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### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### STATED MEETING.

#### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

TUESDAY, October 18, 1887,  
1 o'clock P. M.

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

#### PRESENT :

Hon. Henry R. Beekman, President :

#### ALDERMEN

Patrick Divver,	James E. Fitzgerald,	Joseph Murray,
Vice-President,	Cornelius Flynn,	John Quinn,
Charles Bennett,	Christian Goetz,	Charles P. Sanford,
Alfred R. Conkling,	Philip Holland,	Matthew Smith,
Redmond Corcoran,	Jacobi M. Long,	William Tait,
James A. Cowie,	Gustav Menninger,	James T. Van Rensselaer,
Daniel E. Dowling,	James J. Mooney,	William H. Walker.
Hugh F. Farrell,	John Murray,	

The minutes of the meetings of October 4 and October 11 were read and approved.

#### PETITIONS.

By Alderman John Murray—  
Petition of property-owners for crosswalk at junction of Manhattan street and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—  
Petition of property-owners for crosswalk across the Boulevard, at south side of Ninetieth street.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By ———  
Petition of the New York Cable Company, by Charles P. Shaw, counsel specially instructed, requesting that action be taken by the Common Council on the report of the Rapid Transit Commissioners, made to the Common Council June 30, 1884, etc.

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

GENTLEMEN—The New York Cable Railway Company, by its undersigned counsel duly authorized thereto, respectfully petitioning your Honorable Body, would show :

That by the proceedings of Rapid Transit Commissioners had pursuant to chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875, as appears by its Articles of Association, filed in the office of the Secretary of State, and in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, on the 22d day of April, 1884, which articles were amended by said Commissioners, as appears by amended articles filed in said offices on the 26th and 27th days of January, 1887, and by amended articles made and filed in said offices on the 26th and 27th days of January, 1887, pursuant to chapter 135 of the Laws of 1870, became a duly constituted corporation for the purpose of constructing, operating and maintaining its system of railway within the City of New York, on twenty-nine connecting routes designated in the company's Articles of Association by consecutive numbers, from one to twenty-nine, inclusive, and fully authorized to construct and operate the same, subject, among other things, to the consent of the Common Council of said City.

That a portion of said railway, consisting of about one-fifth of the extent thereof, is provided to be constructed as an elevated cable railway and the residue as a surface cable railway. The system is so laid out that either the elevated or the surface portion would, independent of the other, constitute a complete working railway of great public convenience.

That heretofore and prior to the amendment of its Articles of Association, and on the 19th day of January, 1886, your petitioner applied to the Common Council for its consent to the construction of its railway on all of said routes, reciting and showing in said petition the great public advantages and imperative need of the proposed railway, and the proceedings had by the Common Council on former like applications, as appears by the CITY RECORD [vide Vol. XIV., No. 3850, pp. 155, 156], which petition received the favorable action of the then Board of Aldermen, on the 24th day of March, 1886, as appears by the report of the Railroad Committee, which sets forth the original Articles of Association of the company, to which reference is hereby made, and the vote adopting the same on that day [vide THE CITY RECORD, vol. XIV., No. 3885, pp. 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582], but which favorable action was annulled by judicial proceedings, supported by alleged defects in said Articles of Association, which defects have been remedied by the above-mentioned amendment of said articles.

Your petitioner would therefore pray your Honorable Body to take the proceedings of said Rapid Transit Commissioners, which was transmitted to the Common Council on the 30th day of June, 1884, by the then Mayor of the City, together with the Articles of Association as amended by them and approved by your petitioner as above stated, into consideration, and take such action thereon as may be proper.

And your petitioner will ever pray.

THE NEW YORK CABLE RAILWAY CO.,  
By CH. P. SHAW, Counsel specially instructed.

Dated NEW YORK, October 11, 1887.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

By the President—  
Petition of the Southern Boulevard Railroad Company to operate its road by electricity or cable power, or any power other than locomotive steam power.

To the Honorable the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York :

Your petitioner, the Southern Boulevard Railroad Company, respectfully represents to your Honorable Body as follows :

1. That your petitioner is a corporation duly organized under the act of the Legislature of the State of New York, passed the 6th day of May, 1884, being chapter 252 of the Laws of that year, and the various acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

2. That your petitioner was incorporated as aforesaid for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a street railroad on what is known as the Southern Boulevard, in the City of New York, upon and within the following-described boundaries and limits, to wit : From the beginning of the said Southern Boulevard at the upper or northern end of the iron bridge crossing the Harlem river on the line of Third avenue ; thence running through and along the said Southern Boulevard and across the intersecting streets, avenues and highways, as the said Southern Boulevard winds and turns, until it reaches Boston avenue, formerly called the Boston Post road, the length of the said proposed railroad being about three and one-half miles.

3. That your petitioner duly obtained the respective consents, in writing, of nearly all the owners of the property along the said line of the said proposed railroad to the construction and operation of the same, the said consents being much more than one-half in value of the property bounded on the said proposed line of railroad, a copy of the same being hereunto annexed and marked Exhibit No. 1.

4. That your petitioner thereupon, to wit : on or about the 31st day of July, 1885, duly presented to your Honorable Body the said consents of the said owners of the property on the proposed line of the said railroad to the construction and operation of the same, together with the petition of your petitioner that the consent and ratification of your Honorable Body be duly given to your petitioner to construct and operate the said proposed railroad, a copy of the said petition being hereunto annexed, marked Exhibit No. 2.

5. That on or about the 23d day of February, 1886, the Honorable the Board of Aldermen aforesaid, by a resolution duly passed, granted its consent to your petitioner to the construction and operation of the said railroad by your petitioner, in the following words, to wit :

Resolved, That the consent of this Board be and the same hereby is granted and the permission of the Common Council is hereby given, to the Southern Boulevard Railroad Company to construct, maintain, operate and use a street surface railroad, with the necessary connections, sidings, switches, turn-outs and turn-tables, through, upon and along the surface of the following streets and highways in the City of New York, to wit :

From the beginning of the said Southern Boulevard at the upper end of the iron bridge crossing the Harlem river on the line of Third avenue ; thence through, upon and along the said Southern Boulevard and across the intersecting streets, avenues and highways, as said Southern Boulevard winds and turns, until it reaches Boston avenue, formerly called the Boston Post road, the length of said proposed railroad being about three and one-half miles.

Resolved, That the foregoing consent, authority and permission is given and granted to said company, upon the following conditions, viz. :

First—That the said railroad, and the said sidings, connections, switches, turn-outs and turn-tables shall be constructed upon the best plan for the construction of surface railroads, sidings, switches, turn-outs, turn-tables and connections in use in said city at the time of their construction. Second—That the said corporation shall comply with each and every of the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, pertinent thereto.

Third—The foregoing consent is given and granted upon the express condition that the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884 shall be complied with.

6. That the said resolution was duly presented to his Honor the Mayor aforesaid, then in office, who, on or about the 2d day of March, 1886, duly returned the same with his objections and without his approval, and that afterwards and on or about the 16th day of March, 1886, the said Honorable Board of Aldermen, in due form of law passed the said resolution, notwithstanding the objections of the Honorable Mayor, whereupon the said resolution became in all respects the lawful consent of the corporation or local authorities of the City of New York to the construction and operation of the said railroad.

7. That by the passage of the aforesaid resolution your petitioner became duly authorized to construct the said railroad and to operate the same with the motive power prescribed by section 12 of the aforesaid chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, which is as follows :

Section 12. Any street surface railway company may in any case operate any portion of its road by animal or horse power, or by any power other than locomotive steam-power, which may be consented to by the local authorities and by a majority of the property-owners, obtained in accordance with sections three and four of this act.

8. That your petitioner in constructing the said railroad desires to be at liberty and to exercise the right to choose, if need be, the more modern appliances of electricity, cable traction, or of any power, other than locomotive steam-power, for the operation of said railroad, and your petitioner respectfully shows unto your Honorable Body that doubts may possibly arise hereafter as to whether or not your petitioner may lawfully do so under the phraseology of the consent given by your Honorable Body as aforesaid.

9. Your petitioner, however, respectfully calls the particular attention of your Honorable Body to the fact that in giving its consent heretofore, no restriction was made as to what motive power should be employed in the operation of the said railroad, but that your Honorable Body consented to the exercise by your petitioner of all the powers conferred by the aforesaid act of 1884, including the powers conferred by the aforesaid 12th section thereof ; wherefore your petitioner assumes and has assumed, that it was the intention of your Honorable Body to allow your petitioner to use any motive power other than steam locomotives, and that any ambiguity upon that point, if any there be, arose solely from inadvertence and oversight in draughting the said resolution of consent.

Your petitioner therefore prays that your Honorable Body will, therefore, take due action to define and interpret the aforesaid consent of your Honorable Body and if it should be the sense of your Honorable Body that your petitioner does not now possess the authority to adopt electricity, cable traction or of any power other than locomotive steam power as a motive power for the operation of the said railroad, then your petitioner respectfully prays that a new and amended resolution or consent be duly passed by your Honorable Body conferring upon your petitioner the authority to adopt and use either of the aforesaid methods of operating the said railroad.

THE SOUTHERN BOULEVARD RAILROAD COMPANY,

By ROBERT A. CHESEBROUGH, President.

Attest :  
CHARLES S. BROWN, Secretary.

Which was referred to the Committee on Railroads.

#### REPORTS.

The Committee on Salaries and Offices respectfully

#### REPORT

for adoption the following resolutions :

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby respectively reappointed to the office of Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, to date from the expiration of their present terms of office, viz. :

Charles F. Walters,	Edward Swager,	William R. Keese,
Charles A. Farley,	Henry Temple, Jr.,	Joseph Markart,
William H. Janes,	John J. Reilly,	Edward C. Sheehy,
Samuel J. Landow,	Frank Etzel,	Leonard B. Sutor,
J. J. Frederick Plueger,	Joseph M. Hill,	Isaac Witmark.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, and whose terms of office have expired, viz. :

John F. Dwyer, in place of .....	Ronald K. Brown.
Frank M. Buck, " .....	Henry Berlinger.
Max Bacharach, " .....	Charles A. Clark.
John Sarraal, " .....	William Vernon Chaney.
Edward Miehling, " .....	Christopher Carraher.
William B. Morgan, " .....	Albert W. Davies.
Henry H. Sherman, " .....	Frank W. Ely.
Michael Ford, " .....	George E. Field.
Albert Klamroth, Jr., " .....	Jacob C. Goebel.
John J. Collins, " .....	Samuel D. Goodman.
James G. Coffey, " .....	Francis J. Hawkes.
Edward J. Cassidy, " .....	Samuel Kilpatrick.
William W. Falconer, " .....	Peter F. Morris.
Charles H. Powers, " .....	Carlo Paxia.
Jacob A. Lehmann, " .....	Patrick Ryan.
James Grady, " .....	Louis Bauer.
John M. Reid, " .....	Henry Silberstein.
Philip Joseph Durning, " .....	John T. Toal.
Frank Ferretti, " .....	A. R. Walsh.

Resolved, That the following-named persons be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in the places respectively of those whose names appear opposite, who were recently appointed, but failed to qualify, viz. :

Gustave Jacobs, in place of .....	William A. Appell.
John C. Clegg, " .....	John D. Buschmann.
Victor J. Dowling, " .....	Eli M. Cohen.
Michael J. Groh, " .....	Alexander M. Goge.

Nicholas Lonergan, in place of ..... William H. Haeselbarth.  
 Charles Miller, Jr., " ..... John H. Hunt.  
 John G. Gries, " ..... Alexander W. McDonald.  
 John L. Wilkie, " ..... William H. Miller.  
 Charles D. Weld, " ..... Samuel Oppenheimer.  
 Thomas H. Baskeville, " ..... Walter S. Pinckney.  
 George B. Riley, " ..... William Roemer.  
 Alexander P. W. Kiernan, in place of ..... George A. Smith.  
 Richard S. Valkenburgh, " ..... Berthold Sommer.

Resolved, That William J. Loutrell be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of A. James Lask, who has resigned.

JAMES T. VAN RENSSLAER, } Committee  
 PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
 WILLIAM H. WALKER, } Salaries and Offices.  
 WILLIAM TAIT, }

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Menninger, Mooney, John Murray, Joseph Murray, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—21.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Vice-President Divver—  
 Resolved, That Redmond Corcoran be and he is hereby elected to fill the vacancy in this Board occasioned by the death of James J. Corcoran, late the representative in the Fifteenth District.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, as follows:  
 Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Menninger, Mooney, John Murray, Joseph Murray, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—21.  
 And the President announced that Redmond Corcoran was duly elected Alderman of the Fifteenth District, for the vacancy.

## REPORTS RESUMED.

(G. O. 460.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That One Hundred and Seventeenth, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set and sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

HUGH F. FARRELL, } Committee  
 WILLIAM FICKE, } on  
 CHRISTIAN GOETZ, } Streets.  
 MATTHEW SMITH, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 461.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Eighth to New avenue, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

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

HUGH F. FARRELL, } Committee  
 WILLIAM FICKE, } on  
 CHRISTIAN GOETZ, } Streets.  
 MATTHEW SMITH, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 462.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

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

HUGH F. FARRELL, } Committee  
 WILLIAM FICKE, } on  
 CHRISTIAN GOETZ, } Streets.  
 MATTHEW SMITH, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 463.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Tenth to Convent avenue, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

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

HUGH F. FARRELL, } Committee  
 WILLIAM FICKE, } on  
 CHRISTIAN GOETZ, } Streets.  
 MATTHEW SMITH, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 464.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to first new avenue west, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

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

HUGH F. FARRELL, } Committee  
 WILLIAM FICKE, } on  
 CHRISTIAN GOETZ, } Streets.  
 MATTHEW SMITH, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 465.)

The Committee on Streets, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Manhattan avenue, from One Hundred and Thirtieth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That Manhattan avenue, from the intersection of Manhattan avenue with the avenue bounding Morningside avenue on the east, between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, to One Hundred and Sixteenth street, be regulated, graded, the curb-stones set and the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

HUGH F. FARRELL, } Committee  
 WILLIAM FICKE, } on  
 CHRISTIAN GOETZ, } Streets.  
 MATTHEW SMITH, }

(G. O. 466.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Third street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, with granite-block, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Third street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE, } Committee  
 P. N. OAKLEY, } on  
 JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } Street Pavements.  
 JOHN MURRAY, }

(G. O. 467.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Fortieth street, from Eighth to Edgcomb avenue, with granite blocks, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Fortieth street, from the crosswalk at the westerly side of Eighth avenue to Edgcomb avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, except that a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid at or near the easterly intersection of Edgcomb avenue, and within the lines of the sidewalk on the easterly side thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE, } Committee  
 PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } on  
 JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } Street Pavements.  
 JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 468.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite blocks, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from the crosswalk at the westerly side of Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, except that a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid at or near the easterly intersection of Ninth avenue, and within the lines of the sidewalk on the easterly side thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE, } Committee  
 PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } on  
 JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } Street Pavements.  
 JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 469.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with granite blocks, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from the crosswalk on the west side of Seventh avenue to the crosswalk on the east side of Eighth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE, } Committee  
 PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } on  
 JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } Street Pavements.  
 JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 470.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Eighteenth to One Hundred and Twentieth street, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the roadway of Madison avenue, from the crosswalk on the northerly side of One Hundred and Twentieth street to One Hundred and Eighteenth street, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating streets, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE, } Committee  
 PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } on  
 JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } Street Pavements.  
 JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 471.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, with granite blocks, respectfully

## REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE, } Committee  
 PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } on  
 JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } Street Pavements.  
 JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 472.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Madison to Seventh avenue, with granite blocks, respectfully

## REPORT:

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



Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Madison to Seventh avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JOHN MURRAY, } on  
Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 473.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, with granite blocks, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 474.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving with granite-block pavement the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Tenth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Tenth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 475.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving with trap blocks Seventy-fourth street, from Boulevard to Tenth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the roadway of Seventy-fourth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 476.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Fourth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with trap-block pavement, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fourth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks of three courses of blue stone be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 477.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Seventy-third street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, with trap blocks, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That Seventy-third street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks of three courses of blue stone be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 478.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fifth street, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the carriageway of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fifth street, be paved with trap-block pavement, except that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone be laid across said avenue, within the lines of the sidewalk of each intersecting and terminating street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 479.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Seventy-fifth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, with trap blocks, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That Seventy-fifth street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks of three courses of blue stone be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 480.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Second avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to present bulkhead of Harlem river with trap blocks, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the roadway of Second avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to the present bulkhead of Harlem river, be paved with trap-block pavement, where not already paved, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 481.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite blocks, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from the crosswalk at the westerly side of Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, except that a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid at or near the easterly intersection of Ninth avenue, and within the lines of the sidewalk on the easterly side thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 482.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving Ninetieth street, from Second to Third avenue, with granite blocks, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the roadway of Ninetieth street, from the crosswalk on the west side of Second avenue to the crosswalk on the east side of Third avenue be paved with granite-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 483.)

The Committee on Street Pavements to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging, full width, One Hundred and Tenth street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, where not already done, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of One Hundred and Tenth street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, be flagged full width, where not already so flagged, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 484.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue, with an additional course, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That an additional course of flagging, four feet wide, be laid on the sidewalk on the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 485.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging sidewalk on west side of Second avenue, One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street, etc., full width, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the west side of Second avenue, from One Hundred and Twentieth to One Hundred and Twenty-first street, and in One Hundred and Twenty-first street for a distance of about one hundred feet west of Second avenue, be flagged full width, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 486.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of laying an additional course of flagging on east side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That an additional course of flagging, four feet wide, be laid on the east side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 487.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of laying an additional course of flagging in Seventy-ninth street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That an additional course of flagging, four feet wide, be laid on both sides of Seventy-ninth street, from the Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, and that the old flag-stones where not set, or in accordance with established lines and grades, be taken up and reset and relaid, and new flagging laid where the old flag-stones have been broken or removed, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 488.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging sidewalk on west side of Third avenue, full width, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the westerly side of Third avenue, between One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 489.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging west side of Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Seventeenth street, four feet in width, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the west side of Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Seventeenth street, be flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 490.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging sidewalk on east side of Second avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the east side of Second avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, be flagged a space eight feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 491.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging north side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street and south side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues, where not already done, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That an additional course of flagging, four feet wide, be laid on the sidewalks on north side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, and south side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 492.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying crosswalks across Seventh avenue, north side One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid across Seventh avenue, within the lines of the sidewalks on the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of."

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 493.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying crosswalks across Avenue A, at Eighty-fifth street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That crosswalks of three courses of blue stone be laid across the Boulevard, Avenue A, on a line parallel and within the lines of the sidewalks on the northerly and southerly sides of Eighty-fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of."

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 494.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying a crosswalk across West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from No. 136 to No. 135, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid across One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, from No. 136 West to No. 135, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 495.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying crosswalks across Madison avenue, at One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That crosswalks of three courses of blue stone be laid across Madison avenue, within the lines of the sidewalks on both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 496.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying a crosswalk across Seventh avenue, on south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid across Seventh avenue on a line parallel and within the lines of the sidewalk on the south side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of."

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 497.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying a crosswalk across Boulevard, on south side of Eighty-first street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid across the Boulevard, on a line parallel and within the lines of the sidewalk on the south of Eighty-first street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of."

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 498.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying crosswalks at intersections of One Hundred and Twenty-second street with St. Nicholas avenue, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses of blue stone be laid at each intersection of St. Nicholas avenue with One Hundred and Twenty-second street, and each intersection of One Hundred and Twenty-second street with St. Nicholas avenue, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 499.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying a crosswalk across West End avenue, on north side of Ninetieth street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid across West End avenue, on a line parallel and within the lines of the sidewalk on the northerly side of Ninetieth street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 500.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of laying crosswalk across Sixth and Seventh avenues, north side, at One Hundred and Twenty-second street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid across the Sixth and Seventh avenues, on the north side, at or near the intersections of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, and within the lines of the sidewalks on the north side of said One Hundred and Twenty-second street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 501.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of laying crosswalks across the Boulevard at Seventy-fifth street, respectfully

REPORT:

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

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

WILLIAM FICKE,  
PATRICK N. OAKLEY, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JOHN MURRAY, } Street Pavements.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 502.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Beechinor, Healy & Conway to lay a crosswalk across Broadway at Nos. 809 and 811, respectfully

REPORT:

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



Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Beechinor, Healy & Conway to lay a crosswalk of two courses of bridge stone across Broadway, opposite the entrance to Nos. 809 and 811, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

WILLIAM FICKE, } Committee  
PATRICK N. OAKLEV, } on  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } Street Pavements.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 503.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, Sixth to Seventh avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, Sixth to Seventh avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 504.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Boulevard to Riverside Park, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots on both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, Boulevard to Riverside Drive, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 505.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and Manhattan street, and Tenth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots bounded by One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Manhattan street, Tenth avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 506.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on west side Boulevard, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots on west side Boulevard, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 507.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets, Fourth and Madison avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots on block bounded by Eighty-eighth to Eighty-ninth street, Fourth to Madison avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 508.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lot on the northeast corner of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Ninth street, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lot, being the northwest corner of Lexington avenue and One Hundred and Ninth street, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 509.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, First and Second avenues, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots in block bounded by Ninety-ninth to One Hundredth street, First to Second avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 510.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundredth and One Hundred and First streets, First to Second avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots in block bounded by One Hundredth to One Hundred and First street, First to Second avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 511.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on southeast corner Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twelfth street, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the southeast corner of Madison avenue and One Hundred and Twelfth street, extending about one hundred and forty feet on Madison avenue and about seventy feet on One Hundred and Twelfth street, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 512.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets, Eighth to Ninth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lot bounded by Ninety-fourth to Ninety-fifth street, Eighth to Ninth avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 513.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on north side of Fifty-ninth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the north side of Fifty-ninth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 514.)

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

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, Fifth to Sixth avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 515.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Seventh streets, from Manhattan avenue to Ninth avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots bounded by One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Seventh streets, Manhattan avenue to Ninth avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 516.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets, Sixth to Seventh avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the vacant lots bounded by One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets, Sixth to Seventh avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
ALFRED R. CONKLING, }  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 517.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying water-mains in Ninety-eighth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, respectfully

REPORT :

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

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in Ninety-eighth street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 518.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting R. Peach to retain stand for the sale of oysters, fruit, etc., at No. 33 Coenties Slip, respectfully

#### REPORT :

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Robert Peach to retain the stand for the sale of fruit, oysters, etc., in front of No. 33 Coenties Slip, on the curb-line; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 519.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting D. De Witt, to keep a watering-trough on Eighth avenue, northwest corner Thirteenth street, respectfully

#### REPORT :

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to David De Witt to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the west side of Eighth avenue, near the northwest corner of Thirteenth 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.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting V. Vanconoto to keep a stand at No. 727 Broadway, respectfully

#### REPORT :

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Vincoso Vanconoto to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, within the stoop-line, in front of No. 727 Broadway, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed six feet long by four wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Alderman Flynn moved to adopt the report.

Alderman Joseph Murray moved to recommit to the Committee.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Alderman Van Rensselaer, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Alderman Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Goetz, Holland, Menninger, Mooney, John Murray, Joseph Murray, Sanford, Tait, and Van Rensselaer—15.  
Negative—Aldermen Bennett, Flynn, Long, Smith, and Walker—5.

(G. O. 520.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting S. Epstein & Son to erect an awning in front of No. 99 Bowery, respectfully

#### REPORT :

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

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to S. Epstein & Son to place and keep an iron awning in front of their place of business, No. 99 Bowery, any ordinance heretofore passed by the Common Council to the contrary notwithstanding, the said awning to be erected in conformity with the provisions of the general ordinance relating to "the erection of awnings extending across the sidewalks and outside the stoop-lines in the City of New York, passed May 10, 1886," the permission hereby granted to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

JOSEPH MURRAY, } Committee  
PATRICK DIVVER, } on  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, } Public Works.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed two preambles and resolutions, one by Alderman Conkling, requesting the Counsel to the Corporation to investigate the subject of properly replacing the pavements displaced by the New York Steam Heating Company, and if in violation of the conditions of the bond of said company, given in the sum of \$50,000 to properly replace said pavements, to commence an action against the company; the other by Alderman Dowling, requesting the said Counsel to inform the Board of the extent of its powers in respect to the control of the carriageways of the streets of this city, and other information in relation to the powers vested in the Common Council to control the work of making excavation on the public streets and highways of this city, by steam-heating companies and others, respectfully

#### REPORT :

That, in the opinion of your Committee, both papers might very properly have been adopted by your Honorable Body. There is no incongruity in the provisions of the resolutions. That of Alderman Conkling directs that proceedings be commenced against the New York Steam Company for failing to properly restore the pavements it caused to be displaced in the work of laying its pipe in the public streets, thereby violating its bond given in the penal sum of \$50,000, conditioned that such pavements should be properly restored; that of Alderman Dowling simply requests the Counsel to the Corporation to inform the Common Council of the nature and extent of its jurisdiction over the carriageways of the streets of this city; if existing laws are being violated in making excavations by the steam-heating companies and others; if other and more stringent ordinances or laws can be passed and enforced, in view of recent legislation at Albany, and if so, requesting that he prepare such ordinances for the consideration of the Board.

Your Committee, impressed with the importance of the subject, requested the Counsel to the Corporation to give his opinion on the questions contained in the resolutions, and he kindly consented to do so. His opinion is herewith accompanying, and your Committee respectfully calls the attention of your Honorable Body to the statements therein contained. This, however, renders any further action on the preamble and resolution offered by Alderman Dowling on the part of your Honorable Body unnecessary, as the reply of the Counsel is an answer to each of the questions contained in the resolution.

Your Committee, therefore, has concluded to recommend the adoption by your Honorable Body of the preamble and resolution hereto attached, which was offered by Alderman Conkling, and suggest that the resolution offered by Alderman Dowling, together with the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation, also hereto attached, together with this report, be recommended to the Committee, with instructions to confer with the Counsel, with a view of drafting and submitting for the consideration of this Board such ordinance or ordinances as may be deemed necessary to control the whole subject of displacing the pavements in our public streets, and prevent any undue or unnecessary interference with or interruption to the free uses of all the public thoroughfares in this city by the public.

ALFRED R. CONKLING, } Committee  
JAMES E. FITZGERALD, } on  
JAMES J. MOONEY, } Street Pavements.  
JOHN MURRAY, }

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,  
NEW YORK, October 7, 1887.

#### To the Committee on Street Pavements of the Common Council :

GENTLEMEN—I beg to acknowledge the receipt, October 6, 1887, of two resolutions now under consideration in your Committee, one introduced by Alderman Conkling and the other introduced by Alderman Dowling.

I also received, yesterday, a letter from Alderman Conkling, dated October 5, calling my attention to the same subject.

In the limited time at my disposal, I can only outline briefly the powers of the Common Council in reference to openings of streets by steam-heating companies, by gas-light companies, by telegraph companies and by electric-light companies.

By chapter 290 of the Laws of 1879, the General Manufacturing Act of 1848 was so amended as to permit the formation thereunder of corporations for the supplying of hot water, air or steam for motive power, heating, cooking or other useful applications.

By chapter 317 of the Laws of 1879, such corporations were empowered to lay their pipes through the streets, with the consent of the municipal authorities, and under such reasonable regulations and conditions as they might prescribe; such permission, however, to be granted only upon the condition that reasonable compensation shall be paid therefor, and upon the further condition that a satisfactory bond shall be given to secure the city against all damages in the use of the pipes. The amount of compensation and the amount of the bond to be determined by the municipal authorities before any pipes should be laid. The act confirms all prior grants which might have complied with the provisions of this act.

In volume 48 of the approved proceedings of the Common Council, page 368, will be found the grant by your Body to the New York Steam Company, which I believe is the only or principal company of that character in practical operation at the present time.

By subdivision 6 of that grant, the work of the company in the streets is required to be done under reasonable regulations by the Commissioner of Public Works as to the safety of the public and the times during which public travel may be interrupted in particular locations.

As to gas-light companies, they are organized under chapter 37 of the Laws of 1848, and its amendments.

By that act such corporations are given power to lay conductors through the streets with the consent of municipal authorities and under such reasonable regulations as they may prescribe.

On December 23, 1876, an ordinance adopted by your Board under this act, was approved by his Honor the Mayor, granting to all incorporated gas-light companies the power to lay mains in the streets upon such conditions as might be prescribed and approved by the Mayor, the Comptroller and the Commissioner of Public Works; that ordinance, I believe, has not been repealed.

As to electric-light companies, by chapter 512 of the Laws of 1879, amended by chapter 73 of the Laws of 1882, they are given power to lay their conductors in the streets with the consent of the municipal authorities and under such reasonable regulations as they may prescribe.

As to the gas-light and steam companies, by chapter 287 of the Laws of 1884, and by chapter 530 of the Laws of 1885, section 86 of the Consolidation Act is so amended as to prohibit the laying of any pipes for the distribution of gas or steam, unless two-thirds in number and in frontage of the owners of real estate abutting on the street, shall petition the Common Council that such pipes be laid. The prohibition, however, is prospective and all grants made prior to April 21, 1883, were by the act confirmed.

As to telegraph companies, and also as to electric-light and telephone companies the use of the streets for the purpose of laying conductors has formed the subject-matter of recent legislation.

See chapter 716, Laws of 1887.

503, Laws of 1886.

499, Laws of 1885.

534, Laws of 1884.

Although by this legislation a Board has been created to control this subject in some of its features, still I do not apprehend that the powers of your Body conferred by section 86 of the Consolidation Act, to regulate the opening of street pavements, have been diminished when permission to make such an opening has been lawfully obtained.

The general regulations enacted by your Body on the subject of opening the pavements of streets will be found in article 37 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1885.

It will appear from these ordinances, as well as the grant by your Body to the New York Steam Company, and to all incorporated gas companies above referred to, that the details of the regulations concerning the opening of street pavements have been relegated to the Commissioner of Public Works to adjust.

For the details of the regulations adopted by the Commissioner of Public Works I must beg leave to refer your Body to that officer.

I have endeavored, as suggested in the proposed resolution of Alderman Dowling, to define in a general way the powers vested in your Body in respect to the control of the carriageway of the streets of this city. Such regulations of the subject as your Board may make, or authorize the Commissioner of Public Works to make in its behalf, must no doubt be reasonable. Of course, it is not practicable to lay down more than general rules in the absence of a specific case. What is a reasonable regulation will naturally vary in different localities, and the subject is one upon which opinions may differ, and is largely to be determined by the views of sensible experts in such matters.

I have no means of advising you whether existing ordinances are disregarded or are insufficient to prevent the displacement of the pavements without the permission of the Common Council or the Commissioner of Public Works. For such information I must refer your Committee to the Department of Public Works.

The general power of your Board to determine when and to what extent the pavements may be displaced and the streets opened, I have defined as far as may be in the absence of a specific state of facts presented for my consideration. Whether new and more stringent ordinances are necessary, is a question to be decided by the legislative wisdom of your Body. Should your Board decide that such are necessary, I have no doubt that they can be lawfully passed and enforced, provided that they are reasonable in their requirements and do not abridge the rights acquired in the streets by the companies under the laws of the State. My own knowledge on the subject is not sufficiently that of an expert to enable me to prepare ordinances of that character for the consideration of the Board. I shall, however, be glad to examine and advise on any such proposed ordinance which may be drafted should your Body or Committee come to the conclusion that existing ordinances and regulations adopted thereunder by the Department of Public Works require revision.

If the proposed ordinance introduced by Alderman Conkling should be adopted, I should be glad to bring an action against the New York Steam Company upon its bond, upon receipt of evidence showing the breach of the condition of the bond by that company.

I would refer you to the regulations contained in the new permit which is proposed to be issued by the Department of Public Works, covering the subject of your communication, and which has been examined by this Department, and in which you will find that many of the regulations that might be suggested by your Committee have been embodied. But should there be any additional regulations which you think necessary or proper I will be glad to assist you in so formulating them that they may be incorporated in the permit already prepared by the Commissioner of Public Works.

I herewith inclose copy of a letter to the Commissioner of Public Works, which may give you some additional information in reference to the subject embraced in your resolutions.

I am, gentlemen, very respectfully, yours,

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

Alderman Mooney moved that all the papers connected with this report be recommitted to the Committee on Street Pavements, with instructions to consult with the Corporation Counsel and the Commissioner of Public Works with a view to the framing of an ordinance that will remedy the evils complained of.

Alderman Conkling moved the acceptance of the report and the adoption of the resolution offered by him.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt the motion of Alderman Mooney.

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Alderman Conkling, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Bennett, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Menninger, Mooney, John Murray, Joseph Murray, Quinn, Smith, Tait, and Walker—19.  
Negative—Aldermen Conkling, Sanford, and Van Rensselaer—3.

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Lord & Taylor to extend vault in front of their property in Chrystie street, respectfully

#### REPORT :

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

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Messrs. Lord & Taylor to extend the vault now in front of their premises in Chrystie street outwardly for a distance of six feet and six inches, as shown on the accompanying diagram, provided the usual fee be paid for the privilege; that the work be done in a durable and substantial manner; and that the said Lord & Taylor shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the building or extension of said vault to any water or gas pipe or sewer, or from any other cause, during the progress or subsequent to the completion of said vault,



the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

JOSEPH MURRAY,  
GUSTAV MENNINGER,  
PATRICK DIVVER,  
ALFRED R. CONKLING,  
JOHN MURRAY,

Committee  
on  
Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting the J. M. Horton Ice Cream Company to extend a vault beyond the curb-line on the northwest corner of New Chambers and William streets, respectfully

## REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed extension of the vault will in no way interfere with the free use of the street, and that the public interests are properly protected by the provisions of the resolution. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the J. M. Horton Ice Cream Co. to extend a vault on the northwest corner of New Chambers and William streets, the said vault to extend two feet beyond the curb-line on New Chambers street, and running along New Chambers street ninety and one-half feet west from William street, and to extend six feet beyond the curb-line on William street, and running along William street north from New Chambers street sixteen feet one inch, provided the said J. M. Horton Ice Cream Co. shall pay the usual fee, and that the work be done in a durable and workmanlike manner, and provided the said J. M. Horton Ice Cream Co. stipulates with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur through the extension of said vault, during or subsequent to the completion of the said extension, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

JOSEPH MURRAY,  
GUSTAV MENNINGER,  
PATRICK DIVVER,  
ALFRED R. CONKLING,  
JOHN MURRAY,

Committee  
on  
Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution.  
Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 521.)

The Committee on Lamps and Gas, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of placing and lighting an additional lamp in front of Grammar School No. 8, in King street, respectfully

## REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed additional lamp to be necessary, in order to properly light the street in front of said school building. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That an additional lamp-post and Boulevard lamp be placed in front of Grammar School No. 8, on the north side of King street, between Congress and Varick streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

JAMES J. MOONEY,  
GUSTAV MENNINGER,  
JACOB M. LONG,  
JOHN MURRAY,  
JOSEPH MURRAY,  
CHRISTIAN GOETZ,

Committee  
on  
Lamps and Gas.

Which was laid over.

The President here formally introduced Alderman Redmond Corcoran to the other members of the Board, and announced that he had placed him on the several committees of which Alderman James J. Corcoran, deceased, was formerly a member.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Conkling—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Demorest Fashion and Sewing Machine Company to lay a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone across Fourteenth street, in front of No. 17, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

(G. O. 522.)

By Alderman Cowie—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Adolph Hank to erect an ornamental post, surmounted by a clock, inside the stoop-line in front of his premises, No. 26½ East Forty-second street, said post-clock to be not over twelve feet high; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Sanford moved to refer to the Committee on Public Works.

Alderman Farrell moved to lay over.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John J. Bowes to extend a vault seven feet outside of the northerly curb in front of Nos. 231 and 233 West Twenty-ninth street as shown by accompanying diagram, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said John J. Bowes shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the building or extension of said vault during the progress of or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

(G. O. 523.)

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to remove the iron drinking-fountain in Rutgers street, between East Broadway and Canal street, the same being both an obstruction and a nuisance.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 524.)

By Alderman Farrell—

Resolved, That Forty-first street, from the First avenue to the bulkhead line on the East river, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set and the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 525.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the carriageway of Fortieth street, from the crosswalk at the east side of First avenue to the bulkhead-line on the East river, be paved with trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 526.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant in favor of Benjamin H. Hewlett for the sum of two hundred dollars (\$200) in full, for payment of bill hereto annexed, for services of engrossing and encasing the resolutions passed by the Common Council on the occasion of the presentation of the freedom of the city to M. Bartholdi, and charge the amount to the appropriation made for that purpose by the Board of Apportionment in their Final Estimate for the year 1887, viz.: "For Engrossing Resolutions of the Board of Aldermen on Presentation of the Freedom of the City to M. Bartholdi."  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 527.)

By Alderman Fitzgerald—

Resolved, That two additional public lamps be placed in front of the Church of St. John the Evangelist at the northwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and First avenue—one on the Fifty-fifth street

front and one on the First avenue front, the said church having a frontage of seventy-five feet on Fifty-fifth street, and one hundred and fifty feet on First avenue; and that the present lamps in front of said church be reset so as to make symmetrical disposition of all the lamps, and that lamps of the Boulevard pattern be placed on the several lamp-posts; the work to be done under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William O'Connor to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 923 Second avenue, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

(G. O. 528.)

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Sixty-fifth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.  
Which was laid over.

(G. O. 529.)

By the same—

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Sixty-fifth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.  
Which was laid over.

By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Bank of New York, corner of William and Wall streets, to repave with Trinidad asphalt pavement the roadway of William street, between Wall and Pine streets, the present stone blocks to be delivered to the Department of Public Works at such point or points as the said Department of Public Works may require, and the new pavement to be kept in good order, at the expense of the said Bank of New York, for a period of five (5) years, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John H. Irving to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 30 Peck Slip, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

By Alderman Long—

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and he is hereby requested to report to this Board if the construction of a third or centre track, and the storage thereon of long lines of railroad cars, which obstructs the view and otherwise interferes with the rights of residents on both sides of the Third avenue, is in accordance with the grants given to the Elevated Railroad Companies by the State Legislature, or if such track and storage of cars is not an unwarranted use of the public highway, and a usurpation of the rights of abutting owners and residents by the said Elevated Railroad Companies.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Antony Brande to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit and periodicals within the stoop-line in front of premises on northeast corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, said stand to be three feet wide and six feet long, he having obtained the consent of the property-owner at the said location, which consent is hereto attached, 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.

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

By the same—

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Eighteenth to One Hundred and Nineteenth street, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Ninety-third street, from Second avenue to the East river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from First to Second avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

By Alderman Mooney—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Devos street, from Ogden avenue to Lind avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

By Alderman John Murray—

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Seventh to St. Nicholas avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at each intersecting and terminating avenue, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—

Resolved, That the roadway of Seventy-fourth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—

Resolved, That the roadway of Sixty-second street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—

Resolved, That the carriageway of Sixty-seventh street, from the crosswalk at or near the westerly intersection of Eighth avenue to the crosswalk at or near the easterly intersection of Ninth avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Sixty-first street, from the Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, be flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, where not already so flagged, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By the same—

Resolved, That Eighty-seventh street, from West End avenue to the Riverside Drive, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and reset, and flagging laid and relaid, where not already done, so as to conform to the change of grade adopted by the Commissioner of Public Works; dated October 11, 1882, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By the same—

Resolved, That the carriage-way of Seventy-seventh street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—

Resolved, That the roadway of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Eighth avenue to St. Nicholas avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks of three courses of blue stone be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Cullen to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb in front of his premises, northwest corner of Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-first street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By the same—

Resolved, That the vacant lots bounded by One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Eleventh street, Eighth and Manhattan avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That the vacant lots bounded by One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets, Seventh to Eighth avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on west side Edgecomb avenue, One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Forty-first street, and north side One Hundred and Forty-first street, Edgecomb to St. Nicholas avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on east side St. Nicholas avenue, One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and north side One Hundred and Forty-first street, St. Nicholas to Edgecomb avenue, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on the block bounded by Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets, Ninth and Tenth avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lay water-mains in West End avenue, between Seventy-ninth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

(G. O. 530.)

By Alderman Quinn—

Resolved, That all that portion of Tenth avenue north of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street shall, after December 1, 1887, be known and designated as Fort George avenue.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Conrad Stein to connect premises Nos. 521 and 522 West Fifty-seventh street, by a pipe for conducting steam, not more than one and one-half inches in diameter, to be laid beneath the surface of the street, provided the said Conrad Stein shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the permission hereby given, to any water or gas pipe, or sewer, or from any other cause during the progress or subsequent to the work of laying such steam-pipe; provided, also, that the work be done at his own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Campion to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and fruit, inside the stoop-line, in front of No. 592 Eleventh avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Smith—

Resolved, That the vacant lots bounded by Eighty-eighth to Eighty-ninth street, Second to Third avenue, be fenced in where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That the vacant lots bounded by Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street, Second and Third avenues, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Philip Baenbaum to place a movable sign about three feet high and two feet wide at the curb-line in front of No. 1300 Third avenue, between Seventy-fourth and Seventy-fifth streets, the same to be taken in every evening; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 531.)

By the same—

Resolved, That the roadway of Seventy-sixth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was laid over.

By the same—

Resolved, That the vacant lots on south side of Eighty-sixth street, between Avenues A and B, be fenced in, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By Alderman Walker—

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to examine and report to this Board, at his earliest convenience, what change, if any, has been made in the grade, as established by law, of any part of the carriage-way of Hudson street, from Fourteenth street to Canal street, and whether such change of grade, if found to exist, was made by competent authority.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Quinn—

Resolved, That Christopher Dardis be and he is hereby permitted to keep a stand for the sale of newspapers and fruit under the stairway of the elevated railroad, on the southeast corner of Ninth avenue and Forty-second street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. J. Horner to lay two courses of blue-stone flagging across West Twenty-third street, from No. 60 to No. 61, the work to be done at their own expense, and under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 532.)

By the same—

Resolved, That a fire-hydrant be placed on the south side of West Fifty-first street, about forty-five feet east of Eleventh avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Van Rensselaer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Garrett F. Scott to keep and maintain a fruit stand for the sale of fruit within the stoop-line, at No. 101 West Thirty-second street, the consent of the owner of the adjoining premises being hereto annexed, provided such stand shall not exceed six feet in length by four feet in width; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Dowling—

Whereas, It appears by the opinion of the Corporation Counsel that there remains vested in this Board certain authority to make reasonable requirements governing the use of the public streets; Resolved, That under the regulation of the Board of Electrical Control and Commissioner of Public Works, for the purposes of public lighting the lamp-posts erected on the public streets by one company shall become the property of another company to whom a public lighting contract may be awarded on tender of the reasonable value of such lamp-posts;

Resolved, That under the regulation of the Board of Electrical Control and Commissioner of Public Works, for the public use of lighting the streets of the city, any company to whom a contract for public lighting may be awarded, instead of erecting new poles and overhead structures, and in order to prevent a multiplication of poles on sidewalks, shall have the right to string wires on existing electric-light poles along the streets, for the lighting of which the contract has been awarded them.

Alderman Mooney moved to refer to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

Alderman Dowling moved to refer to the Committee on Law Department.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Dowling, Sanford, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—6.

Negative—Aldermen Bennett, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Joseph Murray, Quinn, Smith, and Tait—13.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion of Alderman Mooney.

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Alderman Joseph Murray, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Diver, Aldermen Bennett, Corcoran, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Mooney, John Murray, Joseph Murray, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—21.

Negative—Alderman Conkling—1.

By the same—

Whereas, The Waterhouse Electric and Manufacturing Company and the Ball Electrical Illuminating Company did receive on the 31st day of May, 1887, on representations of their ability, intention and purpose to bid at the then approaching letting for the public lighting of our city streets at greatly reduced prices, permission to erect poles, lay conduits, and string wires, which representations have turned out to be false and untrue; and

Whereas, It is now discovered that said Waterhouse Electric and Manufacturing Company is a foreign corporation not incorporated under our laws, and not accountable within, or subject to the jurisdiction of this State, and that the said Ball Electrical Illuminating Company acknowledges in a communication filed with the Gas Commission, that it cannot furnish lights of the quality reasonably required by the Gas Commission.

Resolved, That the permission and authority given and granted May 31, 1887, to said companies to erect poles, lay conduits and string wires is hereby withdrawn, repealed, revoked, canceled and annulled.

Alderman Mooney moved to refer to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the President—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Cowie—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Farrell—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.



By Alderman Ficke—  
Resolved, That Charles Dahl be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Goetz—  
Resolved, That David Engel be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Menninger—  
Resolved, That Jeremiah Cronin be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Mooney—  
Resolved, That William E. Thorn be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman John Murray—  
Resolved, That Hermann D. Lange be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—  
Resolved, That William E. Moutoux be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—  
Resolved, That Jacob Felbel be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Oakley—  
Resolved, That John D. Austin be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Smith—  
Resolved, That John B. McKean be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—  
Resolved, That Louis Bauer and Abraham Morrison be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Tait—  
Resolved, That Frederick V. Mayforth be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Quinn—  
Resolved, That Charles E. Simms, Jr., be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

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

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

## PETITIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman John Murray—  
Protest of owners of property against changing the name of Tenth avenue, north of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, to Fort George avenue.  
Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

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

STATE OF NEW YORK—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
ALBANY, October 11, 1887.

SIR—The Board of Equalization of Taxes, in pursuance of chapter 312 of the Laws of 1859, have fixed the aggregate valuation of property in your county at the sum of \$1,500,550,825, upon which amount a State tax of \$4,051,487.23 must be levied for the current fiscal year, commencing October 1, 1887, as provided in said act and amendments thereto, by chapter 351, Laws of 1874, being 2 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>10</sub> mills on the dollar, for the following purposes, viz.:

For Schools.....	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>10</sub> mill, per chapter 638, Laws of 1887.
For General Purposes.....	638, " " 1887.
For Canals.....	160, 527 and 638, Laws of 1887.
Total.....	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>10</sub> mills.

Your obedient servant,  
C. R. HALL, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

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

STATE OF NEW YORK—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
ALBANY, October 11, 1887.

To Chairman Board Supervisors, New York County:

SIR—In addition to the State tax of two and seven-tenths mills, directed to be levied, as per circular from this office, dated this day, amounting to \$4,051,487.23, the Board of Supervisors of the County of New York is hereby required to raise the sum of \$12,692.01 for the compensation and expenses of the Shore Inspector, for the current fiscal year, as follows:

For salary, per chapter 604, Laws of 1875.....	\$1,493 18
For expenses, per section 6, chapter 414, Laws of 1885.....	11,198 83
Total.....	\$12,692 01

Respectfully yours,  
C. R. HALL, Deputy Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

(G. O. 533.)

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Fire Department:

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
Nos. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 13, 1887.

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

SIR—I am directed to enclose herewith two resolutions authorizing expenditures for band of music and reviewing stand on the occasion of the presentation of the Bennett and Stephenson medals on November 12, 1887, and request that you will present them at the next meeting of the Board, the adoption of the same being required before the necessary expenditure can be authorized.

Very respectfully,  
CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Whereupon the President offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Board of Fire Commissioners be and are hereby authorized to expend a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars (\$300), for erecting a reviewing stand on the occasion of the

annual parade of the Department and the presentation of the Bennett and Stephenson medals on November 12, 1887.

Resolved, That [the Board of Fire Commissioners be and are hereby authorized to expend a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars (\$300), for a band of music on the occasion of the annual parade of the Department and the presentation of the Bennett and Stephenson medals on November 12, 1887.

Which were laid over.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 11, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require that crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, with a row of paving-blocks between, be laid across Seventy-fourth street at its intersection with the westerly line of the Boulevard and its intersection with the easterly line of West End avenue.

Very respectfully,

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

Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, with a row of paving-blocks between, be laid across Seventy-fourth street, at its intersection with the westerly side of the Boulevard and at its intersection with the easterly side of West End avenue, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

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

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

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

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

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00	\$411 96	\$1,088 04
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council.....	200 00	69 77	130 23
Salaries—Common Council.....	71,000 00	52,894 34	18,105 66
For Engrossing Resolutions of the Board of Aldermen on occasion of the death of ex-President Chester A. Arthur.....	200 00	200 00	.....
For Expenses of Re-engrossing Resolutions of the Common Council on the occasion of the defense of Fort Sumter by General Robert Anderson, which were destroyed by fire.....	200 00	.....	200 00
For Engrossing Resolutions of the Board of Aldermen on presentation of the Freedom of the City to M. Bartholdi.....	200 00	.....	200 00

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the office of the City Record:

NEW YORK, October 5, 1887.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the officers designated by the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, section 66, chapter 3, the annexed estimate for the year 1888 was adopted.

Very respectfully,

THOS. COSTIGAN, Supervisor City Record.

September 30, 1887.

To the Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor; MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, Counsel to the Corporation; JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner of Public Works:

GENTLEMEN—Pursuant to the provisions of section 66, chapter 3, New York City Consolidation Act 1882, I herewith transmit an estimate of the amount required for the conduct of the CITY RECORD office for the year 1888.

Publication of the CITY RECORD, including the preparation and printing of the Registry of Voters..... \$66,800 00

CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies—	
Thomas Costigan, Supervisor.....	\$3,000 00
Charles Howard Williams, Assistant Supervisor.....	1,000 00
R. P. H. Abell, Bookkeeper.....	1,800 00
Joseph C. Higgins, Clerk.....	1,200 00
Contingencies.....	200 00
Total.....	\$7,200 00

Advertising..... \$7,500 00

Printing, Stationery and Blank Books, including Arrearages—For all printing, stationery and blank books required by the Common Council and the departments and offices of the City Government, viz.:

Finance Department.....	\$12,289 74
Public Works.....	17,394 30
Aldermen.....	12,172 68
Law.....	13,815 81
Charities and Correction.....	10,618 84
Health.....	7,650 44
Public Parks.....	8,180 27
Taxes and Assessments.....	4,710 05
Mayor.....	2,192 52
Estimate and Apportionment.....	3,520 53
Fire Department.....	9,510 33
Common Pleas.....	1,131 44
Superior Court.....	1,395 51
Supreme Court.....	1,892 68
City Court.....	1,795 29
General Sessions.....	468 79
Special Sessions.....	448 32
District Attorney.....	3,513 09
Surrogate.....	5,125 73
Commissioner of Accounts.....	1,648 07
CITY RECORD.....	1,946 93
Coroners.....	857 09
First District Court.....	186 52
Second District Court.....	340 57
Third District Court.....	249 79
Fourth District Court.....	309 99
Fifth District Court.....	495 17
Sixth District Court.....	239 05
Seventh District Court.....	572 28
Eighth District Court.....	640 97
Ninth District Court.....	231 31

Tenth District Court.....	\$374 96	
Eleventh District Court.....	313 16	
Board of Police Justices.....	3,794 84	
County Clerk.....	5,348 84	
Public Administrator.....	468 50	
Attorney for Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.....	209 07	
Recorder.....	133 61	
Civil Service Boards.....	1,905 85	
Express Account.....	1,603 20	
The "Daily Register".....	6,000 00	
Street Cleaning.....	3,120 99	
Armory Board.....	267 65	
Register.....	4,525 89	
Estimated increase in Register's Office.....	\$2,500 00	\$153,220 46
County Clerk's Office.....	1,500 00	
Additional bookbinders—To cover balance of year 1887, and for 1888.....	4,500 00	
Printing provided for by Chapter 493 of the Laws of 1887.....	4,500 00	
		13,000 00
		\$166,220 46

In preparing this estimate I have adopted as a basis the amounts actually expended in the several departments, courts and bureaus, during last year, deviating therefrom only where something very exceptional calls for a recasting of the figures, or some new obligation requires a new appropriation.

The offices of County Clerk and Register are in the former class. Recent legislation has made necessary larger supplies of stationery in both. I estimate this increase at \$4,000.

The other two items of increase are new obligations.

The condition of the books in the Register's Office was such that the Board of City Record in June of this year, at the request of the Register, directed the employment of three additional bookbinders, whose wages for the seven months of this year, and the twelve of the next, will aggregate \$4,500.

My attention has been called by the Recorder, to chapter 493 of the Laws of 1887, amending certain sections of the Code of Criminal Procedure. This act provides that, when the judgment is death, the expense of preparing and printing the case on appeal shall be borne by the county. Inasmuch as this work has never been done heretofore by any one authority, or in any one printing office, and inasmuch, further, as it is impossible to predicate how many appeals may be taken up in any one year, it is utterly impossible to make any close estimate as to the cost. After consultation with some of the officials of the District Attorney's office, I have put the figure at \$4,500.

Very respectfully,

THOS. COSTIGAN, Supervisor City Record.

#### City Record Appropriations—1887 and 1888.

	Appropriation, 1887.	Appropriation asked for 1888.
Publication CITY RECORD.....	\$66,800 00	\$66,800 00
Salaries—Thomas Costigan, Supervisor.....	3,000 00	3,000 00
Charles H. Williams, Assistant Supervisor.....	1,000 00	1,000 00
R. P. H. Abell, Bookkeeper.....	1,800 00	1,800 00
Joseph C. Higgins, Clerk.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
Contingencies.....	200 00	200 00
Advertising.....	7,500 00	7,500 00
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books, including Arrearages and the publishing of Calendars of Courts.....	151,000 00	166,220 46
	\$232,500 00	\$247,720 46

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE—NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE, }  
NEW YORK, October 13, 1887. }

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

DEAR SIR—The enclosed is a list of the Commissioners of Deeds whose terms of office expire during the current month.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES A. FLACK, County Clerk.

Name.	Date of Expiration of Term.
John D. Austin.....	October 20, 1887
Max Altmayer.....	" 31 "
William Arrowsmith.....	" 24 "
Jeremiah Cronin.....	" 20 "
Samuel Coons.....	" 20 "
John C. Clegg.....	" 27 "
Hugh F. Dolan.....	" 10 "
Charles Dahl.....	" 20 "
John R. Farrington.....	" 20 "
Jacob Felbel.....	" 10 "
Martin F. Hatch.....	" 3 "
Samuel Johnson.....	" 20 "
Gustave Jacobs.....	" 10 "
James P. Keating.....	" 3 "
Harry F. Laurence.....	" 10 "
Henry G. Leank.....	" 20 "
John J. Lenehan.....	" 20 "
John B. McKean.....	" 20 "
John McLaughlin.....	" 10 "
Thomas S. Prior.....	" 3 "
Thomas H. Smith.....	" 10 "
Isaac J. Siskind.....	" 3 "
Isaac Untermeyer.....	" 10 "
David Van Winkle.....	" 3 "
Erastus C. Wilson.....	" 3 "

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

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

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE FOR 1888.

##### FOR SALARIES.

Headquarters Pay-roll—	
3 Commissioners, at \$5,000.....(sec. 52, chap. 410, 1882)	\$15,000 00
Secretary.....(secs. 46 and 48, chap. 410, 1882)	4,000 00
Assistant Secretary.....(sec. 48, chap. 410, 1882)	2,500 00
Bookkeeper.....	3,000 00
Medical Officer.....	2,500 00
2 Vice-Medical Officers, at \$2,000.....	4,000 00
Clerk.....	2,000 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,400.....	2,800 00
Supply Clerk.....	2,000 00
Clerk.....	1,300 00
Clerk.....	1,500 00
Property Record Clerk.....	1,300 00
Clerk.....	1,200 00
Typewriter.....	1,040 00
2 Night Watchmen, at \$915.....	1,830 00
Janitor.....	1,140 00
Elevator boy.....	600 00
3 Engineers, at \$1,200.....	3,600 00
3 Stokers, at \$730.....	2,190 00
2 Scrub-women, at \$180.....	360 00
	\$53,610 00
Instructor Corps of Sappers and Miners.....(sec. 447, chap. 410, 1882)	2,000 00
	\$55,610 00

The increase over the appropriation for this year is made up as follows :

Assistant Secretary.....	from \$2,000 00 to \$2,500 00
Bookkeeper.....	" 2,500 00 to 3,000 00
Clerk to Chief of Department.....	" 1,800 00 to 2,000 00
Supply Clerk.....	" 1,500 00 to 2,000 00
Clerk.....	" 1,200 00 to 1,500 00
Clerk.....	" 1,300 00 to 1,400 00
Clerk.....	" 1,200 00 to 1,400 00
Clerk.....	" 1,200 00 to 1,300 00
2 Engineers (additional), at \$1,200.....	2,400 00
1 Stoker (additional).....	730 00
Total increase.....	\$5,610 00

All of the clerical employees above enumerated are worthy of this recognition of their capability, industry and trustworthiness in the service of the department for periods ranging from twenty-two years to three years.

The additional engineers and stoker are absolutely needed to properly care for the heating and lighting apparatus and other machinery in the Headquarters building.

#### Chief of Department and Assistants Pay-roll—

Chief of Department.....(chap. 552, 1885)	\$5,000 00
Assistant Chief of Department.....	3,800 00
Second Assistant Chief of Department.....	3,300 00
12 Chiefs of Battalion, at \$2,750.....(chap. 218, 1887)	33,000 00
	\$45,100 00

#### Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies Pay-roll—

78 Foremen, at \$1,800.....(chap. 552, 1885)	\$140,400 00
88 Assistant Foremen, at \$1,500.....	132,000 00
128 Engineers of Steamer, at \$1,400.....	179,200 00
573 Firemen, First Grade, at \$1,200.....(chap. 234, 1884)	687,600 00
74 Firemen, Second Grade, at \$1,100.....	81,400 00
34 Firemen, Third Grade, at \$1,000.....	34,000 00
90 Ununiformed Firemen, at \$1,000, on probation for thirty days each.....(chap. 354, 1883)	7,397 00
5 Marine Engineers, at \$1,400.....(sec. 48, chap. 410, Laws of 1882)	7,000 00
5 Pilots, at \$1,200.....	6,000 00
8 Stokers, at \$730.....	5,840 00
	1,280,837 00

The organization of two new companies for a part of the year (a hook and ladder company in Mercer street, and a new floating engine) is provided for in the above estimate, as well as the necessary strengthening of a number of existing companies. Attention is invited to the fact that only eight (8) men more are asked for than the estimate for the current year required, the remainder of the increase in cost being caused by the advancements in grade made in accordance with law.

#### Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll—

Inspector of Combustibles (secs. 48, 427 and 428, chap. 410, Laws 1882).....	\$3,000 00
Clerk.....(secs. 48 and 428, chap. 410, Laws 1882)	1,400 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,000.....(sec. 428, chap. 410, Laws 1882)	2,000 00
1 Oil Surveyor.....	1,200 00
3 Oil Collectors, at \$900.....	2,700 00
2 Oil Surveyors, at \$1,200.....	2,400 00
	12,700 00

The increase in the amount asked for this bureau is an addition of \$500 to the salary of its head, the Inspector of Combustibles, which the Commissioners consider well deserved, in view of the long experience, fidelity and competency of the present incumbent and the responsibilities attached to the position.

#### Bureau of Fire Marshal—

Fire Marshal.....(secs. 48, 427 and 428, chap. 410, Laws 1882)	\$2,500 00
Assistant Fire Marshal.....(secs. 48 and 428, chap. 410, Laws 1882)	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,400 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,000.....	2,000 00
	7,400 00

#### Bureau of Inspection of Buildings Pay-roll—

Superintendent.....(secs. 427, 428 and 514, chap. 410, 1882)	\$4,000 00
2 Deputy Superintendents, at \$3,000.....	6,000 00
2 Iron Inspectors, at \$1,500.....(secs. 48, 428 and 514, chap. 410, 1882)	3,000 00
8 Inspectors, at \$1,300.....	10,400 00
15 Inspectors, at \$1,200.....	18,000 00
20 Inspectors, at \$1,100.....	22,000 00
Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00
Plan Clerk.....	2,000 00
Fire Escape and Violation Clerk.....	1,800 00
Unsafe Building Clerk.....	1,500 00
Complaint Clerk.....	1,500 00
First Assistant Plan Clerk.....	1,000 00
Second Assistant Plan Clerk.....	3,000 00
2 General Clerks, at \$1,500.....	4,800 00
4 Clerks, at \$1,200.....	8,000 00
8 Clerks, at \$1,000.....	5,400 00
6 Messengers, at \$900.....	5,400 00
3 Machinists to Supervise Elevators, at \$1,000.....	3,000 00
	98,900 00

The business of this bureau, which, within the past seven years of its connection with this department, has more than doubled in volume, has increased in even greater ratio during the past eight months of the present year, and the appropriation now asked for is necessary to an efficient administration of the duties devolving upon it, which have been considerably added to by recent amendments to the building laws.

Two deputy superintendents are called for by the new law and eleven (11) additional inspectors are needed. These, with the addition of one clerk, two messengers and one supervisor of elevators, make up the increase in amount asked for.

#### Attorney to the Department (sec. 52, chap. 410, 1882).....

4,000 00

#### Telegraph Force Pay-roll (secs. 48 and 428, chap. 410, 1882)—

Superintendent.....	\$3,600 00
Chief Operator.....	1,680 00
Operator.....	1,500 00
3 Operators, at \$1,380 each.....	4,140 00
4 Assistant Operators, at \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00
2 Inspectors Fire-alarm Boxes, at \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00
Clerk.....	1,000 00
Batterymen.....	1,200 00
Assistant Batterymen.....	800 00
Foreman of Linemen.....	1,000 00
5 Linemen, at \$900 each.....	4,500 00
	26,220 00

The increase on this pay-roll is made up by additions to the following salaries : Superintendent..... from \$3,000 00 to \$3,600 00  
Chief Operator..... " 1,500 00 to 1,680 00  
Operator..... " 1,380 00 to 1,500 00  
Clerk..... " 925 00 to 1,000 00  
2 Linemen..... " 800 00 to 900 00

—and the addition of three linemen to the force.

For similar services other cities pay the salary asked for the Superintendent of Telegraph, and in commercial institutions like positions command even better salaries. The salaries asked for the operators and others are only fair remunerations for services rendered and in most cases are merely restorations to former rates.

#### Repair Shops Pay-roll (secs. 48 and 428, chap. 410, Laws 1882)—

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings.....	\$2,000 00
Foreman.....	1,500 00
Storekeeper.....	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,400 00



Clerk .....	\$1,200 00
Messenger .....	800 00
Shop Engineer, \$3 per day .....	925 00
14 Machinists, \$3 per day each .....	12,950 00
4 Machinists' Helpers, \$1.90 per day each .....	2,320 00
1 Coppersmith, \$3 per day .....	925 00
2 Boiler-makers, \$3 per day each .....	1,850 00
6 Blacksmiths, \$3 per day each .....	5,550 00
6 Blacksmiths' Helpers, \$1.90 per day each .....	3,550 00
1 Wheelwright, \$4 per day .....	1,240 00
5 Wheelwrights, \$3 per day each .....	4,625 00
4 Painters, \$3 per day each .....	3,700 00
4 Painters, \$2.50 per day each .....	3,100 00
2 Harness-makers, \$3.00 per day each .....	1,850 00
2 Hose Repairers, \$3.00 per day each .....	1,850 00
2 Night Watchmen, \$2.50 per day each .....	1,825 00
2 Day Watchmen, \$2.50 per day each .....	1,825 00
2 Laborers, \$1.90 per day each .....	1,205 00
3 Drivers, \$2.50 per day each .....	2,310 00
<b>\$60,000 00</b>	
The amount asked for this purpose is \$5,000 more than was allowed, and \$2,000 more than was asked for the present year. It has frequently been necessary to lay off the force to keep within the appropriation, thus delaying important repairs to apparatus.	
<b>Hospital Stables Pay-roll—</b>	
Foreman .....	\$1,500 00
5 Stablemen, at \$2 per day each .....	3,660 00
The increase of salary for the Foreman from \$1,200 to \$1,500, is asked on the grounds of experience, faithfulness and capability.	
<b>5,160 00</b>	
<b>Total salaries .....</b>	
<b>\$1,595,927 00</b>	
<b>For Apparatus, Supplies, etc.—</b>	
Apparatus and repairs .....	\$40,000 00
Buildings and repairs .....	35,000 00
Contingencies—Bureau of Buildings .....	6,500 00
Coal and wood .....	30,000 00
Gas .....	12,000 00
General supplies .....	25,000 00
Horses .....	20,000 00
Horse-feed and straw .....	35,000 00
Horseshoeing .....	13,000 00
Harness Shop supplies .....	5,000 00
Hose Shop supplies and new hose .....	33,000 00
Machine and Paint Shop supplies .....	20,000 00
Rents .....	4,500 00
Telegraph supplies and repairs (secs. 424, 425 and 426, chap. 410, 1882) .....	26,000 00
Repairs to fire steamers .....	5,000 00
<b>310,000 00</b>	
The increase under this head is required for repairs to the buildings of the department, contingencies—Bureau of Buildings, fuel, general supplies, horse feed and shoeing, new hose and telegraph supplies and repairs. A considerable number of the buildings are much in need of general repairs, and some require alteration to better fit them for the uses to which they are put. An extensive overhauling of the fire-alarm boxes and replacing of submarine cables, etc., necessitate increased expenditure under the head of "telegraph supplies and repairs." The increase of the remaining items is rendered necessary by the growth of the department.	
<b>For Placing Fire-alarm Electrical Conductors Underground, as required by chapter 499, Laws of 1885 .....</b>	
<b>100,000 00</b>	
The same amount was required in the last estimate, but nothing was allowed for the purpose. To furnish and lay the wire in the underground conduits and to make the necessary connections therefrom to the houses and alarm-boxes, will, it is estimated, ultimately cost \$300,000, and the Commissioners deem it proper to make provision for doing as much of this work as may be practicable during the coming year.	
<b>New Houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies—</b>	
For quarters for Engine Company No. 24, No. 78 Morton street; Engine Company No. 35, No. 233 East One Hundred and Nineteenth street; Hook and Ladder Company No. 14, No. 120 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street; Hook and Ladder Company No. 20, No. 432 West Thirty-sixth street, and for a new company to be located in the vicinity of Eighty-fourth street and Tenth avenue .....	100,000 00
Appropriation for new buildings for two of the companies included above was asked for in last year's estimate, but nothing was allowed for the purpose, and the appropriation is now even more necessary than it was then. The first four named buildings must be replaced by new ones for the use of the companies specified. Application has been made for a lot near Eighty-fourth street and Tenth avenue, upon which it is proposed to erect an apparatus house. This section of the city has been so much built up as to render an additional company therein a necessity. There is at this time no apparatus between Sixty-eighth and Ninety-seventh streets, west of Central Park.	
<b>For New Floating Engine (sec. 425, chap. 410, 1882) .....</b>	
<b>75,000 00</b>	
The department now has two floating engines, but experience has shown the necessity for another, in order that at least one may be in readiness for service at all times on each side of the city. This is at present impossible, because the boats require frequent repairs, and it thus often happens that one is out of service.	
The increase in business and values exposed to fire risks along the river fronts demand this additional protection.	
<b>Total .....</b>	
<b>\$2,180,927 00</b>	

The foregoing estimate amounting to two million one hundred and eighty thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven dollars (\$2,180,927), is adopted as the sum of money which will be required for the expenses necessary to the administration and conduct of the Fire Department of the City of New York for the year 1888.

NEW YORK, September 21, 1887.

HENRY D. PURROY, } Fire Commissioners.  
RICHARD CROKER, }

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,  
NEW YORK, September 24, 1887.

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

SIR—I have received your letter of the 22d instant, in relation to certain resolutions and ordinances for flagging sidewalks and constructing crosswalks.

The resolutions in question provide that an assessment shall be laid upon the property deemed to be benefited for the expense incurred thereunder.

Said resolutions have been passed by the Board of Aldermen and transmitted to the Mayor for his approval, and were vetoed by him upon the ground that the Commissioner of Public Works had advised against the approval thereof, for the reason that no assessment could legally be levied for the contemplated expense.

Subsequently, the Commissioner of Public Works called the attention of the Mayor to chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, suggesting that said act was intended to authorize assessments for expense incurred for flagging and reflagging sidewalks, and for laying crosswalks where none had theretofore been laid.

Thereupon, a second communication was addressed to the Board of Aldermen, by the Mayor, advising the Board to procure the opinion of the Counsel to the Corporation in relation to the interpretation of the act in question, before any further action should be taken.

Your letter also requests my opinion as to whether the provisions of the act are mandatory, and require the assessment to be levied for all expense that may be incurred for the flagging, reflagging and repairing of sidewalks, and for the setting, resetting and repairing of curb-stones, and for the laying of crosswalks where none have heretofore been laid.

Section 321 of the Consolidation Act, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, provides that whenever the Commissioner of Public Works shall certify and report to the Board of Aldermen that the safety, health or convenience of the public requires the repavement of any streets, avenues or public places in said city, said Board of Aldermen shall have the power to direct, by ordinance or resolution, the repavement of said streets, avenues or public places, etc. The act then provides that, in case such streets shall have once been paved and the expense assessed upon the owners of adjoining property, the cost of repaving shall be borne by a general assessment upon all taxable property in the city; and provides that the expense to be incurred shall not exceed \$500,000 in any one single year.

The act then contains a proviso that the expense incurred for flagging, reflagging and repairing sidewalks, and for setting, resetting and repairing curb-stones, and for laying crosswalks where none have theretofore been laid, may be assessed upon the owners of adjoining and benefited property.

It seems to be clear that the Legislature, by the amendment of 1887, have conferred the power to lay an assessment for the expense of flagging and reflagging sidewalks and the construction of crosswalks where none have before been constructed.

The power, however, exists only when the Commissioner of Public Works has certified and reported to the Board of Aldermen that the safety, health or convenience of the public requires such work to be done.

I am, therefore, of the opinion that the ordinances which you have transmitted to me are insufficient to authorize the performance of the work contemplated therein and the levying of an assessment therefor, because no certificate of the Commissioner of Public Works appears to have been made to the Board of Aldermen that the safety, health or convenience of the public requires the work to be done.

In order, therefore, to accomplish the flagging and reflagging, setting and resetting of curb and gutter stones, the construction of the crosswalks contemplated, and the levying of an assessment therefor, it is necessary that the certificate and report of the Commissioner of Public Works, required by the statute, should first be made to the Board of Aldermen.

In answer to your second inquiry, I beg leave to say that I am of the opinion that the provisions of chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887 do not require an assessment to be laid for such work as that above enumerated, in every instance, to the exclusion of any other method of payment for work of this description.

When an appropriation has been made for repairs and renewal of street pavements, the expense of such work may be paid therefrom, if the Board choose to authorize it to be done, at the general expense.

It is, however, quite evident that it is the intention of the Legislature that such expense should be assessed upon the property benefited, in general; and should be done at the expense of the public treasury only in exceptional cases, where particular circumstances render an assessment unjust and inequitable.

I am, sir,

Yours respectfully,

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

Which was ordered on file.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, September 30, 1887.

The Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police, held this day, the Treasurer submitted the Departmental Estimates of the Police Department for the year 1888, whereupon it was Resolved, That the same be approved and forwarded to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment and to the Board of Aldermen.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, September 30, 1887.

#### DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK OF THE AMOUNT REQUIRED FOR EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR 1888.

Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Inspectors, Surgeons, Captains, Sergeants, Patrolmen, Doormen, Detective Sergeants, and Provisional Employment, as follows:

For salaries of Commissioners of Police .....	\$20,000 00
For salary of Superintendent of Police .....	6,000 00
For salaries of 4 Inspectors of Police, at \$3,500 each .....	14,000 00
“ 18 Surgeons of Police, at \$2,250 each .....	40,500 00
“ 36 Captains of Police, at \$2,750 each (chapter 450, Laws of 1886) .....	99,000 00
“ 160 Sergeants of Police, at \$2,000 each (chapter 572, Laws of 1887; resolution of Board of Police, August 23, 1887) ..	320,000 00
“ 2,282 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,200 each, from January 1, inclusive, to various dates .....	2,738,400 00
“ 208 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,000 each, from January 1, inclusive, to various dates .....	122,109 43
“ (same) Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,100 each, from various dates to December 31, inclusive, promotions .....	93,995 00
“ 325 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,100 each, from January 1, inclusive, to various dates .....	299,409 00
“ (same) Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,200 each, from various dates to December 31, inclusive, promotions .....	96,809 81
“ 133 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,100 each, from January 1, inclusive, to various dates .....	46,803 00
“ (same) Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,200 each, from various dates to December 31, inclusive, promotions .....	108,499 48
“ 40 Detective Sergeants, at \$2,000 each (chapter 572, Laws of 1887; resolution of Board of Police, August 23, 1887) ..	80,000 00
<b>2,988 quota.</b>	

For salaries of 80 Doormen of Police, at \$1,000 each .....	80,000 00
For salaries of 200 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,000 each, authorized by chapter 597, Laws of 1886 .....	200,000 00

Less for salaries of 45 Patrolmen of Police, at \$1,200 each, detailed to the Board of Health .....	\$4,311,525 72
For salaries account of Provisional Employment, 7,200 days, at \$2.73 per day, for 240 men to be appointed to fill vacancies caused by death, dismissals, resignations, retirements and promotions, including Surgeons and Doormen .....	\$19,656 00
For salaries of Provisional Employment, 6,000 days, at \$2.73 per day, for 200 men, as authorized by chapter 597, Laws of 1886 .....	\$16,980 00
<b>\$36,636 00</b>	

This amount to be deducted from Patrolmen drawing \$1,000 per annum, and the said amount to be appropriated for Provisional Employment for payment of men employed on probation.

Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force, etc., as follows:

Chief Clerk .....	\$5,000 00
First Deputy Clerk .....	3,000 00
Second Deputy Clerk .....	2,400 00
3 Deputy Clerks, at \$2,000 each (1 Clerk to President) .....	6,000 00
3 “ at \$1,900 each .....	5,700 00
2 “ at \$1,800 each .....	3,600 00
2 “ at \$1,750 each .....	3,500 00
3 “ at \$1,700 each (Clerks to Commissioners) .....	5,100 00
1 “ at \$1,600 .....	1,600 00
1 “ at \$1,450 .....	1,450 00
1 “ at \$1,400 .....	1,400 00
3 “ at \$1,200 each .....	3,600 00
2 Stenographers, at \$1,500 each .....	3,000 00
Treasurer's Bookkeeper and Secretary of Police Pension Fund .....	3,500 00
Clerk of Superintendent .....	3,000 00
Property Clerk .....	2,500 00
<b>\$54,350 00</b>	

<b>Telegraph—</b>	
Superintendent of Telegraph.....	\$2,500 00
Assistant Superintendent of Telegraph.....	1,500 00
5 Operators of Telegraph, at \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00
1 Lineman.....	900 00
1 Battery Boy.....	800 00
	<u>\$11,700 00</u>
<b>Employees—</b>	
Janitor at Headquarters.....	\$1,000 00
Matron at Headquarters.....	400 00
Messenger at Headquarters.....	900 00
5 Cleaners at Headquarters, at \$30 per month each.....	1,800 00
1 Cleaner at Twenty-eighth Precinct.....	200 00
3 Laborers at Headquarters, 366 days each, at \$2 per day each.....	2,196 00
15 Hostlers, 3 each at Thirty-first, Thirty-second, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth Precincts, at \$50 per month each.....	9,000 00
Engineer on Steamboat "Patrol".....	1,020 00
Cook on Steamboat "Patrol," at \$50 per month.....	600 00
Steward on Steamboat "Patrol," at \$30 per month.....	360 00
Cabin-boy on Steamboat "Patrol," at \$20 per month.....	240 00
3 Firemen on Steamboat "Patrol," 366 days each, at \$2 per day each.....	2,196 00
3 Deck-hands on Steamboat "Patrol," 366 days each, at \$2 per day each.....	2,196 00
	<u>\$22,108 00</u>
<b>Supplies for Police—</b>	
Advertising, binding, printing and stationery.....	\$8,000 00
Badges, emblems and equipments.....	1,500 00
<b>Feeding Horses:</b>	
130, at 38 cents per day each.....	\$18,080 40
2, at \$25 per month each.....	600 00
	<u>18,680 40</u>
<b>Fuel for Station-houses:</b>	
2,000 tons coal, at \$4 per ton.....	\$8,000 00
20 cords wood, at \$10 per cord.....	200 00
	<u>8,200 00</u>
<b>Fuel for Central Department:</b>	
180 tons coal, at \$4 per ton.....	\$720 00
40 tons soft, at \$14 per ton.....	560 00
10 cords wood, at \$10 per cord.....	100 00
	<u>1,380 00</u>
<b>Gas and light for Station-houses.....</b>	<u>8,600 00</u>
<b>Gas and light for Central Department.....</b>	<u>1,500 00</u>
<b>Horseshoeing 132 horses, at \$22.20 per year each.....</b>	<u>2,930 40</u>
<b>Harness and Wagons—Repairs and Supplies, including 50 new sets saddles, bridles, etc., at \$30 per set.....</b>	<u>3,200 00</u>
<b>Lost children, Care of.....</b>	<u>500 00</u>
<b>Purchase of horses in place of those condemned.....</b>	<u>8,000 00</u>
<b>Steamboat Expenses and Supplies:</b>	
500 tons coal, at \$4 per ton.....	\$2,000 00
Oil, waste, packing, paints, rope, etc.....	1,200 00
2 steam launches, at \$2,000 each.....	4,000 00
	<u>7,200 00</u>
<b>Supplying, cleaning and furnishing Station-houses, House of Detention and Central Department.....</b>	<u>7,500 00</u>
<b>Stable Expenses and Supplies—Surcingle, horse-sheets, forks, halters, sponges, medicines, etc.....</b>	<u>900 00</u>
<b>Subsistence of Witnesses at House of Detention.....</b>	<u>5,640 00</u>
<b>Telegraph—Repairs and Supplies.....</b>	<u>2,500 00</u>
<b>Total.....</b>	<u>\$86,230 80</u>
<b>Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting-up, Additions to and Repairs (including Central Department, House of Detention and Steamboat "Patrol"); also for the drafting of plans and specifications and superintendence of construction and repairs of station-houses, prisons and stables.....</b>	<u>\$30,000 00</u>
<b>Expenses of Detectives, Execution of Criminal Process, Contingent Expenses of the Central Department and Contingent Expenses of Station-houses, viz.: The expenses necessarily incurred in the execution of criminal process, and the arrest or apprehension of criminals, car-fare and traveling expenses, photographs of criminals, meals furnished to prisoners, telephone for account of the Detective Department; postage stamps, telegrams, cartage, telephones, newspapers, disinfectants, directories, ice, resolutions of honorable mention, sweeping and cleaning chimneys, etc., for account of contingent expenses of the Central Department; meals furnished prisoners and destitute lodgers, cartage of drunkards, etc., directories, disinfectants and expenses of Patrolmen and others for account of contingent expenses of Station-houses.....</b>	<u>\$12,500 00</u>
<b>For Purchase of two Lots additional, Station-house, Twenty-sixth Precinct.....</b>	<u>\$20,000 00</u>
<b>For the Construction of a Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison for the Thirtieth Precinct.....</b>	<u>\$80,000 00</u>
<b>For Alterations and Improvements to the Thirty-third Precinct Station-house.....</b>	<u>\$5,000 00</u>
<b>Police Station-houses—Rents—</b>	
Andrew H. Green, executor and trustee of William B. Ogden, deceased, Thirty-first Precinct, lease expires May 1, 1888, and stables.....	\$1,800 00
Robert Goellet and Ogden Goellet, Seventeenth Precinct.....	2,000 00
Albert W. Lemcke, executor of Corit Otten, deceased, Thirtieth Precinct, expires May 1, 1889.....	1,000 00
Joseph H. Godwin, Thirty-fifth Precinct.....	2,000 00
Maria T. McCormick, Thirtieth Precinct, one year, from April 20, 1887, first renewal at \$45 per month.....	646 94
	<u>\$7,446 94</u>
<b>RECAPITULATION.</b>	
<b>Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Inspectors, Surgeons, Captains, Sergeants, Patrolmen, Doormen, Detective Sergeants, etc.....</b>	<u>\$4,311,525 72</u>
<b>Police Fund—</b>	
Salaries of Clerical Force, etc.—For salaries of Chief Clerk, First and Second Deputy Clerks, Deputies, Stenographers, Treasurer's Bookkeeper, Clerk of Superintendent, and Property Clerk.....	\$54,350 00
For salaries of Superintendent of Telegraph, Assistant Superintendent of Telegraph, Operators, Lineman and Battery Boy.....	11,700 00
For salaries and wages of Janitor, Matron, Messenger, Cleaners and Laborers at Police Headquarters, Hostlers for Mounted Police and employees on steamboat "Patrol".....	22,108 00
	<u>88,158 00</u>
<b>Supplies for Police.....</b>	<u>36,230 80</u>
<b>Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting-up, Additions to and Repairs.....</b>	<u>30,000 00</u>
<b>Expenses of Detectives, Execution of Criminal Process, Contingent Expenses of the Central Department and Station-houses.....</b>	<u>12,500 00</u>
<b>For the Construction of a Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison for the Thirtieth Precinct.....</b>	<u>80,000 00</u>
<b>For Alterations and Improvements to the Thirty-third Precinct Station-house.....</b>	<u>5,000 00</u>
<b>Police Station-houses—Rents.....</b>	<u>7,446 94</u>
<b>For Purchase of two Lots additional, Station-house, Twenty-sixth Precinct.....</b>	<u>20,000 00</u>
	<u>\$4,640,861 46</u>

**Comparative Statement Showing the Amounts allowed by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment for the Year 1887, and the Amounts asked for in the Departmental Estimate for the Year 1888.**

	1887.	1888.
<b>Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Inspectors, Surgeons, Captains, Sergeants, Patrolmen, Doormen, Detective Sergeants, etc.....</b>	<u>\$3,907,027 06</u>	<u>\$4,311,525 72</u>
<b>Police Fund—Salaries of Clerical Force.....</b>	<u>53,550 00</u>	<u>54,350 00</u>
<b>Police Fund—Salaries of Telegraph Superintendent, etc.....</b>	<u>11,400 00</u>	<u>11,700 00</u>
<b>Police Fund—Salaries and Wages of Employees.....</b>	<u>19,340 00</u>	<u>22,108 00</u>
<b>Supplies for Police.....</b>	<u>78,000 00</u>	<u>86,230 80</u>
<b>Police Station-houses—Alterations, Fitting-up, Additions to, etc., Expenses of Detectives, Execution of Criminal Process, etc.....</b>	<u>25,000 00</u>	<u>30,000 00</u>
<b>For the Purchase of two Lots as a Site for the Thirtieth Precinct.....</b>	<u>12,500 00</u>	<u>12,500 00</u>
<b>For Additions to Buildings, Thirty-third and Thirty-fourth Precincts.....</b>	<u>5,000 00</u>	<u>5,000 00</u>
<b>For the Construction of Electrical Signal Boxes.....</b>	<u>100,000 00</u>	<u>100,000 00</u>
<b>Police Station-houses—Rents.....</b>	<u>9,050 00</u>	<u>7,446 94</u>
<b>For the Construction of a Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison for the Thirtieth Precinct.....</b>	<u>80,000 00</u>	<u>80,000 00</u>
<b>For Alterations and Improvements to the Thirty-third Precinct Station-house.....</b>	<u>5,000 00</u>	<u>5,000 00</u>
<b>For Purchase of two Lots additional, Station-house, Twenty-sixth Precinct.....</b>	<u>20,000 00</u>	<u>20,000 00</u>
	<u>\$4,235,867 06</u>	<u>\$4,640,861 46</u>

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Taxes and Assessments:

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,  
NEW YORK, September 30, 1887.

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

GENTLEMEN—I am instructed by the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments to transmit herewith the Departmental Estimate of this Department for the year 1888.

Respectfully,  
FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENTAL ESTIMATE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1888.**

Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00
<b>SALARIES.</b>	
Michael Coleman, President.....	\$5,000 00
Edward C. Donnelly, Commissioner.....	4,000 00
Thomas L. Feitner, ".....	4,000 00
Floyd T. Smith, Secretary.....	3,000 00
Frank J. Bell, Deputy Tax Commissioner.....	3,000 00
Elisha J. Cadwell, ".....	3,000 00
William Kellock, ".....	2,500 00
Twiss Bermingham, ".....	2,400 00
James C. Stroman, ".....	2,400 00
Frederick C. Wagner, ".....	2,400 00
James W. Connolly, ".....	2,400 00
David Murray, ".....	2,400 00
Henry G. Autenrieth, ".....	2,400 00
James D. Ames, ".....	2,400 00
John Kavanagh, ".....	2,400 00
Henry Bracken, ".....	2,400 00
James Deignan, ".....	2,400 00
John Martine, ".....	2,400 00
Richard G. Newkirk, Clerk.....	1,750 00
Walter C. Rogers, ".....	1,500 00
Isaac Robinson, ".....	1,500 00
Charles M. Connolly, ".....	1,500 00
Lansing D. Wilder, ".....	1,500 00
John C. Keating, ".....	1,500 00
George W. Cornell, ".....	1,500 00
William Hastings, ".....	1,500 00
John H. Whitney, ".....	1,500 00
John A. Cooley, ".....	1,500 00
James P. Conner, ".....	1,500 00
James F. Day, ".....	1,500 00
Hugh J. Kelly, ".....	1,500 00
Germann Hauschel, ".....	1,500 00
Edward P. Carroll, ".....	1,500 00
Charles B. Kehoe, ".....	1,500 00
John M. Sharkey, ".....	1,500 00
Francis A. Reicard, ".....	1,500 00
David W. Gray, ".....	1,500 00
John O'Connor, Janitor.....	1,200 00
Frank Van Outersterp, Messenger.....	1,000 00
Bernard Reilly, Map Clerk.....	900 00
William T. Black, Surveyor.....	3,600 00
James A. Pyne, Assistant to the Surveyor.....	1,000 00
Deputy and Clerk.....	3,750 00
	<u>91,600 00</u>
	<u>\$93,100 00</u>
<b>BOARD OF ASSESSORS.</b>	
Edward Gilon, Assessor.....	\$3,000 00
Patrick M. Haverly, Assessor.....	3,000 00
Charles E. Wendt, ".....	3,000 00
Van Brugh Livingston, ".....	3,000 00
William H. Jasper, Secretary.....	2,800 00
George T. Alker, Clerk.....	1,800 00
	<u>16,600 00</u>
<b>Total.....</b>	<u>\$109,700 00</u>
<b>SUMMARY.</b>	
Contingencies.....	\$1,500 00
Salaries of the Commissioners.....	13,000 00
Salaries of Secretary, Deputies and employees.....	78,600 00
	<u>\$93,100 00</u>
<b>Board of Assessors—</b>	
Salaries of the Assessors, their Secretary and Clerk.....	16,000 00
<b>Total.....</b>	<u>\$109,700 00</u>

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

NEW YORK, September 30, 1887.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, October 17, 1887.

The Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with the provisions of section 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1872, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, I hereby certify and report to your Honorable Board that the safety, health and convenience of the public require—



First—That the sidewalk on the northwest corner of Fifty-seventh street and First avenue, extending two hundred feet on Fifty-seventh street and one hundred feet on First avenue, be flagged full width; that the flagging and curb now on the sidewalk be relaid and reset, and that new flagging and curb be furnished and placed where the present flagging and curb are defective.

Second—That crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, with a row of paving-blocks between, be laid across Broadway, at its intersection with the northerly and southerly lines of Seventy-fifth street.

Very respectfully,  
JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner of Public Works.

Whereupon the President offered the following:

(G. O. 534.)

Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses of blue stone, with a row of paving-blocks between, be laid across Broadway at its intersection with the northerly and southerly sides of Seventy-fifth street, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

(G. O. 535.)

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the northwest corner of Fifty-seventh street and First avenue, extending two hundred feet on Fifty-seventh street and one hundred feet on First avenue, be flagged full width; that the flagging and curb now on the sidewalk be relaid and reset, and that new flagging and curb be furnished where the present flagging and curb are defective, as provided by section 321 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, as amended by chapter 569 of the Laws of 1887, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which were laid over.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 4, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I herewith transmit an account of the expenses and receipts of the Mayor's Office for the quarter ending September 30, 1887, together with a statement in detail of the amounts paid for salaries to clerks in said office and the general nature of their duties.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

Statement in detail of the amounts paid for salaries in the Mayor's Office and Bureau of Licenses, for the quarter ending September 30, 1887:

Arthur Berry, Secretary and Chief Clerk	\$1,249 98
C. G. Crocker, Clerk	375 00
E. T. Taggard, Clerk	375 00
M. W. Brown, Messenger	249 99
Henry W. Sherman, Stenographer	499 98
Emma A. Brockway, Stenographer	195 00
Thomas W. Byrnes, First Marshal	624 99
George W. Brown, Jr., Second Marshal	450 00
Joseph W. Lamb, Clerk	249 99
Jeremiah Cronin, Clerk	249 99
William F. Pyne, Clerk	249 99
Charles J. Auffarth, Inspector	225 00

Statement of receipts of the Mayor's Marshal's Office, for licenses granted during the quarter ending September 30, 1887:

Total receipts	\$13,152 75
Paid to City Treasury	\$6,789 75
Paid to Sinking Fund	6,363 00
	13,152 75

Statement of receipts of the Mayor's Office, for licenses granted to places of amusement, and paid to Edward V. Loew, Comptroller of the City of New York, for the quarter ending September 30, 1887:

Total amount received during the quarter	\$5,550 00
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Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Board of Street Opening and Improvement:

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT,  
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 18, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

Pursuant to directions of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, I herewith transmit a copy of resolutions adopted by the said Board October 12, 1887, to alter the lines and area of a new park at Corlears Hook, in the Seventh Ward of the City of New York, by laying out, opening and changing location of said park aforesaid, under the provisions and authority given by chapter 529, Laws of 1884, and chapter 185, Laws 1885.

Very respectfully,  
WM. V. I. MERCER, Secretary.

Whereas, The Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, deeming it for the public interest so to do, proposes to alter the line and area of the park at Corlears Hook in the Seventh Ward in the City of New York, whereof a map was prepared and duly certified by said Board, in triplicate, at a meeting of said Board, held on the 2d day of August, 1886, and filed, one in the office of the Secretary of State, one in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York and one in the office of the Department of Public Works, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 529 of the Laws of 1884; such proposed alteration consisting in the exclusion from the area of said park as laid out on said map, all of the land lying between the northerly boundary line of Corlears street and including within said area all of the land lying between the northerly boundary line of said park as now laid out, the southerly line of Cherry street, the easterly line of Jackson street, extended southerly to the northerly boundary line of said park, as now laid out, and the westerly line of Corlears street, extended southerly to the northerly boundary line of said park as now laid out.

Said park, as so proposed to be altered and established, being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the corner formed by the intersection of the easterly line of Jackson street with the southerly line of Cherry street; running thence easterly and along said southerly side of Cherry street five hundred and seventy-five feet to the corner formed by the intersection of said side of Cherry street with the westerly side of Corlears street; thence southerly and along said westerly side of Corlears street, crossing Water street, Front street, and a portion of South street, six hundred and thirty feet, more or less, to a line parallel with and distant one hundred feet northerly from the bulkhead or water-front established by the Board of the Department of Docks and adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund in the City of New York, under and pursuant to the provisions of section six, chapter five hundred and seventy-four of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-one; thence westerly and along said line so distant one hundred feet northerly from the said water-front five hundred and seventy-five feet to a point thereon formed by the intersection thence of the westerly side of Jackson street, extended in a southerly direction to said point of intersection; thence northerly and along said westerly side of Jackson street, crossing a portion of South street, Front street and Water street, six hundred and thirty feet, more or less, to the corner formed by the intersection thence of the said southerly side of Cherry street at the point or place of beginning.

Resolved, That the proposed action of this Board in the premises be laid before the Board of Aldermen, and full notice of the same be published for ten days in the CITY RECORD.

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to transmit to the Board of Aldermen a copy of the foregoing resolution, and to cause to be published the notice required by law.

A true copy.

WM. V. I. MERCER, Secretary.

Which was ordered on file.

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

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
October 15, 1887.

To the Honorable Board of Aldermen:

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

TITLES OF APPROPRIATIONS.	AMOUNT OF APPROPRIATIONS.	PAYMENTS.	AMOUNT OF UNEXPENDED BALANCES.
City Contingencies	\$1,500 00	\$430 44	\$1,069 56
Contingencies—Clerk of the Common Council	200 00	69 77	130 23
Salaries—Common Council	71,000 00	\$2,894 34	18,105 66
For Engrossing Resolutions of the Board of Aldermen on occasion of the death of ex-President Chester A. Arthur	200 00	200 00	.....
For Expenses of Re-engrossing Resolutions of the Common Council on the occasion of the defense of Fort Sumter by General Robert Anderson, which were destroyed by fire	200 00	.....	200 00
For Engrossing Resolutions of the Board of Aldermen on presentation of the Freedom of the City to M. Bartholdi	200 00	.....	200 00

Which was ordered on file.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

#### MESSAGES FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 8, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I have observed with great satisfaction, that your attention has been directed to the obstructions to free transit existing in this city, in consequence of the operations of the several corporations engaged in laying gas, steam, water and subway pipes throughout the city. I had already been in conference with the Department of Public Works and the Corporation Counsel, as to the best means of bringing these annoyances to an end, and of compelling parties who, in the pursuit of private gain, have overridden the rights of the public, to discharge the obligations which rest upon them in connection with the franchises which they enjoy. I have the honor, now, to transmit a communication from J. S. Coleman, Commissioner of Street Cleaning, in reply to my request for a list of the obstructions and impediments which he finds in the way of cleaning the streets as he is required to do in the administration of his office. The list is certainly a formidable one, and it should be a matter of careful consideration on your part whether by the enactment of additional ordinances the work of these companies can be kept within reasonable limits, and carried on so as to produce the least possible annoyance to the public. There is no disposition on the part of the public authorities to interfere with the rights which these companies may have secured, whether by proper or improper means; but the time has arrived when, in the assertion of these rights, they must respect the public obligations which accompany the privilege to use the streets for private gain. I shall be glad to co-operate with you in any effort which may be made to minimize the evils from which we are suffering, and to enable the administrative officers of the city to perform their duties in a way which will be more satisfactory than has been possible during the past summer.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
Nos. 31 AND 32 PARK ROW,  
NEW YORK, October 8, 1887.

Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor:

SIR—In compliance with your request, as expressed in your communication of the 21st ultimo, which reached this office on the 23d ultimo, I send you herewith a list of localities where "dirt" has been left on the roadway by the several corporations engaged in laying gas, steam, water and "subway" pipes throughout the city. The manner in which such work has been conducted, in defiance of the municipal laws and the authorities, has proved a very serious obstruction to proper street cleaning; and whatever can be done to abate or abolish this monstrous evil, will be hailed with sincere satisfaction by me and by the citizens. It is claimed that subway work is a public necessity, and that in view of the ultimate convenience and comfort that will result therefrom to the general public, the temporary obstructions and discomforts attending the execution of the work should willingly be endured. But the claim is not valid; for such work can be conducted with the infliction of merely a minimum of discomfort to the public, and of obstruction to the thoroughfares, as Contractor Crimmins is now doing. There is no good reason why earth should be thrown carelessly on the streets and paving stones, lumber, etc., permitted to encumber them unnecessarily.

I believe that a remedy can be found by making it a condition of the permit issued to the persons who desire to engage in subway work of any kind, that they shall keep the street clean for the extent of the block or blocks in which they dig trenches and throw the excavated earth on the roadway.

I send you, also, a list of obstructions to proper street cleaning arising from the laying down or repairing of pavements, and from other causes.

Yours respectfully,  
J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Obstructions resulting from surface and subway work on the streets by private corporations  
Burling Slip, from Front to South street, sand not removed from newly-laid tracks of cross-town railroad upon which work has been suspended for over a month.

Sixty-second street, seventy-five feet east of Madison avenue, a large quantity of sand caused by excavation.

Sixty-sixth street, from one hundred feet west of Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue, thickly covered with sand from curb to curb caused by Steam Heating Company, excavating and repairing.

Lexington avenue, easterly side of, from Forty-second to Sixty-fourth street, covered with sand from work of Standard Gas Company.

Third avenue, easterly side of, covered with sand from Sixty-fifth to Seventy-first street, and from Seventy-third to Seventy-sixth street, work of Standard Gas Company.

Second avenue, easterly side of, from Seventy-first street to Seventy-fourth street, same as preceding.

The following streets have been torn up by the Standard Gas Company, and a considerable quantity of sand and dirt remains on them, forming a great obstruction to proper street cleaning:

One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Madison avenue to Third avenue.  
One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Second avenue to East river.  
One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Second avenue to East river.  
One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Third avenue to East river.  
One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Third avenue to East river.  
One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Third avenue to East river.  
One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Lexington avenue to Third avenue.  
One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.  
One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Fifth avenue to Sixth avenue.  
Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-first street to One Hundred and Thirty-third street.

One Hundred and Fourteenth street, from First avenue to Pleasant avenue.  
One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Third avenue to East river.

One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Second avenue to Third avenue.  
One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Fourth avenue to Fifth avenue.

First avenue, from One Hundred and Sixteenth street to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.  
One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Second avenue to East river.

Lexington avenue, from One Hundred and Third street to One Hundred Tenth street.  
Lexington avenue, from Seventy-ninth street to Eighty-sixth street.

Third avenue, from Eighty-third street to Ninety-ninth street.

First avenue, from One Hundred and Third street to One Hundred and Ninth street.  
One Hundred and Ninth street, from Fourth avenue to Second avenue.

One Hundred and Eighth street, from Fourth avenue to Second avenue.  
One Hundred and Seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Second avenue.

One Hundred and Sixth street, from Lexington avenue to Second avenue.  
One Hundred and Fifth street, from Lexington avenue to Third avenue.

One Hundred and Fourth street, from Fourth avenue to Third avenue.  
Southeast corner Third avenue and Fifty-ninth street, opened about two weeks ago and left in that condition since as though work has been suspended.

Sixteenth street, from Fourth avenue to Irving place.  
Seventeenth street, from Fourth avenue to Irving place.

Nineteenth street, from Fourth avenue to Irving place.  
Twentieth street, from Fourth avenue to Irving place.

Twenty-first street, from Fourth avenue to Lexington avenue.  
Twenty-second street, from Fourth avenue to Lexington avenue.

Fourth avenue, from Twenty-third street to Twenty-fifth street.  
Third avenue, from Twenty-third street to Twenty-fifth street.

Second avenue, from Twenty-fifth street to Twenty-seventh street.  
College place, from Chambers to Warren street, torn up by the Steam Heating Company.

Pavement in bad condition after laying service pipes by employees of the Equitable Gas-light Company, as follows:

Hudson street, between Broome and Charlton streets.  
Carmine street, near Bedford street.  
Bedford street, near West Houston street.  
Spring street, from Broadway to Mercer street.  
Obstructions arising from laying down or repairing old pavements, and from other causes:  
Exchange place, from Broadway to New street, building materials.  
Burling Slip, used as a storage place for lumber, rails, paving stones, etc., by Electric Railroad Company.

Canal street, from Orchard to Mulberry street, relaying pavement.  
Allen, Orchard, Chrystie, Forsyth, and Eldridge streets, between Grand and Hester streets, each partly obstructed by building materials.

Division street, near Orchard street, and Park street at Mulberry, the same as preceding.  
Chambers street, being repaved by Department of Public Works.  
West street, at Dey street, being repaved by Department of Public Works.

West street, from Morris to Rector street, sewer being put in.  
West street, from Canal to Laight street, pavement being repaired by Department of Public Works.

Greenwich street, at Barclay street, Vestry street, and Wooster street, from Fourth to Houston street, pavements being repaired by Department of Public Works.

The west side of First avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street, was opened about eight weeks ago and has not been closed. From Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street, on the same avenue, an opening was made about seven weeks ago which has not been closed up.

Lexington avenue, from Forty-ninth to Fifty-first street, and from Fifty-second to Fifty-third street, has been opened for about ten days.

Thirty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to Tenth avenue has been newly paved and the sand has been left on the roadway for three weeks.

A sewer connection was made at No. 202 West Thirty-eighth street and the pavement loosely replaced. The same as to No. 566 Seventh avenue and the east side of Eighth avenue, between Forty-first and Forty-second streets.

The following streets are obstructed with building materials:

West Forty-third street, at Nos. 244 to 262, 332, 322 and 356.  
West Forty-fourth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.  
West Forty-fifth street, Nos. 450 to 460, and foot of West Forty-fifth street.

West Forty-sixth street, No. 119.  
West Forty-seventh street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

West Fiftieth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and No. 403, 446 West Fiftieth street.  
West Fifty-second street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

West Fifty-third street, Nos. 107, 109 and 111; from Eighth to Ninth avenue; from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

West Fifty-fourth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.  
West Sixtieth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

Broadway, from Fifty-ninth to Sixty-first street.  
Ninth avenue, Nos. 748, 750, 752, 769, 829.

Tenth avenue, No. 896.  
Eleventh avenue, from Fifty-first to Fifty-second street.

Dirt and sand left on streets that should be removed:

By Department of Public Works—At Nos. 326 and 328 West Forty-third street; Forty-eighth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue; Nos. 600 to 636 West Fifty-second street, and from Eleventh avenue to North river; work finished a month ago; Ninth avenue, from Ninetieth to One Hundred and Tenth street, new pavement, sand not removed; Seventy-fourth street, from Boulevard to West End avenue, paved two months ago; Sixty-eighth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, paved five weeks ago; Rutgers slip, Coenties slip, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, newly paved this summer, and surplus sand not removed; One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, the same; One Hundred and Twenty-first street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, the same; One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Eighth to Tenth avenue, the same; One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue, the same; One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue, the same; Eighth avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-second to One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, repaired, the same.

Eighty-fourth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B.  
Eighty-fifth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

Eighty-seventh street, from Madison avenue to Fourth avenue.  
Eighty-eighth street, from Second avenue to First avenue.

Ninety-first street, from Fifth avenue to Fourth avenue.  
Ninety-fifth street, from Third avenue to Second avenue.

Ninety-sixth street, from Lexington avenue to First avenue.  
One Hundred and Second street, from Fifth avenue to Lexington avenue.

One Hundred and Fifth street, from First avenue to East river.  
One Hundred and Seventh street, from Fourth avenue to Lexington avenue.

A row of buildings on One Hundred and Nineteenth street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, is nearly complete, and there is a large quantity of building material scattered over the roadway.

Fifty-ninth street, one hundred feet west of Third avenue, a pile of loam and stone left by contractor who made a sewer connection for No. 160 East Fifty-ninth street.

South side of Seventy-Seventh street, one hundred feet east of Fourth avenue, two loads of loam.

One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Mount Morris avenue to Sixth avenue, and from Madison to Fourth avenue, and One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, have been encumbered with building material since last April.

Much sand scattered over Bloomfield street by employees of contractors for building Gansevoort Market.

A large quantity of sand and gravel left by paving (Contractor Baird) as follows:

North side of Sixtieth street, from Fifth avenue easterly 200 feet; Sixty-third street, easterly from Fifth avenue, 200 feet; Sixty-fifth street, the same; Sixty-ninth street, 50 feet easterly from Fifth avenue; Seventieth street, 200 feet easterly from Fifth avenue; Seventy-first street, 300 feet easterly from Fifth avenue; Seventy-fourth, Seventy-fifth, Seventy-sixth and Seventy-seventh streets, on each, 200 feet easterly from Fifth avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements, ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD.

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

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

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

In my first message to your Body I stated that I would from time to time communicate such information in reference to the City Government as I might be able to procure in the discharge of my official duties. At the very outset of my term of office I found the Health Department to be in a very unsatisfactory not to say demoralized condition. The President had been removed by the Mayor on charges which were pending before the Governor for final action. This action was delayed for many months, during which the public interest suffered very much and there was even great danger that a pestilence might overtake the city during the warm weather which was approaching.

The removal of the President of the Board was approved by the Governor in the month of March last. The position was immediately filled by the appointment of Mr. James C. Bayles, and subsequently, on the death of Dr. Woolsey Johnson, who was holding over, Dr. J. D. Bryant was appointed Health Commissioner. These officers have displayed very great energy and intelligence, not only in introducing the necessary reforms into the administration of the Department, but in taking such measures as were necessary to protect the city from the dangers incident to contagious diseases at all times existing when the population is dense. I believe that their action meets with very general approval, and I am sure has been influenced by no considerations but such as are for the public good. I have carefully refrained from interfering with the appointments made by the Board of Health, and what is termed "political influence" has not been allowed either by the members of the Board or by myself to have any weight in the places to be filled. The result of this course of action is clearly manifest in the report from Mr. Bayles, which I have now the honor herewith to transmit for your consideration and for publication in the CITY RECORD. I trust that it will receive the careful scrutiny of the public, and especially of those who have made sanitary science a special study. Any suggestions for the improvement and increased efficiency of the Department will be gladly received by the Health Department and by the Mayor. I am glad to say that the work of the Department has been sustained by the Common Council, which in every case has passed such ordinances as the Department have felt to be necessary for its successful action. We can, therefore, find mutual satisfaction in the good results which have been achieved and in the prospect that no serious outbreak of contagious disease is likely to occur in this city to disturb its business and healthfulness.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET, NEW YORK, October 7, 1887.

Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor:

SIR—I have the honor to present for your information the following statement. It contains nothing calling for official action, and may await your convenience without disadvantage to the public service:

Since my appointment to the responsible office I now hold, it has been necessary to make many

important changes in the organization and work of the Health Department. Some of them were made before the appointment of my esteemed colleague, Dr. J. D. Bryant; others are the result of his zealous and intelligent work to increase the efficacy of the medical staff. I am happy to state that entire harmony of purpose and action characterizes the relations of the Commissioners, and that the ex-officio members of the Board of Health are in sympathy with us in all that looks to improvement in the same.

Upon assuming office I found the Health Department in a very demoralized condition. The misfortunes of my predecessor, and the disfavor with which the Department was regarded by those who deemed it a public duty to cripple it by insufficient appropriation, had destroyed all esprit de corps. Much of the work of the staff was perfunctory, and a feeling of uncertainty as to what further evil might befall the Department tended to discourage all connected with it. The Department was also suffering from over-organization. There were too many semi-independent heads of bureaus created without warrant in law; too much subdivision of responsibility; and rules so complex and voluminous that no one in the service knew where his duties began or ended. The result was quite different from that intended, since the system, essentially military in character, was in no sense adapted to a service in which success depends largely upon the exercise of a reasonable discretion, and in scarcely less degree upon the personal interest of the individual in the work devolving upon him. I did not at first see my way clear to materially simplify this scheme of organization, but by easy and well considered steps it has been accomplished without injustice to any one, without interruption of the work, and with the approval of all connected with the Department. The net result is an important extension of the work of the Board without increased expense, and a marked increase in inspectorial efficiency.

The original organization, as adopted by the Board of Health of the Health Department in 1866, consisted of two bureaus, as provided by law, called the "Sanitary Bureau" and the "Bureau of Vital Statistics." Of these the "Sanitary Superintendent" and "Register of Records" were the chief officers respectively.

Upon the organization of the Health Department under chapter 335, Laws of 1873, the Board of Health, on the 14th day of May, 1873, continued the same bureaus, conferring the duties of the Sanitary Permit Inspector, created by the preceding Board, upon the Sanitary Superintendent and Secretary. The routine of the business of the board, and the forms and methods of transacting the same, required no material modification, and were continued in use in the Department. The rules and regulations governing the Health Department as before existing, after a critical examination, were adopted without material alteration. The Sanitary Code, provided for in chapter 335, Laws of 1873, sec. 82, with some additional provisions, was adopted. This, with the enforcement of the Tenement House Act, chapter 908, Laws of 1867, and its subsequent amendments, constituted the principal ground work of the Department, except the general powers and duties relating to everything that affected health or life and the general administration of the Department.

This organization was continued until January 2, 1884, when at the instance of President Shaler, an entire reorganization was instituted and adopted, as follows:

First—Secretary's Office.

Second—Attorney and Counsel's Office.

Third—The Sanitary Bureau. This was subdivided into seven different divisions, to wit:

First Division—Charged with all sanitary matters, particularly in connection with tenement and lodging houses, their occupants, and generally as to public buildings.

Second Division—Charged with all matters requiring the services of an expert in connection with the adulteration of food and drink, and with offensive trades.

Third Division—Charged with all matters endangering health, life or limb upon the streets and sidewalks, and the enforcement of ordinances relating to nuisances exposed to public view, as well as special and indoor inspection of all tenement and lodging houses.

Fourth Division—Charged with all matters relating to the detection and prevention of contagion; vaccination and disinfection.

Fifth Division—Charged with all matters relating to the care and maintenance of hospital buildings, treatment of patients therein and their transportation to and from the same.

Sixth Division—Charged with all matters relating to the execution of the laws relating to plumbing and ventilation, construction of new buildings and special inspections.

Seventh Division—Charged with all matters relating to the registration of births, marriages and deaths, and the issuing of burial and transit permits.

As to the general plan of the organization at the date of my appointment as President of the Health Department, on the 15th day of March, 1887.

Subsequently, by the appointment of Commissioner Bryant, an entire change in the personnel of the Board took place. Under its jurisdiction another plan of organization has been gradually substituted, such as experience in the work of administration seemed to justify. A new system of inspectorial work, simplifying many of the details, merging some of the former divisions under fewer heads, and classifying the work of the Department in accordance with advanced knowledge, sanitary requirements and special duties, has been instituted.

The organization as now adopted is primarily the "Sanitary Bureau," subdivided into the following divisions:

Sanitary Inspection.

Contagious Diseases.

Food and Drink Adulteration, and Food Inspection.

Plumbing and Ventilation and Construction of New Buildings.

Vital Statistics, and a temporary subdivision for the summer months of

The Summer Corps.

The Sanitary Code has received careful revision. Sections established by decisions of the Courts have been preserved in their original form. From a literary standpoint the form is bad, being involved and encumbered by parentheticals, but this was of less consequence than their preservation in the shape in which they had acquired the authority of law. Several new sections were added and some received necessary amendment. I have the honor to hand you herewith a copy of the Sanitary Code as at present enforced.

The new duties imposed by chapter 84, Laws of 1887, popularly known as the "Tenement-house Act," necessitated a change in the inspectorial service. It was found that the increased police detail would enable us to dispense with the service of the Medical Inspectors as nuisance searchers, and they were transferred to the Division of Contagious Diseases. All the work of sanitary inspection and tenement-house inspection is now done by one division, which contains the Lay Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police. The value of medical men in sanitary inspection has been largely exaggerated. They are not the best or most useful inspectors. Laymen and policemen do this work better, but the practical training which the medical inspectors have had in this work especially fits them for the new and more important professional duties to which they have been assigned.

For some years it had been customary to admit to the hospitals under the control of this Board, four diseases—scarlet fever, diphtheria, whooping-cough and measles. The patients were cared for by attendants who, by reason of the smallness of their number, were liable to cause intercommunication of diseases in going from ward to ward. Physicians had complained of patients having died in our hospitals of contagious diseases different from those for which they were admitted. The hospital attendants, including the house physician, and the gentleman in charge, Dr. James, made the same statement. On visiting the hospital it was found that the help at that time employed in attendance upon the patients was inadequate to prevent intercommunication of disease. This evil was remedied at once. Arrangements were made whereby only two contagious diseases, diphtheria and scarlet fever, which are closely allied to each other naturally, were to be admitted to the Willard Parker Hospital. The other forms of contagious disease were provided for at the Reception Hospital. If an epidemic of measles, whooping-cough, typhoid fever, or any diseases of a contagious or pestilential nature were to occur, the accommodations of this Department for receiving and caring for the sick prior to their being taken to North Brother Island would be inadequate. Moreover, in the course of such an epidemic there would necessarily be a considerable number whose lives would be endangered by being taken to North Brother Island. There are no adequate accommodations for persons of this class.

In order to secure the confidence of the profession and the public in the management of the hospitals of East Sixteenth street, it was decided to secure the gratuitous services, as advisers, of a number of able and influential medical gentlemen. Doctors E. G. Janeway, A. Jacob, C. R. Agnew, Stephen Smith, George F. Shady, D. M. Stimson and J. D. O'Dwyer were invited to act as a consulting board, and they have cordially accepted. These gentlemen have met and organized a committee for the purpose of submitting to the Board of Health, for its approval, all measures which, in their judgment, may be beneficial to the Hospital Department and to the patients coming under the charge of the Board of Health.

In order that the best talent connected with the study of the effects of disease upon the human body might be employed and be at the service of this Department, for the diagnosis of obscure diseases brought within its charge, and in the event of death requiring autopsies to determine the nature thereof, Doctors F. M. Prudden and H. M. Biggs, associated respectively with the College of Physicians and Surgeons and Bellevue Hospital Medical College, were appointed pathologists, without salary. Both have accepted.

The responsibility for the management of the hospitals was assumed by the Medical Commissioner of the Board, until such time as arrangements could be made to warrant a change in the administration of their affairs. Whatever increase has been made in the salaries of the attendants in the hospitals, has been with a view to furnishing good help to the unfortunate sick brought under our charge; and such increase has been counterbalanced by reductions in other items of expenditure.

In improving the work of the division of contagious diseases, steps have been taken to secure prompt reports of contagious diseases, the proper isolation of the sick in dwellings, and burial of the dead without danger to the living. Section 210 of the Sanitary Code is being enforced; and with every burial permit for a person who has died of any contagious disease, a copy of the enclosed circular for the information of undertakers is given out and a duplicate sent to the house. To encourage the sympathy and support of the medical profession, it was deemed advisable to reduce, as far as possible, the expense to the profession in reporting contagious diseases and births. For this purpose



postal cards, properly inscribed, are provided for such reports, and are sent to the members of the profession on application to this Department. I also enclose a copy of the postal-card notice. The real object of this is to remove all excuse on the part of the profession for non-compliance with the law, and to facilitate the enforcement of its penalties against those who persistently neglect or refuse to forward the information which it is their duty to send us. There is no hardship involved in promptly reporting cases when the Department furnishes the stationery and pays the postage.

The medical sanitary inspectors who have been engaged for years as nuisance searchers alone were transferred, as already stated, to the department of contagious diseases, and directed to examine all cases of contagious and preventable disease reported to this Department. We hope to make this service valuable in saving life and preventing sickness.

With our present equipment we are prepared for all ordinary occurrences of contagious diseases. We are prepared to send an inspector at once to every case reported in this city; to proffer to the afflicted medical aid if it cannot be otherwise had; give disinfectants and instruct in their use; warn the people on the premises, and in all possible ways to throw about those exposed the protection incident to preventive medicine. In the event of its being impossible to isolate the sick, we are prepared to remove them at once to the hospital, and there to administer to their wants; to visit the premises after the removal or recovery of the sick or the burial of the dead, and to watch for further developments. We are likewise prepared to study the causes recognized as associated with the developments of preventable and contagious diseases, and to correct such causes as far as possible; also to make a perfect and complete vaccination of all requiring it in the city, with a view of avoiding a small-pox epidemic. In the event of cholera passing Quarantine, this Department is better able to cope with it promptly and effectively than ever before. We are wholly without anxiety on this score.

The division especially charged with the care of food and drink, and medicine adulterations, live food animals and meats, fish, vegetables and fruits, virtually remains unchanged, except that portion of it which previously dealt with offensive trades. The special expert upon this branch hereafter reports directly to the Sanitary Superintendent. Its chief officer is the Chemist of the Board.

The Division of Plumbing, Ventilation and Construction of New Buildings, involving the careful and exhaustive examination and approval of plans and specifications, with the enforcement of the new rules and regulations relating to construction for light and ventilation, plumbing and systems of house drainage, has been materially strengthened and improved. The rapid growth of the city and the radical changes in the modes of construction, more particularly of tenement-houses and their evolution into flats and apartment-houses, has been one of the most marked changes that has commanded the attention of the Board. The examination of the plans and specifications, as filed with the Department under the laws relating to construction, especially with reference to light and ventilation and the systems of drainage and plumbing, have become a very large and important feature in the work of the Board.

In securing light and ventilation alone in this class of houses, a decided and important advance has been made. Improvement has been secured, as the more recent plans show, in enlarging the area space for light and ventilation that was heretofore deemed almost impossible. The new tenement-houses may now be considered models, fulfilling the sanitary requirements as well as the conditions imposed by the dimensions of city lots will permit. On this subject I shall advise you fully in the report I shall have the honor to present at the conference of the Mayor and certain heads of departments, provided for in the new tenement-house law.

It is proposed to utilize the records of the Division of Vital Statistics, by giving them greater value in connection with the work of the department, instead of, as heretofore, maintaining the division simply as a depository of records and statistics. The variety of information that can be practically applied in this direction seems never to have been utilized. Transcribing and filing records have heretofore absorbed the time of a considerable clerical force. To simplify this work and bring into use the practical deductions that are possible in the investigation of questions affecting the public health, the Board has appointed a Registrar, whose duties will be to codify all such information, so that the sanitary history of every dwelling in the city can be learned and understood promptly. To this end a record of deaths will be kept by street and number, and thus persistently unhealthy premises can be detected and brought under surveillance. Unhealthy localities will also be indicated by the grouping of certain classes of disease, and the department will be enabled to ascertain and define the effect upon health of the population surrounding such nuisances as undrained lots and areas, slaughter-houses, rendering establishments, gas manufactories and other offensive trades.

It is proposed to show weekly by a map, illustrated by dots of different colors, the exact localities where deaths from preventable diseases have occurred.

It is also in contemplation to formulate new tables, by which it is hoped something definite may be learned of the effect upon health of various occupations, of emanations from the soil, of overcrowding, of want of proper drainage and sewerage, and to introduce more modern methods of tabulating the statistics, so as to insure greater accuracy and expedition in the preparation of reports. In this way it is believed that the clerical force of the Division can be better employed, and that the department will be more securely fortified in any position, antagonistic to the private interests of any portion of the community which it may assume for the common good.

It has been a not uncommon complaint, by those interested in any given subject relating to vital statistics, that it was impossible to gather from the multitudinous records on file in the Department, any data of value. To utilize and render available all such information, not only for the Department itself, but also for public use, required the thorough and systematic modification in the methods of keeping these records which is now in progress. Vital statistics form the ground-work of all methods of investigation and practical sanitation, and these should be in such form as to be practically available at all times.

The work of the Summer Corps is temporary, and is an adjunct to the general work of the Department during the summer months only. The improvident and unfortunate poor, occupying, as the rule, the worst class of houses, have been found to furnish the largest number of deaths among children under five years of age. The confinement in closely packed tenement-houses, of the older styles, where ventilation of dwelling and sleeping rooms is but indifferently secured, together with improper feeding of children, the general ignorance of the proper care of infantile life, and the want of proper medical help in the prompt application of remedies in the earlier stages of exhaustive digestive ailments, accounts for the large annual infant mortality. It has been recognized as one of the duties of the Health Department to ameliorate such conditions as far as possible, in order to save life. The work of the Summer Corps during August and September has been admirably performed, unquestionably resulting in the saving of many lives, adding largely to the correction of many unsanitary conditions, and imparting much needed advice and instruction to those who need it most. Its record of work performed during nine weeks of service may be summarized as follows:

Number of visits to tenement-houses .....	38,740
Number of visits to families therein .....	266,089
Number of cases of sickness treated .....	8,830
Of which diarrhoea alone furnished .....	4,056

These figures show, in brief, the amount of good that this special work has accomplished during the past summer.

Among other reforms demanded by pre-existing abuses, I have succeeded in stopping the leaks through which all the business of the Department and the opinions of all connected with it used to find their way into the newspapers. Our location in Police Headquarters, and the sensational character of all news pertaining to our work, renders us peculiarly subject to newspaper surveillance. My attitude on this subject was misunderstood at first, but it is now perfectly satisfactory to reporters and editors. I give the reporters everything of public interest, impartially and truthfully, and they are better satisfied than they were when every officer in the Department considered himself at liberty to dispense views and information for his individual benefit. I have the respect and confidence of the reporters, and no disposition is manifested to supplement any information I give them, or to seek for facts which I deem it best to withhold. So far as I know, the Health Department is in entire harmony with other branches of the city government, and the fact that it is no longer the object of public attention or press criticism is to me the best evidence that the changes above outlined have been judicious.

Respectfully,  
JAMES C. BAYLES, President.

Which was ordered to be printed in the minutes and published in full in the CITY RECORD, and referred to the Committee on Police and Health Departments.

The President laid before the Board the following message from his Honor the Mayor:  
MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 17, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted October 4, 1887, that permission be given to Lawall & Seales to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post, surmounted by a lamp resembling a mortar, in front of No. 77 Avenue B. The resolution is defective as it fails to state where the proposed lamp-post is to be located, whether within the stoop-line, or on the sidewalk, near the curb.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Lawall & Seales to place and keep an ornamental lamp-post, surmounted by a lamp resembling a mortar, in front of premises No. 77 Avenue B, provided the post shall not exceed the dimensions prescribed by ordinance (eighteen inches square at the base), and that the work be done and gas supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 17, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted October 4, 1887, that permission be given to John Morgan to place and keep a hitching-post, four feet high, in front of No. 343 West Thirty-ninth street and one in front of No. 67 West Forty-sixth street.

The Commissioner of Public Works reports that the proposed posts would interfere with the free use of the sidewalk and prove dangerous to pedestrians. The courts have decided that the Common Council has no power to authorize encumbrances in the public streets.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Morgan to place and keep a hitching-post, four feet high, in front No. 343 West Thirty-ninth street, and one in front of No. 67 West Forty-sixth street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 17, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted October 4, 1887, that permission be given to F. J. Brechtel to extend the awning now in front of No. 269 to No. 271 Bowery.

The Commissioner of Public Works reports that the proposed awning is not to be an extension, but a new awning, and is to be constructed of wood, which would be a violation of the City ordinances regulating the erection of awnings.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to F. J. Brechtel to extend the awning now in front of No. 269 to No. 271 Bowery, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, October 17, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted October 4, 1887, giving permission to B. Altman & Co. to place and keep storm doors in front of No. 102 West Nineteenth street, Nos. 109 and 113 West Eighteenth street, and No. 301 Sixth avenue. I have received a report from the Commissioner of Public Works that the proposed storm doors will project from four feet to four feet three inches on the sidewalk beyond the house-line and would, to that extent, be an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public. The courts have decided that the Common Council has no power to authorize encumbrances in the streets. It is to be regretted that the Legislature has not provided for the erection of storm doors within the stoop-line, where they would not interfere with the use of the streets, but in the absence of such legislation I have no choice but to return such resolutions without my approval.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. Altman & Co. to place and keep storm-doors in front of No. 102 West Nineteenth street, Nos. 109 and 113 West Eighteenth street and No. 301 Sixth avenue, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Quinn, by unanimous consent, called up the following:

G. O. 437, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Ninety-eighth street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 438, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Ackerman street, from Riverdale avenue to Webber's lane, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 439, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Washington avenue, from Warren street to Palisade avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 440, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Morrison's lane, from Riverdale road to seven hundred and fifty feet west, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 441, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps be placed thereon and lighted in Convent avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 442, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps be placed thereon and lighted in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Tenth and Convent avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 443, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-pipes be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Morris avenue, between One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fourth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 444, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Ninety-sixth street, from the Boulevard to Twelfth avenue.

G. O. 447, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the electric light now located in front of No. 226 West Forty-second street, be removed a distance of about fifty feet east of present location and placed in front of the main entrance to the Central Baptist Church, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

G. O. 436, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from Morris avenue to Sheridan avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 445, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 455, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Seventeenth street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

G. O. 456, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Tenth avenue to Edgecomb avenue, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

G. O. 457, being a resolution, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:  
Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Bennett, Conkling, Corcoran, Cowie, Farrell, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Menninger, Mooney, John Murray, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Kessel, and Walker—20.

Alderman John Murray, by unanimous consent, called up G. O. 450, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Bennett, Conkling, Corcoran, Cowie, Farrell, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Menninger, Mooney, John Murray, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—20.

Alderman Mooney, by unanimous consent, called up G. O. 435, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the vacant lots on both sides of Creston avenue, from One Hundred and Eighty-fifth street to High Bridge road, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Bennett, Corcoran, Cowie, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Menninger, Mooney, John Murray, Quinn, Sanford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—20.

The President called up G. O. 458, being a resolution, as follows:

Whereas, It is necessary to increase the passenger elevator facilities of the Brown-stone Building in order to secure a better means for the delivery and removal of prisoners, and as it is impossible to make a sufficiently approximate estimate and specifications for the work to be done and materials to be furnished to form a proper basis for bids or proposals; therefore

Resolved, That authority is hereby given to the Commissioner of Public Works to have constructed on the outside of the Brown-stone Building an enclosed elevator, elevator approaches and enclosure for prison van, the work to be done by one or several contractors or orders, without public advertisement and letting, and in such manner as the said Commissioner may deem for the best interests of the city, including all the labor and materials necessary for the same, provided the sum or sums so expended shall not exceed the sum of eight thousand five hundred (\$8,500) dollars, to be paid from the appropriation "Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs," 1887, as provided in section 64 of the New York City Consolidated Act of 1882.

Which was again laid over.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Menninger moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Goetz, Holland, Long, Quinn, and Walker—5.

Negative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Bennett, Corcoran, Cowie, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Menninger, John Murray, Sanford, Smith, Tait, and Van Rensselaer—14.

#### UNFINISHED BUSINESS RESUMED.

Alderman Flynn called up G. O. 446, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Frank Kapton to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk within the stoop-line, in front of No. 250 Fourth avenue, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed six feet long by four wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Flynn called up veto message of his Honor the Mayor (No. 203) of resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to lay a cross-walk across Third avenue, in front of No. 117, the expense to be charged to the appropriation of "Repairing and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading."

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

Affirmative—Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Bennett, Corcoran, Cowie, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Holland, Long, John Murray, Sanford, Smith, Tait, and Walker—14.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Quinn and Van Rensselaer—3.

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Quinn moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, October 25, 1887, at 1 o'clock P.M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, }  
New York, September 24, 1887. }

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioner Richard Croker.

Draft of regulations governing storage and sale of fireworks and other explosive compounds in the City of New York was submitted, approved, and directed to be sent to the Mayor for suggestions.

#### Requisitions, etc.

Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph—Recommending request of Gleason & Bailey Manufacturing Company, for an extension of sixty days on contract to furnish hose tenders. Granted for sixty days from time specified in contract, and filed.

Superintendent Telegraph—For instruments, \$175. Ordered.

Foreman in charge Repair Shops—Repairs to "Zophar Mills," Engine 51, \$510.

Comptroller—Requesting copy of Departmental Estimate for 1888. Filed, to comply.

#### Communications.

Assistant Chief of Department—Recommending that enclosed communication relative to hotel fire-escape law be referred to the attorney for opinion. Referred to Attorney to Department.

Same—Recommending that applications of Firemen, Second Grade, Edward Gibbons, Engine 27, Clarence E. McNeill, Engine 29, Walter R. Ostrander, Engine 32, be laid over. Approved and filed, with directions to notify applicants.

Examining Board for Engineers—Reporting qualified Fireman, Second Grade, Thomas P. Knight, Engine 31. Filed, and promotion to Engineer of Steamer ordered from first proximo.

Assistant Foreman Engine 48—Reporting loss of coat-bag, uniform-jacket and buttons by Fireman Thomas J. Donnelly. Filed, and fined five dollars.

Attorney to Department—Recommending dismissal of violation case of 1887. Approved, and referred for file.

Same—Recommending remission of penalties incurred by manager of Fifth Avenue Theatre. Approved, and referred back.

Same—Recommending dismissal of complaint against United States Electric Illuminating Company. Approved, and referred back.

Commissioner of Public Works—Requesting permission to place a rain-gauge on Engine 18. Granted, and filed.

J. C. Campion and S. Glatner—Claims against members of the Department. Filed, to notify. Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

SEPTEMBER 28, 1887.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

OCTOBER 3, 1887.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioner Richard Croker.

#### Opening of Proposals.

Advertisement and affidavit of publication of in CITY RECORD read and filed. Approved form of contract submitted.

John Moonan..... \$10,800 00

Referred to Comptroller for action on sureties, and security deposit \$225 currency ordered to Finance Department.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

OCTOBER 5, 1887.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioner Richard Croker.

#### Trial.

Assistant Foreman John Hearn, Engine 52, "absence without leave." Found guilty, but excusable under the circumstances.

Fireman, Second Grade, John Ward, Engine 27, "absence without leave." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman, First Grade, John J. Lyons, Engine 31, "disobedience of orders," "absence without leave." Fined two days' pay.

Fireman, First Grade, Arthur J. O'Neil, Hook and Ladder 2, "absence without leave." Fined three days' pay.

Fireman, First Grade, William H. Dennis, Hook and Ladder 2, "conduct prejudicial to good order." Not proven, and filed.

Fireman, First Grade, William H. Signer, Hook and Ladder 2, "conduct prejudicial to good order." Not proven, and filed.

Fireman, First Grade, George Davis, Engine 40, "violation sec. 1, par. II, G. O. No. 21, O. B. C., 1881." Fined two days' pay.

#### Requisitions, etc.

Attorney to Fire Department—Report of moneys collected during September, 1887, with check for \$117.50. Filed, to be sent to Comptroller.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Recommending extension of time on contract for removal of telegraph system. Referred to Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph.

#### Pay-rolls and Bills Audited.

##### Schedule No. 43, of 1887.

Extra Telegraph Force, pay-roll, September, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$2,170 30
Headquarters, pay-roll, September, salaries	3,484 46
Attorney to Fire Department, pay-roll, September, salaries	333 33
Chief of Department	3,758 24
Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies, pay-roll, September, salaries	101,411 07
Bureau of Combustibles	1,016 65
Bureau of Fire Marshal	616 65
Bureau of Inspector of Buildings	5,723 83
Telegraph Force	450 00
Repair Shops	1,828 00
Hospital Stables	4,538 76
	392 00
	\$125,724 03

##### Schedule No. 44 of 1887.

Andrews, A. H. & Co., furnishing new Headquarters	\$16 00
apparatus, supplies, etc.	16 00
Ash & Buckbee	110 00
Banta, John	40 00
Baumann Brothers, furnishing new Headquarters	10 25
Bassett, J. W., apparatus, supplies, etc.	270 00
Central Gas-light Co.	31 84
Cheever, J. H.	30 00
Clark, Isabel R.	350 00
Corporation Trinity Church, apparatus, supplies, etc.	135 00
Crotty, J. F.	173 00
Dahlman, I. W.	600 00
Day, A. G.	442 40
Dobbs, Edwin	40 00
Doscher & Co.	39 00
Duffey, Philip	30 00
Dunne, Thomas	175 00
Findley, William L.	168 12
Fryer, William J., Jr.	30 00
Fuller, A. P.	21 85
Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	207 14
Hardy, M. J.	16 70
Ilisley, Doubleday & Co.	66 00
Jussen, Carl	128 24
Knickerbocker Ice Co.	37 24
LeBrun, N.	30 00
Mooney, John	1,648 12
Newman, A. G.	62 00
Northern Gas-light Co.	20 64
Notman, Peter	30 00
O'Reilly, Cornelius	40 00
Pearce & Jones	47 22
Pleasants & Woodworth	106 49
Prunty Manufacturing Co.	32 75
Seery, Peter	58 53
Shea, Joseph	13 95
Sheldon, G. H.	16 85
Shields, John R.	105 94
Smith Manufacturing Co.	20 00
Thompson, R., manager	8 00
	\$5,424 27

#### Communications.

Examining Board for Engineers—Reporting Fireman, First Grade, Herman Busse, Engine 26, Fireman, Third Grade, Frederick Thompson, Hook and Ladder 3, qualified for Engineer of Steamer. Filed, promotions ordered from 8th instant and assigned, respectively, to Engine Cos. 26 and 43.

Superintendent of Buildings—Recommending alterations to Tony Pastor's Theatre and to Tammany Hall. Referred to the President for report.

Same—Requesting concurrence of the Board with recommendations of alterations to Tony Pastor's Theatre. Referred to the President for report.

Attorney to the Department—Recommending remission of penalty in matter of judgment against John F. B. Mitchell. Approved, and referred back.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

OCTOBER 6, 1887.

Present—President H. D. Purroy and Commissioner Richard Croker.

#### Requisitions, etc.

Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph—Recommending granting of request of Pearce & Jones for extension of time on contract for removal of telegraph system. Granted to 4th instant, and filed.

Supply Clerk—

Articles to issue	\$236 00
Superintendent Telegraph	243 00
Repair Shops	370 00
50 tons Cannel coal	675 00
Articles to issue	928 00
Ordered	

Superintendent of Telegraph—Repairs to telegraph machinery, etc., \$200. Ordered.

For incidental expenses, fourth quarter—

Secretary	\$600 00
Inspector of Combustibles	225 00
Fire Marshal	90 00
Superintendent Buildings	375 00
Attorney to Department	500 00
Superintendent Telegraph	250 00
Repair Shops	75 00
Hospital Stables	60 00
Supply Clerk	125 00
Ordered	

Acting Superintendent Repairs to Buildings—Report and recommendation relative to premises No. 58 Lawrence street, complained of by Health Department. Approved, and referred back for estimate.

Finance Department—Approval of sureties on proposal of John Moonan for forage; filed and contract awarded for the sum of \$10,800.

Same—Weekly statements of condition of appropriation to 1st instant. Filed.

Same—Receipt for security deposits accompanying proposals for forage. Filed.



Same—Notice of endorsement of Comptroller's certificate on Contract of Gleason & Bailey Manufacturing Co. for hose-tenders. Filed.

Charles H. Hohn, agent—Relative to use of "antiseptikon" for disinfecting purposes in the Department. Referred to Chief of Department for disposition.

#### Bills Audited.

Schedule No. 89 of 1886.

Pearce & Jones, apparatus, supplies, etc. \$8,694 00

#### Communications, etc.

Chief of Department, Inspector Combustibles, Superintendent Buildings, Attorney to Fire Department, Superintendent Telegraph, Medical Officer, Superintendent Repairs to Buildings, Superintendent of Horses, Relief and Fire Insurance Fund—Reports of operations for quarter ending September 30, 1887. Filed, to compile.

Committee on Apparatus and Telegraph—Approving report of Superintendent of Telegraph on communication of Chief of Department, relative to fire-alarm boxes being out of order. Recommendation of Superintendent Telegraph ordered and filed.

Second Assistant Chief of Department—Report of detail at Wallack's Theatre on 24th ultimo. Filed.

Same—Report of detail at Grand Opera House on 29th ultimo. Filed.

Chief of Eleventh Battalion—Report of investigation on communication of William Salkeld, relative to rescue by Fireman, First Grade, Thomas C. Kennedy, with recommendation of Assistant Chief of Department that Kennedy's name be placed on the Roll of Merit. Filed, to place on Roll of Merit.

Foreman Engine 23—Reporting loss of alarm-box key for box No. 557. Filed.

Foreman Engine 41—Report relative to special building signal box No. 236. Filed.

Foreman Engine 38—Report relative to death of Assistant Foreman William R. Ferris. Filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting violation of law. Referred back to enforce law.

Same—Recommending remission of penalties. Approved, and referred back.

Same—Reporting issue of licenses and permits to September 30, 1887. Filed.

Joseph Herbert—Relative to use of kerosene to oil stairways, with report of Inspector of Combustibles. Filed.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Report on communication of advertising agent of New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company, requesting permission to use department poles for advertising purposes. Filed, with directions to reply.

Same—Reporting additions to special building signals. Filed.

Fidelity and Casualty Company—Requesting information relative to Ex-Fireman J. J. Colman. Filed, to reply.

Apprentices' Library, Astor Library, New York Historical Society, New York Board of Fire Underwriters, Union League Club, Young Men's Christian Association, Comptroller E. V. Loew, R. D. Hatch, and Mercantile Library Association—Acknowledging receipt of annual report for 1886. Filed.

Mr. Schoenagel—Complaining of heat from wall of adjoining restaurant. Filed, to reply.

Barnum & Rebham, attorneys and counselors at law—Claim for damage caused by Hook and Ladder 18. Filed.

John T. Coyle, Henry Otto, Louis Judelovitz and James Muller & Son—Claims against members of the Department. Filed, to notify.

Adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, }  
BUREAU OF ELECTIONS, NEW YORK, October 10, 1887.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, and by virtue of the authority therein conferred upon the Board of Police, the division of the several Assembly Districts in the City and County of New York into Election Districts, and the boundaries of said Election Districts are hereby fixed by said Board as follows:

#### First Assembly District.

The First Assembly District shall be divided into twenty-five election districts, the extent and limits of which shall be as follows:

The First Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Beaver street, Old slip, East river, Whitehall street, and Broadway.

The Second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Rector street, Broadway, Battery place, and Greenwich street.

The Third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Morris street, Greenwich street, Battery place, and Washington street.

The Fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Rector street, Washington street, Battery place, and Hudson or North river.

The Fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Rector street, Greenwich street, Morris street, and Washington street.

The Sixth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Albany street, Greenwich street, Rector street, and Hudson or North river.

The Seventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Liberty street, Greenwich street, Albany street, and Hudson or North river.

The Eighth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Liberty street, Broadway, Rector street, and Greenwich street.

The Ninth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Liberty street, Maiden lane, East river, Old slip, Hanover square, William street, Beaver street, and Broadway, including Franklin Market.

The Tenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Ferry street, Peck slip, East river, Maiden lane, and Gold street.

The Eleventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Spruce street, Gold street, Liberty street, Broadway, and Park row.

The Twelfth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Dey street, Broadway, Liberty street, and Hudson or North river.

The Thirteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Barclay street, Broadway, Dey street, and Hudson or North river.

The Fourteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Reade street, Broadway, Barclay street, and Hudson or North river.

The Fifteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Franklin street, Broadway, Reade street, and Hudson street.

The Sixteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Harrison street, Hudson street, Reade street, and Hudson or North river.

The Seventeenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within North Moore street, Hudson street, Harrison street, and Hudson or North river.

The Eighteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Hubert street, Hudson street, North Moore street, and Hudson or North river.

The Nineteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Beach street, Varick street, North Moore street, West Broadway, Franklin street, and Hudson street.

The Twentieth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Canal street, Broadway, Franklin street, West Broadway, North Moore street, Varick street, Beach street, St. John's lane, and Laight street.

The Twenty-first Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Canal street, Laight street, St. John's lane, Beach street, and Hudson street.

The Twenty-second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Desbrosses street, Greenwich street, Laight street, Hudson street, Hubert street, and Hudson or North river.

The Twenty-third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Canal street, Hudson street, Laight street, and Greenwich street.

The Twenty-fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Canal street, Greenwich street, Desbrosses street, and Hudson or North river.

The Twenty-fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Battery place, Bowling Green, Whitehall street, East river, Hudson or North river, Governor's Island, Bedloe's Island, and Ellis Island.

#### Second Assembly District.

The Second Assembly District shall be divided into twenty-eight election districts, the extent and limits of which shall be as follows:

The First Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Oak street, Catharine street, Catharine slip, East river, and Oliver street.

The Second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Chatham square, Catharine street, Oak street, and Oliver street.

The Third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within New Bowery, Oliver street, Oak street, and James street.

The Fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Park row, New Bowery, James street, Madison street, and Roosevelt street.

The Fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Madison street, James street, Batavia street, and Roosevelt street.

The Sixth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Batavia street, James street, James slip, Water street, and Roosevelt street.

The Seventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Oak street, Oliver street, East river, Roosevelt street, Water street, James slip, and James street.

The Eighth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Cherry street, Roosevelt street, East river, Peck slip, Water street, and Dover street.

The Ninth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Oak street, Roosevelt street, Cherry street, Franklin square, and Pearl street.

The Tenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Rose street, Madison street, Roosevelt street, Oak street, Pearl street, and Frankfort street.

The Eleventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Roosevelt street, Madison street, Pearl street, and Park row.

The Twelfth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Pearl street, Rose street, Frankfort street, and William street.

The Thirteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Nassau street, Frankfort street, Pearl street, Dover street, Water street, Peck slip, Ferry street, Gold street, and Spruce street.

The Fourteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Worth street, Centre street, Pearl street, Park street, Duane street, Park row, City Hall square, and Broadway.

The Fifteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Pearl street, Park row, Duane street, and City Hall place.

The Sixteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Worth street, Baxter street, Park row, Pearl street, and Centre street.

The Seventeenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Bayard street, Mulberry street, Park street, Worth street, Centre street, Leonard street, and Baxter street.

The Eighteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Bayard street, Mott street, Worth street, Park street, and Mulberry street.

The Nineteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Pell street, Bowery, Park row, and Mott street.

The Twentieth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Canal street, Elizabeth street, Bayard street, and Mulberry street.

The Twenty-first Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Canal street, Mulberry street, Bayard street, and Baxter street.

The Twenty-second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Canal street, Baxter street, Leonard street, and Centre street.

The Twenty-third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Canal street, Centre street, Worth street, and Broadway.

The Twenty-fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Worth street, Park row and Baxter street.

The Twenty-fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within New Chambers street, Duane street, William street, Frankfort street, and Park row.

The Twenty-sixth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Pearl street, William street, New Chambers street, and Park row.

The Twenty-seventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Pearl street, City Hall place, Duane street, and Park street.

The Twenty-eighth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Canal street, Bowery, Pell street, Mott street, Bayard street, and Elizabeth street.

#### Third Assembly District.

The Third Assembly District shall be divided into twenty-eight election districts, the extent and limits of which shall be as follows:

The First Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Hester street, Mulberry street, Canal street, and Centre street.

The Second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Hester street, Mott street, Canal street, and Mulberry street.

The Third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Grand street, Elizabeth street, Canal street, and Mott street.

The Fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Grand street, Mott street, Hester street, and Baxter street.

The Fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Grand street, Baxter street, Hester street, Centre street, Canal street, and Broadway.

The Sixth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Spring street, Marion street, Centre street, Grand street, Broadway, Broome street, and Crosby street.

The Seventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Spring street, Mulberry street, Grand street, Centre street, and Marion street.

The Eighth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Spring street, Mott street, Grand street, and Mulberry street.

The Ninth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Spring street, Elizabeth street, Grand street, and Mott street.

The Tenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Spring street, Bowery, Canal street, and Elizabeth street.

The Eleventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Prince street, Bowery, Spring street, and Elizabeth street.

The Twelfth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Prince street, Elizabeth street, Spring street, and Mott street.

The Thirteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Houston street, Elizabeth street, Prince street, and Mott street.

The Fourteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Houston street, Mott street, Spring street, and Mulberry street.

The Fifteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Prince street, Mulberry street, Spring street, and Crosby street.

The Sixteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Houston street, Mulberry street, Prince street, Crosby street, Broome street, and Broadway.

The Seventeenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Bleeker street, Bowery, East Houston street, and Broadway.

The Eighteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Fourth street, Bowery, Bleeker street, and Broadway.

The Nineteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Fourth street, Fourth avenue, Bowery, East Fourth street, and Broadway.

The Twentieth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Twelfth street, Third avenue, and Fourth avenue.

The Twenty-first Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Twelfth street, Third avenue, East Twelfth street, and Fourth avenue.

The Twenty-second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Sixteenth street, Third avenue, East Fourteenth street, and Fourth avenue, or Union square.

The Twenty-third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Eighteenth street, Third avenue, East Sixteenth street, and Fourth avenue, or Union square.

The Twenty-fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Twenty-first street, Third avenue, East Eighteenth street, Fourth avenue, East Twelfth street, and Gramercy Park.

The Twenty-fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Twenty-third street, Third avenue, East Twenty-first street, Gramercy Park, East Twelfth street, and Fourth avenue.

The Twenty-sixth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Twenty-first street, Fourth avenue, Union square, and Broadway.

The Twenty-seventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Houston street, Bowery, Prince street, and Elizabeth street.

The Twenty-eighth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Twenty-third street, Fourth avenue, East Twenty-first street, and Broadway.

#### Fourth Assembly District.

The Fourth Assembly District shall be divided into twenty-nine election districts, the extent and limits of which shall be as follows:

The First Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Division street, Pike street, East Broadway, and Catharine street.

The Second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Broadway, Market street, Henry street, and Catharine street.

The Third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Henry street, Market street, Madison street, and Catharine street.

The Fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East Broadway, Pike street, Henry street, Birmingham street, Madison street, and Market street.













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The Forty-ninth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Ninth street, Second avenue, East One Hundred and Eighth street, and Third avenue.

The Fiftieth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Eleventh street, East river, East One Hundred and Ninth street, Second avenue, and Ward's Island.

The Fifty-first Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within West One Hundred and Twelfth street, East One Hundred and Twelfth street, Lexington avenue, East One Hundred and Tenth street, West One Hundred and Tenth street, and Seventh avenue.

The Fifty-second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within West One Hundred and Fourteenth street, East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Lexington avenue, East One Hundred and Twelfth street, West One Hundred and Twelfth street, and Seventh avenue.

The Fifty-third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Second avenue, East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and Third avenue.

The Fifty-fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Fifteenth street, First avenue, East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, and Second avenue.

The Fifty-fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Nineteenth street, Second avenue, East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, and Third avenue.

The Fifty-sixth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Nineteenth street, First avenue, East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, and Second avenue.

The Fifty-seventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Twentieth street, East river, East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, Avenue A, and Randall's Island.

The Fifty-eighth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Twenty-first street, First avenue, East One Hundred and Twentieth street, and Second avenue.

The Fifty-ninth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, East river, East One Hundred and Twenty-second street, and First avenue.

The Sixtieth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Second avenue, East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and Third avenue.

The Sixty-first Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Third avenue, East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, and Lexington avenue.

The Sixty-second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Fourth avenue, East One Hundred and Twenty-third street, Madison avenue, East One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, and Sixth avenue.

The Sixty-third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Fifth avenue, West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and Sixth avenue.

The Sixty-fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Sixth avenue, West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, and Seventh avenue.

The Sixty-fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Fifth avenue, West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, and Sixth avenue.

The Sixty-sixth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within West One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Sixth avenue, West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, and Seventh avenue.

#### Twenty-fourth Assembly District.

The Twenty-fourth Assembly District shall be divided into thirty-nine election districts, the extent and limits of which shall be as follows:

The First Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Southern Boulevard, East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, Bungey creek, East river or Long Island Sound, Willis avenue, East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and Brook avenue.

The Second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Willis avenue, Harlem river, and Third avenue.

The Third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Brook avenue, East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and Third avenue.

The Fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Willis avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-second street, and Third avenue.

The Fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, Rider avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-second street, Third avenue, and Harlem river.

The Sixth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, Third avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-second street, and College avenue.

The Seventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, Third avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, and Courtland avenue.

The Eighth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Eastern avenue, Southern Boulevard, Bungey creek, East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, Southern Boulevard, East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Third avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, and St. Ann's avenue.

The Ninth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Westchester avenue, Bronx river, East river or Long Island Sound, Bungey creek, Southern Boulevard, Eastern avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, St. Ann's avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, and Third avenue.

The Tenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Cliff street, Eagle avenue, Westchester avenue, and Third avenue.

The Eleventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, Third avenue, East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, and Courtland avenue.

The Twelfth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, Third avenue, East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, and Courtland avenue.

The Thirteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, Third avenue, East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, and Railroad avenue.

The Fourteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Third avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and Railroad avenue.

The Fifteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, Fulton avenue, Franklin avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, and Railroad avenue.

The Sixteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within northerly line of Twenty-third Ward, Fulton avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and Railroad avenue.

The Seventeenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within northerly line of Twenty-third Ward, Railroad avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Harlem river, and Central avenue.

The Eighteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within northerly line of Twenty-third Ward, Central avenue, and Harlem river.

The Nineteenth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Morris lane, McComb's Dam road, Waverley street, Morris street, Railroad avenue, southerly line of Twenty-fourth Ward, and Harlem river.

The Twentieth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Morris street, Fordham avenue, southerly line of Twenty-fourth Ward, and Railroad avenue.

The Twenty-first Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Locust avenue, Old Boston road, Westchester avenue, Bronx river, southerly line of Twenty-fourth Ward, and Fordham avenue.

The Twenty-second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Pelham avenue, Bronx river, Westchester avenue, Old Boston road, Locust avenue, Jefferson avenue, Crescent avenue, and Cambrelling avenue.

The Twenty-third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Pelham avenue, Cambrelling avenue, Crescent avenue, Jefferson avenue, Locust avenue, Morris street and Railroad avenue.

The Twenty-fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within road to Berrian's landing, Kingsbridge road, Railroad avenue, Morris street, Waverley street, McComb's Dam road, Morris lane, and Harlem river.

The Twenty-fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within northern boundary of Twenty-fourth Ward, Bronx river, Pelham avenue, Kingsbridge road, road to Berrian's landing, and Central avenue.

The Twenty-sixth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Tibbit's brook, Williamsbridge avenue, Central avenue, road to Berrian's landing, Harlem river, and Spuyten Duyvil creek.

The Twenty-seventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within northern boundary of Twenty-fourth Ward, Central avenue, Williamsbridge avenue, Tibbit's brook, monumental line dividing William C. Wetmore's and the late James K. Whiting's land, and Hudson or North river.

The Twenty-eighth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Thirtieth street, Willis avenue, East One Hundred and Thirtieth street and Third avenue.

The Twenty-ninth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Forty-second street, Brook avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-first street, and Third avenue.

The Thirtieth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, Brook avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-second street and Willis avenue.

The Thirty-first Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, Railroad avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, College avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-second street, Rider avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, and Harlem river.

The Thirty-second Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, Courtland avenue, East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, and Railroad avenue.

The Thirty-third Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, Courtland avenue, East One Hundred and Fifty-first street, and Railroad avenue.

The Thirty-fourth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, Courtland avenue, East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, and Railroad avenue.

The Thirty-fifth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, Union avenue, Westchester avenue, Eagle avenue, Cliff street, and Third avenue.

The Thirty-sixth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Old Boston road, George street, Union avenue, Home street, Westchester avenue, Union avenue, East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, and Third avenue.

The Thirty-seventh Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, Old Boston road, Twenty-third Ward line, Bronx river, Westchester avenue, Home street, Union avenue, George street, Old Boston road, Third avenue, Franklin avenue, and Fulton avenue.

The Thirty-eighth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within Twenty-third Ward line, Old Boston road, East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, and Fulton avenue.

The Thirty-ninth Election District shall contain all that part of the city bounded by and lying within line of monuments dividing Wm. C. Wetmore and J. R. Whiting's land, Tibbit's brook, Spuyten Duyvil creek, and Hudson or North river.

By order of the Board of Police.

JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief of the Bureau of Elections.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, BUREAU OF ELECTIONS, NEW YORK, October 10, 1887.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of section 1929 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Board of Police has designated and appointed the places of registry and polling places in and for each of the election districts of the City and County of New York, for the elections next ensuing, as follows, to wit:

#### POLLING PLACES.

First Assembly District.		Location.		Occupied as	
1.	57 Pearl st.	Barber shop.	5.	211 Hester st.	Candy store.
2.	55 Greenwich st.	Notion store.	6.	152 Grand street	Sewing mach. store.
3.	38 Greenwich st.	Cigar store.	7.	Marion st.	Barber shop.
4.	21 Morris st.	Barber shop.	8.	203 Mott st.	Barber shop.
5.	82 Greenwich st.	Undertaker store.	9.	202 Mott st.	Drug store.
6.	120 Greenwich st.	Barber shop.	10.	344 Broome st.	Barber shop.
7.	128 Greenwich st.	Cigar store.	11.	4 Prince st.	Cigar store.
8.	95 Greenwich st.	Undertaker store.	12.	26 Prince st.	Tailor store.
9.	92 Beaver st.	Shoe shop.	13.	69 E. Houston st.	Bird store.
10.	6 Peck Slip	Shoe shop.	14.	288 Mulberry st.	Barber shop.
11.	40 Nassau st.	Tailor shop.	15.	44 Marion st.	Stationery store.
12.	168 Washington st.	Barber shop.	16.	80 1/2 Spring st.	Cigar store.
13.	217 Greenwich st.	Cigar store.	17.	302 Mott st.	Stable office.
14.	7 W. Broadway	Barber shop.	18.	17 Great Jones st.	Tailor store.
15.	76 W. Broadway	Shoe shop.	19.	78 Fourth ave	Plumber store.
16.	69 Hudson st.	Shoe shop.	20.	103 E. 9th st.	Shoe store.
17.	174 Franklin st.	Shoe shop.	21.	92 Third ave	Cigar store.
18.	44 Beach st.	Barber shop.	22.	146 E. 16th st.	Plumber shop.
19.	166 Franklin st.	Shoe shop.	23.	174 Third ave	Laundry.
20.	128 W. Broadway	Barber shop.	24.	238 Third ave	Candy store.
21.	168 Hudson st.	Stationery store.	25.	262 Third ave	Stationery store.
22.	18 1/2 Hubert st.	Stationery store.	26.	35 E. 19th st.	Plumber shop.
23.	480 Canal st.	Barber shop.	27.	238 Elizabeth st.	Furniture store.
24.	34 1/2 Desbrosses st.	Barber shop.	28.	270 Fourth ave	Barber shop.
25.	14 State st.	Office.			
Second Assembly District.		Location.		Occupied as	
1.	68 Oliver st.	Boarding-house.	1.	99 Division st.	Tailor shop.
2.	66 Madison st.	Undertaker store.	2.	27 East Broadway	Cabinet shop.
3.	49 Madison st.	Undertaker store.	3.	105 Madison st.	Cigar store.
4.	52 New Bowery	Barber shop.	4.	71 Henry st.	Bakery.
5.	57 New Chambers st.	Barber shop.	5.	140 Madison st.	Undertaker store.
6.	49 Cherry st.	Boarding-house.	6.	88 Madison st.	Barber shop.
7.	376 Water st.	Boarding-house.	7.	60 Market st.	Barber shop.
8.	43 Cherry st.	Boarding-house.	8.	160 Cherry st.	Candy store.
9.	362 Pearl st.	Shoe shop.	9.	131 Cherry st.	Shoe shop.
10.	419 Pearl st.	Harness shop.	10.	243 Cherry st.	Harness shop.
11.	434 Pearl st.	Cigar store.	11.	109 Monroe st.	Candy store.
12.	3 Duane st.	Tailor shop.	12.	197 Madison st.	Barber shop.
13.	318 Pearl st.	Shoe shop.	13.	155 East Broadway	Cigar store.
14.	523 Pearl st.	Cigar store.	14.	9 Canal st.	Plumber shop.
15.	469 Pearl st.	Brush store.	15.	205 Division st.	Barber shop.
16.	470 Pearl st.	Undertaker store.	16.	230 Madison st.	Shoe shop.
17.	29 Baxter st.	Shoe shop.	17.	290 Cherry st.	Candy store.
18.	49 Mott st.	Real estate office.	18.	280 Madison st.	Coal office.
19.	11 Pell st.	Candy store.	19.	226 East Broadway	Harness store.
20.	76 Mott st.	Paper store.	20.	286 East Broadway	Stable office.
21.	71 1/2 Mulberry st.	Dry goods store.	21.	324 Madison st.	Cigar store.
22.	16 Franklin st.	Barber shop.	22.	57 Montgomery st.	Barber shop.
23.	101 Walker st.	Auctioneer's office.	23.	77 Montgomery st.	Shoe store.
24.	336 Baxter st.	Hat store.	24.	380 Cherry st.	Dressmaking store.
25.	233 William st.	Fancy store.	25.	35 Jackson st.	Barber shop.
26.	255 William st.	Tailor shop.	26.	28 Scammel st.	Barber shop.
27.	37 Park st.	Grocery.	27.	301 East Broadway	Undertaker store.
28.	40 Mott st.	Barber shop.	28.	385 Madison st.	Cigar store.
Third Assembly District.		Location.		Occupied as	
1.	128 Baxter st.	Barber shop.	1.	345 Spring st.	Cigar store.
2.	115 Mott st.	Barber shop.	2.	323 Spring st.	Barber shop.
3.	211 Grand st.	Barber shop.	3.	240 Hudson st.	Sewing mach. store.
4.	131 Mulberry st.	Candy store.	4.	309 Spring st.	Paint shop.
			5.	279 W. Houston st.	Harness shop.
Fourth Assembly District.		Location.		Occupied as	
1.	99 Division st.	Tailor shop.	1.	99 Division st.	Tailor shop.
2.	27 East Broadway	Cabinet shop.	2.	27 East Broadway	Cabinet shop.
3.	105 Madison st.	Cigar store.	3.	105 Madison st.	Cigar store.
4.	71 Henry st.	Bakery.	4.	71 Henry st.	Bakery.
5.	140 Madison st.	Undertaker store.	5.	140 Madison st.	Undertaker store.
6.	88 Madison st.	Barber shop.	6.	88 Madison st.	Barber shop.
7.	60 Market st.	Barber shop.	7.	60 Market st.	Barber shop.
8.	160 Cherry st.	Candy store.	8.	160 Cherry st.	Candy store.
9.	131 Cherry st.	Shoe shop.	9.	131 Cherry st.	Shoe shop.
10.	243 Cherry st.	Harness shop.	10.	243 Cherry st.	Harness shop.
11.	109 Monroe st.	Candy store.	11.	109 Monroe st.	Candy store.
12.	197 Madison st.	Barber shop.	12.	197 Madison st.	Barber shop.
13.	155 East Broadway	Cigar store.	13.	155 East Broadway	Cigar store.
14.	9 Canal st.	Plumber shop.	14.	9 Canal st.	Plumber shop.
15.	205 Division st.	Barber shop.	15.	205 Division st.	Barber shop.
16.	230 Madison st.	Shoe shop.	16.	230 Madison st.	Shoe shop.
17.	290 Cherry st.	Candy store.	17.	290 Cherry st.	Candy store.
18.	280 Madison st.	Coal office.	18.	280 Madison st.	Coal office.
19.	226 East Broadway	Harness store.	19.	226 East Broadway	Harness store.
20.	286 East Broadway	Stable office.	20.	286 East Broadway	Stable office.
21.	324 Madison st.	Cigar store.	21.	324 Madison st.	Cigar store.
22.	57 Montgomery st.	Barber shop.	22.	57 Montgomery st.	Barber shop.
23.	77 Montgomery st.	Shoe store.	23.	77 Montgomery st.	Shoe store.
24.	380 Cherry st.	Dressmaking store.	24.	380 Cherry st.	Dressmaking store.
25.	35 Jackson st.	Barber shop.	25.	35 Jackson st.	Barber shop.
26.	28 Scammel st.	Barber shop.	26.	28 Scammel st.	Barber shop.
27.	301 East Broadway	Undertaker store.	27.	301 East Broadway	Undertaker store.
28.	385 Madison st.	Cigar store.	28.	385 Madison st.	Cigar store.
29.	237 Madison st.	Candy store.	29.	237 Madison st.	Candy store.
Fifth Assembly District.		Location.		Occupied as	
1.	345 Spring st.	Cigar store.	1.	345 Spring st.	Cigar store.
2.	323 Spring st.	Barber shop.	2.	323 Spring st.	Barber shop.
3.	240 Hudson st.	Sewing mach. store.	3.	240 Hudson st.	Sewing mach. store.
4.	309 Spring st.	Paint shop.	4.	309 Spring st.	Paint shop.
5.	279 W. Houston st.	Harness shop.	5.	279 W. Houston st.	Harness shop.



Location.	Occupied as
6. 199 Varick st.	Confectionery.
7. 161 Varick st.	Barber shop.
8. 21 Dominick st.	Shoe shop.
9. 471 Canal st.	Barber shop.
10. 28 Sullivan st.	Tailor shop.
11. 126 Varick st.	Shoe shop.
12. 162 Varick st.	Mineral water store.
13. 341 Macdougall st.	Barber shop.
14. 196 Varick st.	Shoe shop.
15. 201 Prince st.	Express office.
16. 143 Sullivan st.	Printing office.
17. 153 Prince st.	Jewelry store.
18. 184 Prince st.	Hardware store.
19. 190 Prince st.	Furniture store.
20. 75 Sullivan st.	Tailor shop.
21. 196 S. 5th ave.	Tailor shop.
22. 47 Grand st.	Dry goods store.
23. 219 S. 5th ave.	Barber shop.
24. 146 Spring st.	Cigar store.
25. 124 Prince st.	News depot.
26. 120 Prince st.	Plumber shop.
27. 122 Bleeker st.	Cigar store.
28. 68 S. 5th ave.	Shoe store.
29. 196 Bleeker st.	Printing office.

## Sixth Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 58 Jackson st.	Barber shop.
2. 20 Jackson st.	Barber shop.
3. 596 Grand st.	Barber shop.
4. 330 Delancey st.	Barber shop.
5. 37 Goerck st.	Grocery.
6. 6 Cannon st.	Sewing mach. store.
7. 301 Rivington st.	Barber shop.
8. 71 Columbia st.	Undertaker store.
9. 39 Columbia st.	Barber shop.
10. 71 Broome st.	Cigar store.
11. 225 Delancey st.	Shoe store.
12. 238 Delancey st.	Barber shop.
13. 60 Pitt st.	Dry goods store.
14. 81 Ridge st.	Barber shop.
15. 58 Ridge st.	Trimming store.
16. 48 Attorney st.	Barber shop.
17. 4 Ridge st.	Barber shop.
18. 404 Grand st.	Cigar store.
19. 13 Suffolk st.	Cigar store.
20. 93 Suffolk st.	Confectionery.
21. 119 Clinton st.	Cigar store.
22. 102 Clinton st.	Barber shop.
23. 181 Stanton st.	Barber shop.
24. 229 Stanton st.	Cigar store.
25. 95 Columbia st.	Cigar store.
26. 79 Lewis st.	Cigar store.
27. 331 Stanton st.	Restaurant.
28. 18 Willett st.	Barber shop.
29. 80 Willett st.	Barber shop.

## Seventh Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 4 W. 3d st.	Cigar store.
2. 30 W. 3d st.	Cigar store.
3. 24 S. 5th ave.	Shoe store.
4. 163 Bleeker st.	Cigar store.
5. 225 Bleeker st.	Plumber shop.
6. 56 S. Washington Square.	Tobacco store.
7. 46 Sixth ave.	Glove store.
8. 15 W. 4th st.	Barber shop.
9. 134 Clinton pl.	Stationery store.
10. 153 Waverly pl.	Barber shop.
11. 1 Christopher st.	Barber shop.
12. 271 W. 4th st.	Shoe shop.
13. 33 Greenwich ave.	Hardware store.
14. 28 Greenwich ave.	Shoe shop.
15. 131 Clinton pl.	Tailor shop.
16. 35 Clinton pl.	Tailor shop.
17. 76 E. 11th st.	Shoe shop.
18. 71 W. 9th st.	Tailor shop.
19. 54 W. 13th st.	Candy store.
20. 15 Seventh ave.	Shoe store.
21. 80 Greenwich ave.	Cigar store.
22. 97 and 99 Greenwich av.	Stable office.
23. 73 W. 4th st.	Shoe shop.
24. 74 Third ave.	Cigar store.
25. 60 University pl.	Barber shop.
26. 246 Sixth ave.	Cigar store.
27. 98 Eighth ave.	Cigar store.
28. 114 Eighth ave.	Cigar store.
29. 109 Seventh ave.	Barber shop.
30. 274 Sixth ave.	Shoe shop.
31. 110 W. 18th st.	Plumber shop.
32. 54 W. 19th st.	Stable office.
33. 159 Seventh ave.	Barber shop.
34. 193 Seventh ave.	Cigar store.
35. 53 W. 21st st.	Vacant store.

## Eighth Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 36 Bayard st.	Barber shop.
2. 118 Hester st.	Paint store.
3. 18 Eldridge st.	Shoe store.
4. 103 Canal st.	Coffee saloon.
5. 35 Orchard st.	Barber shop.
6. 35 Canal st.	Barber shop.
7. 45 Ludlow st.	Bakery.
8. 78 Eldridge st.	Shoe store.
9. 76 Chrystie st.	Tailor shop.
10. 94 Forsyth st.	Barber shop.
11. 120 Eldridge st.	Tailor shop.
12. 62 Essex st.	Barber shop.
13. 102 Ludlow st.	Shoe shop.
14. 270 Broome st.	Barber shop.
15. 107 Allen st.	Shoe shop.
16. 126 Chrystie st.	Stationery store.
17. 1/2 Rivington st.	Barber shop.
18. 129 Allen st.	Tailor shop.
19. 90 Delancey st.	Dry goods store.
20. 104 Delancey st.	Tailor shop.
21. 132 Rivington st.	Barber shop.
22. 140 Ludlow st.	Cigar store.
23. 148 Orchard st.	Barber shop.
24. 38 Rivington st.	Barber shop.
25. 182 Chrystie st.	Cigar store.
26. 19 1/2 Bayard st.	Barber shop.
27. 114 Canal st.	Barber shop.
28. 10 Forsyth st.	Awning shop.
29. 28 Delancey st.	Cigar store.
30. 123 Rivington st.	Cigar store.
31. 49 Clinton st.	Barber shop.

## Ninth Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 618 Greenwich st.	Harness shop.
2. 14 Clarkson st.	Tailor shop.
3. 77 Carmine st.	Barber shop.
4. 2 Bedford st.	Shoe shop.
5. 32 Carmine st.	Barber shop.
6. 251 Bleeker st.	Shoe shop.
7. 271 Bleeker st.	Undertaker store.
8. 26 Barrow st.	Shoe shop.
9. 29 Commerce st.	Grocery.
10. 61 Bedford st.	Shoe shop.
11. 320 Bleeker st.	Barber shop.
12. 461 Hudson st.	Milk store.
13. 633 Washington st.	Grocery.
14. 672 Washington st.	Barber shop.
15. 262 W. 10th st.	Cigar store.
16. 342 Bleeker st.	Cigar store.
17. 356 Bleeker st.	Shoe shop.
18. 370 Bleeker st.	Cigar store.
19. 78 and 80 Bank st.	Soda water store.
20. 733 Greenwich st.	Paint store.
21. 145 Perry st.	Shoe store.
22. 257 Washington st.	Barber shop.
23. 372 W. 11th st.	Barber shop.
24. 777 Washington st.	Plumber shop.
25. 619 Hudson st.	Barber shop.
26. 661 Hudson st.	Shoe shop.
27. 82 Gansevoort st.	Seed store.
28. 353 and 355 W. 13th st.	Produce store.
29. 99 Eighth ave.	Cigar store.
30. 119 Eighth ave.	Cigar store.
31. 89 Tenth ave.	Barber shop.
32. 345 Bleeker st.	Cigar store.

## Tenth Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 6 Stanton st.	Cigar store.
2. 247 Eldridge st.	Barber shop.
3. 100 Stanton st.	Barber shop.
4. 134 Stanton st.	Cigar store.
5. 13 Clinton st.	Barber shop.
6. 254 E. Houston st.	Cigar store.
7. 190 E. Houston st.	Barber shop.
8. 9 First ave.	Barber shop.
9. 45 Second st.	Tailor shop.
10. 33 Second st.	Tailor shop.
11. 84 E. 4th st.	Barber shop.
12. 43 First ave.	Cigar store.
13. 112 E. 4th st.	Cigar store.
14. 120 Third st.	Undertaker store.
15. 56 First ave.	Barber shop.
16. 24 Avenue A.	Cigar store.
17. 181 Third st.	Confectionery.
18. 207 E. 4th st.	Cigar store.
19. 141 E. 4th st.	Shoe store.
20. 300 Fifth st.	Barber shop.
21. 203 Fifth st.	Barber shop.
22. 242 Sixth st.	Tailor shop.
23. 88 First ave.	Barber shop.
24. 526 Sixth st.	Shoe shop.
25. 136 Seventh st.	Barber shop.
26. 443 Sixth st.	Barber shop.
27. 237 Sixth st.	Shoe shop.
28. 14 St. Mark's pl.	Barber shop.
29. 127 Seventh st.	Barber shop.
30. 198 Allen st.	Tailor shop.
31. 163 Essex st.	Barber shop.

## Eleventh Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 331 Fourth ave.	Cigar store.
2. 356 Fourth ave.	Barber shop.
3. 395 Fourth ave.	Shoe shop.
4. 394 Fourth ave.	Cigar store.
5. 19 W. 28th st.	Tailor store.
6. 56 W. 28th st.	Shoe shop.
7. 424 Sixth ave.	Shoe shop.
8. 165 W. 25th st.	Tailor shop.
9. 287 Seventh ave.	Cigar store.
10. 137 Seventh ave.	Cigar store.
11. 107 W. 29th st.	Shoe store.
12. 125 W. 30th st.	Tailor shop.
13. 524 Sixth ave.	Undertaker store.
14. 452 Fourth ave.	Barber shop.
15. 463 Fourth ave.	Cigar store.
16. 62 W. 34th st.	Plumber shop.
17. 417 Seventh ave.	Cigar store.
18. 599 Sixth ave.	Barber shop.
19. 1326 Broadway.	Tailor shop.
20. S. E. cor. Park ave. and 37th st.	Polling booth.
21. 628 Sixth ave.	Undertaker store.
22. 666 Sixth ave.	Barber shop.
23. 1387 Broadway.	Barber shop.
24. 143 W. 31st st.	Tailor shop.
25. 105 W. 33d st.	Tailor shop.

## Twelfth Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 140 Lewis st.	Barber shop.
2. 451 E. Houston st.	Barber shop.
3. 411 E. Houston st.	Barber shop.
4. 140 Pitt st.	Fishing-tackle store.
5. 301 E. Houston st.	Picture-frame store.
6. 9 Avenue C.	Barber shop.
7. 27 Avenue B.	Cigar store.
8. 286 Second st.	Cigar store.
9. 32 Avenue D.	Cigar store.
10. 23 Avenue D.	Trunk store.
11. 292 Fourth st.	Printing office.
12. 295 Fourth st.	Barber shop.
13. 49 Avenue D.	Cigar store.
14. 703 Fifth st.	Cigar store.
15. 612 Fifth st.	Cigar store.
16. 101 Avenue C.	Jewelry store.
17. 94 Avenue C.	Shoe store.
18. 96 Avenue D.	Candy store.
19. 118 Avenue C.	Barber shop.
20. 338 Eighth st.	Shoe store.
21. 313 Eighth st.	Cigar store.
22. 377 Eighth st.	Candy store.
23. 168 Avenue C.	Barber shop.
24. 398 E. 10th st.	Barber shop.
25. 603 Ninth st.	Cigar store.
26. 167 Avenue C.	Barber shop.
27. 343 E. Houston st.	Barber shop.

## Thirteenth Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 169 Tenth ave.	Coal office.
2. 104 Tenth ave.	Harness shop.
3. 96 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.
4. 124 Eighth ave.	Wall paper store.
5. 260 W. 17th st.	Shoe shop.
6. 366 W. 18th st.	Fancy goods store.
7. 115 Ninth ave.	Fancy goods store.
8. 135 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.
9. 259 W. 18th st.	Barber shop.
10. 162 Seventh ave.	Cigar store.
11. 157 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.
12. 330 W. 21st st.	Builder's office.
13. 204 Eighth ave.	Barber shop.
14. 188 Ninth ave.	Shoe shop.
15. 215 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
16. 373 W. 23d st.	Tailor shop.
17. 252 Eighth ave.	Barber shop.
18. 253 Seventh ave.	House furn'g store.
19. 318 Eighth ave.	Barber shop.
20. 363 W. 24th st.	Tailor shop.
21. 247 Tenth ave.	Cigar store.
22. 267 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
23. 248 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
24. 302 W. 27th st.	Cigar store.
25. 261 W. 26th st.	Tailor store.
26. 264 W. 28th st.	Barber shop.
27. 328 Ninth ave.	Laundry.
28. 344 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
29. 360 Ninth ave.	Tailor store.
30. 563 W. 23d st.	Barber shop.
31. 138 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
32. 156 Ninth ave.	Tailor shop.
33. 236 Seventh ave.	Cigar store.
34. 292 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.

## Fourteenth Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 245 Stuyvesant st.	Barber shop.
2. 350 E. 9th st.	Barber shop.
3. 345 E. 9th st.	Cigar store.
4. 344 E. 11th st.	Barber shop.
5. 350 E. 12th st.	Candy store.
6. 213 First ave.	Barber shop.
7. 89 Third ave.	Tailor shop.
8. 233 First ave.	Cigar store.
9. 220 First ave.	Dry goods store.
10. 200 First ave.	Undertaker store.
11. 190 First ave.	Barber shop.
12. 240 E. 10th st.	Laundry.
13. 154 First ave.	Cigar store.
14. 140 First ave.	Barber shop.
15. 158 Avenue A.	Barber shop.
16. 184 Avenue A.	Tailor store.
17. 204 Avenue A.	Cigar store.
18. 512 E. 14th st.	Candy store.
19. 604 E. 14th st.	Cigar store.
20. 199 Avenue C.	Barber shop.
21. 185 Avenue C.	Candy store.
22. 200 Avenue C.	Milk store.

## Fifteenth Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 507 W. 26th st.	Candy store.
2. 273 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.
3. 299 Ninth ave.	Oyster saloon.
4. 319 Ninth ave.	Oyster saloon.
5. 317 Tenth ave.	Barber shop.
6. 349 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.
7. 362 Tenth ave.	Cigar store.
8. 365 Tenth ave.	Barber shop.
9. 403 W. 32d st.	Real estate office.
10. 412 Tenth ave.	Barber shop.
11. 445 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.
12. 425 Tenth ave.	Coal office.
13. 453 Tenth ave.	Cigar store.
14. 457 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
15. 477 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
16. 443 W. 37th st.	Barber shop.
17. 493 Tenth ave.	Barber shop.
18. 515 Tenth ave.	Shoe store.
19. 410 W. 39th st.	Fancy goods store.
20. 409 W. 39th st.	Shoe shop.
21. 528 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
22. 518 Ninth ave.	Milk store.
23. 356 W. 38th st.	Barber shop.
24. 350 W. 37th st.	Barber shop.
25. 395 W. 35th st.	Barber shop.
26. 442 Ninth ave.	Stationery store.
27. 610 Eighth ave.	Shoe shop.
28. 550 Eighth ave.	Barber shop.
29. 270 W. 36th st.	Barber shop.
30. 486 Eighth ave.	Stationery store.
31. 265 W. 33d st.	Stable office.
32. 444 Eighth ave.	Real estate office.
33. 256 W. 32d st.	Plumber shop.
34. 250 W. 31st st.	Printing office.
35. 259 W. 29th st.	Barber shop.
36. 528 Eighth ave.	Cigar store.

## Sixteenth Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 259 Avenue B.	Cigar store.
2. 624 East 17th st.	Bakery.
3. 305 Avenue C.	Shoe store.
4. 262 Avenue A.	Bakery.
5. 250 Avenue A.	Cigar store.
6. 240 Avenue A.	Clothing store.
7. 233 Avenue A.	Barber shop.
8. 247 Avenue A.	Shoe store.
9. 267 Avenue A.	Tailor store.
10. 298 First ave.	Barber shop.
11. 322 First ave.	Candy store.
12. 338 First ave.	Barber shop.
13. 355 First ave.	Tailor store.
14. 326 East 22d st.	Shoe store.
15. 354 First ave.	Grocery.
16. 420 First ave.	Clothing store.
17. 406 Second ave.	Cigar store.
18. 432 Second ave.	Barber shop.
19. 456 Second ave.	Paint store.
20. 209 East 25th st.	Shoe shop.
21. 315 Third ave.	Cigar store.
22. 389 First ave.	Barber shop.
23. 349 Second ave.	Barber shop.
24. 233 Third ave.	Tailor store.
25. 351 East 18th st.	Stable office.
26. 307 First ave.	Stationery store.
27. 335 East 14th st.	Barber shop.
28. 202 East 18th st.	Barber shop.

## Seventeenth Assembly District.

Location.	Occupied as
1. 548 Eleventh ave.	Barber shop.
2. 510 W. 43d st.	Barber shop.
3. 513 W. 43d st.	Shoe store.
4. 583 Eleventh ave.	Barber shop.
5. 622 Eleventh ave.	Barber shop.
6. 638 Eleventh ave.	Harness shop.
7. 635 Eleventh ave.	Shoe shop.
8. 709 Tenth ave.	Barber shop.
9. 747 Tenth ave.	Cigar store.
10. 755 Tenth ave.	Barber shop.
11. 767 Tenth ave.	Harness shop.
12. 745 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
13. 433 W. 49th st.	Tailor store.
14. 404 W. 49th st.	Barber shop.
15. 400 W. 47th st.	Barber shop.
16. 645 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.
17. 637 Ninth ave.	Tailor store.
18. 608 Tenth ave.	Furniture store.
19. 584 Tenth ave.	Cigar store.
20. 571 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.
21. 546 Tenth ave.	Cigar store.
22. 345 W. 40th st.	Cigar store.
23. 346 W. 42d st.	Barber shop.
24. 612 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.
25. 646 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
26. 726 Ninth ave.	Cigar store.
27. 764 Ninth ave.	Tailor store.
28. 1629 Broadway.	Tailor store.
29. 1610 Broadway.	Barber shop.
30. 764 Eighth ave.	Barber shop.
31. 682 Eighth ave.	Florist store.
32. 257 W. 41st st.	Barber shop.
33. 242 W. 41st st.	Grocery.
34. 629 Tenth ave.	Shoe store.
35. 363 W. 42d st.	Stable office.
36. 634 Ninth ave.	Real estate office.
37. 843 Eighth ave.	Cigar store.
38. 695 Tenth ave.	Tailor shop.
39. 733 Tenth ave.	Barber shop.
40. 680 Tenth ave.	Cigar store.
41. 664 Ninth ave.	Undertaker store.
42. 694 Ninth ave.	Barber shop.

Location. Occupied as  
 41. 1774 Tenth ave. .... Undertaker shop.  
 42. E. S. 10th ave., 12th  
 and 13th sts. .... Candy store.  
 43. 2368 Eighth ave. .... Fruit store.

**Twentieth Assembly District.**  
 Location. Occupied as  
 1. 670 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 2. 704 Third ave. .... Cigar store.  
 3. 810 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 4. 862 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 5. 159 E. 57th st. .... Law office.  
 6. 789 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 7. 817 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 8. 711 Third ave. .... Cigar store.  
 9. 814 Second ave. .... Confectionery.  
 10. 725 Third ave. .... Confectionery.  
 11. 867 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 12. 835 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 13. 896 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 14. 787 Third ave. .... Cigar store.  
 15. 906 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 16. 803 Third ave. .... Bell-hanging store.  
 17. 202 E. 51st st. .... Locksmith store.  
 18. 936 First ave. .... Shoe store.  
 19. 977 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 20. 986 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 21. 960 First ave. .... Shoe store.  
 22. 2004 E. 53th st. .... Barber shop.  
 23. 995 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 24. 1049 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 25. 1054 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 26. 1076 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 27. 1114 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 28. 201 E. 57th st. .... Plumber shop.  
 29. 858 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 30. 966 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 31. 971 First ave. .... Dry goods store.  
 32. 1067 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 33. 1018 First ave. .... Cigar store.  
 34. 1054 First ave. .... Tailor store.

**Twenty-first Assembly District.**  
 Location. Occupied as  
 1. 1454 Broadway .... Tailor shop.  
 2. 1526 Broadway .... Shoe shop.  
 3. 778 Sixth ave. .... Plumber shop.  
 4. 112 E. 41st st. .... Tailor shop.  
 5. 108 E. 47th st. .... Plumber shop.  
 6. 816 Sixth ave. .... Cigar store.  
 7. 713 Seventh ave. .... Cigar store.  
 8. 757 Seventh ave. .... Barber shop.  
 9. 876 Sixth ave. .... Barber shop.  
 10. 118 E. 51st st. .... Grocery.  
 11. 874 Fourth ave. .... Upholstery store.  
 12. 934 Sixth ave. .... Barber shop.  
 13. 787 Seventh ave. .... Barber shop.  
 14. 803 Seventh ave. .... Barber shop.  
 15. 985 Sixth ave. .... Real estate office.  
 16. 998 Sixth ave. .... Florist store.  
 17. 917 Fourth ave. .... Tailor shop.  
 18. 625 Madison ave. .... Undertaker store.  
 19. 812 E. 60th st. .... Tailor shop.  
 20. 1082 Fourth ave. .... Harness shop.  
 21. Fourth ave., cor. 67th st. .... Polling booth.  
 22. Fourth ave., bet. 72d and  
 73d sts. .... Polling booth.  
 23. Madison ave., bet. 77th  
 and 78th sts. .... Polling booth.  
 24. 102 E. 82d st. .... Market.  
 25. 132 E. 82d st. .... Shoe shop.  
 26. 116 E. 63d st. .... Tailor shop.  
 27. Fourth ave., cor. 65th st. .... Polling booth.  
 28. 99 E. 78th st. .... Milk office.  
 29. 1439 Fourth ave. .... Barber shop.

**Twenty-second Assembly District.**  
 Location. Occupied as  
 1. 139 E. 50th st. .... Barber shop.  
 2. 1078 Third ave. .... Paper store.  
 3. 1146 Third ave. .... Cigar store.  
 4. 1266 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 5. 182 E. 78th st. .... Tailor shop.  
 6. 164 E. 84th st. .... Shoe shop.  
 7. 1536 Third ave. .... Cigar store.  
 8. 123 E. 87th st. .... Stable office.  
 9. 1613 Fourth ave. .... Shoe shop.  
 10. 1689 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 11. 1475 Third ave. .... Real estate office.  
 12. 1047 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 13. 1595 Avenue A. .... Barber shop.  
 14. 200 E. 82d st. .... Barber shop.  
 15. 302 E. 81st st. .... Real estate office.  
 16. 1526 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 17. 1375 Third ave. .... Cigar store.  
 18. 1502 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 19. 1472 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 20. 1468 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 21. 1431 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 22. 1350 First ave. .... Stationery store.  
 23. 1410 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 24. 1261 Third ave. .... Cigar store.  
 25. 1293 First ave. .... Hat store.  
 26. 1065 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 27. 1136 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 28. 1120 First ave. .... Cigar store.  
 29. 1013 Third ave. .... Real estate office.  
 30. 301 E. 50th st. .... Barber shop.  
 31. 429 E. 59th st. .... Tailor shop.  
 32. 1518 Avenue A. .... Cigar store.  
 33. 1482 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 34. 228 E. 76th st. .... Tailor shop.  
 35. 1635 Avenue A. .... Barber shop.  
 36. 1684 Avenue A. .... Plumber shop.  
 37. 1626 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 38. 206 E. 81st st. .... Barber shop.  
 39. 1331 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 40. 1333 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 41. 1256 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 42. 1009 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 43. 1206 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 44. 1105 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 45. 1394 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 46. 1413 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 47. 1322 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 48. 1440 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 49. 1442 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 50. 1481 First ave. .... Cigar store.  
 51. 1397 Third ave. .... Picture store.  
 52. 1339 Avenue A. .... Cigar store.

By order of the Board of Police.

Location. Occupied as  
 53. 1571 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 54. 1612 Avenue A. .... Market.  
 55. 178 E. 85th st. .... Barber shop.  
 56. 1645 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 57. 1537 Third ave. .... Cigar store.  
 58. 202 E. 80th st. .... Cigar store.

**Twenty-third Assembly District.**  
 Location. Occupied as  
 1. 1682 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 2. 1875 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 3. 1850 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 4. 305 E. 105th st. .... Coal office.  
 5. 2082 Second ave. .... Tin store.  
 6. 200 E. 110th st. .... Candy store.  
 7. 2040 Third ave. .... Cigar store.  
 8. 2080 Third ave. .... Plumber shop.  
 9. 201 E. 111th st. .... Plumber shop.  
 10. 2228 First ave. .... Cigar store.  
 11. 2209 First ave. .... Confectionery.  
 12. 2314 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 13. 2254 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 14. 2110 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 15. 142 E. 117th st. .... Plumber shop.  
 16. 180 E. 118th st. .... Undertaker store.  
 17. 74 W. 124th st. .... Office.  
 18. 1097 Lexington ave. .... Barber shop.  
 19. 2347 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 20. 2332 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 21. 2362 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 22. 204 E. 123d st. .... Plumber shop.  
 23. 337 E. 125th st. .... Plumber shop.  
 24. 205 E. 123d st. .... Barber shop.  
 25. 2058 Lexington ave. .... Plumber shop.  
 26. 75 E. 125th st. .... Cigar store.  
 27. Cor. Fifth ave. and 128th  
 st. .... Polling booth.  
 28. 2397 Fourth ave. .... Paint shop.  
 29. 2363 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 30. 2422 Fourth ave. .... Tailor shop.  
 31. N. E. cor. 130th st. and  
 6th ave. .... Carpenter shop.  
 32. 1665 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 33. 1834 Third ave. .... Upholstery store.  
 34. N. W. cor. 4th ave. and  
 106th st. .... Polling booth.  
 35. 1640 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 36. 203 E. 104th st. .... Tailor shop.  
 37. 201 E. 107th st. .... Barber shop.  
 38. 2164 Second ave. .... Cigar store.  
 39. 2248 First ave. .... Shoe shop.  
 40. 189 E. 115th st. .... Shoe shop.  
 41. 190 E. 121st st. .... Coal office.  
 42. 2380 First ave. .... Barber shop.  
 43. 203 E. 101st st. .... Builder's office.  
 44. 1867 Third ave. .... Plumber shop.  
 45. 185 E. 104th st. .... Real estate office.  
 46. 168 E. 110th st. .... Cigar store.  
 47. 1036 Third ave. .... Dyeing store.  
 48. 180 E. 109th st. .... Tailor shop.  
 49. 1969 Third avenue. .... Barber shop.  
 50. 2134 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 51. 137 E. 110th st. .... Barber shop.  
 52. 2015 Fourth ave. .... Barber shop.  
 53. 2211 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 54. 2226 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 55. 204 E. 119th st. .... Barber shop.  
 56. 2304 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 57. 548 E. 120th st. .... Coal office.  
 58. 2345 Second ave. .... Barber shop.  
 59. 2216 First avenue. .... Confectionery.  
 60. 2397 Third avenue. .... Furniture store.  
 61. 157 E. 126th st. .... Tin store.  
 62. 62 W. 125th st. .... Barber shop.  
 63. 59 W. 125th st. .... Barber shop.  
 64. 143 W. 125th st. .... Stable office.  
 65. 2098 Fifth ave. .... Dwelling.  
 66. 153 W. 128th st. .... Stable office.

**Twenty-fourth Assembly District.**  
 Location. Occupied as  
 1. 137th st. Southern Boule-  
 vard. .... Real estate office.  
 2. 591 Southern Boulevard. Barber shop.  
 3. 2584 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 4. 2704 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 5. 2525 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 6. 2797 Third ave. .... Paper-hanging store.  
 7. 2831 Third ave. .... Feed store.  
 8. 2748 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 9. 149th st. near St. Ann's  
 avenue. .... Barber shop.  
 10. 2662 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 11. 651 Elton ave. .... Shoe store.  
 12. 3063 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 13. 790 Courtland ave. .... Barber shop.  
 14. 3295 Third ave. .... Carpet store.  
 15. 722 E. 167th st. .... Office.  
 16. 3531 Third ave. .... Harness store.  
 17. Mot. ave., near 150th st. Stable office.  
 18. Sedgwick avenue and  
 Depot pl. .... Barber shop.  
 19. Grey st., between Morris  
 and Monroe aves. .... Private barn.  
 20. Corner 17th st. and  
 Washington ave. .... Cigar store.  
 21. 1088 Main st. .... Harness shop.  
 22. 1097 Main st. .... Fancy store.  
 23. 775 E. 177th st. .... Barber shop.  
 24. 1043 Vanderbilt ave. .... Fancy store.  
 25. Berrian ave. and Kings-  
 bridge road. .... Shoe store.  
 26. Broadway, near Ma-  
 comb st. .... Plumber shop.  
 27. Broadway and Old Post  
 road. .... Temperance Hall.  
 28. 2482 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 29. 2634 Third ave. .... Barber shop.  
 30. 745 E. 142d st. .... Grocery.  
 31. N. E. cor. 142d st. and  
 Morris ave. .... Cigar store.  
 32. 599 Courtland ave. .... Barber shop.  
 33. 651 Courtland ave. .... Furniture store.  
 34. 723 Courtland ave. .... Barber shop.  
 35. 914 Tinton ave. .... Barber shop.  
 36. 954 Forest ave. .... Dwelling.  
 37. 1118 Forest ave. .... Dwelling.  
 38. 1353 Boston ave. .... Grocery.  
 39. Spuyten Duyvil road. Barber shop.

JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief of the Bureau of Elections.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Docks, held October 13, 1887.

Present—Commissioners Stark, Matthews and Marshall.

The minutes of the meetings held October 6, 1887, were read and approved.

The Board then opened the estimates advertised to be opened this day at 12 o'clock M., for preparing for and building a wooden platform north of the Storehouse Pier at Blackwell's Island, East river, and for removing part of said Pier.

A representative of the Comptroller was present.

Five estimates were received, as follows:

No.	FROM.	CLASS No. 1.	CLASS No. 2.	CLASS No. 3.
		Dredging Crib-work, per Cub. Yard.	Removing Portion of Storehouse Pier.	Building New Wooden Platform, etc.
1	From Moses Engle, with \$70 in money	\$1 75	\$688 00	\$4,658 00
2	" Fearon & Jenks, with \$70 in money	1 75	500 00	5,000 00
3	" John W. Flaherty, with \$70 in money	1 50	925 00	3,750 00
4	" John D. Walsh, with \$70 in money	1 50	483 00	5,342 00
5	" D. A. Gillies, with \$70 in money	1 50	357 00	4,178 00

On motion, the Secretary was directed to transmit to the Comptroller the security deposits received from said bidders and accompanying their estimates.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the contract opened this date for preparing for and building a wooden platform north of the Storehouse Pier at Blackwell's Island, East river, and for removing part of said pier, be and hereby is awarded to D. A. Gillies, he being the lowest bidder, upon the approval of the sureties by the Comptroller of the City.

The application of Kennedy, Riemhart & Co., for reduction of rent of berth on the north side of Pier at the foot of Fifty-first street, North river, was,

On motion, laid on the table.

The Communication from the Engineer-in-Chief, in reference to the eligible list of steam engineers submitted by the Civil Service Supervisory and Examining Boards, was referred to Executive Session.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 7058, in reference to the plans and specifications submitted by Theodore F. Tone for building a bulkhead between One Hundred and Thirty-third and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, North river, was,

On motion, laid on the table and the Secretary directed to request Mr. Tone to call on the Commissioners, on Wednesday, October 19th instant.

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 Hon. Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor.—In reference to and enclosing communication received respecting the compensation of Night Watchmen in the employ of the Department. The action of Commissioner Marshall in replying thereto was approved.

From Department of Street Cleaning:

1st. Requesting dredging in the slip at dumping-board, foot of Canal street, North river. The action of Commissioner Marshall in advising that the Engineer-in-Chief has been directed to examine and report the dredging required was approved.

2d. Requesting permit to dump ashes at the foot of Seventy-eighth street, North river. The action of Commissioner Marshall in stating this Department will not interpose any objection to dumping at the said premises, provided the material is such as is described in the permit, was approved.

3d. Stating that his Department is very much in need of the timber in the old dump at Thirty-seventh street, which is about to be torn down. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to give the Department of Street Cleaning said timber was approved.

From Counsel to the Corporation.—Approving contract for building Pier, near 37, near the foot of Charlton street, North river.

From O'Connell & Coffey.—Requesting an extension of time for the completion of bulkhead and Pier foot of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report. The Secretary directed to notify O'Connell & Coffey to prosecute the work therewith as much energy as possible.

From John F. Doyle, agent of the owners of south half of Pier 15, East river.—Advising that the required repairs will be made to the tender-piles on outer end of Pier 15, East river.

From Department of Public Charities and Correction.—Requesting repairs to boat-landing foot of East Fifty-second street, East river. Referred to Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Ridgewood Ice Company.—Agreeing to the terms of permit for wagon-top on Pier foot of Third street, East river.

From Sebastian Rapid Transit Company.—Requesting permission to enlarge coal-bun situated on the east side of Second avenue, at the Harlem river, in accordance with plan submitted. The action of Commissioner Marshall in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

From Theodore F. Tone.—Submitting new plans and specifications for building a bulkhead on the North river, between One Hundred and Thirty-third and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets. The action of Commissioner Matthews in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

From Charles Van Riper and Tinsley Bros.—Agreeing to the terms and conditions of permit issued by the Board October 4, 1887.

From New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company:

1st. Requesting permit to fill in ditches across the meadow flats near Float bridge, near Willis avenue, Harlem river. The action of Commissioner Marshall in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report, was approved.

2d. Requesting permit to drive piles along the racks of the bulkhead on the north side of Willis avenue, Harlem river. The action of the President in issuing a permit, the piles to be kept within existing lines, and the work to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief, was approved.

From William M. Montgomery & Co.—Requesting permit to place platform-scale and tally-house near the bulkhead on the north side of the approach to Pier at foot of West Fortieth street, North river. Permit granted, provided that no cap, cross-cap or ranger is cut, the said scales to be placed thereat under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and remain during the will of the Board.

From Ben Franklin Line of Barges.—Requesting permit for tally-house on Pier, new 35, North river. Permit granted; to remain during the will of the Board.

From North River Steamboat Company.—Requesting permit to maintain tally-house on north side of Pier, old 34, North river. Permit granted; to remain during the will of the Board.

From the Stephens and Condit Transportation Company.—Requesting permit to retain tally-house on Pier, old 33, North river. Permit granted; to remain during the will of the Board.

From Alex. McDonnell.—Requesting permit for Derrick on Pier 3, North river. Permit granted; to remain during the will of the Board.

From Edward M. Parker.—Requesting permit to retain two derricks, coal-pockets and tram-ways erected on the bulkhead between Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth streets, North river. Permit granted; to be and remain thereat during the will of the Board.

From Joseph Jenks & Brother.—Requesting permit for tally-house on Pier, old 34, North river. Permit granted; to remain during the will of the Board.

From C. H. Maltby & Co.—Requesting permit for three hoisting engines and two tally-houses on Pier 20, East river, and two hoisting engines and one tally-house on Pier 21, East river. Referred to the Dock Master to examine and report.

From Frank Phelps, lessee.—Advising Department that he will proceed to repair Pier 40, East river.

From Fire Department.—In relation to the ingress and egress of the fire-boat "Wm. F. Havemeyer" at Pier 48, East river, and as to dumping ashes thereon. The action of the Secretary in sending the Dock Master extract from said letter was approved.

From Sutton & Co.—Requesting permit for tally-house on Pier 19, East river. Permit granted; to be and remain during the will of the Board.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty.

2d. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending October 8, 1887.

3d. Reporting the amount of material excavated by the Union Dredging Company with Department dredges during the month of September, 1887.

4th. Reporting repairs required at Old Pier, foot Thirty-eighth street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$200.

5th. Reporting that all the public baths occupying berths on the North, East and Harlem rivers are being removed for the winter and recommending that an order be issued to restore the



berths occupied by said baths during the past summer to their original condition. The action of Commissioner Matthews in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair, as recommended in his report, was approved. The Secretary directed to notify the several Dock Masters in whose districts said baths were located to collect wharfage from all vessels using the berths heretofore occupied by the baths.

6th. Reporting the completion of dredging in half slip west of Pier 19, and slip between Piers 43 and 44, East river, under Contract No. 244. Reporting non-commencement of repairs to the east and west half of Pier 2, East river. Referred to Commissioner Marshall.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7022, dredging required at dumping-board foot of Canal street, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to make requisition for dredging thereat to the extent of about 2,000 cubic yards, to obtain a depth of fifteen feet at mean low-water, as recommended in his report.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7030, repairs required to deck of Pier 62, East river. The Secretary directed to notify C. E. Murtha, lessee of the north half and the alleged owners of the south half of said pier to repair, as recommended by the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and under his direction and supervision.

9th. Report on Secretary's Orders Nos. 7034 and 7035, repairs required to Piers at Little West Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair, as recommended in his reports, at a cost of about \$5 and \$50 respectively, was approved.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7038, repairs required to water-leader on south side, lower end of Pier, new 46, North river. The action of Commissioner Marshall in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair, as recommended in his report, was approved.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6933, repairs required to Pier at One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, North river. The action of Commissioner Marshall in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$40, was approved.

12th. In relation to acquiring possession of the water-front between Barclay street and Murray street, North river. Referred to Commissioners Matthews and Marshall, to see what arrangements can be made with the Rhinelander estate, alleged owners, for the purchase of said property, and report to the Board.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7061, in reference to the application of the Suburban Rapid Transit Company for permission to alter coal-bin erected at east side of Second avenue, Harlem river. Permit granted for a temporary coal-bin as requested, the same to remain only during the pleasure of the Board.

14th. Reporting that the plans submitted by William P. Clyde & Co. for proposed iron shed on Pier 15, East river, are sufficiently strong, and the structure is to be of iron. On motion, the plans were approved and the Secretary directed to notify William P. Clyde & Co. and the Engineer-in-Chief of the action of the Board.

15th. Report on Secretary's Orders Nos. 6581, 6648, 6609, 6779, 6683 and 6884, that he had made requisition for dredging in front of bulkhead at East Seventy-fifth street, at East One Hundred and Seventeenth street, half slip adjoining west side of Pier 25, in front of bulkhead at East Ninety-ninth street, and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, Harlem river, and supervised the work thereat which was done by the Union Dredging Company.

16th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6648, that he had supervised and directed the dredging at pier, between East One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets, Harlem river.

17th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6655, that he had repaired the west half of Pier 12, East river, and directed and superintended the repairing of the east half.

18th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6839, that he had directed and superintended repairing Pier 10, East river.

19th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6887, that he had repaired the Pavilion Pier at Twenty-seventh street, East river.

20th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6953, that he had directed and superintended the raising and removing of canal boat sunk in the slip on the easterly side of Pier at Thirty-eighth street, North river.

21st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7031, that he had directed and superintended the repairing of pavement on surface of bulkhead, between Piers 17 and 18, East river.

22d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7033, that he had directed and superintended replacing piles at the corners of dumping-board at Forty-ninth street, East river.

23d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 7037, that he had directed and superintended the strengthening of runway on Pier foot of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Harlem river.

From George A. Dearborn, Dock Master—Reporting that the approach to bulkhead foot of Seventy-fifth street, East river, is obstructed by the contractor building sewer in said street. The President authorized to request the Commissioner of Public Works to compel the contractor to leave a roadway open in said street in order that access may be had to the bulkhead.

From Charles H. Pendergast, Dock Master—Reporting that the East River Bathing Company have removed the bath from bulkhead south of Pier 55, East river.

From Joseph B. Erwin, Dock Master: 1st. Reporting small holes in deck of Pier at Fifty-first street, North river. The action of Commissioner Marshall in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.

2d. Reporting that Thomas Scully has surrendered manure dump occupied by him foot of Forty-seventh street, North river. Referred to Commissioner Marshall.

From P. Curley, Dock Master: 1st. Reporting mooring post missing south side of Pier at Forty-sixth street, North river. The action of Commissioner Marshall in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.

2d. Reporting several holes in the sheathing on outer end of Pier at West Eleventh street, North river. The action of Commissioner Marshall in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

From Patrick J. Brady, Dock Master: 1st. Reporting that platform at Twenty-fourth street, North river, requires cleaning. The action of Commissioner Marshall in requesting the Department of Street Cleaning to clean was approved.

2d. Reporting repairs required to Pier, new 59, North river. The action of Commissioner Marshall in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.

From John J. Ryan, Dock Master—Reporting favorable on the application of Mr. Tieman to retain boat-house foot of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 6679, submitting plans, form of contract and specifications for building a crib-bulkhead between One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets, Harlem river, was

On motion, ordered to be placed on file and the following resolution was adopted: Resolved, That the plans, form of contract and specifications, as prepared and submitted by the Engineer-in-Chief for building a crib-bulkhead from the centre of the block between East One Hundred and Fourteenth and East One Hundred and Fifteenth streets, Harlem river, be and they hereby are approved, subject to the approval of the Council to the Corporation as to form, and the Secretary be and hereby is directed to have a sufficient number of blank forms of proposals printed and proper advertisements inviting estimates for doing said work inserted in the papers designated by law.

A report from the Engineer-in-Chief, submitting new plans for the improvement of the East and Harlem river water-front, extending from the northerly side of Eighty-sixth street, East river, to the easterly side of Third avenue, Harlem river, was received, read and ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolutions in relation thereto, unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the plans for the water-front on the westerly side of the East and Harlem rivers, extending from the northerly side of Eighty-sixth street, East river, to the easterly side of the Third avenue, Harlem river, made and prepared pursuant to the provisions of chapter 517, Laws of 1884, be and the same are hereby approved, adopted and declared to be the sole plan determined upon by the Department of Docks for the section of territory embraced therein, subject to the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as required by law.

Resolved, That the President be and hereby is directed to transmit the said plans to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, and to respectfully request their approval and adoption of the same, in accordance with the requirements of chapter 517, Laws of 1884.

The Auditing Committee presented an audit of forty bills or claims amounting to \$32,457.91, which was received, and, On motion, ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

Audit No.	Bills or Claims.	Amount.
9808.	Pierson & Co., iron	\$38 21
9809.	Garret E. Green, shingles	40 00
9810.	Adolph Starke, spikes	104 00
9811.	Alexander Pollock, spikes	108 80
9812.	The Eckford Iron Works, windlass, etc.	35 34
9813.	McLaughlin & Loyd, staples, etc.	70 00
9814.	William M. Tebo, repairs tug "Manhattan"	661 75
9815.	Brown & Fleming, cobbles	2,100 00
9816.	Union Dredging Co., dredging	2,037 00
9817.	McNab & Harlin Manufacturing Co., unions, etc.	16 66
9818.	A. V. Abbott, testing granite	18 00
9819.	Thomas C. Dunham, lard oil	33 66
9820.	Haebler & Co., cement	137 50
9821.	Alfred J. Murray, yellow pine, etc.	1,636 45
9822.	Patterson Bros., spikes, etc.	550 21
9823.	Alexander Pollock, Manila rope	283 52

Audit No.	Bills or Claims.	Amount.
9824.	Richard Vose, cutting machine, etc.	\$72 00
9825.	Pioneer Iron Works, boiler, etc.	380 25
9826.	Union Dredging Co., dredging	2,135 60
9827.	Thomas C. Townsend, plumbing	23 66
9828.	Victor Viewrow, towing	735 00
9829.	W. W. MacLay, car fares, etc.	11 30
9830.	John H. Corley, car fares	17 25
9831.	F. P. Thompson, car fares	20 55
9832.	The Hilton Timber and Lumber Co., yellow pine	341 38
9833.	Martin B. Brown, stationery	46 32
9834.	Ward & Olyphant, coal	336 26
9835.	Joseph Walsh, Estimate No. 2, Contract No. 248	15,559 72

On Construction Account..... \$27,610 39

9836.	Alfred J. Murray, yellow pine	\$43 87
9837.	Union Dredging Co., dredging	2,317 00
9838.	Garret E. Green, mouldings, etc.	10 74
9839.	William M. Tebo, Estimate No. 2, and final Contract No. 244	666 52
9840.	Bell Bros., spruce	1,512 06
9841.	David F. McCarthy, car-fares, etc.	19 13
9842.	Isaac Hall's Son, iron chain	48 60

On General Repairs Account..... \$4,618 52

9843.	Martin B. Brown, stationery	\$168 99
9844.	National Press and Intelligence Co., clippings	32 00
9845.	Patterson Bros., locks, etc.	3 90
9846.	James S. Barron & Co., camphor, etc.	9 00
9847.	Garret E. Green, walnut boards, etc.	15 11

On Annual Expense Account..... \$229 00

RECAPITULATION.		
28	Bills or Claims on Construction Account	\$27,610 39
7	" " General Repairs Account	4,618 52
5	" " Annual Expense Account	229 00
40	" " Amounting to	\$32,457 91

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

New York, October 12, 1887.  
On motion, the President was authorized to transmit said bills, together with requisitions for the amounts, to the Finance Department for payment.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending October 11, 1887, amounting to \$29,151.88, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1887.					1887.
Oct. 6	Consumers' Ice Co.	1 mos. rent Pier, Horatio st., N.R.	\$100 00		
" 6	McDonough & Co.	1 qrs. rent l. u. w., s. s. 126th st., H. R.	100 00		
" 6	Union Dredging Co.	Use Department dredges, July, 1887	730 84		
" 7	N. Y., L. E. & W. R. R. Co.	1 qrs. rent Piers, new 20, 21, and 560 ft. bld., N. R.	23,750 00		
" 7	"	1 qrs. rent W. 1/2 Pier 8, E. R.	2,000 00	\$26,680 84	Oct. 7.
" 10	R. M. Kid.	Sale of map	\$5 00		
" 11	David W. Bogert	Wharfage District No. 2	182 78		
" 11	Patrick Curley	"	702 56		
" 11	Charles B. Husted	"	246 64		
" 11	Patrick J. Brady	"	120 05		
" 11	Joseph B. Erwin	"	200 68		
" 11	John J. Ryan	"	38 46		
" 11	Charles H. Thompson	"	89 98		
" 11	Edward Abeel	"	234 48		
" 11	Charles H. Pendergast	"	312 60		
" 11	Charles Hutchinson	"	26 35		
" 11	George A. Dearborn	"	77 00		
" 11	John Callan	"	53 75		
" 11	Charles Hutchinson	"	176 71		
" 11	Dump tickets	"	5 00		
				2,471 04	" 11.
				\$29,151 88	

Respectfully submitted,  
JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

The following preambles and resolution were,  
On motion, adopted:

Whereas, By an agreement dated on the 4th day of August, 1887, this Board has agreed with Mr. C. P. Huntington, lessee of Pier, new 37, North river, to repair and rebuild the understructure of said Pier, new 37, North river, which has been burned; and Mr. C. P. Huntington has agreed to rebuild and repair the superstructure of said pier which has been burned at his own cost and expense; and

Whereas, Mr. C. P. Huntington has requested this Board to build the whole of Pier, new 37, and to make the pier eighty feet wide instead of seventy feet, as heretofore, and to build the substructure as well as the superstructure thereof;

Resolved, That this Board will build the whole of the Pier, new 37, including the substructure, as well as the superstructure, said pier to be eighty feet wide and five hundred and eighty-eight feet long, provided the said C. P. Huntington will agree, in writing, to pay thirty-seven and one-half per cent. of the whole cost under the contract for said pier, as the proper amount to be paid by him in respect of such extra width, and in lieu of constructing, repairing and rebuilding the superstructure of said pier at his own cost and expense.

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

Register No.	Estimated cost.	
6255.	Augers	\$70 00
6256.	White lead	40 00
6257.	Lamp-black, plumbago, etc.	16 00
6258.	Tubular lanterns, etc.	44 00
6259.	Cane brooms	42 50
6260.	Diving dresses	53 00
6261.	Prince's brown metallic paint	35 00
6262.	Repairing level	10 00
6263.	Dredging	400 00
6264.	Cable-laid line	15 00
6265.	Spruce, 10,000 feet, B. M.	220 00
6266.	Repairs to divers' pump, etc.	75 00
6267.	Divers' shoes	60 00

Register No.		Estimated cost,	
6268.	Putting up stoves, etc.	\$20 00	
6269.	Galley stove, furniture, etc., tug "Manhattan"	50 00	
6270.	Round iron	30 00	
6271.	Repairing friction-drum, pile driver No. 11	45 00	
6272.	Manila rope, etc.	111 00	
6273.	Spruce, 10,000 feet, B. M., per M.	22 00	
6274.	Putty	7 00	
6275.	Ahlsstrom bolts	50 00	
6276.	Spruce, 20,000 feet, B. M., per M.	22 00	
6277.	White pine	55 00	
6278.	Hickory	20 00	
6279.	Span cotton	6 00	
6280.	Yellow pine	86 00	
6281.	Stationery	51 16	
6282.	Drawing material	16 50	
6283.	Grate bars, etc.	16 50	
6284.	Type-writing paper	12 00	
6285.	Dredging West Fifty-second Street Section	4,000 00	
6286.	Dredging Franklin Street Section	1,800 00	
6287.	Dredging Franklin Street Section	1,800 00	
6288.	Repairing water pipe	3 00	
6289.	Cobble, West Fifty-second Street Section	1,335 00	
6290.	Rip-rap, West Fifty-second Street Section	1,392 00	
6291.	Cobble, North Moore Street Section	1,157 00	
6291.	Cobble, North Moore Street Section	1,160 00	
6292.	Rip-rap, Franklin Street Section	1,167 00	
6293.	Cobble, Franklin Street Section	1,157 00	

On motion, adjourned.

G. KEMBLE, Secretary.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 13, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, September 27, 1887.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 13, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, September 27, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Farley to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in Tenth avenue near the northeast corner of Fifty-fourth street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 20, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, September 28, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the St. John the Baptists' Foundation to construct a vault under the sidewalk, as shown on the annexed diagram, in front of school connected with the Church of the Holy Cross on Fourth street, between Avenues B and C, without the payment of any fee, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 20, 1887.  
Received from His Honor the Mayor, September 28, 1887, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Kulze to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 1841 Ninth avenue, northwest corner of One Hundred and Fifth street, the work to be done and the 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, September 20, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, September 28, 1887.

Resolved, That Sixth avenue, north of One Hundred and Tenth street, shall be hereafter known and designated as Lenox avenue, this resolution to take effect after December 1, 1887.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 20, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 1, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Muller to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers, periodicals, etc., within the stoop-line in front of premises owned by himself, southwest corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Nineteenth street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed six feet long by four wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 4, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 6, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peter Fox to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit and periodicals, within the stoop-line in front of premises northwest corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, said stand to be three feet wide and six feet long, he having obtained the consent of the property owners at said location, which consent is hereto attached, 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, October 4, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 6, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James E. Fitzgerald to flag the sidewalk, full width, in front of his premises, Nos. 425 and 427 East Sixty-fifth street, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 4, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 11, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Mount Carmel Church to construct a vault under the sidewalk on north side of One Hundred and Fifteenth street, commencing at a point about one hundred and ninety-two feet west of Pleasant avenue and running west about thirty feet, without payment of the usual fee, the work to be done at the expense of the Church, 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, October 4, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 11, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Debert to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of his premises in One Hundred and Twenty-second street, between Eighth and St. Nicholas avenues, 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, October 4, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 11, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William C. Schemmerhorn to pave the carriageway of Sixty-seventh street, from Second avenue to Avenue A, with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks of three courses of blue stone be laid at the intersecting and terminating avenues, where not already done, the work done at his own expense, under the direction and supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 4, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 11, 1887.

This Board has learned with sorrow of the decease of Alderman James J. Corcoran, the representative in this Board of the people of the Fifteenth Assembly District.

Our deceased associate was for the second time the representative of the Fifteenth Assembly District in this Common Council. He was deservedly very popular with his constituents, as he possessed, in a marked degree, those many traits of character that invariably attract and attach all who came within the influence of his personality. He was kind and courteous in his demeanor, genial and confiding in his disposition, firm and unyielding in his convictions, and disinterested in his friendships. His death is a loss to the public; a cause of sorrow to his friends; a calamity to his family and relatives. He was a conscientious and painstaking representative, and an honest legislator, and it becomes the sad duty of the members of this Board, in view of these facts, to take such action as will testify our sorrow for his death and place on record our estimate of the loss this Board and the public have sustained by his death; be it therefore

Resolved, That the members of this Common Council deplore the death of Alderman James J. Corcoran, who represented the Fifteenth Assembly District in this Board, and hereby place on record this evidence of the esteem in which he was held by us, and our sense of his worth, both in his private and public relations.

Resolved, That, out of respect for the memory of Alderman James J. Corcoran, the Chamber of this Board, and the chair lately occupied by him, be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days; that the offices of the Corporation, except those specially by law required to be kept open, be closed on the day of the funeral ceremonies (Thursday, October 13, 1887); that the flags on the City Hall and the other public buildings be displayed at half-staff from sunrise until sunset on that day; that the members of the Board will attend his funeral in a body, and that a committee of six members of this Board, of whom the President shall be one, be appointed to perfect the above and make such other arrangements as may to them appear to be necessary.

Resolved, That, as an additional mark of respect for the memory of our lamented associate, this Board do now adjourn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen unanimously by a rising vote, October 11, 1887, and Aldermen Divver, Fitzgerald, Quinn, Dowling, Cowie, and Van Rensselaer appointed the Special Committee, the President being named in the resolution.  
Approved by the Mayor, October 12, 1887.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,  
Superintendent City Record.

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

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

Yours respectfully,  
LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,  
Superintendent.

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

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

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

Very respectfully,  
LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor; ARTHUR BERRY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

## Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 202, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C. LUELVY, Auditor.

## BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

## Commissioner's Office.

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

## Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

## Bureau of Water Register.

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

## Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

## Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

## Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

## Bureau of Incubators.

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

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

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## Comptroller's Office.

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

## Auditing Bureau.

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

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

ARTHUR S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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



**Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.**

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building.  
 GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

**Bureau of the City Chamberlain.**

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

**Office of the City Paymaster.**

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

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

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

**Office of the Public Administrator.**

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

**Office of the Corporation Attorney.**

No. 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. FURCH, President; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

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

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.  
 Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M. to 1 P. M.  
 Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M. to 1 P. M.  
 RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

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

**Headquarters.**

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

**Bureau of Chief of Department.**

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

**Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.**

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

**Bureau of Fire Marshal.**

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

**Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.**

ALBERT F. D'ONCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

**Attorney to Department.**

WM. L. FINDLEY.

**Fire Alarm Telegraph.**

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

**Repair Shops.**

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

**Hospital Stables.**

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

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT.**

(No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.)  
 JAMES C. BAYLES, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.**

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 M. C. D. BORDEN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

**Civil and Topographical Office.**

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

**Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.**

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

**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.**

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.  
 MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

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

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**

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

**CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.**

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

**BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.**

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

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**

Office City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 EDWARD GILSON, 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. SEKTON, Under Sheriff; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest Clerk.

**REGISTER'S OFFICE.**

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

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**

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

**COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**

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

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.**

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

**THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.**

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

**CORONERS' OFFICE.**

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.  
 MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NOGENT, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

**SUPREME COURT.**

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10:30 A. M.  
 CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.

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

Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.  
 Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.

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

Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.  
 Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.

Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

**SUPERIOR COURT.**

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
 General Term, Room No. 35.  
 Special Term, Room No. 33.

Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.  
 Part I, Room No. 34.  
 Part II, Room No. 35.

Part III, Room No. 36.  
 Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.  
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Justice; THOMAS BOUSE, Chief Clerk.

**COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.**

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
 Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
 Chambers, Room No. 21, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part I, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
 Part II, Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part III, Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 25, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

RICHARD L. LARSEN, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.**

N. 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 o'clock A. M.

Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

**COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.**

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10:30 A. M., excepting Saturday.  
 Clerk's Office, Tombs.

**DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.**

First District—First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.

Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
 GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.  
 ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.  
 JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.  
 WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.

Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays) and continues to the close of business.  
 AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.

On and after Monday, October 3, 1887, the trial days of this court will be Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
 FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.  
 HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.  
 ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.

Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue; Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of Sixth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

LEO C. DESSAR, Justice.

**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. CREIGER, 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. 65 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

**DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.**

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

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

(No. 238.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A CRIB BULKHEAD, WITH APPURTENANCES, BETWEEN EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET AND EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET, HARLEM RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND building a crib bulkhead, with appurtenances, between East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, Harlem river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1887.

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

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

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

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

**CLASS 1.**

Dredging on the site of the new crib bulkhead and in the slip in front of the crib bulkhead—about 15,000 cubic yards.

**CLASS 2.**

Crib bulkhead containing about the following quantities:

1. About 21,700 cubic feet of crib-work, complete, including fenders, mooring-posts, backing-logs, flooring, facing timbers, longitudinal logs, cross-ties, fastenings, and stone filling within the crib-work, but excluding the rip-rap on the flooring in rear of the crib-work, and measured from the top of the foundation caps of the crib-work to the under side of the backing-logs.

Feet, B. M., measured in the work.

2. Yellow Pine Timber, foundation caps, 12" x 12"..... 1,224

Yellow Pine Timber, caps for fender piles, 10" x 12"..... 1,710

Total Yellow Pine Timber..... 11,364

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber are exclusive of waste.

3. White Pine, Yellow Pine, Cypress or Spruce Foundation Piles..... 162

(It is expected that these piles will have to be from about 35 to about 40 feet long, to meet the requirements of the specifications for driving)

4. Round floor logs, not less than 6" in diameter at small end, in rear of the crib-work, about, 1,780

5. Square Wrought-iron Dock Spikes in foundation caps in floor logs in rear of the crib-work, and in fender-pile blocks, about..... 1,895 pounds.

6. Wrought-iron Screw-bolts, 1 1/4" and 1" in diameter, in foundation caps and fender-piles, about, 107 pounds.

7. Cast iron washers for 1 1/4" and 1" Screw-bolts, in foundation caps and fender-piles, about..... 95

8. White Oak Fender-piles about 50 feet long..... 8

9. Labor of preparing existing crib-work at each end for the reception of the new crib-work.

10. Labor of framing and carpentry, including all moving of timber, joining, bolting, spiking, painting, and furnishing the materials for painting, and labor of every description, as called for in the specifications.

**CLASS 3.**

Rip-rap stone furnished and put in place on the flooring in rear of the crib-work and in the embankment in rear of the foundation piles—about 3,500 cubic yards.

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

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

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work, to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plan therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and all the work contracted for is to be fully completed on or before the fifteenth day of March, 1888, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof, shall be payable by a clause in the contract, determined, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the existing bulkheads to be removed under this contract shall be sold by the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done in each class in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which prices the bids will be tested. These prices are to govern all items of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay from any cause, in the performing of the work.

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

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance, and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled upon its completion and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done in each class by which the bid is made.

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

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, October 14, 1887.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Thirtieth street, North river—Unknown man, aged about 50 years; five feet eight inches high; body in an advanced state of decomposition, through being eaten by fish; had on gray mixed coat, dark pants and vest, white shirt, white merino undershirt, white cotton socks, laced shoes.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Male Mary, aged 75 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted Corset and Corset.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Thomas Hayes, aged 35 years. Committed September 6, 1887. Had on when admitted, aged 50 years. Committed September 23, 1887.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Bertha Tongen, aged 28 years; 5 feet 2 1/2 inches high; dark hair; gray eyes. Had on when admitted brown suit, gray striped petticoat, beaded hat.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Bridget Dooley, aged 50 years; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted alpaca skirt, black alpaca waist, brown striped shawl, leather slippers black and red woolen hood.

Gustave Marshall, aged 20 years; 5 feet 11 inches high; blue eyes; light brown hair. Had on when admitted gray coat, black corduroy pants, black check jumper, blucher shoes, white straw hat.

Michael Ward, aged 50 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted black coat, pants and vest, gray shoes.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.  
PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, HARDWARE, IRON, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.  
6,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, October 20, 1887.

1,000 pounds Cheese.  
1,000 pounds Dried Apples.  
4,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.

800 pounds Maracabo Coffee, roasted.  
500 pounds Macaroni.  
3,000 pounds Prunes.  
20,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

2,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.  
2,000 pounds Cracked Sugar.  
400 pounds Cocoa.  
3,000 pounds Honey, price to include packages.

400 barrels Fine Flour.  
200 barrels prime quality Salt Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.  
250 bushels Rye.

15 tubs best quality kettle rendered Leaf Lard, 50 pounds each.  
15 dozen Sea Foam.  
10 dozen Worcester Sauce, L. & P.

3,000 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candied.  
400 prime quality Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.  
400 prime quality Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.

600 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.  
50 barrels prime Kid Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.  
1,000 heads prime good sized Cabbage.

400 bushels One Flour, Annealed Wire, No. 10.  
100 bags Bran Meal, 100 pounds net each.  
100 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.

HARDWARE, SHEET IRON, ETC.  
24 dozen pairs Narrow Fast Butts, first quality, 6 1/2 inch, 6 3/4 inch, 6 5/8 inch, 3 1/2 inch, 3 3/4 inch.

50 papers Finishing Nails, first quality, 12 1/4 inch, 12 inch, 12 1/2 inch, 12 3/4 inch.  
50 Brass Mortise Locks, 1 1/2 inch, 1 3/4 inch, 2 inch, 2 1/2 inch, 2 3/4 inch, 3 inch, 3 1/2 inch, 4 inch, 4 1/2 inch, 5 inch, 5 1/2 inch, 6 inch, 6 1/2 inch, 7 inch, 7 1/2 inch, 8 inch, 8 1/2 inch, 9 inch, 9 1/2 inch, 10 inch, 10 1/2 inch, 11 inch, 11 1/2 inch, 12 inch, 12 1/2 inch, 13 inch, 13 1/2 inch, 14 inch, 14 1/2 inch, 15 inch, 15 1/2 inch, 16 inch, 16 1/2 inch, 17 inch, 17 1/2 inch, 18 inch, 18 1/2 inch, 19 inch, 19 1/2 inch, 20 inch, 20 1/2 inch, 21 inch, 21 1/2 inch, 22 inch, 22 1/2 inch, 23 inch, 23 1/2 inch, 24 inch, 24 1/2 inch, 25 inch, 25 1/2 inch, 26 inch, 26 1/2 inch, 27 inch, 27 1/2 inch, 28 inch, 28 1/2 inch, 29 inch, 29 1/2 inch, 30 inch, 30 1/2 inch, 31 inch, 31 1/2 inch, 32 inch, 32 1/2 inch, 33 inch, 33 1/2 inch, 34 inch, 34 1/2 inch, 35 inch, 35 1/2 inch, 36 inch, 36 1/2 inch, 37 inch, 37 1/2 inch, 38 inch, 38 1/2 inch, 39 inch, 39 1/2 inch, 40 inch, 40 1/2 inch, 41 inch, 41 1/2 inch, 42 inch, 42 1/2 inch, 43 inch, 43 1/2 inch, 44 inch, 44 1/2 inch, 45 inch, 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**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE** owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved, 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 2471, No. 1. Paving Sixty-seventh street, from Second to Third avenue.

List 2483, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Sixty-seventh street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Madison to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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 24th day of October, 1887.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ City Hall,  
New York, September 22, 1887.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE** owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved, 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 2415, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and altering Morris avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth streets.

List 2451, No. 2. Laying crosswalks across Pleasant avenue, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

List 2464, No. 3. Sewer in One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

List 2481, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

List 2489, No. 5. Paving Eighty-third street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

List 2497, No. 6. Laying crosswalks at the intersection of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-first street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Morris avenue from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. To the extent of half the block from the intersection of Pleasant avenue and One Hundred and Fifteenth street, including both sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street to the Harlem river.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Eighty-third street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 6. To the extent of half the block from the intersection of Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-first street.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 22d day of October, 1887.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ City Hall,  
New York, September 21, 1887.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
New York, October 12, 1887.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED** envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed therein, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Thursday, October 20, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

**FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK REQUIRED FOR THE ERECTION OF A BUILDING FOR THE USE OF THE DOG POUND AT THE FOOT OF EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREET.**

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

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

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 15.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
New York, October 7, 1887.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED** envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed therein, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Thursday, October 20, 1887, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR SEWER IN FORTY-FOURTH STREET, between summit east of Sixth avenue and Sixth avenue, connecting with sewer in Sixth avenue.

No. 2. FOR SEWER IN NINETY-FIRST STREET, between Second and First avenues, connecting with present sewer east of First avenue.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH STREET, between Seventh and Sixth avenues.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS AND EDGEcombe ROAD, between One Hundred and Thirty-third and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets.

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

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

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

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

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JOHN NEWTON,  
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**FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK IN THE FURNISHING AND SETTING A NEW STEAM BOILER IN THE SEVENTH DISTRICT COURT-HOUSE, EAST FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET.**

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JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

### PUBLIC NOTICE.

**PERSONS HAVING ANY BUSINESS IN THIS** Department which is not assigned to or transacted by the City of New York, and which is not a part of the public utility, and which should come under the immediate notice of the Commissioner of Public Works, are requested to communicate directly in person, or by letter, with the Commissioner.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

**NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.**

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

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

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted. Notice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water resulting from defective plumbing or from defective service pipes, plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owner of the premises.

House-owners are further notified that whenever their premises become vacant, and are likely to remain vacant, they must notify this Department in writing, and that unless the regulations of the Department prohibiting the use of extra water rents will be allowed for any portion of one year.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

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

### PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, of the Laws of the City of New York, passed June 1, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

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

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

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

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

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

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

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**

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

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

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

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary.

## SUPREME COURT.

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

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL** of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-ninth day of October, 1887, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, October 14, 1887.

ADOLPH L. SANGER,  
GEORGE F. LANGEIN,  
WILLIAM T. BYRNES,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-THIRD 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 Thursday, the twenty-ninth day of November, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or thoroughfare known as One Hundred and Forty-third 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 459 feet 8 inches northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-first street; thence westerly and parallel with said street 224 feet 1½ inches to the easterly line of the new avenue; thence northerly 60 feet 4½ inches; thence easterly 286 feet 4½ inches to the westerly line of Eighth Avenue; thence southerly along said line 60 feet to the point of place of beginning.

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

Dated New York, October 12, 1887.

MORGAN J. O'BRIEN,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the Matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to the lots and premises, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-NINTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from the southern line of the Southern Boulevard to its intersection with the line of the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the matters therein, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said City, on or before the fourteenth day of October, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week days next after the said fourteenth day of October, 1887, and after that purpose will be in attendance at said office on each of said ten days, at 10 o'clock P. M.

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

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the southerly side of Fox Street and a line drawn parallel with the northerly side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, distant 640 feet northerly therefrom; and extending from the southerly side of Fox Street to its intersection with a line drawn northerly from the northeasterly termination of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and perpendicular thereto; easterly to the line of the Twelfth Ward and the easterly side of Austin place; southerly by a line drawn parallel with the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, distant 100 feet northerly therefrom; and westerly to the southerly side of the Southern Boulevard to the easterly side of Austin place; and westerly by the easterly side of the Southern Boulevard, the easterly side of Prospect Avenue and the southerly side of Fox Street; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened and all the unimproved land included within these lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places, and all the lots and parcels of land shown on any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, and the laws of the City of New York, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, August 22, 1887.

B. CASSERLY,  
THOMAS J. MILLER,  
ADOLPH L. SANGER,  
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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