

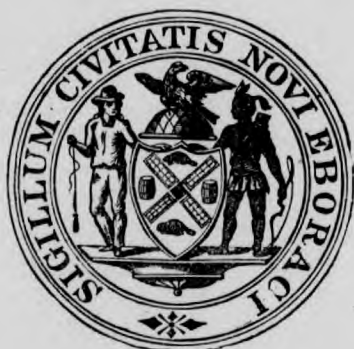
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DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1887.

NEW YORK, July 1, 1887.

To the Honorable ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor, etc.:

SIR—As required by section 49 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments make the following

REPORT

of the operations and action of the Department of Taxes and Assessments for the quarter ending June 30, 1887.

During this quarter the revision of assessed valuations has been completed and the assessed valuations of real and personal property for the year 1887 have been determined. This report, therefore, embraces a summary of the action of the Department for the official year, which begins with the assessment of property for purposes of taxation on the first Monday of September, and terminates with the delivery of the assessment rolls, certified by the Commissioners, to the Board of Aldermen on the first Monday of July, as required by law.

The following is a statement of the assessed valuations of the taxable real estate, by wards, and personal estate in the City of New York for the year 1887, as compared with the same for the year 1886:

Relative Assessed Valuation of the Real and Personal Estate in the City and County of New York for 1886 and 1887.

WARDS.	ASSESSED VALUATION, 1886.	ASSESSED VALUATION, 1887.	INCREASE.
	<i>Real Estate.</i>	<i>Real Estate.</i>	<i>Real Estate.</i>
First.....	\$78,790,763	\$79,528,005	\$737,242
Second.....	34,366,378	34,565,887	199,509
Third.....	38,385,429	38,626,265	240,836
Fourth.....	13,210,803	13,341,595	130,792
Fifth.....	45,997,412	46,376,907	379,495
Sixth.....	24,252,693	24,625,641	372,948
Seventh.....	16,955,446	17,300,057	344,611
Eighth.....	39,037,817	39,262,103	224,286
Ninth.....	29,246,990	29,769,823	522,833
Tenth.....	17,900,365	18,226,297	325,932
Eleventh.....	16,791,129	17,163,706	372,577
Twelfth.....	134,031,832	138,113,407	4,081,575
Thirteenth.....	10,366,415	10,673,465	307,050
Fourteenth.....	24,679,727	24,994,770	315,043
Fifteenth.....	55,838,241	56,262,553	424,312
Sixteenth.....	37,857,127	38,212,529	355,402
Seventeenth.....	33,885,094	34,402,508	517,414
Eighteenth.....	78,153,344	78,770,587	617,243
Nineteenth.....	204,018,455	211,635,940	7,617,485
Twentieth.....	45,641,676	46,471,770	830,094
Twenty-first.....	89,084,423	89,793,129	708,706
Twenty-second.....	103,728,440	113,585,437	9,856,997
Twenty-third.....	19,616,976	21,027,868	1,410,892
Twenty-fourth.....	11,194,090	11,761,960	567,870
Total Real Estate.....	\$1,203,941,065	\$1,254,491,849	\$50,550,784

The following are statements of the assessments of shareholders of banks for the years 1886 and 1887:

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

NAME OF BANK.	WARD	NUMBER OF SHARES.	PAR VALUE OF SHARES.	CAPITAL.	GROSS VALUE PER SHARE.	GROSS VALUE.	INTEREST IN CLEARING HOUSE.	REAL ESTATE.	TOTAL REAL ESTATE.	ASSESSED VALUE PER SHARE.	ASSESSED TO SHAREHOLDERS.	SWORN OFF.	EXEMPT.	TOTAL SWORN OFF AND EXEMPT.	AMOUNT OF RECEIVER'S BOOK.
American Exchange National.....	1	50,000	\$100	\$5,000,000	\$113 80	\$5,690,000	\$16,500	\$473,500	\$490,000	\$104	\$5,200,000	\$214,599	\$76,960	\$291,559	\$4,908,441
Bank of America.....	1	30,000	100	3,000,000	134 30	4,029,000	9,900	419,100	429,000	120	3,600,000	147,272	52,920	200,192	3,398,808
Bank of North America.....	1	10,000	70	700,000	72 03	720,300	3,300	167,000	170,300	55	550,000	134,255	1,100	135,355	414,645
Bank of New York, N. B. A.....	1	20,000	100	2,000,000	142 00	2,840,000	9,900	570,100	580,000	113	2,260,000	113,000	29,719	142,719	2,117,281
Bank of the Metropolis.....	18	3,000	100	300,000	144 00	432,000	.....	.....	.....	144	432,000	67,104	.....	67,104	364,896
Bank of the State of New York.....	1	8,000	100	800,000	115 10	920,800	6,600	242,200	248,800	84	672,000	5,944	7,728	13,672	658,328
Bowery National.....	14	2,500	100	250,000	176 53	441,325	825	38,000	38,825	161	402,500	261,558	.....	261,558	140,942
Central National.....	6	20,000	100	2,000,000	102 43	2,048,600	6,600	422,000	428,600	81	1,620,000	84,969	1,782	86,751	1,533,249
Chemical National.....	3	3,000	100	300,000	136 03	408,090	990	197,100	198,090	1,295	3,885,000	41,440	.....	41,440	3,843,560
Chase National.....	1	3,000	100	300,000	127 00	381,000	.....	.....	.....	127	381,000	353,060	.....	353,060	27,940
Chatham National.....	2	18,000	25	450,000	36 45	656,100	1,485	42,615	44,100	34	612,000	293,930	.....	293,930	318,070
Continental National.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	106 44	1,064,400	4,950	649,450	654,400	41	410,000	131,733	3,198	134,931	275,069
Columbia.....	19	1,000	100	100,000	81 00	81,000	.....	.....	.....	81	81,000	2,430	.....	2,430	78,570
Corn Exchange.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	170 03	1,700,300	3,300	137,000	140,300	156	1,560,000	163,949	7,332	171,281	1,388,719
Commercial National.....	1	3,000	100	300,000	94 00	282,000	.....	.....	.....	94	282,000	128,310	.....	128,310	153,690
East River National.....	15	10,000	25	250,000	27 24	272,400	1,455	81,245	82,400	19	190,000	51,768	.....	51,768	138,232
Eleventh Ward.....	11	4,000	25	100,000	29 00	116,000	20,000	20,000	24	96,000	47,568	47,568	48,432

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First National	1	5,000	\$100	\$500,000	\$771 30	\$3,856,500	\$1,650	\$499,850	\$501,500	\$671	\$3,355,000	\$3,334,870	\$3,334,870	\$20,130
Fourth National.....	1	32,000	100	3,200,000	114 44	3,662,080	16,500	477,580	494,080	99	3,168,000	139,791	\$20,691	160,482	3,007,518
Fifth National.....	18	1,500	100	150,000	154 50	231,750	.....	69,750	69,750	108	162,000	113,616	.....	113,616	48,384
Fulton National.....	2	20,000	30	600,000	31 00	620,000	1,980	18,020	20,000	30	600,000	90	2,250	2,340	597,660
Fifth Avenue	19	1,000	100	100,000	499 00	499,000	.....	.....	.....	499	499,000	74,850	.....	74,850	424,150
Gallatin National.....	1	20,000	50	1,000,000	87 00	1,740,000	18,150	161,850	180,000	78	1,560,000	25,974	15,600	41,574	1,518,426
Garfield National.....	18	2,000	100	200,000	119 00	238,000	.....	.....	.....	119	238,000	146,370	.....	146,370	91,630
Germania.....	17	2,000	100	200,000	150 00	300,000	.....	44,000	44,000	128	256,000	145,536	.....	145,536	110,464
German American	1	10,000	75	750,000	77 48 1/2	774,840	4,840	.....	4,840	77	770,000	27,566	.....	27,566	742,434
German Exchange.....	15	2,000	100	200,000	182 00	364,000	.....	62,000	62,000	151	302,000	226,349	.....	226,349	75,651
Greenwich.....	9	8,000	25	200,000	25 00	200,000	660	15,340	16,000	23	184,000	42,734	.....	42,734	141,266
Hanover National.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	126 83	1,268,300	3,300	55,000	58,300	121	1,210,000	408,382	847	409,229	800,771
Home.....	22	1,250	100	125,000	101 00	126,250	.....	.....	.....	101	126,250	119,180	.....	119,180	7,070
Importers and Traders' National.....	3	15,000	100	1,500,000	230 50	3,457,500	4,950	227,550	232,500	215	3,225,000	468,780	5,375	474,155	2,750,845
Irving National.....	3	10,000	50	500,000	56 16	561,600	1,650	109,950	111,600	45	450,000	84,595	.....	84,595	365,405
Leather Manufacturers' National.....	1	6,000	100	600,000	152 03	912,180	1,980	274,200	276,180	106	636,000	80,666	9,540	90,206	545,794
Lincoln National.....	19	3,000	100	300,000	100 00	300,000	.....	.....	.....	100	300,000	.....	.....	.....	300,000
Madison Square.....	18	8,000	100	200,000	80 00	160,000	.....	.....	.....	80	160,000	37,600	.....	37,600	122,400
Mount Morris.....	12	1,000	100	100,000	123 00	123,000	.....	.....	.....	123	123,000	86,838	.....	86,838	36,162
Manhattan Company.....	1	41,000	50	2,050,000	61 58	2,524,780	6,765	550,015	556,780	48	1,968,000	29,568	71,568	101,136	1,866,864
Market National.....	2	5,000	100	500,000	141 06	705,300	3,300	42,000	45,300	132	660,000	74,516	924	75,440	584,560
Mechanics' National.....	1	80,000	25	2,000,000	35 70	2,856,000	6,600	449,400	456,000	30	2,400,000	111,330	41,430	152,760	2,247,240
Mercantile National.....	3	10,000	100	1,000,000	111 35	1,113,500	3,300	180,200	183,500	93	930,000	76,886	.....	76,886	853,114
Mechanics and Traders' National.....	10	8,000	25	200,000	24 46	195,680	1,980	49,700	51,680	18	144,000	82,296	306	82,602	61,398
Merchants' Exchange National.....	3	12,000	50	600,000	45 00	540,000	3,300	164,700	168,000	31	372,000	37,138	1,457	38,595	333,405
Merchants' National.....	1	40,000	50	2,000,000	57 00	2,280,000	9,900	550,100	560,000	43	1,720,000	87,118	57,405	144,523	1,575,477
Murray Hill.....	19	2,000	50	100,000	110 00	220,000	.....	100,000	100,000	60	120,000	70,440	.....	70,440	49,560
New York National Exchange.....	3	3,000	100	300,000	101 00	303,000	1,650	49,350	51,000	84	252,000	32,766	.....	32,766	219,234
Nassau.....	2	10,000	50	500,000	49 33	493,300	3,300	.....	3,300	49	490,000	12,103	.....	12,103	477,897
National City.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	231 83	2,318,300	3,300	385,000	388,300	193	1,930,000	88,201	9,264	97,465	1,832,535
National Bank of Commerce.....	1	50,000	100	5,000,000	140 66	7,033,000	33,000	600,000	633,000	128	6,400,000	166,016	185,216	351,232	6,048,768
National Bank of the Republic.....	1	15,000	100	1,500,000	115 76	1,736,400	6,600	499,800	506,400	82	1,230,000	45,836	4,510	50,346	1,179,654
National Park.....	2	20,000	100	2,000,000	132 23	2,644,600	6,600	898,000	904,600	87	1,740,000	117,363	9,222	126,585	1,613,415
National Broadway.....	3	40,000	25	1,000,000	53 50	2,140,000	3,300	296,700	300,000	46	1,840,000	750,082	.....	750,082	1,089,918
National Butchers and Drovers'	14	12,000	25	300,000	36 00	432,000	2,640	81,360	84,000	29	348,000	37,410	2,523	39,933	308,067
National Citizens'	5	24,000	25	600,000	28 00	672,000	1,980	214,020	216,000	19	456,000	53,522	.....	53,522	402,478
National Shoe and Leather.....	3	5,000	100	500,000	122 00	610,000	3,300	211,700	215,000	79	395,000	16,432	6,004	22,436	372,564
New York County National	9	2,000	100	200,000	93 00	186,000	660	33,340	34,000	76	152,000	.....	.....	.....	152,000
New York Produce Exchange	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	96 00	960,000	.....	.....	.....	96	960,000	176,816	.....	176,816	783,184
North River.....	3	8,000	30	240,000	30 40	243,200	1,320	73,880	75,200	21	168,000	840	.....	840	167,160
Ninth National	5	7,500	100	750,000	107 00	802,500	4,950	452,550	457,500	46	345,000	85,468	.....	85,468	259,532
Nineteenth Ward	19	1,000	100	100,000	93 00	93,000	.....	.....	.....	93	93,000	930	.....	930	92,070
Oriental.....	14	12,000	25	300,000	38 00	456,000	990	95,010	96,000	30	360,000	40,500	1,200	41,700	318,300
Pacific	14	8,454	50	422,700	67 50	570,645	1,394	62,011	63,405	60	507,240	34,920	.....	34,920	472,320
People's.....	8	8,000	25	200,000	34 85	278,800	1,362	69,438	70,800	26	208,000	2,470	.....	2,470	205,530
Phenix.....	1	50,000	20	1,000,000	20 60	1,030,000	5,940	324,060	330,000	14	700,000	38,136	3,850	41,986	658,014
Seaboard	1	5,000	100	500,000	109 00	545,000	.....	.....	.....	109	545,000	360,474	.....	360,474	184,526
Second National	18	3,000	100	300,000	84 33	252,990	990	.....	990	84	252,000	54,600	.....	54,600	197,400
Seventh Ward National	2	3,000	100	300,000	100 33	300,990	990	.....	990	100	300,000	28,700	.....	28,700	271,300
St. Nicholas	1	5,000	100	500,000	113 26	566,300	3,300	3,000	6,300	112	560,000	28,598	6,832	35,430	524,570
Sixth National.....	21	2,000	100	200,000	100 00	200,000	.....	30,000	30,000	85	170,000	.....	.....	.....	170,000
Third National	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	100 67	1,006,700	3,300	43,400	46,700	96	960,000	20,640	.....	20,640	939,360
Tradesmen's National.....	5	25,000	40	1,000,000	39 60	990,000	3,300	286,700	290,000	28	700,000	108,924	1,400	110,324	589,676
United States National.....	1	5,000	100	500,000	106 00	530,000	.....	.....	.....	106	530,000	350,542	.....	350,542	179,458
Wall Street.....	1	10,000	50	500,000	1 00	10,000	.....	.....	.....	1	10,000	1,041	.....	1,041	8,959
West Side.....	20	2,000	100	200,000	132 00	264,000	.....	.....	.....	132	264,000	56,696	.....	56,696	207,304
Total.....	..	.....	....	\$59,637,700	.....	\$83,257,300	\$250,476	\$12,269,834	\$12,520,310	.....	\$70,736,990	\$11,085,994	\$638,153	\$11,724,147	\$59,012,843

Statement of the Assessments of Shareholders of Banks for the Year 1887.

NAME OF BANK.	WARD	NUMBER OF SHARES.	PAR VALUE OF SHARES.	CAPITAL.	GROSS VALUE PER SHARE.	GROSS VALUE.	INTEREST IN CLEARING HOUSE.	REAL ESTATE.	TOTAL REAL ESTATE.	ASSESSED VALUE PER SHARE.	ASSESSED TO SHARE-HOLDERS.	SWORN OFF.	EXEMPT.	TOTAL SWORN OFF AND EXEMPT.	AMOUNT OF RECEIVER'S BOOK.
American Exchange National.....	1	50,000	\$100	\$5,000,000	\$118 00	\$5,900,000	\$16,500	\$483,500	\$500,000	\$108	\$5,400,000	\$244,821	\$84,240	\$329,061	\$5,070,939
Bank of America.....	1	30,000	100	3,000,000	138 30	4,149,000	9,900	419,100	429,000	124	3,720,000	145,452	55,304	200,756	3,519,244
Bank of North America.....	1	10,000	70	700,000	85 60	856,000	3,300	172,700	176,000	68	680,000	194,208	1,360	195,568	484,432
Bank of New York, N. B. A.....	1	20,000	100	2,000,000	150 00	3,000,000	9,900	570,100	580,000	121	2,420,000	134,068	31,823	165,891	2,254,109
Bank of the Metropolis.....	18	3,000	100	300,000	167 50	502,500	.....	10,500	10,500	164	492,000	43,952	.....	43,952	448,048
Bank of the State of New York.....	1	8,000	100	800,000	127 50	1,020,000	6,600	221,400	228,000	99	792,000	12,870	9,108	21,978	770,022
Bowery National.....	14	2,500	100	250,000	190 53	476,325	825	38,000	38,825	175	437,500	313,600	.....	313,600	123,900
Central National.....	6	20,000	100	2,000,000	108 11	2,162,200	6,600	395,600	402,200	88	1,760,000	97,274	1,936	99,210	1,660,790
Chemical National.....	3	3,000	100	300,000	1,462 63	4,387,890	990	243,900	244,890	1,381	4,143,000	130,418	.....	130,418	4,012,582
Chase National.....	1	3,000	100	300,000	134 00	402,000	.....	.....	.....	134	402,000	277,114	.....	277,114	124,886
Chatham National.....	2	18,000	25	450,000	40 27	724,860	1,485	39,375	40,860	38	684,000	339,018	.....	339,018	344,982
Continental National.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	107 44	1,074,400	4,950	649,450	654,400	42	420,000	133,896	3,276	137,172	282,828
Columbia.....	19	2,000	100	200,000	97 00	194,000	.....	.....	.....	97	194,000	119,116	.....	119,116	74,884
Corn Exchange	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	181 03	1,810,300	3,300	137,000	140,300	167	1,670,000	82,337	7,849	90,186	1,579,814
Commercial National	1	3,000	100	300,000	98 00	294,000	.....	.....	.....	98	294,000	111,870	.....	111,870	182,130
East River National.....	15	10,000	25	250,000	30 24	302,400	1,155	81,245	82,400	22	220,000	67,320	67,320	152,680

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Eleventh Ward.....	11	4,000	\$25	\$100,000	\$28 00	\$112,000	\$20,000	\$20,000	\$23	\$32,000	\$50,508	\$50,508	\$41,492
First National.....	1	5,000	100	500,000	894 30	4,471,500	\$1,650	499,850	501,500	794	3,970,000	3,948,495	.....	3,948,495	21,505
Fourth National.....	1	32,000	100	3,200,000	117 00	3,744,000	16,500	495,500	512,000	101	3,232,000	137,662	\$26,664	164,326	3,067,674
Fifth National.....	18	1,500	100	150,000	168 50	252,750	.....	69,750	69,750	122	183,000	127,368	.....	127,368	55,632
Fulton National.....	2	10,000	30	300,000	36 00	360,000	1,980	18,020	20,000	34	340,000	102	1,258	1,360	338,640
Fifth Avenue.....	19	1,000	100	100,000	551 00	551,000	.....	.....	.....	551	551,000	88,160	.....	88,160	462,840
Gallatin National.....	1	20,000	50	1,000,000	93 50	1,870,000	18,150	231,850	250,000	81	1,620,000	12,231	16,200	28,431	1,591,569
Garfield National.....	18	2,000	100	200,000	138 00	276,000	.....	.....	.....	138	276,000	168,938	.....	168,938	107,062
Germania.....	17	2,000	100	200,000	197 00	394,000	.....	44,000	44,000	175	350,000	182,950	.....	182,950	167,050
German American.....	1	10,000	75	750,000	79 48 1/2	794,840	4,840	.....	4,840	79	790,000	33,555	.....	33,555	756,445
German Exchange.....	15	2,000	100	200,000	200 00	400,000	.....	62,000	62,000	169	338,000	270,718	.....	270,718	67,282
Greenwich.....	9	8,000	25	200,000	27 00	216,000	660	15,340	16,000	25	200,000	48,325	.....	48,325	151,675
Hanover National.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	141 33	1,413,300	3,300	.....	3,300	141	1,410,000	430,586	987	431,573	978,427
Home.....	22	1,000	100	100,000	121 00	121,000	.....	.....	.....	121	121,000	106,870	.....	106,870	14,130
Importers and Traders' National.....	3	15,000	100	1,500,000	250 50	3,757,500	4,950	227,550	232,500	235	3,525,000	491,102	5,875	496,977	3,028,023
Irving National.....	3	10,000	50	500,000	60 06	600,600	1,650	108,950	110,600	49	490,000	138,714	.....	138,714	351,286
Leather Manufacturers' National.....	1	6,000	100	600,000	159 03	954,180	1,980	274,200	276,180	113	678,000	81,925	10,170	92,095	585,905
Lincoln National.....	19	3,000	100	300,000	106 00	318,000	.....	.....	.....	106	318,000	.....	.....	.....	318,000
Madison Square.....	18	2,000	100	200,000	97 00	194,000	.....	.....	.....	97	194,000	55,290	.....	55,290	138,710
Mount Morris.....	12	1,000	100	100,000	152 00	152,000	.....	.....	.....	152	152,000	101,232	.....	101,232	50,768
Manhattan Company.....	1	41,000	50	2,050,000	63 58	2,606,780	6,765	550,015	556,780	50	2,050,000	37,550	74,550	112,100	1,937,900
Market National.....	2	5,000	100	500,000	158 06	790,300	3,300	42,000	45,300	147	745,000	66,918	1,043	67,961	677,039
Mechanics' National.....	1	80,000	25	2,000,000	36 70	2,936,000	6,600	449,400	456,000	31	2,480,000	106,454	42,811	149,265	2,330,735
Mercantile National.....	3	10,000	100	1,000,000	118 63	1,186,300	3,300	153,000	156,300	103	1,030,000	127,411	.....	127,411	902,589
Mechanics and Traders' National.....	10	8,000	25	200,000	29 46	235,680	1,980	49,700	51,680	23	184,000	87,795	391	88,186	95,814
Merchants' Exchange National.....	3	12,000	50	600,000	50 00	600,000	3,300	164,700	168,000	36	432,000	42,948	1,692	44,640	387,360
Merchants' National.....	1	40,000	50	2,000,000	59 00	2,360,000	9,900	550,100	560,000	45	1,800,000	71,730	60,075	131,805	1,668,195
Murray Hill.....	19	2,000	50	100,000	120 50	241,000	.....	7,000	7,000	117	234,000	101,205	.....	101,205	132,795
Metropolitan National.....	1	30,000	55	1,650,000	25 00	750,000	.....	450,000	450,000	10	300,000	12,330	1,620	13,950	286,050
New York National Exchange.....	3	3,000	100	300,000	117 00	351,000	1,650	61,350	63,000	96	288,000	43,511	.....	43,511	244,489
Nassau.....	2	10,000	50	500,000	51 33	513,300	3,300	.....	3,300	51	510,000	18,666	.....	18,666	491,334
National City.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	262 83	2,628,300	3,300	385,000	388,300	224	2,240,000	102,144	10,752	112,896	2,127,104
National Bank of Commerce.....	1	50,000	100	5,000,000	143 66	7,183,000	33,000	600,000	633,000	131	6,550,000	152,644	193,356	346,000	6,204,000
National Bank of the Republic.....	1	15,000	100	1,500,000	124 76	1,871,400	6,600	499,800	506,400	91	1,365,000	43,498	11,011	54,509	1,310,491
National Park.....	2	20,000	100	2,000,000	146 80	2,936,000	6,600	869,400	876,000	103	2,060,000	150,003	10,918	160,921	1,899,079
National Broadway.....	3	40,000	25	1,000,000	53 50	2,140,000	3,300	296,700	300,000	46	1,840,000	766,774	.....	766,774	1,073,226
National Butchers and Drovers'.....	14	12,000	25	300,000	40 00	480,000	2,640	81,360	84,000	33	396,000	58,377	2,871	61,248	334,752
National Citizens'.....	5	24,000	25	600,000	30 00	720,000	1,980	214,020	216,000	21	504,000	49,728	.....	49,728	454,272
National Shoe and Leather.....	3	5,000	100	500,000	123 00	615,000	3,300	211,700	215,000	80	400,000	22,924	6,080	29,004	370,996
New York County National.....	9	2,000	100	200,000	88 00	176,000	660	33,340	34,000	71	142,000	.....	.....	.....	142,000
New York Produce Exchange.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	98 00	980,000	.....	.....	.....	98	980,000	188,516	.....	188,516	791,484
North River.....	3	8,000	30	240,000	32 00	256,000	1,320	54,680	56,000	25	200,000	1,250	.....	1,250	198,750
Ninth National.....	5	7,500	100	750,000	107 00	802,500	4,950	452,550	457,500	46	345,000	82,248	.....	82,248	262,752
Nineteenth Ward.....	19	1,000	100	100,000	93 00	93,000	.....	.....	.....	93	93,000	31,899	.....	31,899	61,101
Oriental.....	14	12,000	25	300,000	41 00	492,000	990	95,010	96,000	33	396,000	39,732	1,320	41,052	354,948
Pacific.....	14	8,454	50	422,700	70 50	596,007	1,394	62,011	63,405	63	532,602	30,366	.....	30,366	502,236
Peoples'.....	8	8,000	25	200,000	35 85	286,800	1,362	69,438	70,800	27	216,000	5,130	.....	5,130	210,870
Phenix National.....	1	50,000	20	1,000,000	21 70	1,085,000	5,940	329,060	335,000	15	750,000	39,225	4,125	43,350	706,650
Seaboard National.....	1	5,000	100	500,000	109 00	545,000	.....	.....	.....	109	545,000	375,413	.....	375,413	169,587
Second National.....	18	3,000	100	300,000	99 33	297,990	990	.....	990	99	297,000	61,875	.....	61,875	225,115
Seventh Ward National.....	2	3,000	100	300,000	107 33	321,990	990	.....	990	107	321,000	18,939	.....	18,939	302,051
St. Nicholas.....	1	5,000	100	500,000	118 20	591,300	3,300	3,000	6,300	117	585,000	87,337	7,137	94,474	500,526
Sixth National.....	21	2,000	100	200,000	102 00	204,000	.....	30,000	30,000	87	174,000	.....	.....	.....	174,000
Third National.....	1	10,000	100	1,000,000	101 33	1,013,300	3,300	40,000	43,300	97	970,000	19,400	.....	19,400	950,600
Tradesmen's National.....	5	25,000	40	1,000,000	42 60	1,065,000	3,300	286,700	290,000	31	775,000	144,429	1,550	145,979	629,021
Twelfth Ward.....	12	1,000	100	100,000	94 00	94,000	.....	.....	.....	94	94,000	48,316	.....	48,316	45,684
United States National.....	1	5,000	100	500,000	185 00	925,000	.....	.....	.....	185	925,000	821,400	.....	821,400	103,600
West Side.....	20	2,000	100	200,000	130 00	260,000	.....	.....	.....	130	260,000	64,650	.....	64,650	195,350
Total.....	..	.....	.....	\$60,662,700	.....	\$89,437,492	\$250,476	\$12,619,914	\$12,870,390	.....	\$76,567,102	\$13,044,800	\$687,352	\$13,732,152	\$62,834,950

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

1873.....	\$77,650,395
1874.....	74,897,570
1875.....	73,390,989
1876.....	85,145,116
1877.....	73,614,274
1878.....	65,179,320
1879.....	58,082,970
1880.....	55,601,607
1881.....	58,424,394
1882.....	57,534,510
1883.....	59,152,420
1884.....	66,250,765
1885.....	60,746,294
1886.....	59,012,843
1887.....	62,834,950

The increase for 1887 is \$3,822,107. This increase is due principally to the appreciation in the value of bank shares.

Since the last report was made, the Fulton Bank has reduced its capital \$300,000, the Home Bank has reduced its capital \$25,000, and the Wall Street Bank has gone out of existence. The Columbia Bank has increased its capital \$100,000, and one new bank, the Twelfth Ward, has been established. The Metropolitan National Bank, which was not assessed last year, owing to the fact that at the time the assessments were made the stock had no value beyond the value of the real estate owned by the bank, is assessed this year at a valuation of \$10 per share, exclusive of real estate.

The following table gives the assessed value of the various kinds of personal property for the years 1886 and 1887, together with the increase in each case:

	1886.	1887.	INCREASE.
Insurance Companies.....	\$2,110,538	\$2,327,749	\$217,211
Trust Companies.....	64,681	2,616,595	2,551,914
Miscellaneous Companies.....	31,541,217	41,670,165	10,128,948
Railroad Companies.....	20,274,275	35,306,949	15,032,674
Resident.....	94,479,819	98,472,013	3,992,194
Non-resident.....	9,543,848	9,920,393	376,545
Totals.....	\$158,014,378	\$190,313,864	\$32,299,486
Shareholders of Banks.....	59,012,843	62,834,950	3,822,107
Totals.....	\$217,027,221	\$253,148,814	\$36,121,593

There is attached to this Report as an Appendix a statement showing the assessed valuations of real and personal property for a series of years.

COMPARATIVE ASSESSED VALUATIONS.

The following table exhibits the total assessed valuation on real and personal estate for the years 1885, 1886 and 1887:

	1885.	1886.	1887.
Real Estate.....	\$1,168,443,137	\$1,203,941,065	\$1,254,491,849
Resident, Personal.....	132,257,930	148,470,530	180,393,471
Non-resident, Personal.....	9,669,642	9,543,848	9,920,393
Shareholders of Banks.....	60,746,294	59,012,843	62,834,950
Totals.....	\$1,371,117,003	\$1,420,968,286	\$1,507,640,663

ASSESSMENT UPON REAL ESTATE.

The number of pieces or plots of real estate assessed in 1881 was 152,630; in 1882, 152,211; in 1883, 152,182; in 1884, 156,333; in 1885, 159,432; in 1886, 161,617; and in 1887, 161,334.

During the time the books were open, from the second Monday in January to the 30th day of April, to receive applications from parties considering themselves aggrieved by assessments upon their real property, there were received, in 1881, 2,478 applications; and during the same period in 1882 there were received 1,262 applications; in 1883 there were received 1,133 applications; in 1884 there were received 910 applications; in 1885 there were received 1,511 applications; in 1886 there were received 907 applications, and in 1887 there were received 637 applications.

TOTAL NUMBER OF ASSESSMENTS.

	1885.	1886.	1887.
Number of Pieces of Real Estate.....	159,432	161,617	161,334
Number of Names on Personal Books.....	12,191	11,905	12,930
Number of Shareholders of Banks.....	20,474	19,220	19,847
Corporations.....	.....	784	954
Total Number of Assessments.....	192,097	193,526	195,065

During the quarter the Commissioners have remitted taxes of 1886 in twenty instances. The following is a detailed statement of such remissions:

Statement of the Remission of Taxes for the Year 1886, made by the Board of Taxes and Assessments during the Quarter ending June 30, 1887.

NAME.	DESCRIPTION OF ASSESSMENT.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	ASSESSED VALUATION ON WHICH TAX WAS REMITTED.	DATE OF REMISSION.	AMOUNT OF TAX REMITTED.	REASON FOR REMISSION.
Benjamin F. Dawson.....	Resident, personal.....	\$5,000	\$5,000	Apl. 6, 1887	\$114 50	Sickness and absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Charles French, Jr.....	" ".....	4,000	4,000	" 6, "	91 60	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Leopold Hirsch.....	" ".....	5,000	5,000	" 6, "	114 50	Absence from the city during time books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
James H. Lancaster.....	" ".....	7,000	7,000	" 6, "	160 30	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
William Seligman.....	Non-resident, personal.....	10,000	10,000	" 6, "	229 00	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Maks J. Lasar.....	Resident, personal.....	3,000	3,000	" 6, "	68 70	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Wyman Worthington.....	" ".....	5,000	5,000	" 13, "	114 50	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Paul Zunz.....	" ".....	5,000	5,000	" 20, "	114 50	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Justus C. Hall.....	" ".....	7,000	7,000	" 20, "	160 30	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Russell H. Henderson.....	" ".....	3,000	3,000	" 20, "	68 70	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Gustav G. Lansing.....	" ".....	4,000	4,000	" 20, "	91 60	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Cornelius Dunlea.....	" ".....	3,000	3,000	" 27, "	68 70	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Frederick W. Cyrus.....	Non-resident, personal.....	2,500	2,500	" 27, "	57 25	Sickness during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Frederick Wright.....	Resident, personal.....	3,000	3,000	" 27, "	68 70	Sickness during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Charles L. Tappin.....	" ".....	3,000	3,000	" 27, "	63 70	Sickness and absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Solomon Hirsch.....	Non-resident, personal.....	2,000	2,000	May 11, "	45 80	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Henry M. Peyser.....	" ".....	2,000	2,000	" 11, "	45 80	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Benjamin M. Whitlock.....	Resident, personal.....	4,000	4,000	" 25, "	91 60	Sickness and absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Elliot F. Shepard.....	128 Shares of Columbia Bank.....	9,600	9,600	" 25, "	230 40	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
William D. Cochran.....	Resident, personal.....	5,000	5,000	June 8, "	114 50	Absence from the city during time Books of Annual Record were open in 1886.
Total.....					\$2,119 65	

The following is a summary of the Report of the Board of Assessors made to this Department for the quarter ending April 30, 1887:

Number of assessment lists received.....	37	\$115,976 35
Number of assessment lists apportioned and advertised.....	57	627,756 94
Number of assessment lists transmitted for confirmation.....	37	353,418 06
On hand May 1, 1887, 114 assessment lists, amounting to.....		2,176,841 85

The report in detail is on file in this Department.

Respectfully submitted,

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

APPENDIX.

Comparative Statement of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate.

YEAR.	RESIDENT, PERSONAL.	NON-RESIDENT, PERSONAL.	SHARE-HOLDERS OF BANKS.	TOTAL PERSONAL.	REAL ESTATE.	TOTAL REAL AND PERSONAL.
1870.....	\$196,414,202	\$33,829,175	\$75,074,322	\$305,317,699	\$742,202,522	\$1,047,520,221
1871.....	198,156,791	32,025,037	76,765,395	306,947,223	769,306,410	1,076,253,633
1872.....	195,032,157	35,189,520	76,727,745	306,949,422	797,148,665	1,104,098,087
1873.....	184,765,583	29,831,665	77,650,395	292,447,643	836,792,930	1,129,240,573
1874.....	170,619,181	26,964,430	74,897,570	272,481,181	881,547,995	1,154,029,176
1875.....	125,922,840	17,986,325	73,390,989	217,300,154	883,643,545	1,100,943,699
1876.....	118,589,535	14,491,527	85,145,117	218,226,179	892,287,015	1,110,513,194
1877.....	118,832,577	13,581,309	73,614,274	206,028,160	895,053,933	1,101,082,093
1878.....	119,619,355	12,733,400	65,179,320	197,532,075	900,855,700	1,098,387,775
1879.....	106,644,723	11,207,262	58,082,970	175,934,955	918,134,380	1,094,069,335
1880.....	133,502,710	12,089,720	55,601,607	201,194,037	942,571,690	1,143,765,727
1881.....	138,613,030	12,175,475	58,424,394	209,212,899	976,735,190	1,185,948,088
1882.....	129,162,101	11,575,971	57,534,510	198,272,582	1,035,203,816	1,233,476,398
1883.....	127,678,542	10,713,533	59,152,420	197,546,495	1,079,130,669	1,276,677,164
1884.....	141,625,409	10,660,572	66,250,765	218,536,746	1,119,761,597	1,338,298,343
1885.....	132,257,930	9,669,642	60,746,294	202,673,866	1,168,443,137	1,371,117,003
1886.....	148,470,530	9,543,848	59,012,843	217,027,221	1,203,941,065	1,420,968,286
1887.....	180,393,471	9,920,393	62,834,950	253,148,814	1,254,491,849	1,507,640,663

Statement of the Number of Assessments on the Rolls from 1871.

YEAR.	PERSONAL.				BANKS.				REAL ESTATE.	
	Names on Rolls at Opening.	Applications for Reductions.	Erased, not Liab.	Retained on Receiver's Books.	Number of.	Number of Share-holders.	Erased, not Liab.	Retained on Receiver's Books.	Number of Pieces.	Applications for Reductions.
1871.....	25,441	15,723	7,903	18,538	82	26,620	.....	.....	124,876	2,315
1872.....	29,291	14,269	9,916	19,382	78	26,336	.....	.....	127,217	1,508
1873.....	29,513	16,767	13,307	16,206	78	26,059	.....	.....	123,209	1,746
1874.....	25,293	12,126	10,927	14,366	75	25,122	.....	.....	144,730	5,985
1875.....	16,971	9,471	8,051	8,920	76	25,256	.....	.....	147,855	6,576
1876.....	13,054	5,670	3,821	9,233	77	25,638	.....	.....	148,130	5,985
1877.....	16,619	8,600	6,100	10,519	75	24,649	.....	.....	149,541	8,192
1878.....	15,948	9,566	5,462	10,486	73	24,979	.....	.....	151,058	8,763
1879.....	17,590	8,320	6,112	11,478	70	24,570	.....	.....	151,620	10,900
1880.....	22,084	15,100	7,320	14,764	69	22,108	1,220	20,888	152,400	2,500
1881.....	21,294	11,540	7,338	13,956	70	22,043	1,065	20,978	152,630	2,478
1882.....	20,247	10,048	8,581	11,666	74	22,367	1,189	21,178	152,211	1,262
1883.....	20,779	10,055	8,888	11,891	71	22,532	1,183	21,349	152,182	1,133
1884.....	19,657	8,456	7,441	12,216	75	22,312	1,203	21,109	156,333	910
1885.....	21,823	10,638	9,632	12,191	75	21,946	1,472	20,474	159,432	1,511
1886.....	20,135	9,209	8,230	11,905	73	20,405	1,185	19,220	161,617	907
1887.....	23,815	11,891	10,885	12,930	74	20,895	1,049	19,847	161,334	637

Statement of the Increase or Decrease of Personal Estate from the Year 1871.

YEAR.	RESIDENT.		NON-RESIDENT.		SHAREHOLDERS OF BANKS.		TOTAL.		YEAR.	RESIDENT.		NON-RESIDENT.		BANKS.		TOTAL.		
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.		Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	
1871.....	\$1,742,589	.....	.....	\$1,804,138	\$1,691,073	.....	\$1,629,524	.....	1879.....	.....	\$12,974,632	.....	\$1,526,138	.....	\$7,096,350	.....	\$21,597,120	
1872.....	.....	\$3,124,634	\$3,164,483	.....	.....	\$37,650	2,199	.....	1880.....	\$26,857,987	.....	.....	\$882,458	.....	.....	2,481,362	\$25,259,083	.....
1873.....	.....	10,066,574	.....	5,357,855	1,072,650	.....	.....	\$14,351,779	1881.....	5,110,320	.....	.....	85,755	.....	\$2,822,787	.....	8,018,862	.....
1874.....	.....	14,346,402	.....	2,867,235	.....	2,752,825	.....	19,966,462	1882.....	.....	9,450,929	.....	599,504	.....	889,884	.....	10,940,317	.....
1875.....	.....	44,696,341	.....	8,978,105	.....	1,506,581	.....	55,181,027	1883.....	.....	1,483,559	.....	860,438	1,617,909	.....	.....	726,088	.....
1876.....	.....	6,933,305	.....	3,494,798	11,754,127	.....	1,326,024	.....	1884.....	13,946,867	.....	.....	54,961	7,098,345	.....	20,990,251	.....	.....
1877.....	.....	156,958	.....	910,218	.....	11,530,843	.....	12,598,019	1885.....	.....	9,367,479	.....	990,930	.....	5,504,471	.....	15,862,880	.....
1878.....	786,778	.....	.....	847,909	.....	8,434,954	.....	8,496,085	1886.....	16,212,600	.....	.....	125,794	.....	1,733,451	14,353,355	.....	.....
									1887.....	31,922,941	.....	.....	376,545	.....	3,822,107	.....	36,121,593	.....

Comparative Statement of Resident and Non-resident Personal Estate from 1874.

YEAR.	RESIDENT, INCLUDING CORPORATIONS.			NON-RESIDENT.			TOTAL RESIDENT AND NON-RESIDENT.		
	Assessed Valuations at Opening.	Erased, Not Liab.	Retained on Receiver's Books.	Assessed Valuations at Opening.	Erased, Not Liab.	Retained on Receiver's Books.	Assessed Valuations at Opening.	Erased, Not Liab.	Retained on Receiver's Books.
1874.....	\$437,385,829	\$266,765,648	\$170,619,181	\$46,343,570	\$19,379,140	\$26,964,430	\$483,729,399	\$286,144,788	\$197,583,611
1875.....	372,250,250	246,327,410	125,922,840	40,687,730	22,701,405	17,986,325	412,937,980	269,028,815	143,909,165
1876.....	899,056,597	780,067,062	118,989,535	35,219,170	20,727,643	14,491,527	934,275,767	800,794,705	133,481,062
1877.....	721,587,642	641,674,190	118,832,577	33,156,305	19,574,996	13,581,309	754,743,947	661,249,186	132,413,886
1878.....	760,506,767	640,887,412	119,619,355	33,869,909	21,136,509	12,733,400	794,376,676	662,023,921	132,352,755
1879.....	824,852,728	718,208,005	106,644,723	31,022,044	19,814,782	11,207,262	855,874,772	738,022,787	117,851,985
1880.....	1,881,802,206	1,748,299,496	133,502,710	42,769,700	30,679,980	12,089,720	1,924,571,906	1,778,979,476	145,592,430
1881.....	2,348,443,273	2,203,830,243	138,613,030	30,348,540	18,173,065	12,175,475	2,378,791,813	2,228,003,308	150,788,505
1882.....	2,387,843,805	2,258,681,704	129,162,101	33,569,788	21,993,817	11,575,971	2,421,413,593	2,280,675,521	140,738,072
1883.....	2,003,860,031	1,876,181,489	127,678,542	34,345,353	23,629,820	10,715,533	2,038,205,384	1,899,811,309	138,394,075
1884.....	1,581,450,549	1,439,825,140	141,625,409	53,994,075	43,333,503	10,660,572	1,635,444,624	1,483,158,643	152,285,981
1885.....	1,494,581,898	1,322,723,968	132,257,930	50,361,072	40,691,430	9,669,642	1,545,342,970	1,403,415,398	141,927,572
1886.....	1,451,267,558	1,302,797,028	148,470,530	48,703,345	39,159,497	9,543,848	1,499,970,903	1,341,926,525	158,044,378
1887.....	1,343,049,799	1,162,656,328	180,393,471	54,868,298	44,947,905	9,920,393	1,397,918,097	1,227,604,233	170,313,864

Increase or Decrease of Personal and Real Estate since the Year 1871.

YEAR.	PERSONAL ESTATE.		SHAREHOLDERS OF BANKS.		TOTAL PERSONAL.		REAL ESTATE.		TOTAL PERSONAL AND REAL ESTATE.	
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1871.....	.....	\$61,549	\$1,691,073	.....	\$1,629,524	.....	\$27,103,885	.....	\$28,733,409	.....
1872.....	\$39,849	.....	.....	\$37,650	2,199	.....	27,842,255	.....	27,844,454	.....
1873.....	.....	15,424,429	1,072,650	.....	14,351,779	.....	39,544,715	.....	25,192,936	.....
1874.....	.....	17,213,637	.....	2,752,825	.....	\$19,966,462	44,755,065	.....	24,788,603	.....
1875.....	.....	53,674,446	.....	1,506,581	.....	55,181,027	2,095,550	.....	.....	\$53,085,477
1876.....	.....	10,428,103	11,754,127	.....	1,326,024	.....	8,784,620	.....	10,110,644	.....
1877.....	.....	1,067,176	.....	11,530,843	.....	12,598,019	2,776,918	.....	.....	9,821,101
1878.....	.....	61,131	.....	8,434,954	.....	8,496,085	5,791,767	.....	.....	2,704,318
1879.....	.....	14,500,770	.....	7,096,350	.....	21,597,120	17,278,680	.....	.....	4,318,440
1880.....	27,740,445	.....	2,481,362	.....	25,259,082	.....	24,437,310	.....	49,696,392	.....
1881.....	5,196,075	.....	2,822,787	.....	8,018,862	.....	34,164,009	.....	42,182,871	.....
1882.....	.....	10,050,433	.....	889,884	.....	10,940,317	58,468,617	.....	47,528,299	.....
1883.....	.....	2,343,997	1,617,909	.....	.....	725,087	43,926,853	.....	43,200,765	.....
1884.....	13,891,906	.....	7,098,345	.....	20,990,251	.....	40,630,928	.....	61,621,179	.....
1885.....	.....	10,358,409	.....	5,504,471	.....	15,862,880	48,681,540	.....	32,818,660	.....
1886.....	16,086,806	.....	.....	1,733,451	14,353,355	.....	35,497,928	.....	49,851,283	.....
1887.....	32,299,486	.....	3,822,107	.....	36,121,593	.....	50,550,784	.....	86,672,377	.....

Statement of the Assessment on Banks from the Year 1870.

YEAR.	CAPITAL.	GROSS VALUE.	REAL ESTATE.	ERASED, NOT LIAB.	TRANSFERRED TO PERSONAL RECORD.	RETAINED ON RECEIVER'S BOOKS.
1870.....	\$85,723,150	\$85,423,027	\$10,348,705	.....	.....	\$75,074,322
1871.....	87,703,350	87,263,500	10,498,105	.....	.....	76,765,395
1872.....	87,090,855	87,090,850	10,363,105	.....	.....	76,727,745
1873.....	87,955,700	87,955,700	10,305,305	.....	.....	77,650,395
1874.....	85,163,200	85,163,200	10,265,630	.....	.....	74,897,570
1875.....	83,902,394	83,902,394	10,511,405	.....	.....	73,390,989
1876.....	95,540,373	95,540,373	10,395,256	.....	.....	85,145,117
1877.....	77,335,200	84,235,339	10,621,065	.....	.....	73,614,274
1878.....	70,275,200	75,714,575	10,535,255	.....	.....	65,179,320
1879.....	63,375,200	68,667,844	10,584,874	.....	.....	58,082,970
1880.....	62,200,200	72,847,094	10,813,624	\$5,294,183	\$1,137,680	55,601,607
1881.....	62,300,200	76,750,255	10,942,535	6,477,182	906,142	58,424,394
1882.....	62,687,700	79,764,764	12,894,494	7,955,638	1,380,122	57,534,510
1883.....	62,749,700	82,100,190	12,815,374	9,229,357	903,039	59,152,420
1884.....	64,262,700	90,235,515	12,501,025	11,483,725	.....	66,250,765
1885.....	64,337,700	86,283,688	13,609,494	11,927,900	.....	60,746,294
1886.....	59,637,700	83,257,300	12,520,310	11,724,147	.....	59,012,843
1887.....	60,662,700	89,437,492	12,870,390	13,732,152	.....	62,834,950

Comparative Statement of Fire Insurance Companies.

YEAR.	ASSESSED VALUATION.	ERASED—NOT LIAB.	RETAINED ON RECEIVER'S BOOKS.
1878.....	\$68,139,000	\$59,139,414	\$8,999,586
1879.....	63,663,000	56,521,600	7,141,400
1880.....	62,903,695	57,929,752	4,973,943
1881.....	60,211,911	53,656,264	6,555,647
1882.....	64,524,000	60,382,835	4,141,165
1883.....	70,785,000	68,105,293	2,679,707
1884.....	67,850,000	65,202,155	2,647,845
1885.....	67,530,000	65,682,733	1,847,267
1886.....	61,990,000	60,090,487	1,899,513
1887.....	50,015,000	47,866,564	2,148,436

Increase or Decrease of Real Estate in each Ward from the Year 1871.

YEAR.	FIRST WARD.		SECOND WARD.		THIRD WARD.	
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1871	\$136,300		\$171,300		\$433,400	
1872		\$2,408,100		\$1,294,800		\$1,231,400
1873		707,000		337,500		282,500
1874	955,400		529,500		382,400	
1875		302,500		238,300	221,400	
1876		257,704		33,100	733,700	
1877	265,310		44,400		43,900	
1878		273,450		241,000	94,400	
1879	1,094,170		87,820		592,340	
1880	966,800		202,440		395,280	
1881	1,849,640		292,440		224,580	
1882	5,606,054		838,440		1,223,060	
1883	4,249,437		962,557		420,791	
1884	1,610,643		331,624		302,530	
1885	13,264,514		3,671,319		2,305,119	
1886		846,051	164,238		91,429	
1887	737,242		199,209		240,836	

YEAR.	FOURTH WARD.		FIFTH WARD.		SIXTH WARD.	
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1871	\$250,400			\$2,656,200	\$356,900	
1872	62,800			149,500	33,700	
1873		\$65,900		245,500	138,700	
1874	49,550		\$198,500		455,800	
1875	33,100			378,800		\$382,300
1876	90,950		317,750		9,900	
1877		79,900	25,500			13,000
1878		25,800		10,250		57,800
1879	163,240		360,500		315,100	
1880	42,730		11,050		135,800	
1881	28,280		195,350		16,100	
1882		881,062	1,695,200		535,410	
1883	354,943		1,872,402		74,168	
1884	193,900		918,416		223,260	
1885	849,803		1,909,060		1,310,353	
1886	58,994		457,734		281,252	
1887	130,792		379,495		372,948	

YEAR.	SEVENTH WARD.		EIGHTH WARD.		NINTH WARD.	
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1871	\$431,400		\$362,050		\$22,500	
1872	493,900		911,350		615,900	
1873	264,400		1,489,500		1,536,800	
1874	450,800		546,500		435,300	
1875		\$264,900	54,000		243,300	
1876		51,700	63,140		113,230	
1877		54,200	351,102		178,120	
1878	186,750			\$350,600	202,450	
1879		184,150	308,330		538,290	
1880		3,650	380,570		83,980	
1881	53,000		208,100		168,080	
1882	226,558		689,618		332,873	
1883		41,966	1,352,614		549,441	
1884	177,550		642,924		820,850	
1885	288,467		431,511		245,952	
1886	330,787		585,608		207,224	
1887	334,611		224,286		522,833	

YEAR.	TENTH WARD.		ELEVENTH WARD.		TWELFTH WARD.	
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1871	\$680,400		\$786,200		\$1,493,225	
1872	615,200		414,300		4,205,960	
1873	1,094,200		279,200		7,888,795	
1874	705,350		237,200		5,034,655	
1875	86,100		4,500			\$429,200
1876	249,520		15,100		175,175	
1877		\$44,600	67,870			1,419,630
1878		123,200	735,550			219,105

WARD.	TENTH WARD.		ELEVENTH WARD.		TWELFTH WARD.	
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1879		\$131,340	\$115,200		\$2,386,470	
1880	\$73,830		44,850		6,936,185	
1881	31,035		64,300		10,650,459	
1882	142,830		151,393		11,810,260	
1883		306,121	202,130		6,047,555	
1884	163,950		248,850		11,751,571	
1885	269,151		76,227		6,723,255	
1886	463,280		213,759		12,126,152	
1887	325,932		372,577		24,081,575	

YEAR.	THIRTEENTH WARD.		FOURTEENTH WARD.		FIFTEENTH WARD.	
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1871	\$807,300		\$546,180		\$1,058,700	
1872	270,500			\$27,700	1,018,300	
1873	772,500		563,900		566,400	
1874	341,950		419,990		666,750	
1875		\$56,450		19,770		\$74,250
1876	182,000			85,645	204,000	
1877	13,300			15,018	62,263	
1878	36,150			2,410		831,443
1879		41,800	50,050			38,020
1880		35,100	155,570		513,310	
1881	45,500		221,480			19,940
1882	165,550		249,218		1,383,320	
1883		11,885	398,387		1,608,200	
1884	84,100		602,250		673,718	
1885	161,730		347,423		125,108	
1886	179,070		367,512		648,975	
1887	307,050		315,043		424,312	

YEAR.	SIXTEENTH WARD.		SEVENTEENTH WARD.		EIGHTEENTH WARD.	
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1871	\$218,650		\$3,640,800		\$1,098,400	
1872	432,150		562,600		1,363,750	
1873	151,300		514,900		1,924,000	
1874	2,406,150		505,900		1,012,300	
1875	112,050		269,000			\$375,500
1876	205,194		491,400		940,050	
1877	90,056		2,700		538,750	
1878	803,500		77,550		474,050	
1879	431,780		352,510		1,017,250	
1880	220,670		566,020		1,267,650	
1881	174,050		209,320		1,605,300	
1882	619,362		396,623		927,502	
1883	352,606		286,419		1,553,201	
1884	1,080,450		124,600		2,016,910	
1885	806,596			\$135,511	2,245,015	
1886	823,613		300,163		462,066	
1887	355,402		517,414		617,243	

YEAR.	NINETEENTH WARD.		TWENTIETH WARD.		TWENTY-FIRST WARD.	
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1871	\$6,452,510		\$4,072,050		\$2,222,000	
1872	13,511,615		1,918,300		4,003,750	
1873	19,235,760		1,584,850		239,200	
1874	2,510,985		1,116,300		1,076,650	
1875	3,019,675		80,350		199,500	
1876	3,114,590		963,200		195,400	
1877	1,203,000		102,900		352,450	
1878	2,951,100		605,300		1,144,750	
1879	5,971,090		615,000		1,460,300	
1880	9,263,220		283,100		959,500	
1881	13,758,410		679,100		570,450	
1882	24,252,923		431,570		2,276,880	
1883	7,137,250		2,991,602		7,609,318	
1884	9,102,400		1,576,350		1,116,550	
1885	5,501,020		684,723		144,313	
1886	6,621,487		687,181		743,112	
1887	6,717,485		830,094		708,706	

YEAR.	TWENTY-SECOND WARD.		TWENTY-THIRD WARD.		TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.	
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.
1871.....	\$4,519,420	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1872.....	2,519,480	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1873.....	2,918,710	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1874.....	1,810,770	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1875.....	570,315	.....	\$1,636,975	.....	\$1,912,825	.....
1876.....	984,275	.....	101,500	.....	\$62,695	.....
1877.....	942,460	.....	157,300	.....	38,115	.....
1878.....	1,169,025	.....	.....	\$126,275	.....	247,475
1879.....	1,746,595	.....	116,875	.....	.....	48,920
1880.....	1,678,620	.....	222,450	.....	72,435	.....
1881.....	2,700,135	.....	357,760	.....	81,080	.....
1882.....	4,858,560	.....	463,415	.....	73,060	.....
1883.....	5,538,129	.....	546,935	.....	178,740	.....
1884.....	5,949,442	.....	785,845	.....	132,245	.....
1885.....	4,146,283	.....	2,926,804	.....	383,305	.....
1886.....	8,549,551	.....	1,057,917	.....	921,975	.....
1887.....	9,856,997	.....	1,410,823	.....	567,870	.....

The Assessed Valuation of Real Estate in each Ward from the Year 1870.

YEAR.	FIRST WARD.	SECOND WARD.	THIRD WARD.	FOURTH WARD.	FIFTH WARD.	SIXTH WARD.
1870.....	\$53,487,300	\$29,215,000	\$32,435,000	\$12,258,775	\$41,476,200	\$20,819,350
1871.....	53,623,600	29,386,300	32,868,400	12,509,175	38,820,000	21,176,250
1872.....	51,215,500	28,091,500	31,637,000	12,571,975	38,670,500	21,209,950
1873.....	50,608,500	27,754,000	31,354,500	12,512,075	38,425,000	21,348,650
1874.....	51,563,900	28,283,500	31,736,900	12,561,625	38,623,500	21,804,450
1875.....	51,261,400	28,045,200	31,958,300	12,594,725	38,244,700	21,422,150
1876.....	51,003,696	28,012,100	32,692,000	12,685,675	38,562,450	21,432,050
1877.....	51,269,006	28,056,500	32,735,900	12,605,775	38,587,950	21,419,150
1878.....	50,995,556	27,815,500	32,830,300	12,399,975	38,577,700	21,361,250
1879.....	52,089,726	27,903,320	33,422,640	12,563,215	38,938,200	21,676,350
1880.....	53,056,526	28,105,760	33,817,920	12,605,945	38,949,250	21,812,150
1881.....	54,906,166	28,398,200	34,042,500	12,634,225	39,144,600	21,828,250
1882.....	60,512,220	29,236,640	35,265,560	11,753,163	40,839,800	22,363,660
1883.....	64,761,657	30,199,197	35,686,351	12,108,106	42,712,202	22,437,828
1884.....	66,372,300	30,530,821	35,988,881	12,302,006	43,630,618	22,661,088
1885.....	79,636,814	34,202,140	38,294,000	13,151,809	45,539,678	23,971,441
1886.....	78,790,763	34,366,378	38,385,429	13,210,803	45,997,412	24,252,693
1887.....	79,528,005	34,565,587	38,626,265	13,341,595	46,376,907	24,625,641

YEAR.	SEVENTH WARD.	EIGHTH WARD.	NINTH WARD.	TENTH WARD.	ELEVENTH WARD.	TWELFTH WARD.
1870.....	\$14,663,600	\$31,011,300	\$22,932,700	\$13,930,700	\$13,134,500	\$48,869,700
1871.....	15,095,000	31,373,350	22,955,200	14,611,100	13,920,700	50,362,925
1872.....	15,588,900	32,284,900	23,571,100	15,226,300	14,335,000	54,568,885
1873.....	15,852,100	32,774,400	25,127,900	16,320,500	14,614,200	62,458,930
1874.....	16,302,900	34,320,900	25,563,200	17,025,850	14,851,400	67,493,585
1875.....	16,038,000	34,374,900	25,806,500	17,112,030	14,855,900	67,064,385
1876.....	15,986,300	34,438,040	25,919,730	17,361,550	14,871,000	67,238,660
1877.....	15,932,100	34,789,142	26,097,850	17,316,950	14,938,870	65,819,030
1878.....	16,118,850	34,438,542	26,300,300	17,193,750	15,674,420	65,599,925
1879.....	15,934,700	34,746,872	26,838,590	17,062,410	15,789,620	67,586,395
1880.....	15,931,050	35,127,442	26,922,570	17,136,240	15,834,470	74,922,580
1881.....	15,984,050	35,335,542	27,090,650	17,167,275	15,898,770	85,573,039
1882.....	16,210,608	36,025,160	27,423,523	17,310,105	16,050,163	97,383,299
1883.....	16,168,642	37,377,774	27,972,964	17,003,984	16,252,293	103,430,854
1884.....	16,346,192	38,020,698	28,793,814	17,167,934	16,501,143	115,182,425
1885.....	16,634,659	38,452,209	29,039,766	17,437,085	16,577,370	121,905,680
1886.....	16,965,446	39,037,817	29,246,990	17,900,365	16,791,129	134,031,832
1887.....	17,300,057	39,262,103	29,769,823	18,226,297	17,163,706	158,113,407

YEAR.	THIRTEENTH WARD.	FOURTEENTH WARD.	FIFTEENTH WARD.	SIXTEENTH WARD.	SEVENTEENTH WARD.	EIGHT-TEENTH WARD.
1870.....	\$7,452,000	\$20,907,310	\$48,273,250	\$28,928,450	\$25,834,100	\$60,081,750
1871.....	8,259,300	21,453,490	49,332,050	29,147,100	29,474,900	61,180,150
1872.....	8,529,800	21,425,790	50,350,350	29,579,250	30,037,500	62,543,900
1873.....	9,302,300	21,991,190	50,916,750	29,730,550	30,559,400	64,467,900
1874.....	9,644,250	22,411,180	51,583,500	32,136,700	31,058,300	65,480,200
1875.....	9,587,800	22,391,410	51,509,250	32,248,750	31,327,300	65,104,700
1876.....	9,769,800	22,305,265	51,713,250	32,454,444	31,704,700	66,044,750
1877.....	9,783,100	22,290,247	51,775,513	32,544,500	31,707,400	66,583,500
1878.....	9,819,250	22,287,837	50,944,070	33,348,000	31,784,950	67,057,550

YEAR.	THIRTEENTH WARD.	FOURTEENTH WARD.	FIFTEENTH WARD.	SIXTEENTH WARD.	SEVENTEENTH WARD.	EIGHT-TEENTH WARD.
1879.....	\$9,777,450	\$22,337,887	\$50,906,050	\$33,779,780	\$32,137,460	\$68,074,800
1880.....	9,742,350	22,493,457	51,418,860	34,000,450	32,703,480	69,342,450
1881.....	9,787,850	22,714,937	51,398,920	34,174,500	32,912,800	70,947,750
1882.....	9,953,400	22,964,155	52,782,240	34,793,862	33,309,423	71,875,252
1883.....	9,941,515	23,362,542	54,390,440	35,146,468	33,595,842	73,428,453
1884.....	10,025,615	23,964,792	55,064,158	36,226,918	33,720,442	75,445,363
1885.....	10,187,345	24,312,215	55,189,266	37,033,514	33,584,931	77,690,378
1886.....	10,366,415	24,679,727	55,838,241	37,857,127	33,885,094	78,153,344
1887.....	10,673,465	24,994,770	56,262,553	38,212,529	34,402,508	78,770,587

YEAR.	NINETEENTH WARD.	TWENTIETH WARD.	TWENTY-FIRST WARD.	TWENTY-SECOND WARD.	TWENTY-THIRD WARD.	TWENTY-FOURTH WARD.
1870.....	\$71,319,420	\$27,254,800	\$64,770,300	\$53,146,920	.....	.....
1871.....	77,771,930	31,326,850	66,992,300	57,666,340	.....	.....
1872.....	91,283,545	33,745,150	70,996,050	60,185,820	.....	.....
1873.....	110,521,305	34,830,000	71,235,250	63,094,530	.....	.....
1874.....	113,032,290	35,946,300	72,311,900	64,905,300	\$21,369,475	\$21,536,890
1875.....	116,051,965	36,026,650	72,511,400	65,475,615	13,006,450	9,624,065
1876.....	119,156,555	36,848,850	72,706,800	66,449,640	13,107,950	9,685,760
1877.....	120,359,555	37,087,750	73,059,250	67,392,100	13,265,250	9,647,645
1878.....	123,310,655	37,693,050	74,204,000	68,561,125	13,138,975	9,400,170
1879.....	129,281,745	38,308,050	75,664,300	70,307,720	13,255,850	9,351,250
1880.....	138,544,965	38,591,150	76,623,000	71,986,340	13,478,300	9,423,685
1881.....	152,303,375	39,270,250	77,194,250	74,686,475	13,836,060	9,504,765
1882.....	176,556,298	39,701,820	79,471,130	79,545,035	14,299,475	9,577,825
1883.....	183,693,548	42,693,422	87,080,448	85,083,164	14,846,410	9,756,565
1884.....	192,795,948	44,269,772	88,196,998	91,032,606	15,632,255	9,888,810
1885.....	198,296,968	44,954,495	88,341,311	95,178,889	18,559,059	10,272,115
1886.....	204,918,455	45,641,676	89,084,423	103,728,440	19,616,976	11,194,090
1887.....	211,635,940	46,471,770	89,793,129	113,585,437	21,027,808	11,761,960

* Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards were annexed to New York City in 1873, for which year they were assessed for taxation in Westchester County.

Statement of the Net Increase of Real Estate for each Year from 1871.

YEAR.	TOTAL INCREASE.	TOTAL DECREASE.	NET INCREASE.	YEAR.	TOTAL INCREASE.	TOTAL DECREASE.	NET INCREASE.
1871.....	\$29,760,085	\$2,656,200	\$27,103,885	1880.....	\$24,476,060	\$38,750	\$24,437,310
1872.....	32,953,755	5,111,500	27,842,255	1881.....	34,183,949	19,940	34,164,009
1873.....	41,183,115	1,638,400	39,544,715	1882.....	59,349,679	881,062	58,468,617
1874.....	44,755,065	.....	44,755,065	1883.....	44,286,825	359,972	43,926,853
1875.....	6,530,345	4,434,795	2,095,550	1884.....	40,630,928	.....	40,630,928
1876.....	9,212,769	428,149	8,784,620	1885.....	48,817,051	135,511	48,681,540
1877.....	4,441,381	1,664,463	2,776,918	1886.....	36,343,979	846,051	35,497,928
1878.....	8,480,575	2,688,808	5,791,767	1887.....	50,550,784	.....	50,550,784
1879.....	17,722,910	444,230	17,278,680				

Comparative Statement of Resident Corporations from the Year 1879.

YEAR.	INSURANCE.	TRUST.	RAILROAD.	MISCELLANEOUS.
1879.....	\$7,141,400	\$614,931	\$738,164	\$11,283,451
1880.....	4,978,943	690,410	16,022,110	15,229,941
1881.....	6,555,647	1,679,269	13,201,362	21,064,530
1882.....	4,141,165	4,393,974	14,602,958	11,291,707
1883.....	2,815,848	2,161,746	17,165,254	13,520,246
1884.....	2,744,945	1,957,373	16,289,979	28,324,283
1885.....	2,146,379	156,506	12,339,871	29,234,409
1886.....	2,110,538	64,681	20,274,275	31,541,217
1887.....	2,327,749	2,616,595	35,306,949	41,670,165

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
NEW YORK, August 11, 1887.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present—Commissioners Bayles and Bryant, and the Health Officer of the Port.

Reports.

From the Attorney and Counsel—Monthly report of suits commenced; weekly report of suits commenced; weekly report of cases wherein nuisances have been abated, and recommendations that actions be discontinued.

From the Sanitary Superintendent—Weekly report of Chief Sanitary Inspector; weekly report of Chief Inspector of Food and Chemical Analysis; weekly report of Chief Inspector of Sanitary Police; weekly report of Chief Inspector of Summer Corps; weekly report of Vital Statistics; weekly letter; weekly abstract of marriages; weekly abstract of births; weekly abstract of stillbirths; weekly abstract of deaths from contagious diseases; weekly report on attendance of clerks; weekly report on delayed birth returns; weekly report on manure dumps; weekly report on condition of slaughter-houses; weekly report on condition of offal and night soil boats; monthly report of charitable institutions; report of seizure of fruit and vegetables; report on applications for leave of absence; reports on applications for permits; reports on applications for relief from orders; report of investigation of offensive smell at foot of East Forty-fourth street.

From the Chief Inspector of Contagious Diseases—Weekly report from Riverside Hospital (small-pox); weekly report from Riverside Hospital (fevers); weekly report from Reception Hospital; weekly report of work performed by the Division.

Communications from other Departments.

From the Department of Finance—Weekly report of the Comptroller.

Miscellaneous Communications.

A communication from J. D. Crammins, in respect to the use of disinfectants in trenches. Referred to the Sanitary Superintendent.

A communication from Daniel Connolly, notifying the Board that his premises, No. 28 Union Square, are to let.

The declination of Dr. I. Tynberg of the position of Inspector of Summer Corps. Accepted.

The Harlem Dispensary notifies the Board that it has no means to furnish medicines free of cost. Communication from Drs. E. G. Janeway, Stephen Smith, James O'Dwyer, A. Jacobi, C. R. Agnew and D. M. Stimson, accepting position of Consulting Physicians and Surgeons to the Willard Parker and other hospitals connected with the Department.

Bills Audited.

New Coal Tar Chemical Co.....	\$26 42	John Goodwin	\$383 64
Charles Pfizer & Co.....	114 00	A. B. Dick Co.....	15 00
McKesson & Robbins.....	56 25	Wyckoff, Seamans & Benedict.....	100 00
Charles P. Woodworth & Co.....	66 86	Consolidated Gas Co.....	23 37
Eugene G. Blackford.....	25 22	Carl H. Schultz.....	12 00
Percy Rockwell.....	16 72	H. G. Canfield.....	44 64
James McKenna.....	4 00	Park & Tilford.....	41 49
Offerman & Heissenbittel.....	102 60	Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph	
James Bulger.....	34 50	Co.....	128 88

Permits Granted.

To render lard and smoke sausages at No. 143 Perry street.
To keep a manure-box at No. 456 West Twenty-eighth street.
To keep four cows at south side Cooper street, west of Emmerson street.
To keep cows at No. 105 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, six weeks.
To keep one cow at No. 48 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street.
To drive two cows from Boston avenue to Berrian avenue.
To keep two goats at One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Boulevard and Hudson river.
To keep two goats at One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Boulevard.
To keep chickens at No. 815 Tinton avenue.
To keep four chickens at No. 124 West One Hundredth street.
To keep six chickens at No. 128 West One Hundredth street.
To keep a lodging-house at No. 112 Mulberry street.
To slaughter sheep at south side One Hundred and Sixth street, one house east of First avenue.
To kill poultry at No. 30 Bowery.

Permits Denied.

To keep a manure vault at No. 176 Broome street.
To keep a manure vault at Nos. 126 and 128 Sixth avenue.
To keep chickens for sale at No. 98 Avenue A.
To keep eight chickens at No. 58 Stanton street.
To keep ten chickens at No. 2230 Second avenue.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the actions against the following-named persons for violations of the Sanitary Code be discontinued without costs, to-wit:

Suit No.		Suit No.	
Louis Littman.....	2090	James Baker.....	3459
Robert Halley.....	2847	James F. Bragg.....	3461
Henry Newhoff.....	3168	James Brooks.....	3462
John Costello.....	3209	Anne Cook.....	3466
Abram J. Grozky.....	3215	John Doran.....	3467
John Weisman.....	3326	Max Lief.....	3473
Henry J. Welch.....	3358	Henry Morgenthau.....	3474
Max Goldstein.....	3367	David F. Porter.....	3479
George Wasser.....	3387	John Quinn.....	3480
John J. Clancy.....	3394	John Stewart.....	3485
Solomon Rice.....	3423	George Scudder.....	3514
Patrick Bolger.....	3428	Patrick Skelly.....	3516
John Clary.....	3432	Adam Simons.....	3517

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record twenty-three birth and two marriage delayed returns.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to file supplemental papers relating to the death of an unknown man, who died June 15, 1887.

Resolved, That the following orders be and are hereby suspended, extended, modified, rescinded or referred, as follows:

No. 10550, on premises No. 468 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, to October 1.
No. 16421, on premises No. 442 West Twenty-eighth street, to August 25.
No. 10128, on premises Nos. 314 East Thirty-first street, to October 1.
No. 10195, on premises No. 22 Vandam street, to September 1.
No. 13955, on premises No. 448 Cherry street, to October 1.
No. 10574, on premises No. 4 Market street, to August 20.
No. 10159, on premises Nos. 313 and 315 Hudson street, to October 1.
No. 10482, on premises Nos. 319 to 323 West Fifteenth street, to September 15.
No. 10695, on premises No. 13 Seventh street, the introduction of water-closets, to September 1, provided the defective joints are caulked without delay.
No. 10314, on premises No. 980 to 988 Third avenue, modified so as to allow a separate sewer for Nos. 980, 982 and 984 Third avenue, and another for Nos. 986 and 988 Third avenue.
No. 10113, on premises No. 404 East Houston street, and No. 285 Second street, that part of order relating to water-closets, to September 5, the remainder to be enforced.
No. 7816, on premises south side One Hundred and First street, commencing one hundred and fifty feet west of Third avenue, rescinded.
No. 9251, on premises No. 732 East One Hundred and Forty-third street, to May 1, 1888.
No. 7307, on premises south side Popham street, two hundred feet East of Fleetwood avenue, to September 1.
No. 9259, on premises No. 419 West Twenty-sixth street, to September 1.
No. 10255, on premises No. 322 Sixth street, to September 1.
No. 7244, on premises No. 667 Third avenue, to October 1.
No. 10007, on premises No. 258 Mott street, to September 1.
No. 6948, on premises northwest corner One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street and Sixth avenue, to September 1.
No. 8841, on premises Nos. 328, 330 and 332 East Fifty-sixth street, to September 1.
No. 10292, on premises No. 13 Minetta street, to September 1.
No. 10283, on premises No. 968 First avenue, to September 1.
No. 10284, on premises No. 970 First avenue, to September 1.
No. 9922, on premises No. 423 West Thirty-second street, to August 31.
No. 10549, on premises No. 465 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, to October 1, provided the yard is cleaned.
No. 9277, on premises south side One Hundred and Sixth street, first house east of First avenue, rescinded.
No. 10555, on premises east side Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-fourth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, rescinded.
Nos. 10432 and 10434, on premises Nos. 941, 943, 947 and 949
to September 1, excepting as regards cleaning of water-closets as required by Order No. 10432.
No. 7743, on premises No. 113 Lewis street, to October 1, as regards independent sewer connection.

Resolved, That applications for relief from the following orders be and are hereby denied:
No. 8608, on premises No. 509 Hester street.
Nos. 8311 and 10462, on premises No. 39 Hester street.
No. 10398, on premises No. 224 Henry street.
No. 10772, on premises No. 89 Cannon street.
No. 8725, on premises No. 46 West One Hundred and Thirty-first street.
No. 9960, on premises No. 45 Lexington avenue.
No. 9783, on premises No. 481 East Houston street.
No. 10153, on premises No. 122 Gansevoort street.
No. 9798, on premises No. 475 Greenwich street.
No. 10254, on premises No. 68 East Third street.
No. 10150, on premises No. 166 Franklin street.
No. 7593, on premises south side One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, 200 feet east of Tenth avenue.

Resolved, That the following applications be and are hereby granted, as follows:

Order to vacate house No. 57 Division street, the occupancy of store extended to November 1.
Order to vacate house No. 57 1/2 Division street, the occupancy of store to November 1, the vacation of the remaining portion of houses to be enforced.

Resolved, That the permit to render offal and manufacture fertilizers at the establishment of J. H. Laden, at the foot of East Forty-fourth street, be and is hereby revoked.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and are hereby employed provisionally, pursuant to and subject to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service, as follows:

Alfred F. Decker, Sanitary Inspector, at \$1,200 per annum.
Alfred E. Jennings, Sanitary Inspector, at \$1,200 per annum.
John J. Smith, Sanitary Inspector, at \$1,200 per annum.
James Tennant, Sanitary Inspector, at \$1,200 per annum.
Joseph M. Trowbridge, Inspector of Plumbing, at \$1,260 per annum.
John L. Peake, Inspector of Plumbing, at \$1,260 per annum.
John S. Routh, Inspector of Plumbing, at \$1,260 per annum.
John Lewis, Inspector of Plumbing, at \$1,260 per annum.
Peter Smith, Inspector of Plumbing, at \$1,260 per annum.
Henry M. Nicholson, Inspector of Fruit, at \$75 per month.
Wilson G. Fox, Inspector of Fruit, at \$75 per month.
Russel H. Nevins, Inspector of Milk, at \$1,260 per annum.

Resolved, That the recommendations of the Sanitary Superintendent for securing a full registration of births be approved, and that he be directed to take the necessary measures to enforce a proper reporting of the same to this Department.

Resolved, That the Sanitary Superintendent be and is hereby directed to furnish this Board with a list of the "offensive trades" now under his observation, setting forth the nature of the business, the proprietor, location, sources of offense and the means that are being employed to obviate them.

Resolved, That provisions be made by this Board to refund quarterly during the coming year, to the physicians of this City who may be engaged in private practice, the amounts that may be expended by them for postage in reporting births and contagious diseases to this Department.

Resolved, That the Chief Inspector of the Division of Contagious Diseases be relieved of all duties pertaining to the management of hospitals, and that the Resident Physicians of the hospitals report direct to the Board of Health, through the Medical Commissioner of Health.

Resolved, That the orders to vacate buildings No. 39 Mulberry street, Nos. 43, 45 and 45 1/2 Hester street, and Nos. 57 and 59 Mulberry street, be and are hereby referred back to the Sanitary Superintendent with power.

The President submitted proposed amendments to the Sanitary Code, which were laid on the table until the next morning.

The Chairman of the Sanitary Committee presented letters from physicians in answer to complaints of neglect to report cases of contagious diseases, which were ordered on file.

From the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation.

Weekly report of work performed by the division; weekly report on light and ventilation of tenement-houses, and plumbing and drainage plans of new buildings.

Resolved, That the recommendations of the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation be and the same are hereby approved.

Resolved, That the plans for plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions contained in the statement of the action of the Board attached to the specifications submitted with the plans, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith:

Plan No. 5378-2, for ten tenements, west side, Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Eighteenth and One Hundred and Nineteenth streets.

Plan No. 5445-3, for four tenements, west side Eighth avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

Plan No. 5487-2, for two tenements, northwest corner Twelfth street and Second avenue.

Plan No. 5501, for four tenements, Nos. 220 to 226 West Sixty-ninth street.

Plan No. 5503, for two tenements, northeast corner One Hundred and Twentieth street and Third avenue.

Plan No. 5504, for one tenement, No. 208 East Thirty-sixth street.

Plan No. 5505, for one tenement, No. 77 Avenue D.

Plan No. 5508, for one tenement, east side Brook avenue, seventy-five feet north of One Hundred and Forty-first street.

Resolved, That Plan No. 5502, for the light and ventilation of one tenement, No. 92 James street, be and is hereby tabled for amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for the light and ventilation of the following new tenement-houses be and are hereby disapproved:

Plan No. 5154-2, for three tenements, northwest corner of Cherry and Jackson streets.

Plan No. 5497, for one lodging-house, No. 295 Bowery.

Action of the Board on Plans for the Plumbing and Drainage of New Houses.

Resolved, That plans for the plumbing and drainage of the following new houses be and are hereby, upon the conditions contained in the statement of the action of the Board, attached to the specifications submitted with the plans, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith:

Plan No. 6835-2, for four tenements, west side Eighth avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, as amended.

Plan No. 6902, for one tenement, No. 91 Baxter street, as amended.

Plan No. 6911, for one addition, south side Sixteenth street, two hundred and fifty feet east of Sixth avenue, as amended.

Plan No. 6912-2, for one dwelling, east side Robbins avenue, one hundred feet south of Westchester avenue.

Plan No. 6921, for two tenements, Nos. 233 and 235 Division street, as amended.

Plan No. 6935, for one stable, south side Seventy-eighth street, two hundred and twenty-five feet west of Tenth avenue, as amended.

Plan No. 6939-2, for dwelling and stable, east side Tenth avenue, fifty-two feet south of Seventy-eighth street.

Plan No. 6952, for one stable, No. 43 West Forty-fourth street, as amended.

Plan No. 6958, for two tenements, Nos. 209 and 211 Third avenue, as amended.

Plan No. 6960, for one dwelling, east side Sedgwick avenue, two hundred feet north of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, conditionally.

Plan No. 6962, for one hotel, northeast corner Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, conditionally.

Plan No. 6963, for two tenements, north side One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, one hundred and forty feet east of Brook avenue.

Plan No. 6969, for one tenement, No. 60 St. Mark's place.

Plan No. 6970, for two dwellings, south side Waverley street, fifty feet west of Madison avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 6971, for one dwelling, south side One Hundred and Fourth street, one hundred feet west of Second avenue.

Plan No. 6973, for one theatre, southeast corner Nineteenth street and Fourth avenue.

Plan No. 6974, for one store, No. 91 Greene street.

Plan No. 6975, for one dwelling, north side One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street, two hundred feet west of Morris avenue.

Plan No. 6976, for two tenements, east side Ninth avenue, fifty feet north of Eighty-fourth street.

Plan No. 6977, for one alteration, southwest corner Ninety-seventh street and Second avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 6978, for one dwelling, west side Morris avenue, seventy-five feet north of One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, as amended.

Plan No. 6979, for one tenement, No. 348 East Seventy-eighth street.

Plan No. 6980, for three dwellings, west side Mott avenue, one hundred feet north of One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

Plan No. 6981, for one tenement, east side First avenue, thirty feet north of Seventieth street.

Plan No. 6982, for one tenement, north side Seventieth street, eighty-three feet east of First avenue.

Plan No. 6983, for one tenement, No. 49 Eldridge street.

Plan No. 6985, for three factories, Nos. 2, 8 and 10 Birmingham street.

Plan No. 6986, for two dwellings, west side Jefferson avenue, five hundred feet north of One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street.

Plan No. 6987, for one factory, Nos. 37 and 39 Broome street.

Plan No. 6988, for six tenements, east side Ninth avenue, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets.

Plan No. 6989, for one store, No. 84 Forsyth street, conditionally.

Plan No. 6990, for one tenement, east side Brook avenue, seventy-five feet north of One Hundred and Forty-first street.

Plan No. 6991, for two tenements, south side Fifty-ninth street, two hundred feet west of Fifth avenue.

Plan No. 6992, for one tenement, south side Forty-fourth street, one hundred feet east of Ninth avenue, conditionally.

Plan No. 6993, for seven dwellings, southeast corner Seventy-fifth street and Tenth avenue, as amended.
Plan No. 6994, for one dwelling, west side Marion avenue, two hundred feet south of Ridge street.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby tabled for amendment:

Plan No. 6967, for one tenement, No. 166 Henry street.
Plan No. 6968, for one tenement, No. 9 East Eighty-fifth street.
Plan No. 6984, for one tenement, No. 31 Division street.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending August 6, 1887:

There were 5,664 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.
There were 879 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.
There were 818 complaints received from citizens, and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police for investigation and report.

There were issued to the consignees of vessels, to discharge cargoes on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 86 permits.

There were issued to consignees, to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 9 permits.
There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy-sinks, 68 permits.

There were issued, under the Sanitary Code, 7 miscellaneous permits.

I herewith forward reports from Chief Inspectors Tracy, Edson and Bullard of the work performed by themselves and their respective corps.

The certificates of 680 births, 54 still-births, 147 marriages and 928 deaths, reported to have taken place in this city, were received by this Bureau during the week ending Saturday, August 6, 1887. This shows an increase of 76 births and 114 deaths, and a decrease of 8 still-births and 58 marriages when compared with the number received during the preceding week, but when compared with the corresponding week of the year 1886 there was an increase of 47 births and 152 deaths, and a decrease of 9 still-births and 93 marriages. Compared with the mortality reported during the preceding week, the deaths from measles decreased 1; diphtheria, 2; croup, 4; erysipelas, 2; malarial fevers, 5; puerperal diseases, 3; diarrhoeal diseases, 9; rheumatism and gout, 2; bronchitis, 9; hydrocephalus and tubercular meningitis, 1; meningitis and encephalitis, 1; cirrhosis and hepatitis, 3; gastritis, enteritis and peritonitis, 9; cyanosis and atelectasis, 4; premature and preterm births, 2; suicide, 1; while the deaths from small-pox increased 1; scarlatina, 3; whooping cough, 1; typhoid fever, 6; inanition, 1; alcoholism, 1; cancer, 3; phthisis pulmonalis, 32; pneumonia, 6; heart diseases, 4; aneurism, 1; marasmus, tabes mesenterica and scrofula, 2; convulsions, 5; direct effect of solar heat, 88; apoplexy, 6; all diseases of the brain and nervous system, 84; Bright's disease and nephritis, 15; surgical operations, 1; drowning, 10. The number of deaths from cerebro-spinal fever was the same in the two successive weeks.

Deaths from the principal Zymotic Diseases, Phthisis Pulmonalis, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, and Children under five years of age, reported during the week and compared with the three preceding weeks.

WEEK ENDING—	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Continued Fevers.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Phthisis Pulmonalis.	Pneumonia.	Bronchitis.	Diseases of the Nervous System.	Diseases of the Urinary System.	DEATHS OF CHILDREN.
July 16, 1887.....	1	12	7	44	4	2	7	7	11	382	87	38	22	96	61	511	667
" 23, "	2	4	8	39	5	4	5	3	4	305	95	28	17	92	45	378	520
" 30, "	6	4	25	7	8	8	3	7	226	80	21	18	85	49	297	359	402
August 6, 1887....	1	5	7	23	3	9	14	3	2	217	112	27	9	169	58	295	412
Total.....	4	27	26	131	19	23	34	16	24	1130	374	111	66	442	213	1481	2001

The ages of 295 of the persons who died during the week were reported to be under one year, 364 under two years, 412 under five years, and 32 seventy years and over, which shows that the number of deaths of children under five years of age was 10 more than the number reported during the preceding week, and represent 44.39 per cent. of the total weekly mortality.

Deaths reported from Small-pox, Measles, Scarlatina, Diphtheria, Membranous Croup, Whooping Cough, Typhus, Typhoid, Cerebro-Spinal, and Malarial Fevers, in Institutions, Tenement and other Dwellings, with Average Age, Floor, and Ward where the Death occurred, and the Hour of Death, for the week ending August 6, 1887.

DISEASE.	In Houses containing 3 Families and under.	In Houses containing over 3 Families.	Canal Boats.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	Institutions.	FLOOR.										AVERAGE AGE.		
						Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.	Not Stated.	Years.	Months.	Days.	
Small-pox.....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..
Measles.....	..	4	..	..	1	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	16
Scarlatina.....	1	6	..	..	..	..	5	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	5	4	6
Diphtheria.....	8	14	..	..	1	..	6	8	7	1	..	..	..	..	4	1	23
Membranous Croup.	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	11	22
Whooping Cough....	3	5	..	..	1	..	3	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	2	5	26
Typhus Fever.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	4	2	..	1	7	..	1	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	24	8	20
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	5
Malarial Fevers.....	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	9	2	17

DISEASE.	WARDS.																								TOTAL DEATHS.
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.	Eighth.	Ninth.	Tenth.	Eleventh.	Twelfth.	Thirteenth.	Fourteenth.	Fifteenth.	Sixteenth.	Seventeenth.	Eighteenth.	Nineteenth.	Twentieth.	Twenty-first.	Twenty-second.	Twenty-third.	Twenty-fourth.	
Small-pox.....	1
Measles.....	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	5
Scarlatina.....	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	7
Diphtheria.....	2	1	8	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3	3	..	..	..	..	23
Membranous Croup..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
Whooping Cough....	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	..	..	..	..	9
Typhus Fever.....
Typhoid Fever.....	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	3	1	1	3	1	..	14
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Malarial Fevers.....	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2

Hours at which Deaths Occurred.

DISEASE.	A. M.												P. M.												Total.
	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.	1 o'clock.	2 o'clock.	3 o'clock.	4 o'clock.	5 o'clock.	6 o'clock.	7 o'clock.	8 o'clock.	9 o'clock.	10 o'clock.	11 o'clock.	12 o'clock.		Not stated.
Small-pox.....	1	1
Measles.....	1	1	1	1	..	5
Scarlatina.....	1	2	..	1	2	1	7
Diphtheria.....	4	..	2	1	..	2	2	..	1	1	2	1	1	..	2	..	1	2	1	23
Membranous Croup..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
Whooping Cough....	..	1	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	9
Typhus Fever .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhoid Fever.....	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	14
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3
Malarial Fevers.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2

The total number of burial permits issued during the week are as follows, viz.: City deaths, 928; still-births, 54; bodies in transitu, 19; of the total burial permits issued for city and still-births, 161 were upon certificates received from the Coroners; 680 births, 147 marriages, 54 still-births, 928 deaths; 19 applications for transit permits were recorded, indexed and tabulated; 163 searches of the registers of births, marriages, and deaths were made, and 7 transcripts of the birth record, 10 of marriage, and 112 of death were issued during the week.

The mean temperature for the week ending August 6, 1887, was 77.6 degrees Fahr.; the mean reading of the barometer was 29.890; the mean humidity was 73, saturation being 100; the number of miles traveled by the wind was 695, and the total amount of rain-fall was 0.41 inch depth of water, as reported by D. Draper, Ph. D., Director of the New York Meteorological Observatory, Central Park.

The disposition of 876 deaths and still-births, or 89.21 per cent. of the total number reported, was in the following 14 cemeteries: Bayside (Jewish), 23; Calvary (Roman Catholic), 342; City pauper burial-ground (undenominational), 131; Greenwood (undenominational), 47; Lutheran (undenominational), 141; Cypress Hills (undenominational), 23; Evergreen (undenominational), 67; Woodlawn (undenominational), 28; St. Michael's (Protestant Episcopal), 22; Union (Methodist Protestant), 2; Holy Cross (Roman Catholic), 7; Machpelah, L. I. (Jewish), 5; St. Raymond's (Roman Catholic), 14; Washington (undenominational), 24.

The distribution of deaths (actual mortality) for the week ending July 30, 1887, was in the following Wards, viz.: First, 9; Second, 1; Third, 8; Fourth, 14; Fifth, 4; Sixth, 11; Seventh, 23; Eighth, 24; Ninth, 21; Tenth, 42; Eleventh, 25; Twelfth, 153; Thirteenth, 16; Fourteenth, 12; Fifteenth, 6; Sixteenth, 24; Seventeenth, 48; Eighteenth, 37; Nineteenth, 162; Twentieth, 67; Twenty-first, 52; Twenty-second, 67; Twenty-third, 16; Twenty-fourth, 7.

The actual mortality for the week ending July 30, 1887, was 849; this is 34 less than the number that occurred during the corresponding week of the year 1886, and 62.2 less than the average of the corresponding weeks of the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 29.72 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,485,421.

The annual death-rate per 1,000 persons living of the estimated or enumerated population, according to the most recent weekly returns of Brooklyn was 28.64; Baltimore, 27.43; New Orleans, 23.56; Newark, 33.65; Richmond, 24.44; Charleston, 39.77; Pittsburgh, 31.06. Monthly returns—Toledo, 22.89; Yonkers, 29.53; Keokuk, 16.29; Macon, 28.36; Wilmington, Delaware, 29.05; Minneapolis, 19.89. Foreign cities—weekly returns—London, 24.5; Liverpool, 24.1; Birmingham, 16.1; Manchester, 23.4; Glasgow, 21.4; Edinburgh, 18.7; Dundee, 23.7; Dublin, 29.8; Belfast, 29.3; Cork, 21.4; Paris, 19.8; Rome, 20.6; Venice, 19.8; Berlin, 25.4; Munich, 29.6; Breslau, 36.36; Vienna, 27.8; Trieste, 35.1; Copenhagen, 21.2; Stockholm, 21.1; Christiania, 31.82; Amsterdam, 21.4; Rotterdam, 16.3; The Hague, 14.8; Bombay, 18.33; Madras, 31.6; St. Petersburg, 25.1; Warsaw, 25.46; Liege, 20.2; Prague and suburbs, 25.7; Cairo, 51.6; Alexandria, 29.7; St. Thomas, D. W. I., 45.1. Monthly returns—Hamburg (State) 24.1; Genoa, 27.7. Semi-monthly return—St. Etienne, 18.5.

By order of the Board.

C. GOLDBERMAN, Chief Clerk.

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.

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.
MARTIN J. KEESE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.**Comptroller's Office.**

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

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 10, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second Auditor.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.**Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.**

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 40 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 40 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.**Central Office.**

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**Central Office.**

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.

Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.
RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

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 COMBERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 1, 2 and 3, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 18, 1887.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following-mentioned works, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M., of Wednesday, September 7, 1887:

No. 1. For improving and constructing the unfinished portion of RIVERSIDE AVENUE, between Eighty-fifth street and Eighty-eighth street, in the City of New York.

No. 2.—For constructing a Sewer and Appurtenances in ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHT STREET, between St. Ann's and Trinity avenues.

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

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

NUMBER 1, ABOVE MENTIONED.

1. 60,000 cubic yards filling in embankment.
2. 475 cubic yards masonry in retaining-wall, and foundation to rebuild.
3. 8 cubic yards masonry in parapet wall, to rebuild.
4. 95 lineal feet granite coping, to be reset.
5. 180 lineal feet dry stone culverts.
6. 3 receiving-basins, complete.
7. 400 lineal feet 10-inch vitrified stoneware pipe, to furnish and lay.
8. 500 lineal feet new curb-stone, to furnish and set.
9. 700 lineal feet old curb-stone, to reset.
10. 420 lineal feet new blue-stone edging, to furnish and set.
11. 100 lineal feet old blue-stone edging, to reset.
12. 400 square feet new gutters, to furnish and lay.
13. 800 square feet old gutters, to relaid.
14. 350 square feet new flagging, to furnish and lay.
15. 1,650 square feet old flagging, to relaid.
16. 112 square feet new bridge stone, to furnish and lay.
17. 232 square feet old bridge stone, to relaid.
18. 3,850 square yards gravel roadway pavement, with rubble stone foundation.
19. 1,100 square yards gravel walks, with rubble stone foundation.

The time allowed to complete the whole work will be nine calendar months, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract, or any part thereof, may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the completion thereof has expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at TWENTY dollars per day.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE MENTIONED.

- 260 lineal feet of 15-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
- 625 lineal feet of 12-inch pipe sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections.
- 110 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per foot of sewer.
- 8 manholes complete.
- 1,350 cubic yards of rock to be excavated and removed.
- 10 cubic yards of concrete in place, exclusive of concrete cradle for pipe sewers.
- 1,000 feet (B. M.) of lumber furnished and laid.

In addition to the above quantities of work to be done, if sheet piling is required and ordered by the Engineer to be left in the trench, it will be measured and paid for at one-half of the price bid for lumber.

Also, the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested at the rate of \$4 per day. As the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become a part of every estimate received:

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

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

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

The envelope must be indorsed with the name or names of the person presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of the said Department at the place and hour last above mentioned and read.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National 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 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.

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 for which bids are herein called, or which contain bids for items for which bids are not herewith called for. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate. No bid 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 amount in which security will be required for the performance of the several contracts is as follows:

For No. 1, above mentioned, \$18,000 00

" 2, " " " " 4,300 00

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the city so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contracts when awarded will in each case be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidders will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had 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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.**

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR SUPPLYING THE Police Department with stationery and printing for election purposes, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock A. M., of Tuesday, the 23d day of August, 1887.

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

For particulars as to the quantity and kind of stationery and printing required, reference must be made to the specifications, blank forms of which may be obtained at the office of the Chief Clerk in the Central Department. Bidders will state a price for the work and material furnished in accordance with the specifications. The price must be written in the bid and stated in figures. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the head of said Department to reject any or all bids which may be deemed prejudicial to the public interests.

No 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 entire quantity of stationery and printing is to be put up in boxes and delivered at such times and places and in such quantities in each place, as shall be directed by the Chief of the Bureau of Elections.

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

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer

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

Samples of stationery and printing required may be examined, and blank forms for estimates may be obtained, by application to the Chief of the Bureau of Elections, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

New York, August 9, 1887.

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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, Aug. 17, 1887.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Tuesday, August 30, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN MANGIN, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-NINTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIRST, ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THIRD, ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH, NINETY-SEVENTH, NINETY-FIRST, SEVENTEENTH, SIXTY-FIFTH STREETS AND IN ELEVENTH AND WALTON AVENUES.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 17, 1887.

TO CONTRACTORS.

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No. 1. FOR SEWER IN WEST STREET, between Murray and Jay streets, connecting with sewer constructed by Department of Docks through Pier 21, WITH ALTERATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO EXISTING SEWERS IN MURRAY, WARREN, CHAMBERS, DUANE AND JAY STREETS.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN FIFTY-THIRD STREET, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, WITH CONNECTION TO SEWER IN ELEVENTH AVENUE.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN NINTH AVENUE, between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and First streets.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND STREET, between Ninth and Manhattan avenues.

- No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING SIXTY-THIRD STREET, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THIRD STREET, from St. Nicholas to Edgcomb avenue, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 7. FOR SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF FIFTH STREET, from Lewis street to the bulkhead line on the East river.
- No. 8. FOR SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS ON THE EAST SIDE OF MANHATTAN AVENUE, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets.
- No. 9. FOR LAYING A COURSE OF FLAGGING FOUR FEET WIDE, ON THE SIDEWALKS OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST STREET, from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Boulevard.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, August 8, 1887.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office, until 12 o'clock m., Monday, August 22, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF SIXTY-FIFTH STREET, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF MADISON AVENUE, from Eighty-sixth to Ninety-fourth street.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-SIXTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Riverside avenue.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF LEXINGTON AVENUE, from Ninety-fifth to Ninety-seventh street.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF NINETY-SEVENTH STREET, from Third to Fourth avenue.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDREDTH STREET, from Second to Third avenue.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF MANHATTAN AVENUE, from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Sixth street.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SECOND STREET, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EDGECOMB AVENUE, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, from St. Nicholas avenue to Eighth avenue.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street.

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is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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D. LOWBER SMITH,
Deputy acting Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of Construction under New Plan.)

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 252.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A NEW WOODEN Pier, with its appurtenances, at the foot of West Thirty-seventh 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, AUGUST 30, 1887.

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as 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 Seven 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".....	18,797
" " " " 12" x 12".....	153,984
" " " " 10" x 12".....	3,673
" " " " 10" x 10".....	1,013
" " " " 8" x 12".....	144
" " " " 8" x 10".....	576
" " " " 8" x 12".....	1,156
" " " " 8" x 10".....	1,134
" " " " 8" x 8".....	187
" " " " 7" x 14".....	10,174
" " " " 7" x 12".....	490
" " " " 7" x 10".....	2,842
" " " " 7" x 8".....	339
" " " " 6" x 12".....	9,432
" " " " 5" x 12".....	2,325
" " " " 5" x 11".....	2,704
" " " " 5" x 10".....	39,807
" " " " 5" x 7".....	1,103
" " " " 4" x 10".....	101,973
" " " " 2" x 4".....	5,398
Total.....	357,255

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, 4" x 5".....	200
" " " " 4" plank.....	73,080
" " " " 3" ".....	35,600
Total.....	108,880

3. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12"..... 9,856

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.

4. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Cypress Piles..... 717

(These piles will be from about 75 feet to about 85 feet in length, to average about 80 feet in length.)

5. White or Yellow Pine Mooring Piles, about 65 feet in length..... 2

6. White Oak Fender Piles, about 60 feet long..... 14

7. 7" x 28", 7" x 26", 7" x 24", 7" x 22", 7" x 20", 7" x 18", 7" x 16", 7" x 14", 7" x 12", 7" x 10", 7" x 8", 7" x 6", 7" x 4" square, and 7" x 8" and 7" x 8" round wrought-iron Dock

Spikes and 40 dy. Cut Nails, about..... 37,392 pounds.

8. Boiler-plate armatures, about..... 13,208 "

9. 2", 1 1/2", 1 1/4", 1 1/8", and 1" Wrought iron Screw-bolts with their heads

and nuts, about..... 15,444 "

10. Cast-iron Mooring Posts, about..... 14,380 "

11. Cast-iron Washers for 1 1/4", 1 1/8", and 1" Screw-bolts, about..... 9,123 "

12. Wrought-iron Strap-bolts and Washers, about..... 1,097 "

13. 1" Wire Rope, about..... 28 lbs. feet.

14. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving and rafting of timber, jointing, planing, bolting, spiking, stay-lathing, jointing, 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 30,000 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:

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, or after the receipt of an order from the Engineer-in-Chief of the Department of Docks that the work is to begin, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the 10th day of December, 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 in the removal of the old structures thereon, 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 prices the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

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

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

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, August 15, 1887.

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.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 236, No. 1. Sewers in Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Seventy-first streets, and west side, between Kingsbridge road and One Hundred and Seventy-third street.

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

of such estimate or bid which may not be the lowest as aforesaid. The contract for lamps in any particular street, avenue, pier, park or place will be awarded, if awarded, to the lowest bidder per lamp in such particular street, avenue, pier, park or place.

The right is also reserved to regulate the number of lamps which may be erected and their location and disposition, in order to best illuminate the streets, parks or other public places for the lighting of which bids may be received. The right is also reserved to decline all estimates if deemed for the best interests of the city. No estimate will be accepted from or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as security or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

If the estimate of any bidder shall include any lamps with which the pipes or conductors of such bidder are not connected at the time of the making of the bid, and a contract for furnishing, operating and maintaining any such lamps, shall be awarded to such bidder, in that case, thirty days from the date of the execution of such contract and such further time, not exceeding thirty days, as may be deemed reasonable by the Commissioner of Public Works, shall be allowed to such bidder in which to connect such pipes or conductors with such lamps, and all such connections shall be made by the party of the second part without expense to the city.

But no payment to such bidder, on account of any such lamps, will be made for the time so allowed, nor until the same shall have been connected with the pipes or conductors of such bidder, nor except for the time during which all the requirements herein mentioned shall have been fully performed.

The attention of bidders is called to the provisions Specification 3 and paragraph P in the form of agreement.

Blank forms of estimates can be obtained on application at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

NEW YORK, July 29, 1887.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor;

E. V. LOEW, Comptroller;

JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVAL AND RE-SETTING OF A STEAM BOILER, AND RECONSTRUCTING WALLS AND ROOF OF BOILER-HOUSE AT BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, August 30, 1887. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Removal and Re-setting of a Steam Boiler, and Reconstructing Walls and Roof of Boiler-house at Bellevue Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE 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.

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 penal amount of TWENTY THOUSAND (\$20,000) dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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.

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

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

Dated, New York, August 19, 1887.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, August 19, 1887.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR RENEWAL AND REPAIRS TO SEWER CONNECTIONS AND PLUMBING SYSTEM OF INSANE ASYLUM, WARD'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, August 30, 1887. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Renewal and Repairs to Sewer Connections and Plumbing System of Insane Asylum, Ward's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE 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.

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 penal amount of FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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.

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

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

Dated, New York, August 19, 1887.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS FOR THE STEAMBOAT "THOMAS S. BRENNAN."

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, August 30, 1887. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs for the Steamboat 'Thomas S. Brennan,'" and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE 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.

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 penal amount of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be 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 and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Payment will be made by requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

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

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

Dated, New York, August 19, 1887.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HARDWARE, TIN, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES.

7,100 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition
Thursday, August 25, 1887.

1,000 pounds Cheese.
1,500 pounds Dried Apples.
500 pounds Cocoa.

5,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.
5,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.

5,000 pounds Rice.
3,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
2,000 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.

3,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.
500 pounds Whole Pepper.
20 dozen Chow Chow, "C. & B."

20 dozen Worcestershire Sauce, "L. & P."
15 dozen Extract Vanilla.
3,000 gallons Syrup.

100 barrels Crackers.
25 barrels Pickles, 40-gallon barrels, 2,000 per barrel.

3,100 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
650 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.

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

1,600 heads prime, good sized Cabbage.
50 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.
50 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.

50 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.
50 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.

50 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
25 prime quality City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.

300 bales long, bright Rye Straw, prime quality, tare not to exceed three pounds. Weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

HARDWARE, TIN, WOODENWARE, ETC.
10 kegs first quality Horse Shoes, No. 5, fore and hind.

50 Pass Locks.
6 dozen Garbage Forks.
20 boxes best quality Charcoal Tin, IXX, 14 x 20.

5 boxes best quality Charcoal Tin, IXXX, 14 x 20.
2 boxes best quality I. C. Roofing Tin, 14 x 20.
5 coils best quality Bright Iron Wire, No. 6.

200 pounds Broom Twine.
12 dozen W. W. Brushes.
10 bales Broom Corn.
2,000 Broom Handles, No. 1.

LUMBER.
5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 in. x 12 to 16 in. x 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.

2,000 square feet first quality clear thoroughly seasoned, edged or vertical grained Yellow Georgia Pine Flooring, 1½ x 3½ in., tongued, grooved and dressed.

75 first quality Spruce Plank, 1½ x 9 in. x 13 feet, tongued and grooved, dressed one side.

300 first quality Hemlock Boards.
1,000 feet first quality extra clear thoroughly seasoned Ceiling Boards, white pine, ¾ x 9 in. x 16 feet, tongued, grooved and beaded.

12 pieces first quality Spruce 3 x 6 in. x 16 feet.
36 first quality clear sound thoroughly seasoned white pine Rafters 3 x 4 in. x 16 feet.

250 pieces first quality extra clear thoroughly seasoned white pine Ceiling Boards, ¾ x 4 in. tongued, grooved and beaded.

50 first quality Spruce Boards 1 x 9 x 10 in. wide. All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, August 26, 1887. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Hardware, Tin, Lumber, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR 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 amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the

specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, August 15, 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.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO RETREAT, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday August 23, 1887. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Additions and Alterations to Retreat, Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE 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.

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 penal amount of TWENTY THOUSAND (\$20,000) dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or her 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 work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered, to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, August 10, 1887.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, August 4, 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 Gouverneur Hospital—Unknown man, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; light brown hair tinged with gray. Six stars tattooed on left arm.

Unknown man, from No. 478 Pearl street, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7½ inches high; light brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on gray sack coat and vest, gray pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, brown cotton socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from foot of Chambers street, aged about 30 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown hair and moustache. Had on white shirt.

Unknown man, from foot of Ninth street, East river, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair. Had on flannel lawn tennis shirt, dark pants, leather belt around waist, one gray sock.

Unknown man, from foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair. Had on plaid coat and vest, light gray pants, brown striped hickory shirt, gray socks, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from foot of Twenty-eighth street, East river, aged about 25 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; light brown hair. Had on bathing trunks.

Unknown man, from Pier 1, North river, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair, mixed with gray; gray whiskers. Had on white shirt, white cotton flannel undershirt, gray mixed pants, blue and white socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Stanton street, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on brown plaid coat, pants and vest, white shirt, pink knitted undershirt, white muslin drawers, brown cotton socks, gaiters.

Unknown woman, from Eighth Precinct Station-house, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; dark hair, blue eyes. Had on light calico waist, dark dress, gray flannel petticoat, white muslin chemise, gray cotton socks, slippers.

Unknown man, from Fordham station, Harlem Railroad, aged about 30 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; sandy moustache; brown hair. Had on blue flannel coat and pants, lawn tennis shirt, red flannel drawers, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from foot of Stanton street; body in an advanced state of decomposition, about two years in water.

Unknown man, from Bellevue Hospital; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair, blue eyes, brown moustache and chin whiskers. Had on plaid sack coat, dark pants, blue check jumper; name F. Brugger tattooed on right arm and heart and anchor on left arm.

Unknown man, from Eleventh Precinct Station-house; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair, brown moustache. Had on brown flannel lawn-tennis shirt, dark pants.

Unknown man, from Pier 39, North river; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy moustache, dark brown chin beard. Had on blue coat and vest, white shirt, gaiters, red-striped socks.

Unknown man, from foot of Twenty-first street, East river; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; dark brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on dark coat and vest, blue overalls, blue flannel shirt, laced shoes.

Unknown man, from Pier 5, East river; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair and moustache. Had on blue check shirt, dark brown coat, brown pants and vest, boots.

Unknown man, from Pier 27, East river; aged about 25 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light brown hair and moustache. Had on wine-colored vest, dark pants, white knit undershirt, gaiters, white socks.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Kate Brown, aged 40 years; committed February 14, 1887.

Thomas Purcell, aged 43 years; committed July 15, 1887.

John Fitzgerald, aged 50 years; committed June 13, 1887.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Murphy, aged 64 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; gray hair and eyes.

Catherine Mullen, aged 43 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown hair, blue eyes.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Michael Crowley, aged 60 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted blue flannel coat, gray vest, black pants, gaiters, black derby hat.

Thomas Anderson, aged 27 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted black diagonal coat and vest, gray pants, gaiters, black derby hat.

Michael Burger, aged 66 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted black coat, pants and vest, gaiters, white straw hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order

G. F. BRITTON,

Secretary.

ARMORY BOARD.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Armory Board, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra com-

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

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

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

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest. Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the architect, at his office No. 160 Broadway, New York City.

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

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or her 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, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Board who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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, Mr. J. R. Thomas, No. 160 Broadway.

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

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

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
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BRIG.-GEN. JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioners.

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

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

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing masonry work in the erection of an Armory Building, on Fourth Avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street, 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 25th day of August, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).

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

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

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

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

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
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BRIG.-GEN. JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioners.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000). Bidders are required to submit their estimates upon

the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

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

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

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

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest. Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the architect, at his office, No. 160 Broadway, New York City.

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

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

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

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 Carpenter Work in the Erection of an Armory Building, on Fourth avenue, extending from Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient

sureties, in the amount of 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.

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 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.*

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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 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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Commissioners.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 12, 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.:

One Hundred and Thirtieth street opening, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

One Hundred and Fortieth street opening, between Eighth avenue and Edgecombe road.

—which were confirmed by the Supreme Court July 29, 1887, and entered on the 10th day of August, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 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 assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before October 10, 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,
August 6, 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.:

Westchester avenue sewer and appurtenances, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue, with branches in St. Ann's avenue, between Port Morris Branch Railroad and Carr street.

One Hundred and Seventieth street sewer and appurtenances, between North Third and Franklin avenues, with a branch in Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Seventieth and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets.

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before October 13, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

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

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

One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Eighth avenue to First new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments July 29, 1887, and entered on the same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments

and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 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 following assessment lists, viz:

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

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

—which were confirmed by the Supreme Court, July 15, 1887, and entered on the 21st day of July, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of 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 assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before October 1, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Forsyth street sewer, between Stanton and Houston streets.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before September 22, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 11, 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 in matter of acquiring title to Rider avenue, between East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and East One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court June 23, 1887, and entered on the 6th day of July, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of 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 September 16, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 11, 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 Kelly street, from Wales to Prospect avenue, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, June 17, 1887, and entered on the 6th day of July, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of 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 September 16, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 11, 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 following assessment lists, viz:

Tinton avenue opening, from Kelly street to Westchester avenue.

Wales avenue opening, from Kelly street to Westchester avenue.

—which were confirmed by the Supreme Court June 17, 1887, and entered on the 27th day of June, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
June 29, 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 following assessment lists, viz:

Wales avenue opening, from Kelly street to Westchester avenue.

—which were confirmed by the Supreme Court June 17, 1887, and entered on the 27th day of June, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes

and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry of the assessments, 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 assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before September 3, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per 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.

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

By order of
HENRY D. PURROY, President
RICHARD CROKER
Commissioners
CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of PROSPECT AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), commencing at Westchester avenue and running to its intersection with the west line of Southern Boulevard, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

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

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

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly side of Westchester avenue; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Prospect avenue and Seibbans and Leggett avenues; southerly by the northerly side of the Southern Boulevard; and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Prospect avenue and Union 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 thirtieth day of September 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, July 16, 1887.
JOHN O'BRYEN,
DELANO C. CALVIN,
JOHN T. BOYD,
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 NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from First avenue to Second 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 tenth day of August, 1887, and that we, the said

Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said tenth day of August, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ 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 tenth day of August, 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 Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets; easterly by the westerly side of First avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Second 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 twenty-sixth day of August, 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, June 20, 1887.
GEORGE F. LANGBEIL,
ADOLPH L. SANGER,
WILLIAM T. BYRNES,
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 FORTY-NINTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Hudson river, in 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 third day of August, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said third day of August, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 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 third day of August, 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 Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets, and westerly by the bulkhead-line of the Hudson river; excepting from said area all the land lying between the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, and 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 nineteenth day of August, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, 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, June 20, 1887.
MEYER S. ISAACS,
JOHN MARINE,
JAMES F. HIGGINS,
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 SEVENTEENTH 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 3d day of August, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 3d day of August, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 1½ 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 3d day of August, 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 Seventeenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets, 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 nineteenth day of August, 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, June 20, 1887.
JOHN W. GOFF,
EMANUEL ARNSTEIN,
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
Commissioners

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.