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### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

STATED MEETING.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

TUESDAY, June 14, 1887,  
1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in their chamber, room 16, City Hall.

PRESENT:

Hon. Henry R. Beekman, President;

ALDERMEN

Patrick Divver,  
Vice-President,  
Alfred R. Conkling,  
James A. Cowie,  
Daniel E. Dowling,  
Hugh F. Farrell,  
William Ficke,

James E. Fitzgerald,  
Cornelius Flynn,  
Christian Goetz,  
Philip Holland,  
Jacob M. Long,  
James J. Mooney,  
John Murray,

Patrick N. Oakley,  
John Quinn,  
Charles P. Sanford,  
Matthew Smith,  
William Tait,  
James T. Van Rensselaer,  
William H. Walker.

The minutes of the meeting of June 7, 1887, were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By the President—

Petition of the Citizens' Freeman Electric Light Company, for permission to erect poles, etc., on the streets of the City, as follows:

To the Hon. HENRY R. BEEKMAN, President Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—The undersigned again respectfully petitions, on behalf of the Citizens' Freeman Electric Light Company, a corporation duly organized under the Laws of this State, and proposes, in consideration of a franchise to operate electric lights in this City, to agree to furnish to the City:

- 1st. All the electric lights of two thousand nominal candle power it may at any time require, for the sum of twenty cents per light for each light, averaging ten and a half hours.
- 2d. One such light free for every fifty such furnished private consumers.
- 3d. For permits to open streets, one cent a lineal foot, streets so occupied.

Dated New York, June 13, 1887.  
Respectfully submitted,

CITIZENS' FREEMAN ELECTRIC LIGHT CO.,

Per L. M. CLOSS, Attorney, etc.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 299.)

The Committee on Lamps and Gas, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of placing four lamps in front of the Synagogue "Kahal Adas Teshurun," Nos. 12 to 16 Eldridge street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That four lamp-posts be erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of the Synagogue "Kahal Adas Teshurun," Nos. 12 to 16 Eldridge street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

JAMES J. MOONEY,  
CHRISTIAN GOETZ,  
JACOB M. LONG,  
HUGH F. FARRELL,  
JOHN MURRAY,

Committee  
on  
Lamps and Gas.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 300.)

The Committee on County Affairs, to whom was referred the annexed ordinance in favor of amending the ordinance licensing drivers of hacking coaches, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they recommend that the said ordinance be adopted.  
AN ORDINANCE to repeal section 78, and sections 83 to 88, inclusive, of article VIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, in force January 1, 1881, and to license and regulate drivers of hackney carriages in said city.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:  
Section 1. The provisions of section 78, and sections 83 to 88, inclusive, of article VIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York are hereby repealed and annulled.

Sec. 2. The Mayor of the City of New York shall have full power and authority to license persons of mature age, citizens of the United States and residents of the State of New York, to drive hackney coaches or cabs in said city, such license to remain in force one year from the date thereof, unless sooner revoked or meanwhile suspended by said Mayor, in his discretion.

Sec. 3. Each and every applicant for such license shall produce satisfactory evidence of good character, and shall file in the Mayor's Marshal's office a certificate in writing, subscribed by at least two reputable citizens, and certifying that applicant has been personally well and favorably known to subscribers for at least one year previous.

Sec. 4. Each and every person so licensed shall pay as license fee therefor to the Mayor's Marshal, for benefit of the City Treasury, the sum of fifty cents annually.

Sec. 5. Each license shall be numbered and registered in the Mayor's Marshal's office, together with the name and residence of the person so licensed, and any change of residence must be reported at said office within three days thereafter under penalty of suspension of such license.

Sec. 6. Each and every driver so licensed shall, while waiting for employment and when employed, wear conspicuously upon the breast of his outer coat a metal badge of an approved shape and style, bearing legibly embossed thereon the number of his license, together with the words, "Licensed Hack Driver," under penalty of suspension or revocation of such license.

Sec. 7. No duplicate license or badge shall be issued, and in case a badge be lost, the license corresponding shall terminate, and the licensee thereof shall take out a new license, and pay therefor as hereinbefore provided, and every such loss must be reported at the Mayor's Marshal's office within ten days thereafter.

Sec. 8. Each hack driver so licensed may drive any duly licensed hackney coach, cab or carriage during the term of his license.

Sec. 9. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the foregoing provisions are hereby repealed.

Sec. 10. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

JOHN QUINN,  
MATTHEW SMITH,  
JAMES J. MOONEY, } Committee  
on  
County Affairs.

Which was laid over.

Subsequently, on motion of Alderman Quinn, the above reference was reconsidered. Alderman Van Rensselaer moved to amend by striking from section 2 the words "residents of the State of New York."

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

Which was decided in the negative on a division called by Alderman Dowling, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Goetz, Sanford, and Van Rensselaer—5.

Negative—Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Bennett, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Smith, Tait, and Walker—15.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the ordinance.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 301.)

The Committee on County Affairs, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of providing files and cases for the office of the Surrogate, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to provide for and furnish the office of the Surrogate with files known as the Tucker File and Automatic Suspension Cases, at a cost not to exceed the sum of thirteen hundred dollars (\$1,300), and charge the amount to the appropriation for "Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices."

JOHN QUINN,  
MATTHEW SMITH,  
JAMES J. MOONEY,  
JAMES T. VAN RENSSELAER, } Committee  
on  
County Affairs.

Which was laid over.

The Committee on County Affairs, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the New York City News Bureau to occupy a portion of the New County Court-house, respectfully

REPORT:

That, having examined the subject, they see no reason why the permission asked for should not be granted. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Newton Bigoney, manager of the New York City News Bureau, to place a table, with telegraphic attachments, in the room now occupied by the Law Telegraph Company, or the apartment adjoining, in the County Court-house for the purpose of sending forth news gathered in and about the said Court-house, the work done at the expense of the Bureau, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

JOHN QUINN,  
MATTHEW SMITH,  
JAMES T. VAN RENSSELAER,  
JAMES J. MOONEY, } Committee  
on  
County Affairs.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By the President—

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be and he is hereby respectfully requested to return to this Board, for amendment, a report of the Committee on Street Pavements, with resolution and ordinance, which passed May 31, 1887, for paving the roadway of Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninetieth street, with macadam pavement, being paper known as G. O. 253 of this Board.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Subsequently the resolution was received from his Honor the Mayor, and is as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Kingsbridge road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninetieth street, be paved with macadamized pavement, with Telford foundation, "except that the gutter be paved four feet wide with trap-block pavement, and that the space included between the line of the gutter nearest the centre of the road and the crosswalks at the intersecting streets be also paved with trap-block pavement," and that crosswalks be laid on the east and west sides thereof, at the intersecting streets; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Accompanied by the following message:

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

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

In accordance with the resolution of your Honorable Body, I return herewith the resolution heretofore adopted in reference to the macadamizing of Kingsbridge road. In this connection I beg leave to state that, in accordance with the request of the advocates and the opponents of the resolution, I gave them a hearing, which resulted in an agreement on their part favoring a roadway forty feet wide, to be made of Telford foundation with macadam finish, and a gutter of four feet on each side, making a total width for the street of forty-eight feet between the curbs, and that the remainder of the street should be added to the sidewalk for the purpose of planting trees. It seems to me desirable that the wishes of the property-owners should be consulted in this matter, and I therefore recommend the adoption of a resolution in accordance therewith.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

Alderman John Murray moved that the vote by which the resolution was adopted be reconsidered.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman John Murray, the papers were recommitted to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—

Whereas, From time to time attempts have been and are now being made to locate railway lines through some of the public parks in this City; and

Whereas, It has become necessary that the local authorities should declare the policy of this city in reference to the use of its parks, which should be accepted and followed as the expression of the will of the people by the Legislature, and all other bodies or persons, public or private; and therefore, be it

Resolved, That the public parks in this city are set apart and dedicated to the use and enjoyment of the people exclusively as places of resort for health and recreation, and that any use of the same for any other purposes, under whatever sanction, is an invasion of the rights of the people.

Resolved, That the use of any portion of said parks for railway purposes is a violation of this doctrine and should be and is hereby prohibited.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Department of Public Parks and to the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners of Rapid Transit have, in a recent report, fixed and located among other routes the so-called "Route Number Four," whereby it is proposed to construct, in Battery Park, a loop-line for the New York Elevated Railroad; and

Whereas, The efficiency of Battery Park, which was laid out at great cost for the benefit of the masses of the people, is thereby seriously threatened;



Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of New York respectfully request the said Board of Commissioners of Rapid Transit to consider the feasibility of locating the projected loop-line outside of the limits of Battery Park, viz., in the space lying within the northern boundary of said park, West street, Battery place, and State street, together with the several lots of private property adjacent thereto.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Board of Commissioners of Rapid Transit.

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

Which was decided in the negative, on a division called by Vice-President Divver, as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, and Van Rensselaer—3.

Negative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Dowling, Ficke, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, and Walker—16.

Alderman Sanford moved to take from the table the following resolution:

Resolved, That a Committee of five be appointed by the President of this Board to investigate the public charges made reflecting on members of this Board in matter of lighting the city with electricity. The Committee to have power to send for persons and papers.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

On motion of Alderman Sanford, the paper was ordered on file.

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Counsel to the Corporation:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, No. 8 CITY HALL, }  
NEW YORK, June 13, 1887. }

Hon. E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation:

SIR—A message was sent to the Board of Aldermen by his Honor the Mayor on the 24th ult., transmitting a copy of the report of the Board of Rapid Transit Commissioners, recently appointed under the provisions of chapter 606, Laws of 1875, as amended, for the information of the public and in order to enable the Board "to form a judgment upon the new routes recommended, when, in pursuance of law, its action will be asked for."

One of these routes, known as "Route Number Four," passes through and over the Battery Park.

I have the honor to request your opinion for submission to the Board of Aldermen whether Commissioners appointed under the statute above mentioned have any power to locate or authorize the construction of a railway upon, through or over any of the public parks in this city.

Yours respectfully,

HENRY R. BEEKMAN, President of the Board of Aldermen.

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION, }  
NEW YORK, June 14, 1887. }

Hon. HENRY R. BEEKMAN, President Board of Aldermen:

SIR—I am in receipt of your communication under date of June 13, 1887, inquiring whether, in my opinion, Commissioners appointed under the Rapid Transit Act have any power to locate or authorize the construction of a railway upon, through or over any of the public parks in this city.

The statute under which such Commissioners act is chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875. The fourth section of that act, as originally passed, is as follows:

"§ 4. Said commissioners shall, within thirty days after [their] organization, determine upon the necessity of such steam railway or railways, and if they find such railway or railways to be necessary in such county, they shall, within sixty days after such organization, fix and determine the route or routes for such steam railway or railways, and the said commissioners shall have the exclusive power to locate the route or routes of such railway or railways, over, under, through or across the streets, avenues, places or lands in such county, 'except Broadway and Fifth avenue, below Fifty-ninth street, and Fourth avenue, above Forty-second street, in the city of New York,' and except such portions of streets and avenues as are already legally designated for the main line of or occupied by an elevated or underground railway, in actual operation, and except such as are contained in public parks, or occupied by buildings belonging to such county, or to this State, or to the United States, and except that portion of the city of Buffalo lying between Michigan and Main streets, and to provide for the connection or junction, etc., etc."

It is contended that the words "such as" occurring after the third exception operate to restrict the phrase "as are contained in public parks" to portions of streets and avenues, upon the theory that the subject immediately preceding is "streets and avenues;" it being a familiar rule of grammar that a predicate qualifies the subject next immediately preceding.

In this opinion I do not concur.

If this be the meaning of the section it is awkwardly expressed. The idea would be more easily and naturally conveyed by the phrase "and except such portions of streets and avenues as are already legally designated for the main line of or occupied by an elevated or underground railway, in actual operation, or are occupied by buildings belong to such county, or to this State, or to the United States."

The true analysis of the sentence—an analysis quite within grammatical rules—is in my opinion as follows:

The primary subject of this part of the sentence is the "streets, avenues, places or lands in such county" over which the Commissioners are authorized to locate the route. Of this subject there are predicted four groups of exceptions. In each group there may be one or more sub-subjects, but each group is related directly to the primary subject and not at all to the sub-subject of another group. The sentence may be thus analyzed:

The Commissioners may locate routes over, under, etc., the streets, avenues, places or lands, generally:

1. Except, in New York city, Broadway and Fifth avenue, below Fifty-ninth street, and Fourth avenue, above Forty-second street;
2. Except, in every city, such portions of streets and avenues as are already legally designated for the main line of or occupied by an elevated or underground railway, in actual operation;
3. Except, in every city, such as are contained in public parks, or occupied by buildings belonging to such county or to this State or to the United States;
4. Except, in the city of Buffalo, that portion of said city lying between Michigan and Main streets.

When thus analyzed it is plain that the third exception refers to the primary subject, or rather to that part of it, viz.: "places or lands" of which it may be properly predicated.

I am confirmed in this opinion by these additional considerations:

First—Buildings belonging to the county or State or to the United States do not occupy "portions of streets and avenues," though they do occupy "places or lands."

Second—I do not know whether any streets and avenues or portions thereof are in fact contained in any public park. If they are so contained, they are longitudinal strips of land of greater or less width, bounded on either side by other lands devoted to park uses, and, presumably, improved with turf, trees, shrubs, etc., as public parks usually are. The construction contended for would forbid the location of a railway route on the longitudinal strip originally a street, but would permit such location on a similar strip of park land immediately adjoining it and perhaps not twenty feet distant. It is hard to conceive what purpose such a discrimination could possibly subserve.

Third—The twenty-sixth section of the same act provides that every corporation formed under the act shall have power "to enter upon the several streets, avenues, public places and lands designated by the Commissioners, with right to use the same for railway purposes;" "but no such corporation shall have the right to acquire the use or occupancy of public parks or squares in such county, or the use or occupancy of any of the streets or avenues, except such as may have been designated for the route of such railway, etc." In this sentence the repetition of the words "use or occupancy" clearly indicates that the exception qualifies only the last subject, viz.: "streets or avenues." Otherwise the sentence would have read "but no such corporation shall have the right to acquire the use or occupancy of public parks or squares, streets or avenues in such county, except such as may have been designated."

The only remaining question to be considered is whether subsequent amendments have modified the original statute so far as public parks are concerned.

Section 4 (the one heretofore analyzed) was amended by chapter 417, Laws of 1880.

The phraseology of the second exception was by this act slightly modified, the words "already legally designated for the main line of, or occupied by an elevated or underground railway in actual operation," being altered to "already legally authorized for or occupied by an elevated or underground railway."

No other change was made save that an entirely new group of excepted avenues, located wholly in the city of Brooklyn, was inserted between the first and second original groups of exceptions, their enumeration prefaced as before by the words "and except."

The same section was again modified by chapter 485, Laws of 1881. The only change then made was the insertion of a new group of excepted places, located wholly in the city of Brooklyn, between the last amendment and the original second group, their enumeration prefaced as before by the words "and except."

My attention has been called to no other amendment of the original act.

In 1882 the act (chap. 410) "to consolidate into one act and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," was passed. The compilers of that act sought to embody in the XXVth chapter thereof existing provisions of law specially and locally affecting occupation or use of the streets of this city.

In section 1944 they incorporated verbatim chapter 529, Laws of 1879, forbidding the use of certain streets and parts of streets (not enumerated in chapter 606 of 1875) by elevated railroads.

In section 1945 they incorporated the provisions of § 41 of the Act of 1875, forbidding like use of St. Nicholas avenue or the boulevards.

In section 1946 they sought to incorporate the first, second and third groups of exceptions contained in the original act. They left out the fourth group (in the city of Buffalo), and the groups inserted by the acts of 1880 and 1881 (in the city of Brooklyn), and also the general grant of power to the Commissioners, contained in the Act of 1875—all such provisions not being special or local laws. When this was done, however, the primary subject disappeared, and when they prefaced the new section with words of prohibition, intended to take the place of the exceptions to a grant of power, the third group of exceptions was left without any subject, except the original sub-subject of the next preceding group. The remodeled section then read:

"§ 1946. It shall not be lawful for Commissioners, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875 or the amendments thereof to locate the route or routes of any railway over, under, through or across Broadway or Fifth avenue, below Fifty-ninth street, Fourth avenue above Forty-second street, in the City of New York, nor over, under, through or across such portions of streets and avenues as are already legally designated for the main line of or occupied by an elevated or underground railway, in actual operation, nor over, under, through or across such as are contained in public parks, nor over, under, through, or across such as are occupied by buildings belonging to the county, or to this State, or to the United States."

No change, however, was made in § 26 of the Act of 1875 above cited.

Does this change modify the original act of 1875, by repealing the clause forbidding the location of these routes in public parks? I am of the opinion that it does not. In a case like this the intention of the Legislature will prevail, if such intention can be deduced from a comparison of all the statutes in pari materia.

Such comparison plainly shows the origin of the section in the Consolidation Act. The fact, moreover, that the prohibitory provisions of § 26 of the original act are in such later act preserved unchanged seems so clearly to indicate the legislative intent that in my opinion the Courts would not hold that the salutary provisions of the original statute were repealed by the passage of the Consolidation Act.

I remain very respectfully yours,

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By the President—

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to erect a fountain within the stoop-line, at the Italian School, No. 156 Leonard street, by the Children's Aid Society, the work to be done at their own expense, and under the supervision and control of the Department of Public Works; this permission is to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Vice-President Divver—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the proprietors of Forepaugh's show, at Erastina, Staten Island, to have four buglers parade in the streets of the City of New York to advertise the said show; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Samuel E. Briggs to pave the sidewalk in front of Nos. 309 and 311 Cherry street, and Nos. 554 and 556 Water street, with trap-block pavement, at his own expense, and under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the permission hereby given to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Burns Brothers to construct a vault, extending from the stoop-line in front of No. 25 East street to the bulkhead, said vault to be eighteen inches wide and twenty-seven inches deep, as shown in the accompanying diagram, provided that the said Burns Brothers pay the usual fee; that the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that a stipulation be entered into between the said Burns Brothers and the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may occur, caused by the construction of said vault during said construction or subsequent to the completion of said vault, the work to be done at Burns Brothers own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Bennett—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas McGuire to erect and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, inside the stoop-line at No. 2 Stuyvesant street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 303.)

By Alderman Ficke—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Freidhoff & Meyer to place and keep an improved iron drinking-fountain in front of their premises, No. 32 First avenue, north-east corner of Second street, the work to be done and water supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 304.)

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Blakely to lay a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone across Broadway, from the main entrance of the United States Post-office to No. 233 opposite, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Reilly to stand with a push cart on the southwest corner of Nassau and Pine streets, and retail milk; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commissioners for Lighting the City be and they are hereby respectfully requested to cause Liberty street, from Broadway to West street, to be lighted with electric lights.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 305.)

By Alderman Long—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain (for man and beast) be placed at the south-east corner of One Hundred and Tenth street and Fifth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That the grade of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from the east side of Twelfth avenue to the Hudson River Railroad tracks, be changed so as to conform with the red lines and figures, as shown on the accompanying map.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By the same—

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid across One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, on a line parallel and within the lines of the sidewalk on the west side of Madison avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Madison avenue to Fifth avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, except that a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid at or near the intersection of each terminating avenue, and within the lines of the sidewalk thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.



By Alderman Mooney—

Resolved, That Brommer's Union Park, located between the Southern Boulevard and the Bronx Kills, Willis and Brook avenues, be and is hereby excepted from the provisions of section 181 of Article XIII. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, relating to the firing of fireworks during the afternoon and evening of Thursday, June 16, 1887, being the occasion of the annual picnic of the Schnorer Club of Morrisania.

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

By the same—

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows :

Any person using a bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, or other such instrument of propulsion on the public streets of this city, shall be required to carry a light on such instrument after sundown and before sunrise, of sufficient illuminating power to be visible at a distance of two hundred feet ; also, an alarm bell, which shall be sounded on approaching and crossing the intersection of any street or avenue. Any violation of this ordinance shall be punished as a misdemeanor.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That Sedgwick avenue, between its intersection with the northerly curb-line of Montgomery avenue and its intersection with the southerly curb-line of Van Courtland avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, be regulated and graded upon the established grade, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space of four feet wide between said limits, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lands, Places and Park Department.

By Alderman John Murray—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frederick Horling to place and keep a watering-trough on the southwest corner of Ninth avenue and Eighty-fourth street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Fifteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses of blue stone be laid across the Boulevard, on a line parallel and within the lines of the sidewalks on the northerly and southerly sides of Seventy-fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Emanuel Scheyer to erect a sign, two feet wide and ten feet long, in front of his place of business, No. 280 Bowery, the said sign to be ten feet above the sidewalk, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and hereby is given to Abner W. Colgate to erect and maintain a drinking-fountain, consisting of a single self-closing faucet and drip-tray, within the stoop-line in front of the Young Men's Institute, at No. 222 Bowery, and not to extend more than two (2) feet from the front of the said building, for the purpose of furnishing free iced water to the public during the summer months, the water to be supplied from within the said building, and the work to be done all at the expense of the said Abner W. Colgate ; this permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Quinn—

Resolved, That the trustees of the Gospel Tabernacle, corner of Forty-fifth street and Madison avenue, and Gospel Tent, corner of Fifty-fifth street and Broadway, be permitted to place and retain canvas transparencies on and over the lamp-posts, corner of Fifty-fifth street and Seventh avenue, and corner of Fifty-fifth street and Broadway (the said lamp-posts not being now used by the city), for the period of three months, the work to be done and light supplied at their own expense and permission to be granted during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Alderman Sanford moved that the Committee on Lamps and Gas be discharged from the further consideration of the following :

Resolved, That the resolution, approved November 29, 1886, permitting the placing of an ornamental lamp on the unused public lamp-post at the southwest corner of Park avenue and Forty-second street, be and the same is hereby annulled and repealed.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

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

By Alderman Smith—

Resolved, That Sixty-fifth street, from Avenue A to the East river, be regulated, graded, curbed and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

(G. O. 306.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Eighty-eighth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, and in Eighty-ninth street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 307.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the free-drinking hydrant now on the west side of Second avenue, opposite No. 1873, be removed and placed at or near the northeast corner of Ninety-seventh street and Second avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 308.)

By Alderman Smith—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block bounded by Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, Third and Lexington avenues, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Van Rensselaer—

Resolved, That the opinion of the Honorable the Counsel to the Corporation be and hereby is respectfully requested in answer to the question, whether the existing provisions of law as embodied in section 828, and the succeeding sections of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, are mandatory in requiring a meeting of the Board of Aldermen at noon on the first Monday of July in each year, to receive from the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments the assessment rolls of the City, or whether, the first Monday of July falling as it does in the present year on the fourth day of that month, being "Independence Day," and a legal holiday, the Board of Aldermen would comply with the law by holding a meeting for the purpose named, at noon on Tuesday, the 5th day of July.

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

REPORTS RESUMED.

(G. O. 309.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting J. McGrady to place and keep an iron hitching-post at No. 108 Norfolk street, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James McGrady to erect an iron hitching-post, about three and one-half feet high, in front of his premises, No. 108 Norfolk street, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

ALFRED R. CONKLING, } Committee  
JOHN MURRAY, } on  
PATRICK DIVVER, } Public Works.  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 310.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting P. Flanagan to keep a watering-trough at Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twentieth street, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peter Flanagan to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, One Hundred and Twentieth street and Lexington avenue, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

ALFRED R. CONKLING, } Committee  
JOHN MURRAY, } on  
PATRICK DIVVER, } Public Works.  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, }

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting James Everard to extend vaults at Nos. 28 and 30 West Twenty-eighth street, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed permission may be granted without detriment to the public, especially so as all proper safeguards against loss or damage to the City have been inserted in the resolution. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Everard to extend the vaults in front of Nos. 28 and 30 West Twenty-eighth street, a distance of five feet beyond the curb-line upon payment of the usual fees ; provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said James Everard shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the building or extension of said vault during the progress or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

ALFRED R. CONKLING, } Committee  
JOHN MURRAY, } on  
PATRICK DIVVER, } Public Works.  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, }

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 311.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from St. Nicholas to Edgecombe avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Edgecombe avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

ALFRED R. CONKLING, } Committee  
JOHN MURRAY, } on  
PATRICK DIVVER, } Public Works.  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 312.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots in the block bounded by One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, and Fifth and Sixth avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots in the block bounded by One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, Fifth and Sixth avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

ALFRED R. CONKLING, } Committee  
JOHN MURRAY, } on  
PATRICK DIVVER, } Public Works.  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 313.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lot southeast corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lot on the southeast corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

ALFRED R. CONKLING, } Committee  
JOHN MURRAY, } on  
PATRICK DIVVER, } Public Works.  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 314.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying water-pipes in One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they find the proposed improvement to be necessary, as there are a number of first-class buildings on this street which have been recently erected, and water is indispensable. Your Committee therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lay water-mains in One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

ALFRED R. CONKLING, } Committee  
JOHN MURRAY, } on  
PATRICK DIVVER, } Public Works.  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 315.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing lots on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Madison avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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



Resolved, That the excavated lots on northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and Madison avenue, fronting unfinished buildings, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

ALFRED R. CONKLING,  
JOHN MURRAY,  
PATRICK DIVVER,  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN,

Committee  
on  
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G.O. 316.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying water-pipes in Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-fifth to One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

ALFRED R. CONKLING,  
JOHN MURRAY,  
PATRICK DIVVER,  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN,

Committee  
on  
Public Works.

Which was laid over.

MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

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

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted May 31, 1887, that gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Webster avenue, from Bedford Park station to Olin avenue, and in Olin avenue, from Bronx river to the New Reservoir. The Commissioner of Public Works reports that the portions of Webster avenue and Olin avenue included in the resolution are mere country roadways, are not regulated and graded and are without sidewalks. The total distance included in the resolution is 6,700 feet. The resolution therefore appears to be premature.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Webster avenue, from Bedford Park station to Olin avenue, and in Olin avenue, from Bronx river to the New Reservoir, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

By Alderman Conkling—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That Henry McLaughlin be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Corcoran—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Farrell—

Resolved, That John C. Vanloon be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Ficke—

Resolved, That Herman Fromme and George F. Langbein be and are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Holland—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Long—

Resolved, That Solon P. Rothschild and Joseph Brewster Roe be and they are hereby respectively reappointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That John F. O'Reilly be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Menninger—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That William H. Lindsey be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Tait—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Van Rensselaer—

Resolved, That the name of Charles C. Adams, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, be corrected so as to read "Charles A. Adams."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS RESUMED.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Commissioners of the Department of Charities and Correction :

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, June 14, 1887.

Hon. HENRY R. BEEKMAN, President :

DEAR SIR—Enclosed please find a resolution passed by this Board, and I am directed to request that your Honorable Board will pass the necessary ordinance to enable the purchase of the steam launch for ferry purposes to Ward's Island, without advertising and contracting therefor.

Very respectfully,

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Resolved, That the Honorable the Common Council of the City of New York be and the same are hereby respectfully requested to pass the necessary ordinance to permit the Board of Public Charities and Correction to purchase a suitable steam-launch, at a cost not to exceed two thousand dollars (\$2,000), to ply between Ward's Island and One Hundred and Fifteenth street, in the said City of New York, and perform such other service as may be deemed expedient and necessary by the said Board, the said purchase to be made without advertising for proposals and contracting therefor, the whole to be in accordance with section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

NEW YORK, June 14, 1887.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Counsel to the Corporation :

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,  
NEW YORK, June 8, 1887.

F. J. TWOMEY, Esq., Clerk of the Board of Aldermen :

SIR—In accordance with the request contained in a resolution adopted by your Honorable Board on the 10th day of July, 1886, I beg leave to inform you that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, in the matter of opening One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, was confirmed on the 27th day of May, 1887.

The title to the land within the lines of said street is now vested in the City.

Yours respectfully,

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Comptroller :

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

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen :

Weekly statement, showing the appropriations made under the authority contained in section 189, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for carrying on the Common Council, from January 1 to December 31, 1887, both days inclusive, and of the payments made up to and including the date hereof, for and on account of each appropriation, and the amount of unexpended balances.

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$330 74	\$1,169 26
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council. ....	200 00	.....	200 00
Salaries—Common Council.....	71,000 00	29,001 08	41,998 92
For Engrossing Resolutions of the Board of Aldermen on occasion of the death of ex-President Chester A. Arthur.....	200 00	.....	200 00
For Expenses of Re-engrossing Resolutions of the Common Council on the occasion of the defense of Fort Sumter by General Robert Anderson, which were destroyed by fire.....	200 00	.....	200 00
For Engrossing Resolutions of the Board of Aldermen on Presentation of the Freedom of the City to M. Bartholdi.....	200 00	.....	200 00

E. V. LOEW, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Conkling moved that G. O. 296, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That the triangular space situated between the easterly curb-line of St. Nicholas avenue and the westerly curb-line of Edgecomb avenue, from a point about fifteen feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, and running south to the intersection near One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, be paved with granite-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

—be taken from the list of General Orders and placed on file.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Mooney, by unanimous consent, called up G. O. 293, being a resolution, as follows : Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Lind avenue, from Devoe to Wolf street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 294, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted, where not already done, in St. Ann's avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Westchester road, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 295, being a resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Brook avenue to St. Ann's avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt the several resolutions. Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—19.

Alderman Flynn called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 117) of resolution, as follows :

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Superintendent of the United States Mail delivery wagons to place a water-tap on the south side of Mail street, near Broadway, for the purpose of supplying water to nearly three hundred horses used in their business, 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.

Alderman Van Rensselaer arose to a point of order, and stated it to be, that as section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882 provided that resolutions contemplating any extension of the water supply for the city should receive the approval of the Mayor, it was not competent for the Board to pass any such resolution, notwithstanding the Mayor's objection, as expressed in the veto.

The President ruled the point of order to be not well taken, on the ground that the resolution did not contemplate any extension of the water system, but was for a supply to a private party, from a system already in existence.

The Board then, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, and Walker—17.

Negative—Aldermen Conkling and Van Rensselaer—2.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS AGAIN RESUMED.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk :

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE—NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, June 14, 1887.

Hon. HENRY R. BEEKMAN, President Board of Aldermen :

DEAR SIR—The following enclosed list contains the names of Commissioners of Deeds whose terms of office expire during the current month.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES A. FLACK, County Clerk.

Name.	Term Expires.
Thomas Auld, Jr.....	June 26, 1887
Herbert P. Brush.....	" 20, "
Charles W. Bohlmann.....	" 20, "
Charles D. Blair.....	" 22, "
Charles Benn.....	" 22, "
Thomas J. Crombie.....	" 5, "
Libertas W. Chalmers.....	" 22, "
Halcyon M. Close.....	" 26, "
Stephen C. Chappel.....	" 26, "
Morris Cooper.....	" 26, "
Charles W. Cummins.....	" 26, "
Peter F. Callahan.....	" 13, "
Franklin P. Duffey.....	" 5, "
William M. Downes.....	" 20, "
Charles Ralph Evans.....	" 5, "
Charles M. Earle.....	" 20, "



Name.	Term Expires.
Alfred Faulkel.....	June 22, 1887
Lewis E. Ford.....	" 22, "
Charles A. Garthwaite.....	" 20, "
George Hopcroft.....	" 20, "
Merritt E. Haviland.....	" 20, "
John H. Hunt.....	" 22, "
William Hughes.....	" 22, "
John W. Jordan.....	" 22, "
Herman C. Kinkel.....	" 20, "
James A. Kehoe.....	" 26, "
William H. Lindsey.....	" 5, "
George F. Langbein.....	" 22, "
John McAdam.....	" 13, "
Henry McLaughlin.....	" 20, "
Michael G. Murray.....	" 13, "
Samuel Mosheim.....	" 27, "
Rollin M. Morgan.....	" 22, "
John Miller.....	" 22, "
Eugene P. Medanich.....	" 26, "
D. H. Patton.....	" 22, "
J. Jamison Raphael.....	" 13, "
Charles Rathfelder.....	" 20, "
Joseph B. Roe.....	" 20, "
William B. Rankin.....	" 20, "
S. Pierre Rothschild.....	" 22, "
Bernard Reinach.....	" 26, "
Thomas Shanley.....	" 20, "
Leo Sonneberg.....	" 20, "
Herman Schmidt.....	" 22, "
Thomas Sheridan.....	" 20, "
John H. Tennis.....	" 22, "
Benjamin F. Trumpy.....	" 20, "
John A. Thompson.....	" 20, "
August Urban.....	" 9, "
Enoch Vreeland, Jr.....	" 20, "
John C. Van Loon.....	" 13, "
Edward E. Van Saun.....	" 26, "
Joseph T. Webster.....	" 20, "
Forman Whitney.....	" 22, "
Edgar Williams.....	" 22, "
David L. Woodall.....	" 20, "

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Dowling called up G. O. 289, being a resolution and ordinance as follows:  
Resolved, That the sidewalks on the east side of the Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets, be flagged full width, where not already so flagged, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—19.

Alderman Dowling called up G. O. 280, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
Resolved, That the vacant lots in block bounded by One Hundred and Fourteenth street to One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Fourth to Madison avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—19.

Alderman Holland called up G. O. 234, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
Resolved, That the roadway of Seventy-seventh street, from Ninth avenue to the east side of the Boulevard, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—19.

Alderman Holland called up G. O. 276, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
Resolved, That the vacant lots on the west side of Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets, and on the south side of One Hundred and Twelfth street, between Madison and Fourth avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—19.

Alderman Conkling called up G. O. 268, being a resolution, as follows:  
Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Fifth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—19.

Alderman Goetz called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 114) of resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid across the Bowery, from opposite No. 201 to No. 192, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Street Pavements and Regrading."

The Board then, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, proceeded to reconsider the same, and, upon a vote being taken thereon, was finally lost, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—18.

The President called up G. O. 238, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:  
Resolved, That curb-stones be set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, where not already done, on Eighty-fifth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Flynn, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—18.

On motion of Alderman Van Rensselaer, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper was again laid over.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Dowling moved that the Board do now adjourn.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.  
And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, June 21, 1887, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

#### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

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

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, 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

RICHARD CROKER

a Commissioner of the Fire Department of the City of New York, for the term of six years from the first day of May, 1887, to succeed Elward Smith, whose term of office has expired.

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

THEODORE W. MYERS,

a Commissioner of Public Parks, in the City of New York, for the term of five years from the first day of May, 1887, in place of Jesse W. Powers, whose term of office has expired.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,  
Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, May 21, 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

CHARLES H. MARSHALL

a Commissioner of the Department of Docks of the City of New York, for the term of six years from the first day of May, 1887, in place of Joseph Koch, whose term of office has expired.

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, 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.

#### BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Street Opening and Improvement will meet in the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Thursday, June 16, 1887, at 2 o'clock P. M., of that day, to consider the proposed widening and extension of Elm street, and other business before the Board.

WM. V. I. MERCER,  
Secretary.

#### 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. LULLEY, Auditor.

#### BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

#### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

##### Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY R. 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. KESE, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## Comptroller's Office.

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

## Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

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

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

## Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

## Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

## Office of the City Paymaster.

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

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

## Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

## Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 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 3 P. M.

## Headquarters.

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

## Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

## Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

## Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

## Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'ONCH, 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.  
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.  
MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, Chief Clerk.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HUGH J. GRANT, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest Clerk.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES J. SLEVIN, Register; JAMES J. MARTIN, Deputy Register.

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE

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

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.  
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Bookkeeper.

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

## SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.  
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.

General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.  
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.  
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.

Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.

Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.  
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

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

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

## CITY COURT.

## City Hall.

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

## OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A. M.  
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

## COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

## POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, Jr., JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY.  
GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.  
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.  
First District—Tombs, Centre street.  
Second District—Jefferson Market.  
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.  
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.  
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.  
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 8, 1887.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR FORAGE.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING  
350,000 pounds of Hay, of the quality and standard known as best Sweet Timothy.  
30,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.  
2,500 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.  
500 bags clean, sound Yellow Corn, 112 pounds to the bag.  
500 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.  
—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Parks, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, New York, until eleven o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 22, 1887.  
The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall present the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Forage," with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of presentation, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read, and the award of the contract will be made as soon thereafter as practicable.  
The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the said Department, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him or their bid or estimate, and that the sureties offered by him or them have been approved by the Comptroller; 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 thereupon the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The delivery to commence at such time as the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks may designate.  
N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate, and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items called for in the specifications, or which contain bids for items not called for therein. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Department of Public Parks to reject any or all estimates which it may deem prejudicial to the public interest. 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.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimates, 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 required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested they shall distinctly state the fact; also that such estimate is made without any connection with any other person making a bid or estimate for the same purpose, 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.

The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making such estimate that the several matters therein stated are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested in the estimate the verification must 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 making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of 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 or otherwise; 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, 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.

All of the articles are to be delivered in such quantities and at such times as may be directed, at the following places:

Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue (Arsenal).  
Sixty-fourth street and Eighth avenue (Sheepfold).  
Eighty-fifth street, Transverse road (Stables).  
One Hundred and Fifty street and Fifth avenue (Stables).

One Hundred and Forty-third street and College avenue (Stables).

N. B.—The amount of security required is two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

Blank forms of proposals and form of agreement, including the specifications, and showing the mode of payment can be obtained on application to the Secretary at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

M. C. D. BORDEN,  
JOHN D. CRIMMINS,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
THEODORE W. MYERS,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of construction under new plan.)

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 248.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST THIRTY-FIRST STREET, NORTH RIVER, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER, NEW 67, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A NEW WOODEN Pier, with its appurtenance, at the foot of West Thirty-first street, 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," foot of Battery Place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 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 an award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Thirteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars.

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

	Feet B. M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	44,367
" " " " 12" x 12".....	214,383
" " " " 10" x 12".....	15,417
" " " " 10" x 10".....	20,105
" " " " 8" x 14".....	34,482
" " " " 8" x 16".....	512
" " " " 8" x 15".....	1,960
" " " " 8" x 14".....	1,512
" " " " 8" x 12".....	5,861
" " " " 8" x 10".....	32,393
" " " " 8" x 8".....	29,973
" " " " 7" x 14".....	39,271
" " " " 7" x 12".....	817
" " " " 6" x 12".....	5,558
" " " " 6" x 10".....	12,330
" " " " 6" x 11".....	5,912
" " " " 6" x 10".....	3,316
" " " " 6" x 8".....	2,762
" " " " 5" x 12".....	3,950
" " " " 5" x 11".....	5,280
" " " " 5" x 10".....	70,560
" " " " 4" x 12".....	1,050
" " " " 4" x 10".....	124,873
" " " " 3" x 12".....	558
" " " " 2" x 4".....	7,538
" " " " 1½" x 6".....	4,258
" " " " 1" x 14".....	621
Total.....	680,709

NOTE—This yellow pine timber is to be furnished by the Department of Docks to the contractor free of charge, in the water or on a pier or bulkhead at or near to the site of the new pier, as hereinafter specified, and the contractor is to raft it at his own expense.



Feet B. M. measured in the work.	
2. Spruce Timber, 8" x 8".....	861
" " 3" x 12".....	192
" " 3" x 10".....	7,295
" " 3" x 7".....	950
" " 3" plank.....	112,215
" " 1 1/2" x 8".....	470
Total.....	121,989
3. Spruce Timber, crosscut, 4" x 6".....	206
" " 2" plank.....	1,946
Total.....	2,152
4. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12".....	8,732
" " 7" x 10".....	45,865
Total.....	54,597

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber to be furnished by the contractor are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

5. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles.....	1,142
(These piles will be from about 75 feet to about 85 feet in length, to average about 80 feet in length.)	
6. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet long.....	32
7. 3/8" x 28", 3/8" x 24", 3/8" x 22", 3/8" x 14", 3/8" x 12", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 20", 3/4" x 18", 3/4" x 17", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 14", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10", 3/4" x 8", 3/4" x 7", square, and 3/8" x 8", 1/2" x 8", 1/2" x 4 1/2", 3/8" x 6", round wrought-iron Dock Spikes, 5/8" x 6" Railroad Spikes, 5-inch wrought-iron Nails, and 3-inch Wood-screws, about 65,700 pounds.	
8. 6-inch Cut Spikes and 40 dry. Cut Nails, about.....	2,000
9. Boiler-plate armatures, about.....	11,200
10. 2", 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1 1/8", 1" 3/8", 3/4", and 3/8" Wrought-iron Screw-bolts with their heads and nuts, about.....	26,300
11. Galvanized Wrought-iron Straps, Bolts and Washers, about.....	578
12. Cast-iron Mooring Posts, Mooring Cleats and Separators, about.....	14,256
13. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/4", 1 1/8", 1", 3/4" and 3/8" Screw Bolts, about.....	15,100
14. Wrought-iron Strap Bolts, Straps and Plates, about.....	2,100
15. Rolled "I" Beams, about.....	72,380
16. Wrought-iron, Angle Iron and Rivets, about.....	7,570
17. Wrought-iron Washers, about.....	550
18. 3/4" and 1/2" round, Iron Hangers and Dogs, about.....	32
19. 1" Wire Rope, about.....	32 lin. feet.
20. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving and rafting of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, stay-lathing, painting, oiling or tarring, and furnishing the materials for stay-lathing, painting, oiling or tarring, and labor of every description, as set forth in the specifications, for an area of about 50,360 square feet of new pier.	

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 location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or 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 to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation, beyond the amount payable for the 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 contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the seventeenth day of October 1887, or within as many days thereafter as the site of the new pier shall be occupied by the Department of Docks in dredging, or as the timber to be furnished under this contract is delayed in its delivery by said Department, as hereinafter provided, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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 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 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 to by all the parties interested.*

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon 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 upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work 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 this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the 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 the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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 the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,

CHARLES H. MARSHALL,

Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, June 8, 1887.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 246.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, NORTH RIVER; FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW CRIB-BULKHEAD AT AND SOUTHERLY OF WEST ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, NORTH RIVER, AND FOR REPAIRING THE CRIB-BULKHEAD NORTHERLY OF THE CRIB-PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST ONE HUNDRED, AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a New Wooden Pier, with its appurtenances, at the foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-second street, North river; for preparing for and building a new crib-bulkhead, with its appurtenances, at and southerly of West One Hundred and Thirty-second street, North river, and for repairing the crib-bulkhead northerly of the crib-pier at the foot of West One Hundred and Thirty-first street 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," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 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 Eight Thousand Dollars.

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

#### CLASS I.

Dredging for the site of the new crib-bulkhead and its return, in the slip between West One Hundred and Thirty-first street and West One Hundred and Thirty-second street, North river, and for the site of the new pier, about.....10,500 cubic yards.

#### CLASS II.

##### NEW CRIB-BULKHEAD.

1. New Crib-work complete, including all logs, timbers, spikes, stone-filling, fenders, fender-piles, mooring-posts and backing-logs, about.....129,300 cubic feet.

NOTE.—This quantity is estimated from the underside of the backing-log down to the bottom of the cribwork.

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

3. Labor and material for all filling and grading over and in rear of new crib-bulkhead and wings, about.....4,500 cubic yards.

#### CLASS III.

##### REPAIRS TO EXISTING CRIB-BULKHEAD.

1. New crib-work complete, including all logs, timbers, spikes, stone-filling and earth-filling, fenders, mooring-posts, backing logs, etc., about.....11,592 cubic feet.

NOTE.—This quantity is estimated from the underside of the backing log to the bottom of the new crib-work, at about mean low water-mark.

2. Labor of excavating old crib-work and disposal of material, about.....400 cubic yards.

3. Labor of back-filling and grading, about.....570 "

4. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, etc., as set forth in the specifications.

#### CLASS IV.

##### NEW PIER.

Feet B. M., measured in the work.	
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	14,574
" " 12" x 12".....	26,520
" " 8" x 12".....	294
" " 5" plank.....	14,000
Total.....	55,388

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber will require to be in lengths of 35 feet and upwards to meet the requirements of the specifications.

Feet B. M., measured in the work.	
2. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 14".....	8,862
" " 12" x 12".....	32,676
" " 10" x 10".....	3,800
" " 8" x 16".....	512
" " 8" x 15".....	1,160
" " 8" x 12".....	1,300
" " 8" x 10".....	80
" " 8" x 8".....	2,576
" " 7" x 14".....	196
" " 7" x 12".....	3,122
" " 7" x 7".....	1,658
" " 6" x 12".....	1,368
" " 5" x 10".....	5,600
" " 5" plank.....	50,245
" " 4" x 10".....	93
Total.....	113,248

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber may be in lengths of less than 35 feet.

Feet B. M., measured in the work.	
3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12".....	1,568

(NOTE.—The above quantities of timber, in items 1, 2 and 3, are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.)

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles for Pier, to be furnished and driven by the Contractor.....274  
(It is expected that about 94 of these piles will have to be from about 80 feet in length to about 86 feet in length, that about 95 will have to be about 70 feet in length, and that about 84 will have to be from about 45 feet in length to about 67 feet in length, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving.)

5. White Oak Fender Piles about 60 feet long.....14

6. Yellow or White Pine Mooring Piles, about 65 feet long.....4

7. 3/8" x 28", 3/8" x 26", 3/8" x 24", 3/8" x 22", 3/8" x 20", 3/8" x 16", 3/8" x 14", 3/8" x 12", 3/4" x 22", 3/4" x 20", 3/4" x 18", 3/4" x 16", 3/4" x 14", 3/4" x 12", 3/4" x 10", 3/4" x 8", 3/4" x 7", square, and 3/8" x 8", 1/2" x 8", 1/2" x 4 1/2", 3/8" x 6", round wrought-iron spike-pointed Dock Spikes, and 40d. Nails, about.....16,538 pounds.

8. Boiler-plate armatures and wrought-iron strap-bolts and washers, about.....12,000 "

9. 2", 1 1/4", 1 1/8" and 1" wrought-iron Screw-bolts, about.....11,600 "

10. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/4", 1 1/8" and 1" screw-bolts, about.....5,400 "

11. Cast-iron Mooring Posts, about.....3,200 "

12. Wire-rope, 1 inch diameter, about.....45 lineal feet.

13. Materials for painting and oiling or tarring.

14. Labor of every description for about 9,360 square feet of new pier.

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 location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or 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 to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the several classes of the work before mentioned, which shall be 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 contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the first day of October, 1887; and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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

All the old material taken from the crib-bulkhead to be repaired under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

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

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be 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 to 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, upon 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 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 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 to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the 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, June 4, 1887.

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

### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 247.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A CRIB-WORK BULKHEAD AT THE FOOT OF EAST SEVENTY-SIXTH STREET, EAST RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a Crib-work Bulkhead and appurtenances at the foot of East Seventy-sixth street, East 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," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 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 an award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars.

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

Feet B. M., measured in the work.	
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12" x 12".....	6,456
" " 10" x 12".....	16,550
" " 8" x 10".....	80
" " 6" x 12".....	437
" " 6" x 10".....	546
" " 6" plank.....	1,278
" " 5" ".....	400
" " 4" ".....	2,008
" " 2" ".....	462
Total.....	28,367

NOTE.—The above quantities are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

2. Piles—Yellow Pine, about.....62  
(It is expected that seventeen of these piles will have to be from about 22 feet long to about 24 feet long to meet the requirements of the specification for driving. Piles less than 20 feet in length will be furnished by the Department according to the terms of the specifications, and it is expected that forty-five of these piles will be so furnished.)

3. Oak Fender Piles, about 32 feet long.....6

4. White or Yellow Pine Mooring Posts, about 13 feet long.....26

5. Half-round Oak Fenders, about 13 feet long.....2

6. Half-round Oak Fenders, from about 5 feet to about 11 feet long.....9

7. Crib Logs, about.....164  
(It is estimated that of the logs that require to be at least 10 inches in diameter at the small end, fifty will be 31 feet long, and twenty-four will have to be 18 feet 6 inches long; of the logs that require to be at least 9 inches in diameter at the small end, sixteen will be from 42 feet to 45 feet long, and forty will be 12 feet long, that six logs of at least 8 inches in diameter at the small end will be 20 feet long, and that the remainder of at least 7 inches in diameter at the small end will be from 15 feet to 34 feet long, to meet the requirements of the specifications.)

8. Wrought-iron Dock Spikes—3/8" x 29", 3/8" x 22", 3/8" x 20", 3/8" x 18", 3/8" x 16", 3/8" x 14", 3/8" x 12", 3/8" x 10", 3/8" x 8", 3/8" x 7", square, and 3/8" x 8", 1/2" x 8", 1/2" x 5", round, about.....6,245 pounds.

9. 1 1/4" and 1" wrought-iron Screw bolts, about.....84 "

10. Wrought-iron Armature Plates and Corner-bands, about.....1,137 "

11. Cast-iron Washers, about.....70 "

12. Crib Stone, about.....243 cubic yards.

13. Rip-rap Stone, about.....67 "



17. Materials for painting and oiling or tarring.  
18. Labor of every description, including all framing, carpentry, moving of timber, jointing, bolting, spiking, etc., excavation, filling and grading, according to the terms of Specifications.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or 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.

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

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 contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the first day of October, 1887, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled, after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

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 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 estimate 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 of 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 to by all the parties interested.*

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their 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, by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the 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 to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the 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, June 4, 1887.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

lection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before 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 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,  
June 2, 1887.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Fiftieth 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 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before 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 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,  
May 18, 1887.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Railroad avenue to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 6, 1887, and entered on the 12th 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 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 25, 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,  
May 18, 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.:

Lincoln avenue regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue.

One Hundred and Third street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive.

Eighty-ninth street paving with trap-block pavement, from Second to Fifth avenue.

Elton avenue flagging, setting curb and gutter stones and laying crosswalks, from Washington to Third avenue.

Lexington avenue flagging, southeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

St. Ann's and North Third avenues flagging, on the easterly side of, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (or Clifton street) to East One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

Thirtieth street flagging, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Eighty-third street flagging, full width, the north side of, between First and Second avenues.

Fencing vacant lots on northeast corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

Fencing vacant lots on northwest corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by First and Second avenues, Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets.

Fencing vacant lots on north side of Fifty-seventh street, 100 feet east of Broadway, and running east about 150 feet.

Attorney street sewer, between Stanton and Rivington streets.

Grove street sewers and appurtenances, between Brook and North Third avenues, with connecting sewers in Bergen avenue, between Westchester avenue and Grove street; North Third avenue, between Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between North Third and Courtland avenues; One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between North Third and Courtland avenues; One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between North Third and Courtland avenues; One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, between North Third and College avenues; Elton avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets; Courtland avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets.

Hudson street sewer, between Christopher and Grove streets.

Ninety-seventh street sewer, between Boulevard and Riverside avenue.

One Hundred and Sixth street sewer, between summits east and west of Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Sixth street sewer, between Boulevard and summit east.

One Hundred and Fourteenth street sewers, between Fourth and Sixth avenues.

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

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments May 7, 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 July 25, 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,  
May 13, 1887.

## NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Brook avenue and Elton avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward.

—which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, April 29, 1887, and entered on the 11th 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 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 20, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

## 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.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 10, 1887.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office, until 12 o'clock M., Thursday, June 23, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING NINETEENTH STREET, between First avenue and Avenue A, and SETTING CURB-STONES and FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING NINETEENTH STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES and FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING NINETEENTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES and FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING NINETEENTH STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES and FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES and FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTEENTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES and FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST STREET, from Seventh avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, and SETTING CURB-STONES and FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from the Boulevard to Hamilton place, and SETTING CURB-STONES and FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES and FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, from Edgecomb road to Tenth Avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES and FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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 or their 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 enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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 5, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

## NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A petition of the property-owners, with map and plan for changing the grade of "Eighty-third street, from Avenue B to the East river," is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned, at his office, on or before the 15th day of June, 1887.

The maps showing the present and proposed grades can be seen at Room 7, No. 31 Chambers street.

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.

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

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

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District at the Court-house, in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 23d day of July, 1887, at 12 o'clock noon. The object of such application is to obtain an order of Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, one of whom shall reside in the County of New York, and the other two of whom shall reside in the county in which the real estate hereinafter described is situated, as Commissioners of Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid is located in the County of Putnam, and is laid out and indicated on two similar or duplicate maps filed, one in the office of the County Clerk of Putnam County, at Carmel, in said county, on the 17th day of May, 1887, and the other in the office of the Register of New York County on the 2d day of June, 1887, and each bearing the following certificate:

"We, the Commissioners appointed to carry out the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps prepared in accordance with the requirements of Sect. 4 of said act, and do further certify that the same has been adopted by us in the manner prescribed in section 11th day of May, 1887. Signed, John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works; James C. Spencer, Wm. Dowd, C. C. Baldwin, Oliver W. Barnes, E. L. Ridgway, Hamilton Fish, Jr., Commissioners."

The real estate so proposed or sought to be so taken or affected is required for the construction and maintenance of the dams and reservoirs and appurtenances known as the East Branch Reservoirs, or Sodom Reservoir and Mud Pond Reservoir, and the following is a statement of the boundaries of said dams, reservoirs and appurtenances and of the real estate to be taken therefor or affected thereby:

All those certain pieces or parcels of land and real estate in the Town of Southeast, County of Putnam and State of New York, which taken together constitute a tract of land bounded by a line which is accurately laid down, indicated and defined on the two similar or duplicate maps above-mentioned, filed, one in the office of the County Clerk of Putnam County at Carmel, in said County, on the 17th day of May, 1887, and the other in the office of the Register of New York County, on the 2d day of June, 1887, to which maps reference is hereby made for the more detailed description of the said real estate sought to be taken or affected, and which boundary line of such real estate sought to be so taken or affected is as follows:

Beginning at a stone monument marked A.C. in the road from Sodom to Brewsters at lands of Violetta Birch, and running thence southerly and westerly indirectly, but generally parallel with the east branch of the Croton river, and at no point more than 900 feet west therefrom to a stake marked A.C. 1 on the south side of the road from Brewsters to Danbury; thence southeasterly and easterly indirectly, but generally parallel with the said river, and at no point more than 1,500 feet south therefrom to a stake marked A.C. 2 on lands of Hiram Paddock; thence northwesterly about 830 feet to a stake marked A.C. 3; thence easterly indirectly, but generally parallel with the said river and with Covill's brook, and at no point more than 900 feet south of said river or brook to a stake marked A.C. 4 at the lands of William F. Fowler and Alonzo Brush; thence northerly across said brook to a stake marked A.C. 5; thence westerly indirectly, but generally parallel with the said brook and about 650 feet north thereof, about 4,300 feet to a stake marked A.C. 6; thence northerly indirectly, but generally parallel with the east branch of the Croton river as it winds and turns, and at no point more than 1,100 feet therefrom to a stake marked A.C. 7, on the north side of the road from Milltown to Sodom; thence northerly on an indirect line which is west of the road from Milltown to DeForest's Corners, and generally parallel with and at no point more than 1,500 feet distant east from said river to a stone monument marked A.C. on the lands of Augusta Keeler and others; thence westerly crossing said river about 400 feet to a stake marked A.C. 8; thence southerly indirectly, but generally parallel with the said river, and at no point more than 1,500 feet west therefrom to the road from Milltown to Sodom, a stake marked A.C. 9 being set at the north side of the road where such line touches it; thence southerly along the centre of said road about 1,000 feet to a point opposite a stake marked A.C. 10, set in the side of the highway; thence westerly indirectly, and at least 250 feet southerly from the road from Milltown to Sears' Corners to a point in the centre of the road from Sars' Corners to Sodom on the lands of Elijah W. Budd, a stake marked A.C. 11 being set in the highway opposite said point; thence south 28 degrees 41 minutes west 211.8 feet to a stake marked A.C. 12; thence easterly and southerly indirectly through lands of Elijah W. Budd, Warren S. Paddock and Stephen C. Barnum to a stake marked A.C. 13; thence northerly and easterly indirectly to a stake marked A.C. 14; thence southerly indirectly to a stake marked A.C. 15 north of the highway from Sodom to Milltown at lands of Harmon C. Barnum; thence westerly and northerly indirectly to a stake marked A.C. 16 on lands of Stephen C. Barnum; thence southerly and westerly indirectly to a point in the highway from Sears' Corners to Sodom opposite the residence of Lydia A. Yale and opposite a stake marked A.C. 17 at the side of said highway; thence southwesterly along the centre of said road about 700 feet to a point opposite a stake marked A.C. 18 set at the side of the highway; thence southerly and westerly indirectly through lands of Lydia A. Yale, Sarah E. Paddock and Phebe M. Corlett to a point about 100 feet east of said Croton river to a stake marked A.C. 19; thence northerly indirectly to a point in the centre of the road from Sodom to Brewsters opposite a stake marked A.C. 20 in the side of said road; thence westerly along said road to the place of beginning.

Also all of those other certain pieces or parcels of land and real estate in the town of Southeast, County of Putnam, and State of New York, which taken together constitute a tract of land bounded by a line which is accurately laid down, indicated and defined on the two similar or duplicate maps above mentioned, and which reference is hereby made for the more detailed description of the said real estate sought to be taken or affected, and which boundary line of such real estate sought to be so taken or affected, is as follows, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the centre of the east branch of Croton river at lands of Melissa Birch opposite a stake marked A.C. 21; thence northeasterly and easterly indirectly but generally parallel with Bog brook and at no point more than 300 feet south therefrom crossing the road from Sodom to Patterson to a stake marked A.C. 22; thence southeasterly and southerly indirectly to the centre of the road from Sodom to Milltown opposite lands of Lydia A. Yale and also opposite a stake marked A.C. 18; thence south 64 degrees 21 minutes east 28.3 feet; thence north 1 degree 14 minutes west 1079.3 feet to a stake marked A.C. 23; thence northeasterly and easterly indirectly to the centre of the road from Sodom to Sears' Corners at a point opposite the lands of Elijah W. Budd and also opposite a stake marked A.C. 12 at the side of the highway; thence north 28 degrees 41 minutes east 211.8 feet to a stake marked A.C. 11; thence westerly and northerly indirectly to a stake marked A.C. 24 at the south side of the road leading west from Sears' Corners; thence westerly and southerly indirectly crossing and recrossing the last-named road to a stake at the side thereof marked A.C. 25; thence southerly and westerly indirectly to a stake marked A.C. 26 on lands of Jonathan Minor; thence south 33 degrees 32 minutes west 363 feet to a stake marked A.C. 27; thence north 85 degrees 31 minutes east to a stake marked A.C. 28; thence easterly and southerly about

1,000 feet to a stake marked A.C. 29; thence southerly and westerly indirectly but generally parallel with Bog brook and at no point more than 1,650 feet west therefrom to a stake marked A.C. 30 on the west side of the road from Sodom to Patterson at lands of George Cole; thence northwesterly to a stake marked A.C. 31; thence southwesterly to the centre of said river on lands of Albert Townsend opposite a stake marked A.C. 32; thence easterly along the centre of said river to the place of beginning.

All the lands herein described are to be acquired in fee, and include all the parcels shown on said maps as Number 1 to Number 82, inclusive. Reference is hereby made to the said similar maps filed as aforesaid in the said offices of the Clerk of Putnam County and the Register of the City and County of New York for a more detailed description of the said real estate to be taken or affected of which the boundaries are above stated.

Dated New York, June 8, 1887.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, CROCKERY, DRY GOODS, LEATHER, AND LIME.

## SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

## GROCERIES.

- 8,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, June 16, 1887.
- 1,000 pounds Cheese.
- 1,000 pounds Dried Apples.
- 10,000 pounds Barley, price to include packages.
- 1,000 pounds Maracchino Coffee, roasted.
- 3,200 pounds Wheaten Grits; price to include packages.
- 500 pounds Whole Pepper.
- 3,000 pounds Prunes.
- 2,920 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
- 40 dozen Sea Foam.
- 20 dozen Chow Chow (C. & B.).
- 20 dozen Worcestershire Sauce, pints (L. & P.).
- 15 dozen Extract Vanilla.
- 100 barrels Crackers.
- 600 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.
- 50 barrels prime Red Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.
- 100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.
- 15 barrels prime quality Large Shore No. 2 Mackerel, 200 pounds net each.
- 2 cases Sardines, halves.
- 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 bushels Rye.
- 100 bushels Beans.
- 50 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.
- 50 bags coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.
- 50 bags fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.
- 300 bales long bright Rye Straw, prime quality, tare not to exceed three pounds. Weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
- 48 dozen Potash.

## CROCKERY.

- 12 dozen Lamp Chimneys.
- 12 dozen Lantern Globes.
- 12 dozen Lime Dishes.

## DRY GOODS.

- 1,000 yards Huckleback.
- 20 bales Cotton Batts, 50 pounds each, 16 ounces to the pound.
- 100 gross Safety Pins, 40 No. 2, 60 No. 3.
- 40 pieces Mosquito Netting, white.
- 10 pieces Mosquito Netting, blue.

## LEATHER AND FINDINGS.

- 150 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to average about 22 to 25 pounds.
- 100 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 11 feet.
- 1,000 pounds Offal Leather.
- 12 bushels best quality Shoe Pegs, 4.6-8's, 8.5-8's.
- 200 pounds best quality Shoe Nails, 6-8, C. I.
- 200 bunches best quality Leather Laces.

## LIME.

- 25 barrels best quality Common Lime.
- 50 barrels best quality W. W. Lime.
- 25 barrels best quality Plaster Paris.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, June 17, 1887. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Leather, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same 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, June 6, 1887.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, June 6, 1887.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from off Eighty-seventh street, East river—Unknown man; hair washed from body; face eaten away. Had on part of dark pants, gaiters. Supposed to be one of the crew of tug-boat "Sunbeam" that was blown up by bursting of boiler on November 24, 1886.

Unknown man, from No. 94 Park street, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair mixed with gray; dark moustache, gray eyes. Had on white overalls, brown coat, dark gray vest, light pants, gray shirt and drawers, pink woolen ribbed socks, gaiters, black felt hat.

Unknown man, from foot of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, Harlem river, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on black diagonal vest, dark pants, flesh-colored undershirt, brown woolen drawers, gray socks, laced shoes; a receipt for \$1.75 from Local Assembly Knights of Labor 1975, signed E. D. Banks, found on his person.

Unknown man, from foot of Ninety-third street, East river; body in an advanced state of decomposition; about six months in water. Had on part of dark coat and pants, laced shoes, gray socks.

Unknown woman, from No. 178 Bleeker street, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown hair mixed with gray; dark eyes. Had on dark waist, brown undershirt, dark petticoat, white muslin chemise, gray stockings, laced shoes.

Unknown man from Pier A, North river; 5 feet 7½ inches high; hair washed from head. Had on brown woolen shirt, gray knit undershirt, dark pants, laced shoes, gray socks; body in water about four months.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Curtin, aged 62 years; committed May 21, 1887.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Hugh O'Brien, aged 68 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted dark mixed coat and pants, blue flannel shirt, gaiters, black derby hat.

Mary Daly, aged 27 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black cloth sash, blue flannel waist and skirt, black velvet hat.

Mary Shagru, aged 46 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted gray striped shawl, brown spotted calico skirt and sash, blue and black woolen hood, laced leather gaiters.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 9, 1887.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, June 8, 1887, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 105 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 105. That each and every car used upon any railroad in the City of New York for the carrying or transportation of passengers, shall on each and every day on which it may be used for the carrying or transportation of passengers, be carefully and thoroughly washed and cleaned, so that all filth and dirt are removed from the inside of said car. And no dirt, sand, ashes or other similar substance shall be deposited by any person operating a railroad or stage line in the City of New York upon the surface of any paved street in said city without a permit from this Department.

[L.S.]

JAMES C. BAYLES,  
President.

EMMONS CLARK,  
Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, May 19, 1887.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, May 19, 1887, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 95 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 95. That it shall be the duty of every owner, tenant, lessee and occupant of any and every building, or place of business in the generally built-up portions of the City of New York, forthwith to provide or cause to be provided, and at all times thereafter to keep and cause to be kept and provided, within such building or place of business, suitable and sufficient boxes, barrels or tubs for receiving bad holding without leakage, and without being filled to within four inches of the top thereof all the ashes, rubbish, garbage, and liquid substances, of whatever kind, that may accumulate during thirty-six hours, from said building or place of business, or the portion thereof of which such person may be the owner, tenant, lessee or occupant; and every such box, barrel and tub designed to hold ashes shall be made of or lined with some suitable metal. That a separate vessel shall be provided for ashes and rubbish, and another for garbage and liquid substances; and ashes and rubbish shall not be placed or kept in the same vessel with garbage and liquid substances; and all ashes, rubbish, garbage and liquid substances that should be removed from such buildings and place of business, or from that part for which said receptacles were provided, and none other (without the proper consent) shall be placed therein, and no such box, barrel or tub, before or after it is emptied, shall be placed or permitted to remain upon the open sidewalk between the curb and the area or stoop-line, or in any other public place, but may be kept within and between the stoop or area-line and the house-line of the premises to which it belongs, until removed therefrom for emptying by the authorized employees of the Department of Street Cleaning, and by them returned to the place whence it was taken.

[L.S.]

JAMES C. BAYLES,  
President.

EMMONS CLARK,  
Secretary.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 2325, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging Eighty-eighth street, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive.

List 2396, No. 2. Regulating and grading the east side of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-seventh to One Hundred and Second street.

List 2409, No. 3. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Washington to Third avenue, with a branch in Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-fourth streets.

List 2411, No. 4. Sewer and appurtenances in Westchester avenue, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, with branches in St. Ann's avenue, between the Port Morris Branch Railroad and Carr street.

List 2413, No. 5. Sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Seventieth street, between North Third and Franklin avenues, with a branch in Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Tenth avenue to the Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. East side of Fourth avenue, between Ninety-seventh and One Hundred and Second streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Sixty-fourth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets, Boston and Washington avenues.

No. 4. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth streets, Jackson, Robbins and Brook avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Seventy-first streets, and both sides of One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Franklin to North Third avenue.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 11th day of July, 1887.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman.

PATRICK M. HAVERTY,

CHAS. E. WENDT,

VAN BRUGH LIVINGSTON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, June 9, 1887.

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

List 2388, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to first new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

List 2390, No. 2. Receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of One Hundred and First street and Third avenue, and on the northeast, northwest, southeast and southwest corners of One Hundred and Sixth street and Fourth avenue.

List 2392, No. 3. Fencing vacant lots on the block bounded by One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, Fifth and Madison avenues.

List 2393, No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

List 2394, No. 5. Fencing vacant lot on the southeast corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

List 2395, No. 6. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, and in Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.

List 2397, No. 7. Fencing vacant lots at the northwest corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Ninth street.

List 2398, No. 8. Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Ninety-sixth street, from Second to Third avenue.

List 2399, No. 9. Fencing vacant lots east side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

List 2400, No. 10. Fencing vacant lots south side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

List 2401, No. 11. Fencing vacant lots at the southwest corner of First avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.

List 2402, No. 12. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the southeast corners of Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets; on the northeast and southeast corners of Eighty-first street; on the northeast corner of Eighty-second street, and on the northeast and northwest corners of Eighty-third, Eighty-fourth, Eighty-sixth, Eighty-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets, and West End avenue.

List 2404, No. 13. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the southeast and southwest corners of Ninety-second, Ninety-fourth and Ninety-sixth streets; on the southwest corner of Ninety-third street; on the



northeast and northwest corners of Ninety-sixth and Ninety-eighth streets, and on the northwest corners of Ninety-ninth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets, and West End avenue.

List 2405, No. 14. Sewer in Eighty-seventh street, between Tenth avenue and Riverside Drive.

List 2406, No. 15. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Eighth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

List 2408, No. 16. Fencing vacant lots on the southwest corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

List 2410, No. 17. Sewer and appurtenances in Morris avenue, from the summit between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, to North Third avenue.

List 2412, No. 18. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Washington and Brook avenues.

List 2414, No. 19. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Eighth to Coogan avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and First street, between Third and Lexington avenues; west side of Third avenue, between One Hundredth and One Hundred and First streets; block bounded by One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, Fourth and Madison avenues; north side of One Hundred and Sixth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues; west side of Fourth avenue, extending 100 feet north of One Hundred and Sixth street; both sides of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Lexington and Fourth avenues; east side of Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Seventh streets, and north side of One Hundred and Fifth street, extending about 150 feet easterly from Fourth avenue.

No. 3. Block bounded by One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 5. Southeast corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, and east side of Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.

No. 7. Commencing at northwest corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Ninth street, and running from that point 100 feet north on Fourth avenue and 80 feet west on One Hundred and Ninth street.

No. 8. South side of Ninety-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 9. East side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

No. 10. South side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, known as Block number 828, Ward numbers 47 and 48.

No. 11. Commencing at the southwest corner of First avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, and running from that point 100 feet south on First avenue and on south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, running 65 feet from First avenue to the west.

No. 12. East side of West End avenue, from Seventy-eighth to Eighty-third street; also both sides of West End avenue, from Eighty-third to Eighty-fifth street; both sides of West End avenue, between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-ninth streets, and both sides of West End avenue, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets.

No. 13. Both sides of West End avenue, between Ninety-first and Ninety-second streets, Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, Ninety-fifth and Ninety-seventh streets, Ninety-eighth and Ninety-ninth streets; also west side of West End avenue, between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets, Ninety-ninth and One Hundred and Third streets.

No. 14. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive.

No. 15. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Tenth avenue to Public Drive.

No. 16. Commencing at the southwest corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-first street and running 100 feet southerly on Seventh avenue and 75 feet westerly on One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

No. 17. Both sides of Morris avenue, from North Third avenue to One Hundred and Fortieth street.

No. 18. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Washington and Brook avenues.

No. 19. Both sides of St. Ann's avenue; also both sides of Crimmins and Beekman avenues, extending about 350 feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 25th day of June, 1887.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, May 24, 1887.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Normal College, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Monday, June 27, 1887, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day for Rebuilding main entrances, making safe the walks, changing granite coping, etc., etc., at Normal College, on Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets and Fourth avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

Proposals will be received for the entire work on one contract.

The names of two responsible sureties to accompany each proposal; proposals will not be considered unless sureties are named, and are entirely satisfactory to the Committee.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all the proposals offered.

WILLIAM WOOD,  
ISAAC BELL,  
CHARLES CRARY,  
DE WITT J. SELIGMAN,  
MARY NASH AGNEW,  
Committee on Normal College.

Dated New York, June 14, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until Monday, June 27, 1887, and until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on said day, for the Plumbing Work required to Grammar School Building No. 10, located at No. 180 Wooster street.

W. WALLACE WALKER, Chairman,  
JOHN A. HARDENBERG, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received on the same date and at the same place until 10 o'clock A. M. by the

School Trustees of the Fifth Ward for Repairing and Painting Primary School No. 11, located at No. 31 Vestry street.

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

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same place and until 3:30 o'clock P. M., on the same day by the School Trustees for the Seventh Ward, for Closet Work at Primary School No. 36, located at No. 70 Monroe street.

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

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, at the same place, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same day, for Repairs and Plumbing Work at Grammar School Building No. 68, located at No. 116 West One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street.

ANDREW L. SOULARD, Chairman,  
JOHN WHALEN, Secretary.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 14, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees for the Nineteenth Ward, until Thursday, June 23, 1887, and until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on said day for New Furniture, etc., for Grammar School Building No. 27, at Nos. 208-210 East Forty-second street.

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

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

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

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

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

RICHARD KELLY, Chairman,  
L. M. HORNTHAL, Secretary.

Dated New York, June 10, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Wednesday, June 22, 1887, and until 4 o'clock P. M., for New Furniture, etc., required for Primary School No. 44, located at Concord avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 2, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1887, for General Repairs, etc., at Grammar School No. 60, on College avenue, corner One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; at Primary Department of Grammar School No. 60, on Courtland avenue and One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, and at Grammar School No. 62, on Third avenue near One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 9, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, the 21st day of June, 1887, for General Repairs, etc., at Grammar School No. 60, on College avenue, corner One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; at Primary Department of Grammar School No. 60, on Courtland avenue and One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, and at Grammar School No. 62, on Third avenue near One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 7, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Friday, the 17th day of June, 1887, for Furniture and Repairs at Grammar School No. 14, on East Twenty-seventh street, near Second avenue, and at Grammar School No. 49, on East Thirty-seventh street, near Second avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 3, 1887.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman,  
E. ELLERY ANDERSON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on the same day and at the same place, for New Furniture and Repairs of, in Grammar School Nos. 10 and 35, and for New Furniture for Grammar School No. 47.

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

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

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

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

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

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, June 16, 1887, for New Furniture and Repairs of Furniture in Grammar School Building No. 20, located at No. 160 Chrystie street.

PATRICK CARROLL, Chairman,  
FRANK A. SPENCER, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M. on the same day and at the same place, for New Furniture and Repairs of, in Grammar School Nos. 10 and 35, and for New Furniture for Grammar School No. 47.

WM. WALLACE WALKER, Chairman,  
JOHN A. HARDENBERG, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees for the Twenty-first Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on the same day and at the same place, for Repairing and Painting Grammar School Building No. 49, located at No. 237 East Thirty-seventh street.

ANDREW G. AGNEW, Chairman,  
E. ELLERY ANDERSON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 2, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Seventh Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 15, 1887, for a Steam Heating Apparatus for the new building in course of erection on Henry street near Pike street, for Grammar School No. 2.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 2, 1887.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
Nos. 157 & 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 26, 1887.

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

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

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary.

## 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

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Wednesday, June 15, 1887, at 3:45 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of conferring degrees upon candidates, whose names shall be presented by the Faculty of the College.

By order of  
J. EDWARD SIMMONS,  
Chairman.

Dated June 7, 1887.

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to BERGEN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and Willis avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house in the City of New York, on Friday, the 8th day of July, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York,

for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as Bergen avenue, extending from East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and Willis avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

PARCEL A.  
Beginning at the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street with the eastern line of Willis avenue:

1st. Thence northeasterly along the eastern line of Willis avenue for 16½ feet.

2d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 24° 26' to the right for 712½ feet.

3d. Thence northeasterly deflecting 7° 52' 00" to the left for 128½ feet to the southern line of Westchester avenue.

4th. Thence easterly along the southern line of Westchester avenue for 63½ feet.

5th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 128° 22' 15" to the right for 211½ feet.

6th. Thence southwesterly deflecting 7° 52' 00" to the right for 710½ feet to the northern line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street.

7th. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street 47½ feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.  
Beginning at a point in the northern line of Westchester avenue, distant 229½ feet easterly from the intersection of eastern line of Third avenue with the northern line of Westchester avenue:

1st. Thence northeasterly deflecting 55° 52' 15" northerly and to the left from the northern line of Westchester avenue for 1,220½ feet to the western line of Brook avenue.

2d. Thence southerly along the western line of Brook avenue for 163½ feet.

3d. Thence southwesterly deflecting 17° 45' 31" to the right for 1,030½ feet to the northern line of Westchester avenue.

4th. Thence westerly along the northern line of Westchester avenue for 60½ feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, May 27, 1887.  
E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired to that part of a certain street or avenue known as RIDER AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from the southerly line of East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street to the southerly line of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

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

Dated New York, June 3, 1887.  
BERNARD CASSERLY,  
JAMES F. HIGGINS,  
JOHN H. CARL,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the Matter of the Application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from the easterly line of Tenth avenue to a point distant 900 feet 3¼ inches easterly therefrom, and A NEW AVENUE, from the last-mentioned point in a southerly, easterly and northerly direction to Avenue St. Nicholas, opposite One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may



the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-second day of July, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 25, 1887.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
CORNELIUS A. RUNKLE,  
W. R. KNAPP,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, as a first-class street or road, between Edgecombe road and Tenth avenue.

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the ninth day of July, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said ninth day of July, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at two o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the ninth day of July, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and One Hundred and Seventieth street and Edgecombe road; easterly by the westerly side of Edgecombe road; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixty-sixth and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Tenth avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-second day of July, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, May 25, 1887.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
THOS. J. MILLER,  
B. CASSERLY,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of June, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-eighth day of June, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Edgecombe road; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the fifteenth day of July, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 16, 1887.

E. B. HART,  
JAMES D. McCLELLAND,  
JOHN P. GAW,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of June, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the

ten week-days next after the said twenty-eighth day of June, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by a line drawn parallel with the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street and 99 feet and 11 inches northerly therefrom, and extending from the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas to the westerly side of Eighth avenue; easterly by the westerly side of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; excepting from such area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the fifteenth day of July, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 16, 1887.

E. B. HART,  
JAMES D. McCLELLAND,  
JOHN P. GAW,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 4th day of June, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 4th day of June, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of June, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Nineteenth street and One Hundred and Twentieth street; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Nineteenth street and One Hundred and Eighteenth street, and westerly by the easterly side of Ninth avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 16, 1887.

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

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the thirty-first day of May, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said thirty-first day of May, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the thirty-first day of May, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth street and One Hundred and Thirteenth street; easterly by the westerly side of Tenth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth street and One Hundred and Eleventh street, and westerly by the easterly side of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the seventeenth day of June, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 16, 1887.

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

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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

**WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS** of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said City, on or before the thirty-first day of May, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said thirty-first day of May, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the thirty-first day of May, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Eighteenth street and One Hundred and Nineteenth street; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Eighteenth street and One Hundred and Seventeenth street, and westerly by the easterly side of Ninth avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the seventeenth day of June, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 16, 1887.

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

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

## ARMORY BOARD.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,  
NEW YORK, May 28, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING IRON WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY THE BOULEVARD, NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing Iron Work in the erection of an Armory Building on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, New York City, will be received by the Armory Board at the Mayor's office, City Hall, until 2 P. M. of 20th day of June, 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 the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets," 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-book, 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.

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, George B. Post, No. 15 Cortlandt street, New York City.

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. 15 Cortlandt street, New York City.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,  
MICHAEL COLEMAN,  
BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD,  
COL. EMMONS CLARK,  
Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
STAATS-ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,  
NEW YORK CITY, May 28, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK FOR STEAM-HEATING AND VENTILATING IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY THE BOULEVARD, NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing work for Steam-Heating and Ventilating in the erection of an Armory Building on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, 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 20th day of June, 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 Ventilating in the Erection of an Armory Building on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets," 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 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.

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, George B. Post, No. 15 Cortlandt street.

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. 15 Cortlandt street, New York City.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,  
MICHAEL COLEMAN,  
BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD,  
COL. EMMONS CLARK,  
Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,  
NEW YORK, May 28, 1887.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING MASONRY WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY THE BOULEVARD, NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing masonry work in the erection of an Armory Building, on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, County and City of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the Mayor's office, City Hall, until 2 P. M. of the 20th day of June, 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 the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets," 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.

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 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 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 fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500). 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 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.

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.

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ABRAM S. HEWITT,  
MICHAEL COLEMAN,  
BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD,  
COL. EMMONS CLARK,  
Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,  
NEW YORK CITY, May 28, 1887.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY THE BOULEVARD, NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing plumbing and gas-fitting work in the erection of an Armory Building on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, 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 20th day of June, 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 Gas-fitting Work in the Erection of an Armory Building on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets," 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:

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 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 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 this contract, as 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 hundred and fifty dollars (\$150). 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 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.

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, George B. Post, No. 15 Cortlandt street, N. Y. City.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,  
MICHAEL COLEMAN,  
BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD,  
COL. EMMONS CLARK,  
Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,  
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,  
NEW YORK, May 28, 1887.

#### PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING CARPENTER WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY THE BOULEVARD, NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing carpenter work in the erection of an Armory Building, on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, New York City, will be received by the Armory Board, at the Mayor's Office, City Hall, until 2 P. M. of the twentieth day of June, 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).

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 \$1,250. 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 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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### JURORS.

#### NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 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 course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

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

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

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