

THE CITY RECORD.

OFFICIAL JOURNAL.

VOL. XIV.

NEW YORK, WEDNESDAY, JULY 28, 1886.

NUMBER 4,009.



LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

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

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending July 3, 1886:

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

Edward M. Knox vs. The Mayor, etc., of New York, and George McDermott, Chief Bureau of Incumbrances of said City—To restrain interference with plaintiff's sidewalk privileges at corner of Broadway and Fulton streets.

Harriet I. Potter vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer on Ward Nos. 27 and 28, Block 204, \$70.34.

Herman Bornemann vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Sixth-sixth street outlet sewer on Ward Nos. 22 and 23, Block 152, \$522.73.

In re petition of James Monteith—To vacate an assessment for sewers in Ninth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets.

People ex rel. James Monteith vs. Edward Gilon, P. M. Haverty, Charles E. Wendt and Van Brugh Livingston as and composing the Board of Assessors of the City of New York—Application for mandamus to compel the Board to meet and determine amount of damages sustained by relator by reason of the closing of Kingsbridge road, One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-eighth streets.

People, Moses Price vs. A. E. McDonald, Superintendent, etc. (Matter Simon Goldstein)—Habeas corpus for release of Simon Goldstein, a minor, from Insane Asylum on Ward's Island.

Alexander J. Howell vs. The Mayor, etc.—Damages to scow "Ezra" by collision with scow in tow of steamtug "Dassori," at pier at foot of Nineteenth street, North river, April 17, 1886, \$329.13.

Lawrence Odell vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer on Ward Nos. 23 and 24, Block 106, \$900.36.

Edward J. King vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer on Ward Nos. 23 and 24, Block 112; 39 to 43, Block 113; 49 to 52, Block 114; 14 to 16, 48 to 49, Block 115, \$868.84.

Catharine A. Palmer vs. The Mayor, etc.—Damages to premises Ward Nos. 35, 36, 37, 38, 39 and 40, Block 1266, Twelfth Ward, by reason of change of grade of street, pursuant to chapter 528 Laws of 1873, \$2,100.

Clark, Bell vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer on Ward No. 1, Block 156, \$341.65.

People ex rel. James Sheridan, an alleged lunatic—Habeas Corpus for release from New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

The Mayor, etc. vs. Peter H. Titus, William Walsh, Timothy Ryan, John Walsh, James Maglin, John Flynn, James Corris, Patrick Cronin, Charles Jackson, James Gurry, Charles Turner, John Hyman, Bridget Blankfield, John Traynor, Frank H. Merrell, William Adickes, William Schavenger, Charles Johnson, Michael Kinsella, John Sheridan and Caroine Lamburg—For possession of premises at northwest corner of Gouverneur and Front streets.

Elie Charlier vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover back excess of assessment paid for paving Ninth avenue, between Boulevard and Seventy-seventh street, on Ward Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, Block No. 119, \$209.01.

Thomas L. Sturges vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover back excess of assessment paid for sewer in Avenue B, between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-seventh streets, on Ward No. 31, Block 49, \$612.

In the matter of opening One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

SUPERIOR COURT.

The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York vs. Jeremiah R. Byron, John H. Bryon and Daniel C. Hickey—Summons only served.

COMMON PLEAS.

The Hazard Powder Company vs. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York, Michael Finn, Timothy Donovan, Martin W. Staples (the name Martin being fictitious, his real name being unknown to the plaintiff), Maria W. Dittmar, Sergeant Drill Company, William H. Hunt, Henry G. Hunt and Caroline O. Hunt, composing the firm of Hunt & Company—For materials furnished on account of contract of Michael Finn for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Fourth to Sixth avenue, \$73.70.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Edward Roberts—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for principal, \$438.15; interest, \$6.57; costs, \$17.47; total, \$462.19; letter to Comptroller.

Fanny G. Banta—Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing the complaint and for \$107.35 costs, etc., entered by default.

John W. Banta—Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing the complaint and for \$107.35 costs, etc., entered by default.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York vs. The Edison Electric Light Company—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes, etc., vs. Leo Goldmark, as executor of the estate of Philip Gilman, tax of 1880—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes, etc., vs. Same, tax of 1881—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

In re Annie Stein—One Hundred and Tenth street regulating, etc., First avenue to Riverside Drive—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re A. Michelbacher, One Hundred and Tenth street regulating, etc., First avenue to Riverside Drive—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Simon Adler, One Hundred and Tenth street regulating, etc., First avenue to Riverside Drive—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Janet Rudd, One Hundred and Tenth street regulating, etc., First avenue to Riverside Drive—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Susie Y. Wentworth et al., One Hundred and Tenth street regulating, etc., First avenue to Riverside Drive—Order entered to vacate assessment pursuant to decision in Court of Appeals in re Manhattan Railway Company.

In re Manhattan Savings Institution, First and Second avenue sewers—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Theresa Gottschalk, First avenue sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re V. D. Bogart, First and Second avenues sewers—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

People, Robert Kopp vs. Board of Police—Order of affirmance on remittitur entered.

Emanuel J. Lemon vs. Board of Police—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

People, James Brennan vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, John E. Brennan vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, Bridget Cooper, as administratrix, vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, Philip Daab vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, Daniel J. Kehoe vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, Mary Madigan vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, Daniel J. Murphy vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, John McGinley vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, John J. Sullivan vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, Parmelia E. Thorp vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, John McLaughlin vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

People, Edward Mullery vs. S. B. French et al., Police Commissioners—Order entered by consent denying motion for mandamus.

Mayor, etc., vs. Second Avenue Railroad Company—Judgment and order entered on the remittitur in favor of the City and for \$119.87 costs, etc.

People, Henry Morgenthau vs. Artemus S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears—General Term order entered affirming order appealed from, with costs.

Edmund Coffin, Jr. vs. John Scott—Order of affirmance on remittitur entered.

Mary M. Martindale—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$37.11.

People, William R. Gilbert vs. Henry B. Laidlaw—Order entered on remittitur.

Henry Berg vs. William R. Grace et al.—Order on remittitur entered.

The Mayor, etc., vs. The Eden Musée American Company—Order on remittitur entered.

In re E. Dobbs—One Hundred and Fifty-second street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

Courtland avenue opening—Order entered discontinuing proceeding.

Melrose avenue opening—Order entered discontinuing proceeding.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Matter New Parks—Hearing proceeded and adjourned to July 6, 1886, at 2 P. M.; L. McLaughlin for City.

Courtland avenue opening—Motion to discontinue proceeding made before Van Brunt, J.; granted.

Melrose avenue opening—Motion to discontinue proceeding made before Van Brunt, J.; granted; L. McLaughlin for City.

Rider avenue opening—Motion to appoint Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment made before Van Brunt, J.; papers to be submitted; L. McLaughlin for City.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held July 21, 1886.

Present—The full Board.

The minutes of the meeting held July 15, 1886, were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From Department of Street Cleaning—Stating that Piers, old 23, 33 and 34, North river, will be cleaned as requested.

From Harlem River Bridge Commission—Reporting that they will submit plans and specifications for proposed bridge over the Harlem river, as requested.

From John C. Donohue, Clerk General Repairs Force—Requesting leave of absence from July 25th instant, to 20th September, 1886, with pay. The President authorized to advise Mr. Donohue that he has been granted leave of absence for the time specified without compensation.

From the Associates of the Jersey Company—Requesting certain modifications in the form of lease for Pier 18, North river, and twenty-three feet of bulkhead southerly thereof. The President authorized to advise that the lease will be made to conform in all respects to the terms and conditions of sale held April 15, 1886.

From Hazlewood Ice Company—Requesting permission to erect scales and tally-house on south side of Pier 60, East river. Permission granted, to be and remain only during the pleasure of the Board, and to be located thereat, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and they to restore the pier to its former condition at their expense.

From Thomas F. Taber—Requesting permission to repair bulkhead between One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets, Harlem river. Permission granted, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From Glen Cove Manufacturing Company—Stating that they have ceded to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company all rights granted to them under and by the permit dated November 20, 1880, for use of land under water between Piers 49 and 50, East river. The Secretary directed to notify the Bookkeeper to transfer said permit to the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company.

From Harlem and Morrisania Consolidated Transportation Line—Requesting permission to drive piles in front of dock at foot of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Harlem river. Permission granted, to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief.

From Washburn & Co.—Requesting permission to remove string-piece on northwest corner of Pier foot of Thirty-fourth street, North river. Application denied.

From Vandervoort & Tucker—Requesting permission to drive piles at Oak Point and at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, Harlem river. Permission granted; the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

From Frank Norman—Requesting permission to erect a dumping-board on the south side of Pier below Eighty-sixth street, East river, for the purpose of receiving dock and building-stone and cellar dirt. Application denied.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty.
2d. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending July 17, 1886.
3d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5048, repairs required to bulkhead platform between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth streets, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$925.
4th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5126, dredging required at bulkhead, foot of East Sixtieth street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to make requisition for dredging thereat, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$500.
5th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5159, condition of bulkhead between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-seventh streets, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$475.
6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5189, repairing required to bulkhead at entrance to Pier foot of Jane street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$120.
7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5190, condition of and repairs required to bulkhead at entrance to Pier foot of Horatio street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$120.
8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5193, repairs required to pavement at approach to Pier at Little West Twelfth street, North river. The President authorized to request the Department of Street Cleaning to clean said approach, and the Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$15.
9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5197, repairs required to Pier foot of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$350.
10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5213, condition of and repairs required to the bulkhead platform between Sixtieth and Sixty-second streets, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$660.
11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5239, dredging required at the bulkhead foot of Thirtieth street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to make requisition for dredging thereat, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$120.
12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5240, dredging required in slip at Pier foot of Thirty-seventh street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to make requisition for dredging thereat, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$150.
13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5241, dredging required at bulkhead foot of Forty-second street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to make requisition for dredging thereat, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$30.
14th. Report on Secretary's Orders Nos. 5286-5436, repairs required to Pier 46, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$360.
15th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5288, repairs required to Pier 60, foot of Rivington street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$370.
16th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5293, condition of and repairs required to east side of Pier 18, East River. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$310.
17th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5294, repairs required to bulkhead platform between Piers 18 and 19, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair as recommended in his report at a cost of about \$205.
18th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5295, repairs required to west half Pier 19, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$140.
19th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5319, repairs required to backing-log at bulkhead foot of Forty-second street, East river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$185.
20th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5417, repairs required to the pavement on surface of bulkhead between Piers, new 41 and 42, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to take up cobble pavement and repair with Belgian blocks, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$680.
21st. Repairs required to Pier, old 23, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief to be directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$555.
22d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5506, that he had superintended repairing west side Pier 24, East river.
23d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5517, that he had repaired bulkhead in front of Bellevue Hospital north of Twenty-sixth street, East river.
24th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5529, that he had superintended driving piles south side Pier, old 34, North river.
25th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5536, that he had made requisition for dredging at dumping-board foot of West Forty-seventh street, North river, and had supervised the work thereat, which was done by the Union Dredging Company.
26th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5539, that he had replaced mooring-piles outer end, north side, of Pier at West Eleventh street, North river.
From Joseph B. Erwin, Dock Master—Reporting that on July 14th instant, Mark Gruney violated Rule 7 on Pier foot of Forty-sixth street, North river. Penalty of \$5 imposed, and the President authorized to notify him to call and pay said amount to the Treasurer of this Department within five days, or the claim will be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection.
From Abram Duryee, Dock Master—Reporting that on July 6th instant, he had notified William Brooks to remove sand obstructing the bulkhead north of Seventy-ninth street, North river; said sand not removed July 17th instant. Penalty of \$1,100 imposed for violation of Rule 4, and the President authorized to notify him to call and pay amount to the Treasurer of this Department within five days, or the claim will be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection.
From Patrick J. Brady, Dock Master—Reporting that T. Cunningham violated Rule 7 on July 19th instant, on Pier foot of Eighteenth street, North river. Penalty of \$5 imposed and the President authorized to notify him to call and pay amount within five days, or the claim will be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection.
From Patrick J. Brady, Dock Master—Reporting that there are holes in Piers foot of Eighteenth street and Thirty-fourth street, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.
From Eugene McCarthy, Dock Master:
1st. Reporting small holes in sheathing on Pier 57, East River. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair, if on the portion of said pier belonging to the City, was approved.
2d. Reporting holes in the sheathing on the north and south side of Pier 58, East river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair the north side, and notifying the alleged owner or owners to repair the south side, under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief, was approved.
From Joseph F. Sharkey, Dock Master—Reporting that there are holes in the sheathing of bulkhead between Sixtieth and Sixty-second streets, East river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.
From John M. Smith, Dock Master:
1st. Reporting that repairs are needed to the surface of bulkhead, from Piers, new 45 and 47, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.
2d. Reporting that spikes project from the fenders on sides of Piers foot of Bethune, Little West Twelfth and Bloomfield streets, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.
3d. Recommending that a ring-bolt be placed on the south side, inner end, of Pier, new 43, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.
From George W. Wanmaker, Dock Master—Reporting that backing-log needs to be refastened, and also reporting holes in dock, north side Pier, old 34, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair, if on the portion of Pier belonging to the City, was approved.
The communication from the Iron Steamboat Company in reference to repairing concrete pavement on Pier, new 1, North river, was,
On motion, taken from the table, and, with the report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 5542, ordered to be placed on file, and the President authorized to notify said Company that as the asphalt pavement on deck of the pier is not stone or masonry work, the repairs required thereat must be made by them as heretofore ordered by the Board.
The communication from the New York and South Brooklyn Ferry and Steam Transportation Company requesting that the depth of dredging required over the area to be occupied by the platform alongside of the ferry-racks between Piers 2 and 3, East river, be amended to read ten feet, instead of fifteen feet, at mean low water, was,
On motion, taken from the table, and with the report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 5543, ordered to be placed on file, and the President authorized to advise the said Company that their application has been granted.
The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, presented his report of receipts for the week ending July 20, 1886, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1886.					1886.
July 16	N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. Co., suc'rs to Glen Cove Mfg. Co.	1 qrs. rent l.u.w., bet. Prs. 49 & 50, E.R.	\$250 00		
" 16	John Bells Sons.....	Compromise penalty violation, Rule 4.	150 00		
" 20	Charles H. Thompson.....	Wharfage District No. 1.....	114 27		
" 20	Geo. W. Wanmaker.....	" " 2.....	266 26		
" 20	Edward Abeel.....	" " 3.....	611 55		
" 20	John M. Smith.....	" " 4.....	959 65		
" 20	Eugene McCarthy.....	" " 5.....	268 61		
" 20	Patrick J. Brady.....	" " 6.....	163 25		
" 20	Charles P. Blake.....	" " 7.....	122 16		
" 20	Joseph B. Erwin.....	" " 8.....	428 73		
" 20	Joseph F. Sharkey.....	" " 9.....	181 40		
" 20	Abram Duryee.....	" " 10.....	101 50		
" 20	John Callan.....	" " 11.....	41 17		
				\$3,658 55	July 20
				\$3,658 55	

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

President Stark, in accordance with the resolution respecting the improvement of the water-front offered by Commissioner Koch at the meeting held July 15, 1886, presented the estimates and particulars called for in said resolution.

On motion, the President was authorized to forward copies of same to his Honor the Mayor and the Comptroller.

The President reported that the pay-rolls for the General Repairs and Construction Force for the half month ending July 15, 1886, amounting to \$3,290.19, had been approved, and that he had forwarded the same, together with the proper requisitions for the amount, to the Finance Department for payment.

The following requisitions were read, and,
On motion, approved:

Register No.
5639. For 10,000 feet 3-inch spruce plank..... Estimated cost, \$200 00
5646. For stationery, Engineer-in-Chief's office..... 52 60
On motion, the Board adjourned, to meet in Executive Session on Thursday, July 22d instant, at 11 A. M.

B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, July 16, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick Sheehy to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in Eighty-sixth street, north side, about twenty feet east of Avenue B, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, July 20, 1886.

AN ORDINANCE establishing the width of the sidewalk on that part of East One Hundred and Fiftieth street between Mott and Walton avenues in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:
Section 1. The sidewalks or footwalks of that part of East One Hundred and Fiftieth street between Mott and Walton avenues, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, shall be twelve feet in width on each side.

Sec. 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, July 20, 1886.

Resolved, That Manhattan street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Ninth avenue, shall be known and designated as "Hancock place," and that the plot of ground lying between St. Nicholas avenue, Manhattan avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-third street, shall be known and designated as "Hancock Park"; this resolution to take effect December 1, 1886.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 14, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, July 20, 1886.

Resolved, That the resolution giving Charles H. Truchsess permission to erect a booth on the north side of Bleecker street, twenty-five feet west of Broadway, within the stoop-line, which was adopted May 19, 1886, be and the same is hereby rescinded and repealed and the permission given therein is hereby revoked.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 9, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, July 21, 1886.

Resolved, That the name of David S. Updyke, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read "David S. Updike."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 21, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James F. Wilson to erect a fence in front of the Equitable Building, in Broadway, between Cedar and Pine streets, to project outwardly not more than six feet, in order to give protection to persons passing in front of the said building, during the alterations and repair of said building, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 21, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, July 24, 1886.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and hereby is authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of Benjamin F. Brady for the sum of two hundred and seventy-five dollars, for engrossing and binding, etc., the memorial resolutions adopted by this Board on the 12th day of February last, relative to the death of Major-General Winfield Scott Hancock, as per bill annexed, the same having been done by order of the Special Committee appointed for that purpose, and the said sum to be taken from the appropriation for "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 21, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, July 24, 1886.

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

Births * reported during the week ending July 17, 1886.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.									NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.			
629	621	8	347	282	..	347	167	79	32	..	..	3	1	..	534	95

Marriages * reported during the week ending July 17, 1886.

TOTAL.	COLOR.				NATIVITY.								CONDITION.									
	WHITE.		COLORED.		FOREIGN.		NATIVE.		BORN AT SEA.		NOT STATED.		FIRST MARRIAGE.		SECOND MARRIAGE.		THIRD MARRIAGE.		FOURTH MARRIAGE.		NOT STATED.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
258	252	252	6	6	181	174	77	84	..	..	..	..	217	229	39	29	..	..	1	..	1	..

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

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending July 17, 1886, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending July 10, 1886.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
10	Austria.....	35	40	32	30	9	12	2	2
4	British America.....	10	8	4	1	5	1	..	2
13	England.....	34	35	18	18	5	4	4	1
8	France.....	8	10	8	8	1	1	..	..
126	Germany.....	220	277	180	148	64	65	13	13
11	Ireland.....	286	293	87	86	17	22	4	13
1	Italy.....	30	34	24	20	44	42	3	1
1	Poland.....	12	7	17	1	4	1	2	2
1	Scotland.....	12	8	0	0	3	3	..	..
2	Switzerland.....	11	8	0	0	3	3	..	..
843	United States.....	276	295	199	249	77	84	20	23
2	Unknown or not stated.....	70	68	..	..	..	..	7	5
1	West Indies.....	3	2	38	36	..	..	..	..
13	Other countries.....	35	29	38	36	31	20	2	2

Still-Births reported during the week ending July 17, 1886.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										Unknown or not stated.
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
56	33	23	..	56	..	20	29	7	23	28	5	..	1	..	7	4	5	8	9	22	..	..

Deaths reported during the week ending July 17, 1886.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.												RESIDENCE.		CONDITION.							
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more).	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.								New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.				
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.				Eighth.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not stated. †
892	161	518	183	8	16	..	11	157	210	184	108	40	3	2	..	882	10	..	95	150	65	582

† Principally children and deaths in Institutions.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

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

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

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

WM. R. GRACE,
Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; WILLIAM L. TURNER, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
THE MAYOR, President; JAMES W. McCULLOH, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ROBERT B. NOONEY, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner; WILLIAM V. SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts; DAVID E. AUSTEN, Deputy Auditor.

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M. to 5.30 P. M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 3 P. M.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'OENCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

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

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.
Open at all hours.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 27 and 29 Reade street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY R. BECKMAN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North River, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
L. J. N. STARK, President; B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Advisory Board.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

SUPREME COURT.

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

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

CITY COURT.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

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

POLICE COURTS.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, JUNE 1, 1886.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

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

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

BOARD OF ARMY OR COMMISSIONERS.

COMPETITIVE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS with estimates of cost are solicited from Architects, for Army buildings for the Eighth and Twenty-second Regiments N. G. S. N. Y., to be erected on the plots already secured for them, viz.: for the Eighth Regiment, the block, 201 ft. 5 in. by 400 feet, located between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets and Fourth and Madison avenues; and for the Twenty-second Regiment, the block, 200 ft. 10 in. on Ninth avenue, by 235 ft. 9 in. on the Boulevard, and 234 ft. 7 in. on Sixty-seventh street, by 327 ft. 9 in. on Sixty-eighth street.

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

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

For further particulars call upon the Secretary of the Board.

M. COLEMAN,
Staats Zeitung Building.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a petition of the property-owners, with map and plan for "changing the grade of Lexington avenue, from Ninety-seventh to One Hundredth street," is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office on or before the 7th day of August, 1886.

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

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

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

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

TERMS OF SALE.

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

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

CROTON WATER RATES.

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

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

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
BUREAU OF COMBUSTIBLES,
No. 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, July 24, 1886.

SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THE OWNER or owners of Indian Rifle Powder seized on Pier 16, East river, for violation of section 455, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, that on Wednesday, July 28, 1886, at eleven o'clock A. M., the Fire Commissioners will sell, at public auction, at the Bureau of Combustibles, No. 157 Mercer street, about ninety pounds of Indian Rifle Powder, in canisters of about one pound each.

By order Board of Fire Commissioners.
PETER SEERY,
Inspector of Combustibles.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, July 21, 1886.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE wooden structure located at Battery place, opposite the foot of Greenwich street, will be offered for sale at public auction by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at 10 o'clock A. M., July 28, 1886, at after place, opposite the foot of Greenwich street. The right to reject any or all bids received is reserved. The highest bidder, in case the bid is accepted, will be required to pay for the same in cash, at the time of sale, and must remove it on or before the tenth day after the sale.

HENRY D. PURROY,
ELWARD SMITH,
Commissioners.

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

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

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

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 27 and 29 READE STREET,
NEW YORK, July 24, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned work, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its offices, Nos. 27 and 29 Reade street, until ten o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, August 4, 1886:

FOR THE RENEWAL OF THE WOOD SUPER-STRUCTURE UPON THE TWO IRON TRUSSES OF THE CENTRAL BRIDGE OVER THE HARLEM RIVER.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the said Department, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or estimate, and that the sureties offered by him or them have been approved by the Comptroller; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed. The work to commence at such time as the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks may designate.

N. B.—The prices must be written in the estimate, and also stated in figures, and all estimates will be considered as informal which do not contain bids for all items called for in the specifications, or which contain bids for items not called for therein. Permission will not be given for the withdrawal of any bid or estimate, and the right is expressly reserved by the Department of Public Parks to reject any or all estimates which it may deem prejudicial to the public interest. No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimates, under oath, their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, they shall distinctly state the fact; also, that such estimate is made without any connection with any other person making a bid or estimate for the same purpose; and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also, that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof.

The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making such estimate, that the several matters therein stated are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested in the estimate, the verification must be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

Bidders are required to state in writing, and also in figures, in their proposals ONE PRICE OR SUM for which they will execute the ENTIRE WORK ABOVE THE FLOOR BEAMS, including the furnishing of all materials, labor and transportation; all implements, tools, apparatus and appliances of every description necessary to complete in every particular the whole of the work as set forth in the plans and in the specifications, estimate and form of agreement; also a price for one thousand feet, board measure, for furnishing and placing in the work yellow pine floor beams.

The time allowed to complete the work will be thirty days 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 ten dollars per day.

The engineer's estimate of work to be done, and by which the bids will be tested, is as follows:

1. The one sum or price bid for the execution of the entire work above the floor beams.

2. 17,000 feet, board measure, yellow pine in floor beams put in the work, including the framing and putting in place.

As the above-mentioned quantity, though stated with such accuracy as is possible in advance, is 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.

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.

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 endorsed 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 above mentioned and read.

The amount of security required is eighteen hundred dollars.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless a written permission shall previously have been obtained from the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

The contractor is required to notify the Engineer, in writing, forty-eight hours prior thereto, of the date he actually intends to actually begin work.

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 re-advertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. But the contracts when awarded will be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the contract 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. 27 and 29 Reade street.

HENRY R. BEEKMAN,
JOHN D. CRIMMINS,
JESSE W. POWERS,
M. C. D. BORDEN,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
Nos. 27 and 29 READE ST.,
NEW YORK, July 24, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE following-mentioned work, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, will be received by the Department of Public Parks, at its office, Nos. 27 and 29 Reade street, until ten o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 4th day of August 1886:

FURNISHING CAST-IRON WATER PIPES, BRANCH PIPES AND SPECIAL CASTINGS.

The Engineer's estimate of quantities upon which the bids are to be based are as follows:

150 Tons of Straight Pipe.
3 Tons of Branch Pipes and Special Castings.

Bidders will state a price per ton (of 2,000 pounds) for Straight Pipe, and also a price per ton (of 2,000 pounds) for Branches and Special Castings.

The delivery of the pipes and also of special castings is to commence within sixty days after the signing of the contract, and twenty-five tons are to be delivered each week thereafter until the contract is completed.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at the office of the said Department, with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or estimate, and that the sureties offered by him or them have been approved by the Comptroller; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and thereupon the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until the contract be accepted and executed.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire contract 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 materials before enumerated, which shall be actually furnished 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 endorsed with the name or names of the person representing 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

Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the

Corporation is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National 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 neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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, \$5,000.
For No. 2, above mentioned, \$1,200.
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. 27 and 29 Reade street.

HENRY R. BECKMAN,
JOHN D. CRIMMINS,
JESSE W. POWERS,
M. C. D. BORDEN.

Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, WOODENWARE, HARDWARE, LEATHER, LIME AND LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

- GROCERIES.
- 6,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, July 29, 1886.
 - 1,000 pounds Cheese.
 - 1,000 pounds Dried Apples.
 - 4,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.
 - 4,000 pounds Rice.
 - 12,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
 - 800 pounds Cut Loaf Sugar.
 - 2,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.
 - 1,500 pounds Oolong Tea.
 - 50 barrels fine Flour.
 - 15 Kits prime quality No. 1 Mackerel (20 pounds each).
 - 15 boxes Raisins, Layers.
 - 8 dozen Canned Peas.
 - 8 dozen Canned Peaches.
 - 8 dozen Canned Pears.
 - 8 dozen Worcestershire Sauce, pints, "C. & B."
 - 100 bushels Dried Peas.
 - 50 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.
 - 25 prime City cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
 - 12,000 pounds Brown Soap.
 - 50 pounds Indigo.
 - 1,000 gallons Syrup.
 - 2,510 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
 - 500 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, new crop, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
 - 25 barrels prime Onions.
 - 300 bushels Oats.
 - 250 bales long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
 - 15 barrels prime quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.

DRY GOODS.

- 100 gross Pantaloon Buckles.
- 100 dozen Basting Cotton.
- 50 dozen White Spool Cotton No. 30.
- 10 dozen Black Spool Cotton No. 30.
- 20 gross Safety Pins, No. 3.

HARDWARE, WOODEN WARE, ETC.

- 5 coils best quality Manila Rope, 9-thread.
- 5 coils best quality Manila Rope, 15-thread.
- 6 dozen W. W. Brushes.
- 1 ream Wrapping Paper.
- 10 gross Safety Matches.
- 20 quires Sand Paper, No. 2.

- 10 kegs best quality Cut Nails, 8d.
- 10 kegs best quality Cut Nails, 10d.
- 6 dozen best quality F. B. Files, 14".
- 1 dozen best quality Plasterers' Trowels.
- 1 gross each best quality Tinned Kettle Ears, Nos. 6 and 8.
- 20 bundles Common Sheet Iron, No. 22.

LEATHER, ETC.

- 100 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to average about 22 to 25 pounds.
- 100 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 11 feet.
- 100 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.
- 1,000 pounds Offal Leather.

LIME AND CEMENT.

- 15 Barrels best quality Chloride of Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. of chloride.
- 10 Barrels best quality Portland Cement.
- 6 Barrels best quality Plaster Paris.
- 5 Barrels Rosendale or Lehigh Valley Cement Company's Cement.
- 8 Barrels best quality Common Lime.
- 6 Loads best quality Screened Sand.

LUMBER.

- 8,500 lineal feet first quality cone or vertical grained thoroughly seasoned Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1 1/4" x 4" tongued and grooved, dressed one side, to be delivered at Bellevue Hospital.
- 800 feet first quality clear Pine Boards, 1", tongued and grooved, dressed both sides.
- 5,000 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1" x 12" x 12' to 16' feet, dressed one side.
- 50 first quality Hemlock Boards.
- 50 pieces first quality Merchantable White Pine, 1" x 10" x 13 feet.
- 17 first quality White Oak Fender Piles, 5" x 9" x 12 feet.

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, July 30, 1886. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Woodenware, Hardware, Leather, Lime and Lumber," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Bidders will state the 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, from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, July 19, 1886.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

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

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, July 30, 1886. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Repairs and Alterations of Steamer 'Bellevue' into a Scow or Stone-barge" with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract, and said bondsman shall be held to be securely bound not only for the faithful compliance with all the specifications of this contract, but for the payment on demand on completion of the aforesaid work of the sum of money agreed upon in cash or current funds of the City of New York and continue to be so bound until released by the receipt in full of the Board of Public Charities and Correction by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of four thousand (4,000) dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

Payment will be required on delivery of the scow or stone-barge, completed to the entire satisfaction of Charles H. Haswell, Assistant Supervising Engineer and the Board of Public Charities and Correction, whose receipt in full shall release the bondsmen of the Contractor.

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

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

Dated, New York, July 17, 1886.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, July 21, 1886.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Sixty-third street, East river—Unknown man; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair. Had on white shirt, dark pants, gaiters.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Nicholas Hanson; aged 31 years; admitted June 14, 1886.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Cannon; aged 50 years; 4 feet 9 1/2 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted black shawl, checked hood, plaid dress.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Grady; committed July 16, 1886; aged 33 years.

Elizabeth Ryan; committed May 12, 1885; aged 34 years.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Michael Haag; aged 22 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black sack coat and vest, dark mixed pants, laced shoes, brown derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order. G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, July 15, 1886.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, North river—Unknown man; aged about 25 years; 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high; sandy hair and moustache. Had on black diagonal coat, vest and pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white cotton sock, button gaiters.

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

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

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

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order. G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BATTERY PLACE,
NEW YORK, July 27, 1886.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, BY MESSRS. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, will sell at public auction on the premises in front of Piers, new 27 and new 28, North river, between Hubert and Lighthouse streets, on Monday, the 2d day of August, 1886, at 11 o'clock, A. M., a quantity or lot of boards, planks, braces, joists, beams, trusses, rafters, roofing, bolts, old iron, skylights, and other lumber and material, composing the shed or structure immediately in front of and adjoining the iron structure or shed of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

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

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

No. 1. Both sides of Third avenue, from Harlem river to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets; also both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Lincoln to Rider avenue; both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh and One Hundred and Thirty-eighth streets, from Alexander to Rider avenue, and both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth, One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, from Alexander to Morris avenue.

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

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

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, between Third and Willis avenues, and both sides

of Alexander avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets.

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

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

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

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

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

SUPREME COURT.

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

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

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Second Avenue distant 201 feet 3 inches northerly from the northerly line of Ninety-third street; thence easterly and parallel with said street 650 feet to the westerly line of First Avenue; thence northerly along said line 60 feet; thence westerly 650 feet to the easterly line of Second Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

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

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

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

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

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

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

the westerly line of Eighth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

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

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

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

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

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

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

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth Avenue, distant 2,974 feet 3¾ inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 540 feet 4¾ inches to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly and along said road 27 feet 11½ inches; thence still northerly and along said easterly line 58 feet 10¼ inches; thence easterly 572 feet 8 inches to the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; thence southerly and along said line 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue, distant 2,974 feet 3¾ inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence easterly and parallel with said street 122 feet 8 inches to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly and along said road 83 feet 10¼ inches; thence westerly 97 feet 6¼ inches to the easterly line of Eleventh Avenue; thence southerly and along said Avenue 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

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

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

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

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Vanderbilt (formerly Railroad) Avenue to Webster Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 30th day of July, 1886, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as East One Hundred and Seventieth street, extending from Vanderbilt (formerly Railroad) Avenue to Webster Avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

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

1st. Thence southeasterly at right angles to Webster Avenue for 406½ feet to the western line of Vanderbilt Avenue.

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

3d. Thence northerly at right angles to Vanderbilt Avenue for 406½ feet to the eastern line of Webster Avenue.

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

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

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, July 1, 1886.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
July 26, 1886.

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.:

Beekman place sewers, between Forty-ninth and Fifty-first streets.

Madison Avenue sewers, alteration and improvement to, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-ninth streets, and in Fifty-seventh street, east and west of Madison Avenue.

Fifth Avenue sewer, east side, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-ninth streets.

West End Avenue (formerly Eleventh Avenue) sewer, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, and in Sixty-fifth street, between West End and Tenth Avenues.

West End Avenue (formerly Eleventh Avenue) sewer, between Ninety-sixth and One Hundred and Fifth streets.

Boulevard sewer, between One Hundred and Fifty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between the Boulevard and Tenth Avenue.

Forty-seventh street sewer, extension at the East river.

Ninety-seventh street sewer, between Third and Fourth Avenues, from end of present sewer east of Lexington Avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-first street sewer, between Sixth and Seventh Avenues.

One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street sewer and appurtenances, between College and Third Avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-fifth street sewer, between Brook and St. Ann's Avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-eighth street sewer, between Brook Avenue and Mill Brook, and between Mill Brook and Courtland Avenues, with branches in North Third Avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets, and in Willis Avenue between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets.

One Hundred and Forty-ninth street sewer, between Brook Avenue and Mill Brook, and between Mill Brook and Courtland Avenue, with branches in Bergen Avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets.

Eighty-first street paving, from First Avenue to Avenue A, with granite-block paving.

Eighty-first street paving, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, with trap-block paving.

One Hundred and Eighth street paving, from Second to Third Avenue, with granite-block paving.

Ninth Avenue regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, from Eighty-first to One Hundred and Tenth street.

Fifty-third street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones and flagging, from Tenth to Eleventh Avenue.

Ninety-fifth street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Ninth to Tenth Avenue.

One Hundredth street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Fourth to Fifth Avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Sixth to Eighth Avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, from North Third to Willis Avenue.

Sixty-ninth street, laying crosswalks at Ninth Avenue, the Boulevard and Eleventh Avenue.

Railroad Avenue, laying crosswalks opposite Tremont Depot of the New York and Harlem Railroad, and at the southerly intersection of East One Hundred and Seventy-sixth street.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, July 15, 1886, 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 4, 1886, 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.

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

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

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

CONSOLIDATED STOCK

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

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

CONDITIONS.

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

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00
The same in 25 volumes, half bound 50 00
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding 15 00
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell Room 23, Stewart Building."

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.