1, Contract No. 244	\$3,514 65
9716.	Union Dredging Co., Estimate No. 6, Contract No. 238	11,676 42
General Repairs Account.....		\$15,191 07

RECAPITULATION.

2 Bills on Construction Account	\$2,649 25
2 Bills on General Repairs Account.....	15,191 07
	\$17,840 32

NEW YORK, July 21, 1887.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
CHARLES H. MARSHALL, } Auditing Committee.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit said bills, with proper requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending July 19, 1887, amounting to \$2,524.49, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1887.					1887.
July 13	Schmitt & Koehne.....	1. u. w. bet. 56th and 57th streets.....	\$100 00		
" 13	Dump tickets.....	Z 3044-3830, 787 at 20 cts	157 40		
" 15	John J. Simpson.....	Wharfage District No. 2.....			
" 15	Patrick Curley.....	" 4.....	608 38		
" 15	Charles B. Husted.....	" 6.....	473 55		
" 15	Patrick J. Brady.....	" 8.....	50 03		
" 15	Joseph B. Erwin.....	" 10.....	284 31		
" 15	Joseph F. Sharkey.....	" 12.....	206 51		
" 15	Charles H. Thompson.....	" 1.....	109 30		
" 15	Edward Abeel.....	" 3.....	124 64		
" 15	Eugene McCarthy.....	" 5.....	233 28		
" 15	Charles P. Blake.....	" 7.....	51 00		
" 15	Anthony Hartman.....	" 9.....	70 34		
" 15	John Callan.....	" 11.....	55 75		
			\$2,524 49	\$2,524 49	July 20

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

On motion, the following requisitions were adopted:

Register No.		
6050.	4 Trow's Directories	\$22 00
6116.	12,000 feet, B. M., spruce	20 00
6117.	800 cubic yards dredging.....	160 00
6118.	White pine.....	15 00
6119.	Testing iron	60 00
6120.	Gum packing.....	7 00
6121.	Repairs to pile driver.....	25 00
6122.	Albany grease	12 50
6123.	11,000 cubic yards dredging, North Moore Street Section.....	2,200 00
6124.	6 dozen Ames' shovels.....	54 00
6125.	6,000 pounds spikes.....	180 00
6126.	Hackmatac knees.....	156 00
6127.	Cast-iron flanges, etc.....	19 00
6128.	Testing iron	35 00
6129.	Bagging sheets	33 00
6130.	125 pounds Queen Lubricant.....	6 00
6131.	Dredging, between Pier, old 57, and Pier, old 58	300 00
6132.	Dredging, half slip westerly of Pier 25, East river	900 00
6133.	1,000 pounds spikes.....	60 00
6134.	Spruce.....	21 00
6135.	Testing iron	17 50

323. Sapolio, etc.
324. White pine, etc.
325. Hardware.
326. City Directory.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

G. KEMBLE, Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, held July 22, 1887.

Present—Commissioners Stark, Matthews and Marshall.

The minutes of the meeting held July 21, 1887, were read and approved.

The Board then went into Executive Session.

The following communications were,

On motion, taken from the table, and ordered to be placed on file:

From Thomas Sheehy and O'Brien & Norman—Requesting use of dumping-board foot of Eightieth street, East river.

From Glen Cove Manufacturing Company—Requesting permission to build a temporary pier or platform in front of the bulkhead near the foot of Jackson street, East river, in accordance with the plans submitted. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From James McClenahan—Requesting the Department to dredge at south side of Pier foot of Thirtieth street, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Thurber, Whyland & Co.—Recommending E. J. Hamilton for an appointment in the Department.

From J. P. Joralemon—Stating that he does not own any of the bulkhead between Piers 47 and 48, East river.

From Standard Gas-light Company—Requesting the Department to proceed with the construction of the bulkhead between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets, Harlem river, and give said company a lease with the right to collect wharfage.

From Department of Street Cleaning—Respecting the use of the dumping-board at Pier 12, East river, by the boats of the Barney Dumping-boat Company. The Secretary directed to notify the said company to at once cease the receiving of cellar dirt and other material at the said pier.

From New York Horse Manure Company—Advising the Board that they are making the necessary repairs to the Pier at Forty-fourth street, North river.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting that Frank Phelps has not commenced to repair the bulkhead at inner end of Pier 40, East river, as ordered by the Board. Referred to the Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews.

2d. Reporting repairs required to roof, etc., of storehouse at East Seventeenth Street Yard, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair roof of storehouse by placing a tin roof on the same,

also repair roof of small office building by placing a tin roof thereon, and repair office flooring, doors, etc., with the force of the Department, as recommended in his report.

3d. Requesting the appointment of twelve additional Dock Builders.

4th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6782, in reference to the application of R. H. Wolff & Co., for permission to build a crib-bulkhead, between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets, Harlem river. The Secretary directed to request Mr. Wolff to call on the Commissioners.

5th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6573, respecting the dimensions of the house erected by A. Scott & Son, on the bulkhead south of West Twenty-second street, North river. The Secretary directed to notify A. Scott & Son that unless the dimensions of the said house are made to conform in every respect to the requirements of the permit issued May 18, 1887, penalty for violation of the rules will be imposed.

6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6596, in relation to the application of the Maine Steamship Company, for permission to erect a platform, etc., adjoining Pier 38, East river. The President authorized to request the agent of said company to call on the Commissioners, on Thursday, July 28th instant, at 12 M.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6537, respecting the application of C. H. Mallory & Co., to extend shed at Pier 21, East river. Referred to Commissioner Marshall.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6651, in relation to the application of Edward McDonald, for permission to erect a temporary boat-house foot of One Hundred and Eighth street, North river.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5794, that the Ridgewood Ice Company have made some repairs to the bulkhead foot of Fifty-third street, East river.

D. W. Bogert, Dock Master, reported that on July 18th instant, he had notified George Blair of No. 9 York street, to remove lumber obstructing the bulkhead, between Piers, new 38 and 39, North river, on or before the 19th. Said lumber removed July 22d instant.

On motion, a penalty of \$40 was imposed upon George Blair for violation of Rule No. 4, and the Secretary was directed to notify him to call and pay the said amount to the Treasurer of this Department within ten days after receipt of notice or the claim will be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection.

An affidavit from Walsh & O'Neill, respecting the dumping of marble dust at the foot of Forty-sixth street, North river, was ordered to be placed on file, and

On motion, a penalty of \$25 was imposed upon the said parties for violation of Rule No. 10, and the Secretary directed to notify them to call and pay the said amount to the Treasurer of this Department within ten days or the claim will be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief (Secretary's Order No. 6771), on the application of the Comptroller to know if this Department can allow the Department of Public Works to use temporarily a portion of the East Seventeenth Street Yard for the storage of materials belonging to the Bureau of Incumbrances, was received, and,

On motion, the President was authorized to inform the Comptroller that this Department will allow the Department of Public Works to use a portion of the East Seventeenth Street Yard for the purpose of storing various articles appertaining to the Bureau of Incumbrances, provided that it is clearly and distinctly understood and agreed that the said use is temporary only, and that it shall continue only at the pleasure of the Board governing the Department of Docks, and that the Department of Public Works will immediately remove all articles under its control from said yard whenever required to do so by the Department of Docks, and that all articles stored or placed in said yard shall be stored and placed under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

Commissioner Matthews offered the following resolutions, which were,

On motion, adopted:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board on the 28th July, 1886, setting apart and designating the bulkhead platform foot of Seventieth street, East river, for the use of the Department of Street Cleaning, be and hereby is revoked, to take effect July 29, 1887.

Resolved, That pursuant to the provisions of section 728 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the bulkhead platform foot of East Seventy-third street, East river, be and hereby is set apart and designated for the use of the Department of Street Cleaning of the City of New York, to take effect July 29, 1887.

A communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, respecting the title to certain wharf property on the East river, between Seventh and Thirteenth streets, was,

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following preambles and resolution, offered by Commissioner Marshall, were adopted:

Whereas, A communication under date of June 28, 1887, has been received from the Corporation Counsel, referring to the steps which have been taken by him to recover certain pier and wharf property at the foot of Tenth street, East river, in accordance with the request made by resolution of this Board on the 2d of August, 1882; and

Whereas, It appears that the proceedings initiated by the Corporation Counsel with this view, have been attended with partial success, and will, in his opinion, result ultimately in the recovery for the use of the city of considerable property at and near Tenth street, East river, now held and enjoyed by private parties; and

Whereas, There are at present several pieces of property on the East river, from about the foot of Seventh street to about the foot of Thirteenth street, which are in possession of various parties claiming them, but the title to which under the law declared by the Courts in the above case, is vested in this city, being substantially in the same category as to possession; and

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel in the communication above referred to has suggested to this Board the expediency of bringing the several suits necessary to be undertaken for the recovery to the City of the possession of the property described as between Seventh street and Thirteenth street, East river, and also a suit against the heirs and representatives of John Roach, deceased, to recover the possession of the premises included in the former suit, abatement of which was caused by the death of John Roach; now be it

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be requested to continue the suit against the heirs and representatives of John Roach, deceased, and that he be also requested to draw such forms of resolutions as may be necessary to terminate any licenses that may be found to exist for the occupation of land under water belonging to the City between the northerly side of Sixth street, East river, and the northerly side of Thirteenth street, East river.

Commissioner Marshall offered the following resolution, which was,

On motion, adopted:

Resolved, That the Treasurer's Clerk be directed to observe the rule in regard to the hours of attendance in this Department, namely, from 9 A. M. till 4 P. M., except on Saturdays, when for the present the office hours shall be from 9 A. M. to 12 M., and that, in addition to the keeping of the Treasurer's accounts, he be ordered to have the care and charge of the Dock Masters' daily and weekly returns, thoroughly comparing the same and ascertaining their correctness or otherwise; he shall also verify the tonnage of all vessels mentioned in said returns on which tonnage wharfage is charged by the official records; he shall copy all the opinions of the Corporation Counsel in a book provided for the purpose, and he shall do such other work as may be assigned to him by the President or Treasurer.

The following preamble and resolution were,

On motion, adopted:

Whereas, Chapter 697 of the Laws of 1887, entitled "An act to lay out and establish an exterior street along a portion of the East river, in the City of New York, and to alter the map of the plan of the City of New York to conform thereto," passed 25th June, 1887, contains in section 2 of said act the following provision, namely:

"The Board of the Department of Docks in the City of New York shall, within three months from the date of the passage of this act, determine upon a plan for the said street, and shall cause the same to be prepared, and shall certify the same by their indorsement thereon and send the same to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York * * * Therefore

Resolved, That the Engineer-in-Chief be and hereby is directed to prepare and submit to the Board of Docks the plan for the said street, required in said act.

On motion, Commissioner Marshall was requested to confer with the Counsel to the Corporation respecting the placing of advertising signs on the piers and other wharf structures.

The following employees were,

On motion, discharged:

Edward Freil, Carpenter.
William Hayden, Dock Builder.
Matthew McDonald, Dock Builder.
Patrick Horan, Dock Builder.
Alexander Law, Dock Builder.

Charles Daniels, Laborer.
William Dowling, Laborer.
Bartley Hartens, Laborer.
George Bambury, Laborer.
John Scanlan, Laborer.

On motion, Michael Magee, Doorman and Watchman, was suspended for ten days without pay, from July 23d instant, for being found asleep while on duty.

A communication from the Engineer-in-Chief requesting twelve additional Dock Builders, was ordered to be placed on file, and

On motion, John Mokely, John Kelly, Thomas McCarthy, Thomas Kenney, William Fitzgerald, Thomas E. Davis, were appointed Dock Builders, and Joseph Heaney and George Roemer were appointed Laborers.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

G. KEMBLE, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Births * reported during the week ending July 23, 1887.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.								NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Not stated.
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.		
611	609	2	300	311	..	338	146	87	34	..	..	4	2	..	93

Marriages * reported during the week ending July 23, 1887.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.						CONDITION.					
	White.	Colored.	Foreign.	Native.	Born at Sea.	Not stated.			First Marriage.	Second Marriage.	Third Marriage.	Fourth Marriage.	Not stated.	
223	218	5	146	132	77	91	..	..	199	211	22	11	1	..

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

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending July 23, 1887, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending July 16, 1887.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
7	Austria.....	42	39	43	43	10	14	3	2
2	British America.....	5	5	5	5	..	..	1	..
16	England.....	37	33	14	14	7	8	2	1
4	France.....	9	4	1	2	2	2	..	..
84	Germany.....	250	221	190	153	71	62	12	10
108	Ireland.....	259	257	76	74	13	14	11	10
10	Italy.....	57	53	18	15	7	6	2	2
2	Poland.....	7	10	22	21	2	1	7	2
4	Scotland.....	9	14	8	8	5	1	1	2
4	Switzerland.....	8	9	..	..	..	1	..	..
796	United States.....	231	283	180	237	77	91	14	20
5	Unknown or not stated.....	89	84	6	..	..	..	4	3
603	West Indies.....	4	..	..	1	1	1	..	..
	Other countries.....	46	38	47	38	28	22	2	4

Still-Births reported during the week ending July 23, 1887.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										Unknown or not stated.
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
61	43	17	1	59	1	14	43	4	20	38	3	..	..	1	3	5	10	13	8	21	..	..

Deaths reported during the week ending July 23, 1887.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.										RESIDENCE.		CONDITION.									
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more).	Houses containing three families or less).	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.							New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated.†	STATED.		Not stated.†			
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.				Seventh.	Not Stated.		Single.	Married.	Widowed.
935	151	582	174	8	20	..	7	182	228	172	130	43	1	1	..	913	22	..	84	202	70	579

† Principally children and deaths in Institutions.

REPORTED MORTALITY * for the week ending July 23, 1887, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending July 16, 1887.

SIR—There were 935 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, July 23, 1887, which is a decrease of 167, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 3 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1886. The actual mortality for the week ending July 16, 1887, was 1,053, which is 63.2 above the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 36.91 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,483,741.

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WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES.	DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES.													Total Deaths from all Causes.	Total Deaths, exclusive of those in Public Institutions.	Total Population (in Wards), Census of 1880.	REMARKS.	Total in Institutions.		
		Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Puerperal Fever.	Yellow Fever.	All Diarrheal Diseases.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.						Other Zymotic Diseases.	Total Deaths from Zymotic Diseases.
NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHThERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHEAL MALADIES, CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																					
Actual Mortality during the Week ending July 16, 1887.																					
First.....	154	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	7	6	17,939	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot, -; Floating Hospital of St. John's Guild, 1; First Precinct Station, -..	1
Second.....	81	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1,608	Second Precinct Station-house,	2
Third.....	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	3	3,582	Twenty-seventh Precinct Station, -; House of Relief, 160 Chambers street, 2.....	2
Fourth.....	83	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	15	15	20,096	Fourth Precinct Station, -; Mission Home, -; St. James Home, -; Sailor Home, -; Newsboys' Lodgings, -	2
Fifth.....	168	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	16	16	15,845	Fifth Precinct Station, -; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street,	2
Sixth.....	86	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	15	15	20,196	City Prison, -; Home of Industry, -; Centre Street Dispensary, -; Sixth Precinct Station, -..	2
Seventh.....	198	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	33	29	50,066	Seventh Precinct Station, -; Gouverneur Hospital, 4; Deborah Nursery,	4
Eighth.....	183	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	14	32	32	35,879	Eighth Precinct Station,	4
Ninth.....	322	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	14	35	32	54,596	St. Vincent's Hospital, 3; Home for Old Men and Aged and Couples, -; Northern Dispensary,	3
Tenth.....	110	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	34	34	47,554	Essex Street Prison, -; Eleventh Precinct Station, -; Ludlow Street Jail,	3
Eleventh.....	196	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	29	21	68,778	St. Francis' Hospital, 8; Eleventh Precinct Station,	8
Twelfth.....	5,504.13	..	1	1	7	..	2	..	1	3	1	..	73	..	1	90	172	150	81,800	Reception Hospital, 99th street, -; Laura Franklin Free Hospital, -; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 2; Unsectarian Home, -; Ward's Island, 2; Randall's Island, 9; Bloomingdale Lunatic Asylum, 1; St. Joseph's Asylum, 1; Home of the Little Sisters of the Poor, -; Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island, -; Deaf and Dumb Asylum, -; House of Good Shepherd, -; N. Y. Juvenile Asylum, -; House of Refuge, -; Homeopathic Hospital, 5; Convent of Sacred Heart, 1; Manhattan Hospital, -; St. Joseph's Hospital, 1; Harlem Hospital, -; Old Ladies' Hosp., -; Home for Aged and Infirm Hebrews, -	22
Thirteenth.....	107	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	5	18	18	37,797	Fifteenth Precinct Station, -; Fifth District Court,	1
Fourteenth.....	96	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	24	24	30,171	R. C. Orphan Asylum, -; Lying-in-Asylum, -; Fourteenth Precinct Station, -; House of Detention,	1
Fifteenth.....	198	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	7	13	31,882	Fifteenth Precinct Station, -; Mission of Immaculate Virgin, -; St. Barnabas' Home,	1
Sixteenth.....	348.77	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	27	26	52,188	St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, -; French Hospital, -; Samaritan Home for the Aged, -; Babies' Shelter, -	1
Seventeenth.....	331	..	1	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	29	1	2	40	83	83	104,837	Home of the Church of the Holy Communion, 1.....	1	
Eighteenth.....	449.89	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	2	..	1	15	1	24	53	43			66,611	Lodge and Association Hospital, -; N. Y. Lying-in Home, -; Eye and Ear Infirmary, -; St. Andrew's Hosp., -; New York Hospital, 6; Post Graduate Hospital, -; Home for Respectable Aged and Indigent Females, -; Willard Parker Hospital, 3;	

JOHN T. NAGLE, M. D., Deputy Register of Records.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, July 30, 1887.
Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, July 29, 1887:

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, July 23.....	18	\$44 75
Monday, " 25.....	60	153 00
Tuesday, " 26.....	29	91 00
Wednesday, " 27.....	38	1,074 25
Thursday, " 28.....	35	73 75
Friday, " 29.....	35	62 00
Totals.....	215	\$1,498 75

THOMAS W. BYRNES,
Mayor's Marshal.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, March 14, 1887.

In pursuance of the statute in such cases made and provided, I hereby appoint

JAMES C. BAYLES

a Commissioner of Health, to be the President of the Board of Health of the City of New York, in the place of Alexander Shaler, removed, and for the unexpired term of said Alexander Shaler, ending May 1, 1889.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, May 10, 1887.

In pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided, I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby appoint

JOHN R. VOORHIS

a Commissioner of Police, of the City of New York, for the term of six years, from the first day of May, 1887, to succeed himself.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, May 10, 1887.

In pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided, I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby appoint

WALDO HUTCHINS

a Commissioner of Public Parks, in the City of New York, in the place of Henry R. Beekman, resigned, and for the unexpired term of said Henry R. Beekman, ending May 1, 1891.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, May 10, 1887.

In pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided, I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby appoint

HENRY H. PORTER

a Commissioner of Public Charities and Correction of the City of New York, for the term of six years from the first day of May, 1887, to succeed himself.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 9, 1887.

Under and pursuant to and in exercise of the authority upon us conferred by the provisions of the act entitled "An act providing that the bridge in the course of construction over the East river, between the cities of New York and Brooklyn, by the New York Bridge Company, shall be a public work of the cities of New York and Brooklyn, and for the dissolution of said company, and the completion and management of the said bridge by the said cities," being chapter 300, Laws of 1875, we, the undersigned, officers of the City of New York, have appointed

JOHN G. DAVIS, J. ADRIANCE BUSH,
HENRY CLAUSEN, THOMAS C. CLARKE,
CHARLES MACDONALD, H. K. THURBER, and
JENKINS VAN SCHAICK, ISIDOR WORMSER,

Trustees, for the purpose of managing and constructing said bridge, for the term of two years, ending June 2, 1889.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor of the City of New York;

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller of the City of New York;

HENRY R. BEEKMAN,
President Board of Aldermen, City of New York.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, June 11, 1887.

I hereby certify that I have this day appointed William H. Gray an Inspector of Public Schools for the Third District of the City of New York, in place of John N. Abbott, resigned, whose term of office will expire on January 1, 1888.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.

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

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

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS, SECRETARY'S OFFICE, ROOM 11, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, June 3, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor City Record:

DEAR SIR—The following amendment to Regulation 16 of the New York City Civil Service Regulations has been made:

If the appointing officer shall notify the Secretary of more than one vacancy at any one time, the Secretary shall certify to the appointing officer for appointment, the names of as many persons as there are vacancies to be filled, with the addition of two names for the first vacancy and one name for every two vacancies in addition to the first.

Yours respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS, SECRETARY'S OFFICE, ROOM 11, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, May 31, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor:

DEAR SIR—The following resolution was passed by the Supervisory Board at their meeting, held May 27, 1887:

"Resolved, That in view of the inadequate space in the Secretary's office and in order to enable him more readily to discharge the business of the same, the Secretary is authorized to arrange the business of the office so that the same shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public during a part of the day only."

Pursuant to the above action, I hereby designate the two hours between 2 and 4 o'clock in afternoon as the time for which the offices shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public.

Very respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor; ARTHUR BERRY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEESE, 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. STOKES, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second Auditor.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, Counsel to the Corporation;
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M. Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.
RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 12 M.

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'OECH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.

JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.

Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES C. BAYLES, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

M. C. D. BORDEN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North River, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

L. J. N. STARK, President; G. KEMBLE, Secretary.

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 COMEFORT, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 1, 2 and 3, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.

EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building Room 5.

The MAYOR, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, 1 No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, CROCKERY, DRY GOODS, PAINTS AND LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

7,900 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, August 11, 1887.

1,000 pounds Cheese.

1,000 pounds Dried Apples.

5,000 pounds Barley, price to include packages.

3,200 pounds Wheatens Grits, price to include packages.

100 pounds Chocolate.

600 pounds Macaroni.

1,000 pounds Candles.

4,000 pounds Laundry Starch, 40 pound boxes.

3,100 dozen Eggs.

20 dozen Canned Lima Beans.

10 dozen Extract Lemon.

2 cases Sardines, "halves."

15 barrels prime quality Large Shore No. 2 Mackerel, 200 pounds net each.

630 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.

50 barrels prime Red Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.

1,600 heads prime, good sized Cabbage.

50 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.

50 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.

100 bushels Dried Peas.

50 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.

50 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.

25 prime quality City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.

100 barrels prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels each.

CROCKERY, DRY GOODS, WOODENWARE, ETC.

5 gross Handled Mugs.

3 gross Chambers.

1 gross Pitchers, two quart.

1 gross Ewers.

10 gross Saucers.

100 White Spreads.

20 gross Fine Combs.

300 pounds Pure S. A. Curled Hair.

12 dozen Window Brushes.

24 dozen Shoe Brushes.

1 coil best quality Manila Rope, 3 in.

10 coils best quality Manila Rope, 9-thread

5 dozen Wash Boards

50 gross Matches.

10 gross Tin Dinner Plates.

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, 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 a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Dated New York, August 1, 1887.

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

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 Chambers Street Hospital—Unknown man, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; sandy hair mixed with gray; full beard; no clothing.

Unknown man from foot of Third street, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on blue check jumper, dark gray pants, gray knit undershirt and socks, gaiters.

At Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—John Lawler, aged 32 years; 5 feet 1 inch high. Had on when received, brown striped coat, black pants, brown overalls, brown striped vest, white shirt, laced shoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order. G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

RAPID TRANSIT COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF RAPID TRANSIT,
ROOM NO. 6, FIRST FLOOR, NO. 120 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, July 18, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners appointed by the Mayor of the City of New York, under date of June 30, 1887, in pursuance of chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875, and its amendments, invite the submission of plans for the construction and operation of a steam railway or railways in the City and County of New York, for the transportation of passengers, mails or freight; all plans, suggestions and other communications intended to be made to the Board with reference to the route or method of constructing or operating such railway or railways, to be made in writing on or before August 12, 1887, addressed to the Commissioners at their office, Room No. 6, First Floor, No. 120 Broadway, in the said city.

By order of the Board.

FREDERICK KOPPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Board Room, Grammar School building No. 64, No. 2436 Webster avenue, until 2:30 o'clock p. m., Monday, August 1, 1887, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-fourth Ward, for conveying pupils from Woodlawn Heights to Primary School No. 47, and from said school back to Woodlawn Heights each and every school day from and including September 12, 1887, to and including July 3, 1888.

Also, sealed proposals will be received at the same place and until the same hour and day, by said Trustees, for conveying pupils from Williamsbridge to Grammar School No. 64, and from said Grammar School back to Williamsbridge each and every school day, from and including September 12, 1887, to and including July 3, 1888.

Additional information may be obtained of Elmer A. Allen or Joseph J. Marrin of the Board of Trustees.

New York, July 16, 1887.

ELMER A. ALLEN,
J. E. EUSTIS,
L. EICKWORT,
THEO. E. THOMPSON,
JOSEPH J. MARRIN,
Trustees Twenty-fourth Ward.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 249.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR GRANITE WORK AND MASONRY ON THE BOAT-LANDING WALL AND ABOUT THE APPROACH TO PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR GRANITE WORK AND MASONRY on the Boat-landing Wall and about the Approach to Pier "A," North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock m. of

FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 1887.

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

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

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

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

"Eight-cut" granite for new coping of wall; 20 pieces furnished and set, containing about..... 920 cubic feet.

"Eight-cut" granite for new steps for boat-landing, furnished and set; 14 pieces, containing about..... 181 "

"Pean-hammered" granite for steps, etc., about entrances of building; 12 pieces furnished and set, containing about..... 165 "

"Pean-hammered" granite curbing, of specified shape and dimensions, furnished and set, about..... 68 linear feet.

Old curbing taken up, recut as specified and reset, about..... 96 "

3/8-inch chisel-draft cut on old curbing left in place, about..... 168 "

Bluestone pavement—Tiling, about..... 217 square feet. Flagging, about..... 132

Concrete, made and placed as specified, about..... 240 cubic yards.

12-inch clay drain-pipe, laid, about..... 40 feet.

Labor of back-filling about foundation for new boat-landing steps.

Labor for removing and replacing fence, gas-lamps and gas-lamp pedestals on premises, drilling holes for pipe connections, etc., as specified.

Labor and necessary materials for doing all specified trimming and patching about wall, and for covering the top of the catch-basin as specified.

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

(1.) Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal examination of the premises on which the work is to be done, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work to be done under the contract is to be fully completed on or before the 15th day of November, 1887; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their

names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein, and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the 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 estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance, and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done in each class by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as 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.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of 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 and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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

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

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

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
CHARLES H. MARSHALL,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, July 22, 1887.

ARMORY BOARD.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
STAATS-ZEITUNG BUILDING, TYRON ROW,
NEW YORK, July 30, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING THE STEAM-HEATING AND GAS-FITTING WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON FOURTH AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM NINETY-FOURTH TO NINETY-FIFTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing work for Steam-Heating and Gas-fitting Work in the erection of an Armory Building on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street, County and City of New York, will be received by the Armory Board, at the Mayor's Office, City Hall, until 2 o'clock p. m., of the 25th day of August, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Work for Steam-Heating and Gas-fitting in the Erection of an Armory Building on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street, and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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 amount of four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

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

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimate their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other persons be so interested the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the 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 estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation or the Armory Board may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested; the consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; 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 is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200). 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 Board 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 by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Comptroller.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the architect, J. R. Thomas, No. 160 Broadway.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the architect, at his office No. 160 Broadway, New York City.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD,
BRIG.-GEN. JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
STAATS-ZEITUNG BUILDING, TYRON ROW,
NEW YORK, July 30, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING IRON WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON FOURTH AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM NINETY-FOURTH TO NINETY-FIFTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing Iron Work in the erection of an Armory Building on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street, New York City, will be received by the Armory Board at the Mayor's office, City Hall, until 2 p. m. of the 25th day of August, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed, "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Iron Work in the Erection of an Armory Building on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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, each in the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

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

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimate their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person in making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the 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 estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation or Armory Board may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested; the consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, and stated in the proposals, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000). 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 Board 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 by the Comptroller 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 by the Comptroller.

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ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,
NEW YORK, July 30, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING MASONRY WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON FOURTH AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM NINETY-FOURTH TO NINETY-FIFTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing masonry work in the erection of an Armory Building on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street, City and County of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the Mayor's office, City Hall, until 2 P. M. of the 25th day of August, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Masonry Work in the Erection of an Armory Building on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street, New York City," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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 amount of thirty-thousand dollars (\$30,000).

Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

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

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the

approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

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No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500). 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 Board 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 by the Comptroller 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 by the Comptroller.

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ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,
NEW YORK CITY, July 30, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING PLUMBING AND DRAINAGE WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON FOURTH AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM NINETY-FOURTH TO NINETY-FIFTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing Plumbing and Drainage work in the erection of an Armory Building on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street, City and County of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the Mayor's Office, City Hall, until 2 P. M. of the twenty-fifth day of August, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Plumbing and Drainage Work in the Erection of an Armory Building on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

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 amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000). Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

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2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Armory Board, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before

mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

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ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,
NEW YORK, July 30, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING CARPENTER WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON FOURTH AVENUE, EXTENDING FROM NINETY-FOURTH TO NINETY-FIFTH STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing carpenter work in the erection of an Armory Building, on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street, New York City, will be received by the Armory Board, at the Mayor's Office, City Hall, until 2 P. M. of the twenty-fifth day of August, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

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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 amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).

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

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of contract and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF JURORS,
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1887.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me 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 cause of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt. Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 & 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET.

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

Commissioners

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 26, 1887.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED
envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Tuesday, August 9, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN EIGHTY-SECOND STREET,
between Boulevard and Riverside avenue.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN EIGHTY-SEVENTH STREET,
between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET,
between Riverside and West End avenues.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE,
between Ninety-fourth and One Hundred and Third streets, and in ONE HUNDREDTH STREET, between Fifth and Madison avenues.

No. 5. FOR SEWER IN FOURTH AVENUE, east side,
between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Second streets.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE,
between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fifth streets.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN TENTH AVENUE, west side,
between One Hundred and Thirty-third and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, connecting with present sewer in One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

No. 8. FOR SEWER IN TENTH AVENUE, west side,
between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, and in ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, between Tenth avenue and Hamilton place, connecting with sewer in Hamilton place.

No. 9. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH STREET, south side,
between Boulevard and Tenth avenue.

No. 10. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET, between McComb's Dam road and Eighth avenue, and in EIGHTH AVENUE, east side, between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.

No. 11. FOR SEWER IN AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS,
between One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth streets.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 26, 1887.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED
envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Tuesday, August 9, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON WATER-PIPES, BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE ERECTION OF A TWO-STORY BRICK STOREHOUSE AND WORKSHOP IN THE PIPE YARD AT THE FOOT OF TWENTY-FOURTH STREET AND THE EAST RIVER.

No. 3. FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS TO SEWER IN ANN STREET, between Nassau street and Park Row.

No. 4. FOR TAKING UP AND RELAYING THE PAVEMENT NOW IN THE FOLLOWING-NAMED STREETS: THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Sixth to Seventh avenue; FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue; EIGHTY-FIFTH STREET, from Fourth avenue to No. 66; NINETY-SECOND STREET, from First to Second avenue; ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH STREET, from First avenue to East river; FIFTY-SIXTH STREET, from Fifth to Sixth avenue.

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall 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.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, July, 1887.

CROTON WATER RENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ACCORD-
ing to law, five per cent. will be added on the first of August next on all unpaid Croton Water rents.

D. LOWBER SMITH,
Dep. Act'g Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 9, 1887.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON MONDAY, AUGUST 1, 1887, AT 10 O'CLOCK
A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at the Corporation Yards at One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, foot of Rivington street, East river, and foot of Gansevoort street, North river. The sale to begin at One Hundred and Nineteenth street and St. Nicholas avenue, and thence to Rivington Street and Gansevoort Street Yards, the following articles, viz.:

Trucks, Wagons, Carts, Fruit Stands, Boot-black and News Stands, Awnings, Timbers, Beams, Butcher Racks, Soda Water Stands, Push Carts, Barber Poles, Derricks, Iron Bedsteads, Stepping Stone, Abandoned Furniture, Telegraph Poles, Cradles, Ice Boxes, Wooden and Canvas Signs, Booths, Dry Goods, Railroad Iron, Banners, Chairs, Boxes and Barrels.

TERMS OF SALE.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 21, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT
in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 921 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

1st. All extra charges for water incurred from and after June 9, 1887, shall be treated, collected and returned in arrears in the same manner as regular rents have heretofore been treated.

2d. In every building where a water meter or meters are now, or shall hereafter be in use, the charge for water by meter measurement shall be the only charge against such building, or such part thereof as is supplied through meter.

3d. The returns of arrears of water rents, including the year 1887, shall be made as heretofore on the confirmation of the tax levy by the Board of Aldermen, and shall include all charges and penalties of every nature.

4th. A penalty of five dollars (\$5) is hereby established, and will be imposed in each and every case where the rules and regulations of the Department prohibiting the use of water through hose, or in any other wasteful manner, are violated, and such penalties will be entered on the books of the Bureau against the respective buildings or property, and, if not collected, be returned in arrears in like manner as other charges for water.

5th. Charges for so-called extra water rents of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled of record on the books of the Department.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 10, 1886.

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

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

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

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted.

Notice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks, from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

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

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 29, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY SECTION.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

ADDITIONAL LANDS, SHAFTS 8 AND 15½.

To all persons interested in this proceeding:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FIRST
Separate Report of the above-mentioned Commissioners of Appraisal appointed herein on February 26, 1887, which report was filed on June 24, 1887, in the office of the Clerk of Westchester County, at the Court-house, in the village of White Plains, in said county, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house, in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on August 6, 1887, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated New York, July 8, 1887.

MORGAN J. O'BRIEN,
Counsel to the Corporation.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY SECTION.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of Hubert O. Thompson, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

To all persons interested in this proceeding:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
Second Separate Report of the above-mentioned Commissioners of Appraisal appointed herein on October 11, 1884, which report was filed on June 24, 1887, in the office of the Clerk of Westchester County, at the Court-house in the village of White Plains, in said county, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on August 6, 1887, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated New York, July 8, 1887.

MORGAN J. O'BRIEN,
Counsel to the Corporation.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 30, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE
"New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

William street regulating and grading, from Duane street to the intersection of North William street.

Willis avenue regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, paving, gutters and flagging sidewalks, between the Southern Boulevard and North Third avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-third street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, laying crosswalks and paving with trap-block pavement, from North Third avenue to Mott Haven Canal.

One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging and laying crosswalks, between Boston road and Union avenue.

Lexington avenue sewer, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fifth streets.

Morris avenue sewer, from the summit between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets to North Third avenue.

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

One Hundred and Thirty-third street sewer, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street sewer, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue.

One Hundred and Fifty-first street sewer, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.

One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street sewer, between Washington and Brook avenues.

Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on southeast corners of Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets; on northeast and southeast corners of Eighty-first street; on the northeast corner of Eighty-second street; on the northeast and northwest corners of Eighty-third, Eighty-fourth, Eighty-sixth, Eighty-seventh, and Eighty-eighth street and West End avenue.

Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on southeast and southwest corners of Ninety-second, Ninety-fourth, and Ninety-sixth streets; on southwest corner of Ninety-third street; on northeast and northwest corners of Ninety-sixth and Ninety-eighth streets, and on northwest corners of Ninety-ninth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and First, and One Hundred and Second streets, and West End avenue.

Receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of One Hundred and First street and Third avenue, and on the northeast, southeast, northwest and southwest corners of One Hundred and Sixth street and Fourth avenue.

First avenue fencing vacant lots, southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.

Fourth avenue fencing vacant lots, northwest corner of One Hundred and Ninth street.

Seventh avenue fencing vacant lots, east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

Seventh avenue fencing vacant lots, southeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

Seventh avenue fencing vacant lots, southwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

Ninety-sixth street fencing vacant lots, south side, between Second and Third avenues.

Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, and Fifth and Madison avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street fencing vacant lots, south side, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments July 19, 1887, and entered on the same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before October 5, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 26, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 917 OF THE
"New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

One Hundred and Eighteenth street opening, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

One Hundred and Nineteenth street opening, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

—which were confirmed by the Supreme Court, July 15, 1887, and entered on the 21st day of July, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before October 1, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 16, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz.:

Lexington avenue regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging, from One Hundred and Second street to Harlem river.

Washington street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Twelfth to Fourteenth street.

One Hundred and First street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Third to Fourth avenue.

One Hundred and Fourth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

One Hundred and Seventeenth street regulating, grading, curbing, guttering and flagging, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

One Hundred and Thirtieth street regulating, grading and flagging, from Old Broadway to the Boulevard.

Lexington avenue paving, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-first street, with granite-block pavement.

Sixty-fourth street paving, from First to Second avenue, with trap-block pavement.

Eighty-second street paving, from Avenue A to Avenue B, with granite-block pavement.

Ninety-first street paving, between Second and Fourth avenues, with trap-block pavement.

Ninety-third street paving, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with trap-block pavement.

One Hundred and Third street paving, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks, from First to Second avenue.

One Hundred and Seventh street paving, from Third to Lexington avenue, with trap-block pavement.

One Hundred and Ninth street paving, from Madison to Fourth avenue, with trap-block pavement.

One Hundred and Thirty-second street paving, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with trap-block pavement.

One Hundred and Thirty-third street paving, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

Seventy-second, Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets, alterations and improvements to basins northeast and northwest corners of West End avenue.

Eighty-first street basin, southeast corner of Avenue A.

One Hundred and Seventh street basin, northwest corner of First avenue.

One Hundred and Seventh street basin, northeast corner of First avenue.

One Hundred and Ninth street basin, southeast corner of Fourth avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-first street basin, northwest corner of Fourth avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street basin, on the north side at the junction of Manhattan street, and on south side, east and west corners of Manhattan street.

North Third avenue and Boston road sewer and appurtenances, between Brook avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, with branch in North Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-third and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets.

Forsyth street sewer, between Stanton and Houston streets.

Lexington avenue sewer, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, and Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, between Lexington and Fourth avenues, with alterations and improvements to existing sewers in Third avenue, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets.

Fourth avenue sewer, east side, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets.

Ninety-fourth street sewer, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

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

One Hundred and Fifth street sewer, between First avenue and Harlem river.

One Hundred and Fifteenth street sewer, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

Grand Boulevard flagging, additional course of, on west side, from Sixty-first to Sixty-third street.

Leroy street flagging, south side, from Greenwich to West street.

Seventh avenue flagging, with an additional course, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

Madison avenue fencing, east side, from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Eleventh street.

Seventy-seventh street fencing, south side, between Madison and Fourth avenues, and Fourth avenue, west side, between Seventy-sixth and Seventy-seventh streets, and Seventy-sixth street, north side, between Madison and Fourth avenues.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments June 29, 1887, and entered on the same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before September 3, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 11, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list in matter of acquiring title to Rider avenue, between East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court June 23, 1887, and entered on the 6th day of July, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 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 September 16, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 11, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of Kelly street, from Wales to Prospect avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, June 27, 1887, and entered on the 6th day of July, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 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 September 16, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 29, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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—which were confirmed by the Supreme Court June 17, 1887, and entered on the 27th day of June, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 917 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before September 3, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
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CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
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June 29, 1887.

INTEREST ON CITY BONDS AND STOCKS.

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

The Transfer Books will be closed from July 13, August 1, 1887.

E. V. LOEW, Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
New York, July 7, 1887.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 8, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 27, 1887, and entered on the 7th day of June, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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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 August 12, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 2, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 916 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Tenth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, May 13, 1887, and entered on the 27th day of May, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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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 August 6, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 2, 1887.

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 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

The same in 25 volumes, half bound..... 50 00

Complete sets, folded, ready for binding..... 15 00

Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound..... 10 00

Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell Room 23, Stewart Building."

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 29, 1887.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS ST.,
July 29, 1887.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS WILL sell at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on Monday, August 8, 1887, the following:

At the Sheepfold, Sixty-sixth Street and Eighth Avenue.

One lot of Sheep Fleeces.

One (1) seven-year old South Down Ewe.

Six (6) six-year old South Down Ewes.

Forty (40) Ram Lambs.

Ten (10) Ewe Lambs.

At the Shops, Eighty-fifth Street and Transverse Road.

One lot of Old Shovels, Spades, Rakes, Brooms, Forks, Scythes, Sicks, Bush Hooks, etc.

One lot of Old Water-closet Material.

One lot of Old Rope.

One lot of Old Plows (5).

One lot of Old Iron Foundries.

One (1) Old Mortise Machine.

One (1) Old Iron Churn Drill.

One lot of Old Hydrants.

Three (3) Mowing Machines.

One (1) Bay Horse.

One (1) Goat.

Eighty (80) Uniform Blouses.

Eighty (80) Uniform Body Coats.

One hundred and eighty-five (185) Uniform Pants.

One hundred and four (104) Winter Helmets.

One hundred (100) Summer Helmets.

At East River Park, Eighty-fourth Street and Avenue B.

One lot of Old Lumber.

The sale to begin at the Sheepfold, Sixty-sixth street and Eighth avenue, at 11 o'clock A. M., with the wool and sheep, and continue at the shops in Eighty-fifth street and Transverse road with the condemned tools and materials, and conclude at the East River Park with the lot of old lumber.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale.

All articles to be removed immediately after the sale.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 20, 1887.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M., on Monday, August 1, 1887:

No. 1.—For constructing a Sewer and Appurtenances in RIDER AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, with a Branch in ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, between Rider and Morris avenues.

No. 2.—For regulating, grading, setting curb stones, flagging the sidewalks and laying crosswalks in EAST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from the easterly curb-line of Willis avenue to the easterly house-line of Brown Place.

No. 3.—For laying crosswalks across the roadway of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET, between the easterly curb-line of Third avenue and the westerly curb-line of the Southern Boulevard, and across the roadways of the intersecting avenues.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately, that is, more than one work must not be included in the same estimate or envelope.

The nature and extent of each of the works, as near as it is possible to state them, in advance, is as follows:

NUMBER 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

2,550 linear feet of brick sewer, egg shaped, 28 inches by 42 inches, including rubble masonry cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

665 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete foundation and cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.

375 spurs for house connections.

34 manholes complete.

15 receiving-basins complete.

9,000 linear feet (below caps) of piles driven and cut off.

100,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.

50 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of cradle for pipe sewers.

550 cubic yards of broken stone for foundations in place.

In addition to the above quantities of work to be done, if sheet piling is required and ordered by the Engineer to be left in the trench, it will be measured and paid for at ONE-HALF of the price bid for lumber. (See section 14 (b) of the annexed Specifications.)

Also, the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested at the rate of FOUR DOLLARS per day.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

1,100 cubic yards of earth excavation.

1,500 cubic yards of rock excavation.

500 cubic yards of filling.

1,540 linear feet of new curb-stone furnished and set.

150 linear feet of old curb-stone reset.

6,040 square feet of new flagging furnished and laid.

800 square feet of old flagging relaid.

448 square feet of new bridge-stones for crosswalks furnished and laid, also the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested at the rate of three dollars per day.

NUMBER 3, ABOVE MENTIONED.

6,425 square feet of new bridge-stone for crosswalks furnished and laid, also the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested by the rate of three dollars per day.

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

1. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing statement, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of such statement, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the depth of the excavation to be made or the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

The person making any bid or estimate must furnish the same inclosed in a sealed envelope, to the head of said Department, at his office, on or before the day and hour above mentioned.

