

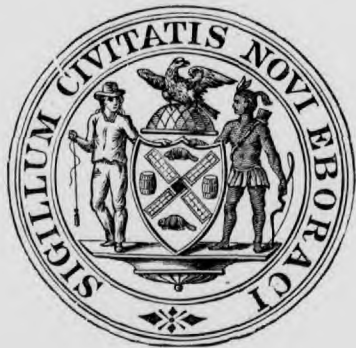
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### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

STATED SESSION.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

TUESDAY, December 8, 1885,  
1 o'clock P. M.

The Board met in their chamber, No. 16 City Hall.

#### PRESENT:

Hon. Adolph L. Sanger, President;

#### ALDERMEN

Henry W. Jaehne,  
Vice-President,  
George B. Brown,  
Thomas Cleary,  
James A. Cowie,  
Robert E. De Lacy,  
Frederick Finck,  
Robert Hall,

Anthony Hartman,  
Bartholomew F. Kenney,  
Patrick H. Kerwin,  
Bankson T. Morgan,  
James B. Mulry,  
Joseph Murray,  
Owen McGinnis,  
Michael McKenna,

Arthur J. McQuade,  
Patrick N. Oakley,  
Edward F. O'Dwyer,  
John Quinn,  
Charles H. Reilly,  
Thomas Rothman,  
James T. Van Rensselaer,  
Thomas P. Walsh.

The minutes of December 2 and 4 were read and approved.

#### INVITATIONS.

An invitation was received to attend the annual ball of the Americus Tally-ho Club, at Ferrero's Assembly Rooms, on Monday, December 14, 1885.  
Which was accepted.

#### PETITIONS.

By Alderman Morgan—

Petition of the Cercle Francais de l'Harmonie for permission to erect a temporary bridge from the Academy of Music across Irving place to Irving Hall, on the occasion of their annual ball, to be held on the 18th day of January, 1886.

In connection therewith, Alderman Morgan offered the following:  
Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the Cercle Francais de l'Harmonie to erect a bridge across Irving place, connecting the Academy of Music with Irving Hall, on the night of the 18th day of January, 1886, provided such bridge shall not interfere with the free use of the street by the public, and that the said bridge be removed and the street restored to its usual condition on the 19th day of January, 1886.

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

#### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By the President—

Whereas, The growth of our city imperatively demands the creation and maintenance of public improvements in the interest of the whole people; and

Whereas, The intellectual culture of the inhabitants of a great city has been uniformly regarded as entitled to foremost consideration; and

Whereas, The prominence and influence of a metropolis are largely dependent upon the establishment and concentration within its limits of institutions of learning, art, science and letters, and the value and importance of such agencies for progress are enhanced by the opportunities accorded its inhabitants of properly availing themselves of the advantages for education thereby offered;

Now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Legislature of the State of New York be requested to incorporate on the most liberal and well-considered basis, a free public library, which shall forever stand as a monument of the homage paid by the people to self-culture, and which shall fittingly supplement our system of public education, constituting, with our public schools and colleges, the museums of art and of science, a university worthy of the City of New York.

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor and the Counsel to the Corporation be invited to co-operate with a special committee of this Board to prepare and submit to the Legislature a suitable memorial praying for legislation in this regard, and to draft a proper act of incorporation.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman De Lacy—

Resolved, That a committee of five, including the President of this Board as Chairman, be appointed by the President, for the purpose of carrying into effect the preamble and resolutions just adopted by this Board.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative; and he subsequently appointed Aldermen Jaehne, Hall, Morgan and McGinnis as such Committee, the President being appointed Chairman by the resolution.

(G. O. 543.)

By the President—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Madison avenue, north of Ninetieth street, where not already 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 the Goldsmith & Hoffman Collar Company to receive and deliver goods in front of their premises, Nos. 705 and 707 East Thirteenth 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 the Hebrew Free School to place a transparency over the street-lamp on Broadway, near Thirty-ninth street, advertising a ladies' fair; such permission to continue from the 9th to the 19th day of December, inclusive.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 544.)

By Alderman Brown—

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

Which was laid over.

By Alderman Cowie—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Mannes to retain a sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 300 Seventh avenue, provided such sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed five feet long by one foot 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.

By Alderman De Lacy—

Resolved, That the time fixed for the regular meetings of this Board be changed from 2.30 P. M. to 1 o'clock P. M.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Hartman—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Rehberg to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 645 North Third avenue, provided such coal-box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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 Vice-President Jaehne—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Stefano Dondero to place and keep a stand for the sale of merchandise on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 206 Spring street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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 Luiga Briasco to place and keep a stand for the sale of merchandise on the sidewalk, near the curb, at the southwest corner of South Fifth avenue and Spring street, near pillar of elevated railroad, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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 Kenney—

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to Lowry B. Grim to receive and deliver goods in front of his premises, Nos. 15 and 16 Thirteenth avenue.

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 Lepold Sickel to place and keep a movable sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 41 Carmine street, provided such sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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 Morgan—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Forty-second Street, Manhattanville and St. Nicholas Avenue Railway Company to erect a starter's box on northwest corner Forty-second street and Seventh avenue, four feet wide and eight feet long, the work to be done at the expense of the company, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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 Henry O. Moritz to place and keep a sign two by three and a half on the tree in front of his premises, No. 22 East Seventeenth 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 Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Brunner to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 117 Grand street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed five feet long by two feet 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.

By Alderman Reilly—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Christopher Cramer to retain a post and sign at curb-line, in front of No. 1218 Third avenue; 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 Christopher Cramer to retain a post and sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1218 Third avenue, provided such post and sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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 President—

Resolved, That Simpson Hamburger 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 Clark B. Augustine be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, whose term of office expires December 19, 1885.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Brown—

Resolved, That Sutherland G. Taylor be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds, whose term of office expires December 13, 1885.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Morgan—

Resolved, That William Wuerz be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds, whose term of office expires December 19, 1885.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By the same—

Resolved, That James F. Pendleton be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds, whose term of office expires December 19, 1885.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Mulry—

Resolved, That Christopher Martin Buechler 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 Murray—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Oakley—

Resolved, That William S. McCotter 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 Charles A. Clark, 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.

#### 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to August Obizi to keep a stand in front of No. 45 Pine street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would interfere with the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to August Obizi to keep a small stand near the curb in front of No. 45 Pine street, provided such stand shall not obstruct the street or prevent its free use by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to Mrs. Michallier to place and keep a show-case on the sidewalk, in front of No. 215 Sixth avenue, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. Michallier to place and keep a show-case on the sidewalk, inside the stoop-line, in front of No. 215 Sixth avenue, provided such show-case shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to Thomas McLarry to place and keep a stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 726 Eighth avenue, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas McLarry to place and keep a stand for the sale of on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of premises No. 726 Eighth avenue, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to Charles Seidel to place a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 724 Tenth avenue, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Seidel to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 724 Tenth avenue, provided such box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to J. M. Bolken to place a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 699 Tenth avenue, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. M. Bolken to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 699 Tenth avenue, provided such box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to W. N. Plein to place a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 539 West Fiftyth street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to W. N. Plein to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 539 West Fiftyth street, provided such box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to S. Moran to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 128 West Twenty-seventh street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to S. Moran to place and keep a coal-box, for the sale of coal, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 128 West Twenty-seventh street, provided such coal-box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed six feet long by three feet wide and three feet high; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to John Demortini to place and keep a fruit stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 71 Walker street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Demortini to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 71 Walker 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 three wide; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to Thomas J. Hovenden to place a stand on the sidewalk in front of No. 53 Oak street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas J. Hovenden to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, etc., on the sidewalk, inside the stoop-line, in front of No. 53 Oak street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to B. Nealog to place a soda-water stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the northeast corner of Mulberry and Bayard streets, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to B. Nealog to place and keep a stand for the sale of soda water, on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the northeast corner of Mulberry and Bayard streets, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to Charles Beringer to place a meat-rack on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 14 Greenwich street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles Beringer to place and keep a meat-rack on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 14 Greenwich street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that the resolution of the Board of Aldermen of November 24, approved by me December 1, permitting John Clark to place platform scales in the carriageway on the west side of Thirteenth avenue, be rescinded, etc., for the reason that the Board of Public Works recommended the granting of same, and I see no good reason for revoking the privilege.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That the resolution approved December 1, 1885, permitting John Clark to place and keep a platform-scale in the carriageway on the west side of Thirteenth avenue, about thirty-seven feet south of Twenty-fourth street, be and the same is hereby annulled and repealed, and the permission thereby granted is hereby revoked.

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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to William Ufferliger to place a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 303 West Twenty-fourth street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Ufferliger to place and keep a coal-box on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 303 West Twenty-fourth street, provided such box shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed feet long by wide; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to Samuel Cohn & Bro. to retain a banner across the street, from No. 271 to No. 272 Grand street, etc., for the reason that the same is unsightly and undesirable.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Samuel Cohn & Bro. to retain a banner across the street, No. 271 to No. 272 Grand street, the said banner to be suspended forty feet from the surface of the street; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to M. L. Tuller & Co. to erect a post and sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 316 North Third avenue, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. L. Tuller & Co. to erect and maintain a post and sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of their premises, No. 316 North Third avenue, provided such post and sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to Loui Gainbrone to place and keep a fruit-stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of , in Grand street, near Broadway, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Loui Gainbrone to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in Grand street, near Broadway, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to Oreste Zerole to place a fruit-stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 114 Grand street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Oreste Zerole to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 114 Grand street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to M. Butler to place and keep a barber-pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1067 Second avenue, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. Butler to place and keep a barber-pole on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 1067 Second avenue, provided such pole shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to John Flurry to keep a news-stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, on southwest corner of Madison and Spring streets, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Flurry to keep news-stand southwest corner of Madison and Spring streets, near curb; such permission 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to D. Gazzolli and John Chiesa to place a fruit-stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the southwest corner of Forty-second street and Sixth avenue, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. Gazzolli and John Chiesa to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the southwest corner of Forty-second street and Sixth avenue, underneath the stairs leading to the elevated railroad station, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed eleven feet long by three wide; 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, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to P. J. Dobbins to place and keep a meat-rack on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of the northwest corner of Ridge and Division streets, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to P. J. Dobbins to place and keep a meat-rack on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the northwest corner of Ridge and Division streets, provided such rack shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 5, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 2, 1885, that permission be given to Spurgeon Perry to stand near the curb-stone, in front of No. 273 Sixth avenue, for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Dr. Spurgeon Perry to stand near the curb-stone, in front of No. 273 Sixth avenue, the consent of the occupant of said premises having been received; 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, December 8, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—I return to you, without my approval, the resolution passed by your Honorable Body on the 2d instant, adopting the report of the Committee on Railroads in favor of granting the application of the Houston, West Street and Pavia Ferry Railroad Company to operate the branches of their present road.

The general ground upon which my objection is based is, that the minimum amount fixed by the statute, which is payable into the City Treasury, and for the payment of which provision has of course been made, is much less than the real value of the proposed privilege.

Respectfully,

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That consent be and the same is hereby granted, and permission and authority given to the "Houston, West Street and Pavia Ferry Railroad Company" to construct, maintain and operate branches of their road now in operation, along and upon the following streets and avenues in the City of New York, as hereinafter described, viz. :

Beginning at the intersection of Stanton and Pitt streets (from which point their track now in operation leaves Stanton street and runs northerly through Pitt street and Avenue C), through and along Stanton street by a single track to Mangin street; thence through and along Mangin street by a single track from Stanton street to Houston street; also through and along Goerck street by a single track from Stanton street to East Third street; thence through and along East Third street by a single track from Goerck street to Avenue C; also through and along East Houston street with a double track easterly from Goerck street to the Houston Street Ferry, with the necessary switches, sidings, turn-outs and turn-tables.

Also, beginning at the intersection of Houston and West streets; thence upon and along West street to a point one hundred feet north of the northerly curb-line of Morton street; thence to the Hoboken Ferry, near the foot of said street; thence returning upon and along West street to Houston street, together with all switches, sidings, turn-outs and turn-tables which may be necessary for the proper operation of said branch railroad.

And be it further

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

First—The said railroad shall be operated by horse-power.

Second—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, and the material used in such construction shall be of the best quality and of the most approved pattern, which plan of construction, quality and pattern of material, number and location of connections, sidings, switches, turn-outs and turn-tables shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Public Works of said city.

Third—The said corporation shall comply with each and every of the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, pertinent thereto.

Fourth—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.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 8, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—I return to you, without my approval, the resolution passed by your Honorable Body on the 2d instant, adopting the report of the Committee on Railroads in favor of granting the application of the Madison Avenue and Eighty-sixth Street Railway Company to operate a railroad on the surface of certain streets in this city.

The general ground upon which my objection is based is, that the minimum amount fixed by the statute, which is payable into the City Treasury, and for the payment of which provision has of course been made, is much less than the real value of the proposed privilege.

Respectfully,

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of New York hereby consents that the Madison Avenue and Eighty-sixth Street Railway Company construct, maintain, operate and use a street surface railroad for public use in the conveyance of persons and property in cars by horse-power, or by some power other than by locomotive steam-power through, upon and along the surface of the following streets, avenues, highways and property in the City, County and State of New York, from and to the places hereinafter designated, to wit :

Commencing at or near the point of intersection of the centre line of Eighty-fifth street with the centre line of Madison avenue; thence running, with double tracks, and with such turn-outs, switches, sidings, turn-tables, suitable stands and turn-outs to connect with stables as may be necessary for the convenient working of such railroad; through, upon and along Eighty-fifth street to Fifth avenue; thence across Fifth avenue; thence through, upon and along the transverse road or street, beginning on the westerly line of Fifth avenue, opposite, or nearly so, Eighty-fifth street, and extending to the easterly line of Eighth avenue, opposite, or nearly so, Eighty-sixth street; thence across Eighth avenue to Eighty-sixth street; thence through, upon and along Eighty-sixth street to the Hudson river; and be it further

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

First—The said railroad shall be operated by horse-power.

Second—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, and the material used in such construction shall be of the best quality and of the most approved pattern, which plan of construction, quality and pattern of material, number and location of connections, sidings, switches, turn-outs and turn-tables shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Public Works of said city.

Third—The said corporation shall comply with each and every of the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, pertinent thereto.

Fourth—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.

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, December 8, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—I return to you, without my approval, the resolution adopted by your Honorable Body on the 2d instant, adopting the report of the Committee on Railroads in favor of granting the application of the St. Nicholas Avenue and Crosstown Railroad Company to construct and operate a railroad on the surface of certain streets and avenues in the City of New York.

The general ground upon which my objection is based is, that the minimum amount fixed by the statute, which is payable into the City Treasury, and for the payment of which provision has of course been made, is much less than the real value of the proposed privilege.

Respectfully,

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That the consent of the Common Council of the City of New York, as the "local authorities" mentioned in sections 3 and 4 of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, be and is hereby given to "The St. Nicholas Avenue and Crosstown Railroad Company" to construct, maintain and operate a street surface railroad, with the necessary connections, sidings, switches, turn-outs and turn-tables, through, along and upon the surface of the following-named streets, avenues and highways in the City of New York, viz. :

Commencing on East One Hundred and Sixteenth street, at or near the Harlem river; thence through, upon and along East and West One Hundred and Sixteenth street to New or Manhattan avenue; thence through, upon and along New or Manhattan avenue, with double tracks, to Avenue St. Nicholas; thence through, upon and along Avenue St. Nicholas, with double tracks, to the northerly terminus thereof.

Also, from Avenue St. Nicholas, at One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, through, upon and along One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, with double tracks, to Lawrence street; thence through, upon and along Lawrence street, with double tracks, to Broadway; thence through, upon and along Broadway, with single track, to One Hundred and Thirtieth street; thence through, upon and along One Hundred and Thirtieth street, with single track, to Twelfth avenue; thence through, upon and along Twelfth avenue, with single track, to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street; thence through, upon and along One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, with single track, to Lawrence street; thence through, upon and along Lawrence street, with single track, to connect with the double tracks at Broadway.

Also, from Avenue St. Nicholas, at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, through, upon and along One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, with double tracks, to Fourth avenue; thence through, upon and along Fourth avenue, with double or single tracks, to One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street; thence along and across Fourth avenue, and through, along and upon One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, with single or double tracks, to Second avenue.

Also, from tracks at Third avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, through, upon and along Third avenue, with single or double tracks, to One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street; thence through, upon and along One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, with double or single tracks, to connect with the tracks at Fourth avenue.

Also from One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, through, upon and along the Fourth avenue east of the Harlem Railroad, with single track, to connect with tracks on One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street; and be it further

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

First—The said railroad shall be operated by horse-power.



Second—The said railroad and the said sidings, switches, turn-outs, turn-tables and connections 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, and the material used in such construction shall be of the best quality and of the most approved pattern; which plan of construction, quality and pattern of material, number and location of connections, sidings, switches, turn-outs and turn-tables, shall be subject to the approval of the Commissioner of Public Works of said city.

Third—The said corporation shall comply with each and every of the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, pertinent thereto.

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

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, December 7, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 4, 1885, that permission be given to R. Skinner to place a sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 634 Madison avenue, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. Skinner to place and keep a real-estate sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 634 Madison avenue, provided such sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 7, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 4, 1885, that permission be given to Mrs. Johnson to place and keep a stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 123 Greenwich street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Mrs. Johnson to place and keep a stand for the sale of newspapers on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 123 Greenwich street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 7, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 4, 1885, that permission be given to the Union Pacific Tea Co. to exhibit goods on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 698 Tenth avenue, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Union Pacific Tea Company to exhibit goods on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 698 Tenth avenue, provided such goods shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 7, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 4, 1885, that permission be given to D. A. Williams to retain a sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 364 Ninth avenue, etc., for the reason that said sign causes an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. A. Williams to retain a sign on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 364 Ninth avenue, provided such sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 7, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 4, 1885, that permission be given to Hugo Koenig to retain the sign now in front of No. 4 First street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege interferes with the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Hugo Koenig to retain the sign now in front of No. 4 First street, provided such sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 7, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 4, 1885, that permission be given to Michlio Remolino to keep a stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, in William, near the northeast corner of Beaver street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Michlio Remolino to place and keep a stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, in William street, near the northeast corner of Beaver, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 7, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 4, 1885, that permission be given to Louis Pushnel to place a stand on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 27 Essex street, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the sidewalk by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Louis Pushnel to place and keep a stand for the sale of merchandise on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 27 Essex street, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 7, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

I return, without my approval, the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, adopted December 4, 1885, that permission be given to M. E. Kelly to place a sign (or monument) on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of premises on the south side of Fourth street, twenty feet west of Broadway, etc., for the reason that the exercise of this privilege would cause an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to M. E. Kelly to place and keep an emblematic sign, to wit, a granite monument, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of premises twenty feet west of Broadway, on the south side of Fourth street, provided such monument shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed twelve feet high by three feet wide; 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.

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

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, December 7, 1885.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen :

GENTLEMEN—In accordance with sections 1947 to 1951 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, I desire to communicate to you, with my approval, the application of the Fifth Avenue Transportation Company for the establishment of a stage route between the following points, to wit : From Bleeker street at South Fifth avenue to Eighty-second street at Fifth avenue, through said South Fifth avenue, Washington Square and Fifth avenue, in this City.

The function both of the Mayor and of the Common Council is, under the law, simply to determine whether it be advisable to create the route proposed to the Mayor, and their joint power cannot determine in whom the privilege shall be vested. Only that person or corporation can obtain the privilege, when decided upon, who bids the largest sum per annum to the City, with adequate security. The question is thus entirely shifted from the personality of applicants to the desirability of route, and there is left for me to state briefly the reasons which, to my mind, justify the creation of the privilege.

Undoubtedly there is a demand for cheap and certain transportation on Fifth avenue. This demand can be met only by the establishment of a line of stages, since, by a valid restraining law, the avenue is saved from the encroachment of car tracks. A stage line is not open to the objections which are convincingly urged against a tramway, and it certainly would not interfere with the enjoyment of this beautiful street as a highway to the Park; indeed, its existence might furnish a very strong argument against any future legislative interference seeking to authorize the laying of tracks. This consideration is in itself very forcible, and, in connection with the fact that the consent of a majority of the property owners along the avenue has been obtained, becomes controlling.

It is proper for me to say that another route upon Fifth avenue has been proposed, whose northern terminus is at the Harlem river. I think that, in view of the fact that the Madison avenue cars, which now run to Harlem, are fully equal to the demand for transportation in the upper part of the city, and in view of the further fact that the requisite consent to the extension has not yet been obtained, the route approved is preferable. In any event, the proponents of the latter route will have ample opportunity to secure at public letting the most valuable portion of the franchise which they seek.

Respectfully,

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

To the Hon. WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor of the City of New York :

The petition of the Fifth Avenue Transportation Company, Limited, respectfully sets forth :

I.—That your petitioner is a corporation duly organized under chapter 611 of the Laws of 1875, and as such authorized to take and convey persons in stages, and to provide and run the necessary stages, upon their route, for the public use, and to receive compensation therefor, in the City of New York, and its vicinity, upon acquiring authority to operate such route.

II.—That your petitioner hereby makes application that a route for the running of omnibuses or stages be established or allowed to be operated from Bleeker street, at South Fifth avenue, to Eighty-second street, at Fifth avenue, through said South Fifth avenue, Washington Square and Fifth avenue, in the City of New York.

III.—That your petitioner proposes to run fifty stages or omnibuses on said route, at the outset, and to put such stages on said route as soon as authority is given therefor and such stages can be built, and thereafter to increase such number from time to time, as fast and as often as the needs of the public service shall require such increase to a number not exceeding in the aggregate two hundred stages.

IV.—That a majority of the owners of property upon the said avenues, in or upon which such route or privilege is to be operated, have consented in writing to the grant of such stage or omnibus route or authority to run stages or omnibuses, to your petitioner as appears by Exhibit "A," hereto annexed and hereby made part of this application, which is a true copy of the original of such consent now in the hands of your petitioner ready to be produced when duly required.

Dated New York, November 30, 1885.

FIFTH AVENUE TRANSPORTATION COMPANY [LIMITED],

By E. ELY-GODDARD, President.

E. ELY-GODDARD, Chairman,  
SIDNEY DILLON,  
WILLIAM S. HAWK,  
THOS. J. BROWN,  
EUGENE M. EARLE,  
Committee on Organization.

#### EXHIBIT "A."

The undersigned, owners of property situate upon Fifth avenue and South Fifth avenue, between Bleeker street and Eighty-second street, in the City of New York, do hereby consent that a privilege or authority to run or operate stages or omnibuses, of the pattern of the low French omnibus or wagonette, be granted to the Fifth Avenue Transportation Company (Limited) by the Common Council of the said City, in or upon a route along said Fifth avenue and South Fifth avenue and through Washington Park, between said Bleeker street and Eighty-second street.

This consent in writing is given in compliance with the provisions of section 1947 of the "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

J. H. Gautier, 32 Fifth avenue, 118 feet.  
C. B. Sutton, 239 Fifth avenue, 26 feet 6 inches.  
Mr. John Wm. Hamersley, 255 Fifth avenue.  
Levi P. Morton, 503 Fifth avenue.  
R. L. Cutting, 141 and 145 Fifth avenue.  
H. M. Flagler 685 Fifth avenue, 28 feet 6 inches frontage.  
Wm. Rockefeller, 689 and 691 Fifth avenue, 50 feet 5 inches.  
Benj. Brewster, 695 Fifth avenue, 25 feet.  
Mrs. S. R. Butler, 433 Fifth avenue, 25 feet.  
Morris H. Henry, 581 Fifth avenue.  
Mrs. J. D. Goin, 582 Fifth avenue, 25 feet.  
Pierre Lorillard, 389 Fifth avenue.  
John Sloane, 997 Fifth avenue, 34 feet 6 inches.  
J. A. Lowery, 314 Fifth avenue.  
L. A. Griswold, by F. Gray Griswold, attorney, 91 Fifth avenue.  
Lewis A. Sayre, M. D., 285 Fifth avenue.  
John R. Ford, 507 Fifth avenue, 288 feet.  
Wm. Barclay Parsons, 505 Fifth avenue, 37 feet.  
Geo. L. Kingsland, Executor, 114 Fifth avenue, 46 feet.  
Caroline E. Johnson, by H. A. Johnson, 416 Fifth avenue, 26 feet.  
Effingham Townsend, 120 Fifth avenue.  
Lawrence Kip, 452 Fifth avenue, 33 feet.  
Mrs. R. S. Clark, 450 Fifth avenue.  
W. H. Webb, Fifth avenue and Forty-second street, 75 feet front on Fifth avenue.  
Estate of Thomas T. Sturges, Fifth avenue, Forty-second and Forty-third streets, 37½ feet front, T. T. Sturges, executor.  
Hawk & Wetherbee, Windsor Hotel.  
J. J. Belden, Windsor Hotel.  
H. H. VanDyck, 501 Fifth avenue.  
Estate of D. C. Kingsland, 116 Fifth avenue, 46 feet.  
Countess Sala, by Samuel L. M. Barlow, agent, 138 Fifth avenue.  
Roswell P. Flower, 597 Fifth avenue.  
Robert Bonner, Fifth avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street, east side.  
Emma Keep Schley, 601 Fifth avenue.  
Henry Bergh, 429 Fifth avenue and 172 Fifth avenue.



D. O. Mills, 634 Fifth avenue.  
 H. R. Bishop, 881 Fifth avenue.  
 Ogden Mills, Fifth avenue and Sixty-ninth street.  
 Pottier & Stymus Manufacturing Co., 489 Fifth avenue.  
 Calvin S. Brice, 693 Fifth avenue.  
 Mrs. G. A. Osgood, 25 feet, 697 Fifth avenue.  
 Christopher Meyer, 42 feet front 617 Fifth avenue; 100 feet Seventy-fifth and Seventy-sixth streets, lots.  
 S. A. Main, 25 feet, 666 Fifth avenue.  
 J. W. Clowes, 17 feet 8½ inches, 667 Fifth avenue.  
 V. K. Stevenson, Fifth avenue, southeast corner Fifty-ninth street, and 6 lots Fifth avenue and Seventy-ninth street, six lots.  
 Mrs. Mary Stuart, 871 Fifth avenue, 105 feet, 154 Fifth avenue, 90 feet.  
 David Dows, corner Fifth avenue and Sixty-ninth street.  
 C. Vanderbilt, 1 West Fifty-seventh street.  
 M. C. Wilson, 511 Fifth avenue, 63 feet.  
 Charles C. Delmonico, 212 Fifth avenue, 75 feet.  
 E. Frank Coe, 668 Fifth avenue, 25 feet.  
 Mrs. S. I. Torrance, 379 Fifth avenue.  
 J. J. Astor, 338 and 327 Fifth avenue.  
 W. W. Astor, 388 and 390 Fifth avenue.  
 Samuel D. Babcock, 636 Fifth avenue.  
 August Belmont, 109 Fifth avenue.  
 Henry Hilton, for C. M. Stewart, Fifth avenue and Thirty-fourth street.  
 Black, Starr & Frost, 251 Fifth avenue, 25 feet.  
 Cornelia Brady, 448 Fifth avenue.  
 T. C. Lawrence, 267 Fifth avenue, 30 feet.  
 H. Victor Newcomb, 683 Fifth avenue.  
 C. F. Livermore, 225 and 227 Fifth avenue, Hotel Brunswick.  
 James P. Kernochan, 384 Fifth avenue.  
 C. A. Seward, 143 Fifth avenue.  
 Amos R. Eno, 233 Fifth avenue, on Fifth avenue, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, 139 feet; Fifth avenue, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third streets, 133 feet; in all, 300 feet front.  
 John S. Kennedy, 995 Fifth avenue.  
 Catharine L. Brown, 514 Fifth avenue.  
 W. J. Syms, 477 Fifth avenue.  
 Hugh T. Dickey, 473 Fifth avenue.  
 Watson E. Case, 471 Fifth avenue, 26 feet 6 inches.  
 Orme Wilson, 414 Fifth avenue.  
 George Bliss, 387 Fifth avenue.  
 Eliza D. Harbeck, 260 Fifth avenue.  
 Robert Lennox Kennedy, 99 feet, 41 Fifth avenue.  
 S. E. Nash, 290 Fifth avenue, 25 feet.  
 Simon Wormser, 836 Fifth avenue, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth streets, 25 by 100.  
 Estate of Peter Moller, by Charles G. Moller, executor, between Sixty-third and Sixty-fourth streets, 100 feet front.  
 Sidney Dillon, Seventy-sixth street and Fifth avenue, 102 feet.  
 Russell Sage, 506 Fifth avenue, 26 feet.  
 Jay Gould, 579 Fifth avenue.  
 J. Jones, 246 Fifth avenue.  
 George N. Miller, 39 Fifth avenue, 55 feet.  
 P. Van Volkenburgh, 508 Fifth avenue.  
 Mrs. Ann K. Miller, 518 Fifth avenue.  
 Thos. Morrell, 572 Fifth avenue.  
 Chauncey Kilmer, 9 East Fifty-seventh street.  
 F. G. Whitney, 2 West Fifty-seventh street, 75 feet.  
 Chr. H. Contoit, 728 Fifth avenue, 27 feet.  
 Charles B. Ferrin, Hotel St. Marc, 45 feet.  
 John H. Hall, 559 Fifth avenue, 25 feet.  
 John H. Hall, southeast corner Fifth avenue and Eighty-second street, 102 feet.  
 John H. Watson, southeast corner Fifth avenue and Fifty-third street, 25x100.  
 John H. Watson, southeast corner Fifth avenue and Seventy-seventh street, 27½x120.  
 A. W. & T. Hume, 229 and 499 Fifth avenue, 21 feet and 16 feet 9 inches.  
 Henry Knickerbacker, corner Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, 100x200 feet.  
 Robert G. Remsen, 87 Fifth avenue, 29 feet 10 inches.  
 Benjamin F. Dawson, 3 Fifth avenue.  
 Paulina A. Morgan, 27 Fifth avenue.  
 Estate Marcus P. Woodruff, per Marcus P. Woodruff, trustee, 33 Fifth avenue, 27 feet.  
 E. J. Fales, 383 Fifth avenue.  
 D. H. Arnold, 382 Fifth avenue.  
 Eliza A. Titus, 375 Fifth avenue.  
 Marietta R. Stevens, 244 Fifth avenue, Victoria Hotel.  
 Marietta R. Stevens, executrix, 130 feet, Thirty-seventh street, corner Fifth avenue, 100 feet, Forty-fourth street, corner Fifth avenue.  
 David L. Haight, southeast corner of Fifth avenue and Fifteenth street, 80 feet on Fifth avenue.  
 W. W. Tompkins, 68 Fifth avenue.  
 Mrs. Henry R. Remsen, 44 Fifth avenue.  
 Mrs. Stephen R. Roe, 40 Fifth avenue.  
 T. Mattack Cheesman, 240 Fifth avenue.  
 Mrs. James Scott, 590 Fifth avenue, 27 feet 6 inches.  
 T. C. Eastman, corner Sixty-eighth street and Fifth avenue, 60 feet 5 inches.  
 Thomas Rutter, 814 Fifth avenue.  
 Frances E. Lake, 815 Fifth avenue.  
 A. C. Downing, 860 Fifth avenue, 40 feet.  
 J. A. Bostwick, 800 Fifth avenue, 30 feet.  
 Charles A. Baudouine, 264 Fifth avenue and 718 Fifth avenue, 58 feet.  
 C. F. Chickering, 5 Fifth avenue.  
 Chickering & Sons, 130 Fifth avenue.  
 M. S. Van Beuren, Fifth avenue, between Thirteenth and Fifteenth streets, 200 feet.  
 George W. Cullum, 426 Fifth avenue.  
 Estate of C. A. Schuchardt, J. N. Platt, executor, 287 Fifth avenue.  
 Joseph Graften, per J. N. Platt, attorney, 307 Fifth avenue.  
 Samuel S. Sands and B. Aymar Sands, trustees, 80 Fifth avenue.  
 Samuel S. Sands, per B. A. S., 385 Fifth avenue.  
 R. G. Dun, 100 feet, corner Eighty-first street and Fifth avenue.  
 Miss Elizabeth Aymar, per B. Johnson, Jr., 102 Fifth avenue.  
 Bradish Johnson, per B. Johnson, Jr., 147 and 149 Fifth avenue.  
 Robert Golet, per Robert G. Roberts, attorney, southeast corner Fifth avenue and Forty-eighth street, 50 feet.  
 Ogden Golet, per Robert G. Roberts, attorney, southwest corner Fifth avenue and Forty-ninth street, 50 feet.  
 Robert Golet and Ogden Golet, per Robert G. Roberts, attorney, northeast corner Fifth avenue and Forty-eighth street, 20 feet.  
 Louisa M. Gerry, executrix and trustee, per Robert J. Livingston, attorney, northwest corner Fifth avenue and Forty-second street, 100 feet 5 inches.  
 Robert J. Livingston, 184 Fifth avenue, 37 feet 1½ inches.  
 William Astor, 350 Fifth avenue and 50 feet adjoining.  
 Philip Kissam, trustee, 328 to 334 Fifth avenue, 4 houses.  
 Park & Tilford, 789 and 791 Fifth avenue.  
 James Renwick, 21 Fifth avenue.  
 C. P. Huntington, 5 lots corner Seventy-second street.  
 C. P. Huntington, 3 lots corner Eightieth street.  
 Mrs. W. S. Gurnee, by W. S. Gurnee, corner Fiftieth street, about 36 feet on Fifth avenue.  
 Charles R. Purdy, Fifth avenue, between Fifty-second and Fifty-third streets, 115 feet.  
 F. W. Vanderbilt, corner Fortieth street and Fifth avenue, 52 feet.  
 Daniel Butterfield, 394 Fifth avenue.  
 George Kemp, 720 Fifth avenue, about 189 feet.  
 William Quinn, for trustees of St. Patrick's Cathedral, 200 feet on Fifth avenue.  
 Estate William C. Rhinelander, deceased, Lispenard Stewart, trustee, from North Washington Square to 6 Fifth avenue.  
 Mrs. L. Stewart, 6 Fifth avenue.  
 W. Butler Duncan, 1 Fifth avenue.  
 Edward Cooper, Fifth avenue, from Washington Square, North, to Washington alley.  
 John Taylor Johnston, 8 Fifth avenue.  
 Susan Endicott Roberts, 107 Fifth avenue.  
 William P. Draper, 604 Fifth avenue, 50 feet.  
 Ambrose Snow, president, for trustees S. S. Harbor.  
 William Belden, 810 Fifth avenue.

Mary M. Stewart, 811 Fifth avenue.  
 A. Raymond, 726 Fifth avenue.  
 A. C. Kingsland, 135 Fifth avenue.  
 Isaac Walker, 275 Fifth avenue.  
 T. B. Coddington, 42 Fifth avenue.  
 Rachel L. Kennedy, 41 Fifth avenue.  
 Mary Mason Jones, 200 feet, Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets.  
 Edward Kemp, 722 Fifth avenue.  
 Allen Dodworth, 681 Fifth avenue.  
 Warren C. Beach, 585 Fifth avenue.  
 Joseph W. Harper, Jr., 562 Fifth avenue, only on condition that conductors accompany the omnibuses.  
 Adelaide Howland, 420 Fifth avenue.  
 Gordon Norrie, 377 Fifth avenue.  
 Estate of Adam Norrie, by G. N., executor, 303 Fifth avenue.  
 Margaret Moke, by G. Norrie, attorney, 253 Fifth avenue.  
 Buchanan Winthrop, 279 Fifth avenue.  
 Alfred M. Hoyt, 934 Fifth avenue.  
 Julia S. Delafeld, Emily P. Delafeld, by L. L. Delafeld, attorney, 475 Fifth avenue.  
 Robert F. Bixby, northeast corner Fortieth street and Fifth avenue and northeast corner Thirty-ninth street and Fifth avenue, about 110 feet in all.  
 Helen Langdon, 200 feet, Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street.  
 Mary A. Wray, 746 Fifth avenue.  
 Stephen Thorne, 750 Fifth avenue.  
 H. Durkee, 714 Fifth avenue.  
 Henry H. Cook, Fifth avenue, Seventy-eighth and Seventy-ninth streets.  
 Mrs. Irad Hawley, 47 Fifth avenue.  
 Mrs. C. N. Talbot, 62 Fifth avenue.  
 W. M. Peckham, 31 Fifth avenue.  
 Mrs. D. H. Turner, 325 Fifth avenue.  
 R. Fulton Cuttings, 724 Fifth avenue.  
 Mrs. W. F. Coles, 677 Fifth avenue.  
 Reuben Ross, 669 Fifth avenue.  
 Henry F. Spaulding, 628 Fifth avenue.  
 Frederic Gallatin, 670 Fifth avenue.  
 H. B. Plant, 586 Fifth avenue.  
 H. B. Plant, Fifth avenue.  
 Thomas Slocumb, 220 Fifth avenue.  
 F. O. Matthiessen, 580 Fifth avenue.  
 D. H. McAlpin, 673 Fifth avenue.  
 Estate of J. G. Mills, by W. F. Gilchrist, agent, 853 Fifth avenue.  
 M. L. Dehon, 224 Fifth avenue, Twenty-eighth street.  
 C. M. Goodridge, by C. V. Sidell, attorney, 250, 293-297 and 299 Fifth avenue, about 115 feet.  
 St. Luke's Hospital by Henry A. Oakley, chairman of Executive Committee, Fifth avenue front, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets, west side.  
 Henry A. Oakley, 20 Fifth avenue.  
 Thos. A. Davies, 610 Fifth avenue.  
 Henry A. Cram, 5 East Thirty-eighth street, 100 feet at Sixty-second street, 00 feet at One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street.  
 Fr. Beck, 281 Fifth avenue, corner Thirtieth street.  
 Jennet L. Belknap, executrix, by R. L. Belknap, attorney, 49 Fifth avenue.  
 W. K. Vanderbilt, 100 feet, Fifty-second to Fifty-third street, 660 Fifth avenue.  
 Edward N. Strong, by Wm. H. Ross, agent, 29 Fifth avenue.  
 Samuel P. Avery, 86 and 88 Fifth avenue.  
 H. E. Merriam, 312 Fifth avenue.  
 H. E. Merriam, also Fifth avenue, between Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets.  
 Henrietta A. Lenox, per, 53, 55, 57 Fifth avenue, about 150 feet.  
 Robert L. Maitland, Fifth avenue, between Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets, 200 feet.  
 Andrew S. Thorpe, 97 Fifth avenue.  
 Mrs. William H. Fogg, 359 Fifth avenue.  
 Robert E. Livingston, 127, 271 Fifth avenue.  
 Robert E. Livingston, Seventy-seventh street, 25 feet front on Fifth avenue.  
 Edwards Pierrepont, 103 Fifth avenue.  
 T. Gaillard Thomas, M. D., 294 Fifth avenue.  
 C. W. Bell, 320 Fifth avenue.  
 J. A. Bell, 276 Fifth avenue.  
 E. S. Higgins, 137 Fifth avenue.  
 Mary Pettigrew, 256 Fifth avenue.  
 T. B. Burnham, 124, 126, 128 Fifth avenue.  
 John Mack, 368 Fifth avenue.  
 E. E. Marey, M. D., 396 Fifth avenue.  
 D. Stewart, 322 Fifth avenue.  
 B. H. Van Aiken, Jr., 421 Fifth avenue.  
 L. K. Hoy, 392 Fifth avenue.  
 L. K. Hoy, 152 Fifth avenue.  
 Joseph Naylor, 12 East Ninth street.  
 Nathan Bozeman, M. D., 296 Fifth avenue.  
 George W. Bell, 438, 436 Fifth avenue.  
 Henry A. Robbins, 419 Fifth avenue.  
 Chas. G. Landon, 428 Fifth avenue.  
 H. Mortimer Brooks, 522 Fifth avenue.  
 Egbert Guernsey, M. D., 526 Fifth avenue.  
 Isaac V. Brokaw, 528 Fifth avenue.  
 Dulcinea P. Mowry, 534 Fifth avenue.  
 Charles VanGlabbe, 546 Fifth avenue.  
 Henry Marks, 550 Fifth avenue.  
 Wm. C. Browning, 552 Fifth avenue.  
 R. M. Strebeigh, 7 East Forty-fifth street.  
 Sarah U. Smith, 537 Fifth avenue.  
 Anna M. Lamont, 555 Fifth avenue.  
 Robert T. Hoy, 557 Fifth avenue.  
 J. B. Ireland, 15 East Forty-seventh street.  
 H. M. Schieffelin, 665 Fifth avenue.  
 Wm. B. Oliver, Jr., 675 Fifth avenue.  
 T. W. Duryee, 969 Fifth avenue.  
 Ambrose K. Ely, executor Israel Corse, 104 Fifth avenue.  
 Arthur Leary, 90 Fifth avenue.  
 J. F. Schenck, for 323 Fifth avenue.  
 Julia A. Chase, 401, 273 Fifth avenue.

Alderman Cleary moved to refer to the Committee on Railroads.  
 Alderman Van Rensselaer moved, as an amendment, that the papers be laid over for one week.  
 The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.  
 Which was decided in the affirmative.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman Cleary—  
 Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Charles G. Bloete to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit, etc., on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 81 Cortlandt 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 two and one-half feet 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.

By Vice-President Jaehne—  
 Resolved, That W. J. Amend 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.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

## THE SPECIAL ORDER OF THE DAY,

being reports of the majority and minority of the Committee on Ferries and Franchises, relative to establishing additional ferries to Staten Island, was here taken up for consideration.  
 Alderman Hall moved that the minority report in favor of the establishment of an additional ferry to Staten Island be substituted for the report of the majority of the committee, which was adverse to the establishment of such ferry.  
 Alderman O'Dwyer moved that the further consideration of the subject be postponed for one week.



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 O'Dwyer, as follows :  
Affirmative—Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Finck, Morgan, Mulry, O'Dwyer, Rothman, and Van Rensselaer—9.  
Negative—The President, Aldermen Brown, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, Quinn, Reilly, and Walsh—14.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion of Alderman Hall.  
Which was decided in the negative by the following vote :  
Affirmative—Aldermen Cowie, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, Murray, McGinnis, McKenna, McQuade, Oakley, Reilly, and Walsh—12.  
Negative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Brown, Cleary, De Lacy, Finck, Morgan, Mulry, O'Dwyer, Quinn, Rothman, and Van Rensselaer—12.  
On motion of Alderman Hall the above vote was reconsidered.  
And, on motion of Alderman O'Dwyer, the papers were again laid over.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

By Alderman Hartman—  
Resolved, That the Railroad Committee be discharged from the further consideration of the petition of the New York Cable Railway Company, introduced February 24, 1885; also, the petition of the same Company introduced February 2, 1885.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution. Which was decided in the affirmative.  
The original petition not being in possession of the Board, Alderman Hartman moved that the petition as contained in the CITY RECORD of February 25 and February 3, 1885, be read in the Board in lieu of the original papers.  
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion. Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Hartman moved that the prayer of the petitioners be granted.  
The petition contained in the CITY RECORD of February 25, 1885, page 416, was then read, and is as follows :

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

Your petitioner, The New York Cable Railway Company, by its undersigned counsel, duly authorized thereto, would respectfully state and show :

That on the 27th day of June, 1874, in pursuance of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, your petitioner duly filed articles and acquired the right, subject among other things, to the consent of your Honorable Body, to extend, operate and maintain, by connections and branches, its surface lines of railway or railways.

That your petitioner did, on the 30th day of June, 1884, duly request the immediate predecessors of your Honorable Body to consent to allow the construction, operation and maintenance of such extensions, which request was in words and figures as follows, namely :

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

"Consent is hereby requested by The New York Cable Railway Company to remove pavements and crosswalks and do the necessary digging and excavations in constructing, maintaining, operating and using street surface railroads for public use in the conveyance of persons and property in cars for compensation in the City of New York, and for building and laying the tracks for said railroads and all the necessary appurtenances thereto, and for maintaining, operating and using said railroads for the purpose aforesaid, in and through the following streets, avenues and highways in the City of New York, viz. :

"First—Commencing on Broadway where it intersects West Forty-second street, and extending east and west, with double tracks, across Broadway in a continuous line from the easterly to the westerly side thereof, in the line of West Forty-second street, so as to connect with that certain surface line or route of The New York Cable Railway Company on and through Forty-second street, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners, appointed November 30, 1883, pursuant to chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875, and the amendments thereto, by the Mayor of the City of New York, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Twelve, and extending with double tracks and branching from said line or route northerly, upon, through and along Broadway and thence across and along Seventh avenue at its intersection with Broadway; thence continuing northerly with double tracks, upon, through and along Broadway to and across the Circle, and to and across West Fifty-ninth street, and to and into the so-called Broadway Boulevard, or the Boulevard in the line of extension of Broadway; thence northerly, with double tracks, upon, through and along said Boulevard to, at and into its intersection with Tenth avenue; thence, with double tracks, over, along and across Tenth avenue and running upon, through and along said Boulevard to and into its intersection with Eleventh avenue, where it continues as such Boulevard northerly in the line of extension of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly, with double tracks, upon, through and along said Boulevard so as to connect or form a junction with the line or route of said company, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid on the Kingsbridge road, at its intersection with said Boulevard or Eleventh avenue, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Three.

"Second—Also a branch, extension or connection commencing in Fifth avenue where it intersects Forty-second street, and extending across Fifth avenue east and west in a continuous line, with double tracks, from the easterly end of West Forty-second street to the westerly end of East Forty-second street; thence running southerly, with double tracks, from said continuous line upon, through and along Fifth avenue, and in the centre thereof as near as may be, to Fifteenth street; thence, with double tracks, easterly upon, through and along East Fifteenth street to and into Broadway and Union Square; thence southerly, with double tracks, on a deflected line around and near the Union Square Park on the westerly and southerly side thereof, and across East Fourteenth street to and into Broadway at its intersection with East Fourteenth street; thence southerly, with double tracks, upon, through and along Broadway to or near the northerly side of Bowling Green; thence, with double tracks, upon, through and along Broadway on the westerly side of Bowling Green to and into Battery place; thence, with double tracks, westerly upon, through and along Battery place to its intersection with West street; thence, with double tracks, across and along West street to Pier Number One, on the Hudson river, and so as to connect with the line or route of said company, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Two.

"Together with a branch or extension, with double tracks, at the intersection of Thirty-fourth street, extending across Fifth avenue east and west into Thirty-fourth street, on both the easterly and westerly sides of said avenue, so as to connect with the tracks to be laid on the surface line or route of said company as located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid on Thirty-fourth street, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Eleven.

"Also together with a branch or extension, with double tracks, at the intersection of Twenty-second street, extending across Fifth avenue east and west into Twenty-second street, on both the easterly and westerly sides of said avenue, so as to connect with the tracks to be laid on the surface line or route of said company as located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, on Twenty-second street, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Ten.

"Also together with a branch or extension, with double tracks, at the intersection of Thirteenth street, extending across Broadway east and west into Thirteenth street, on both the easterly and westerly sides of Broadway, so as to connect with the tracks to be laid on the surface line or route of said company as located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid on Thirteenth street, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Nine.

"Also together with a branch or extension, with double tracks, at the intersection of East Fourth street, extending across Broadway east and west into East Fourth street, on both the easterly and westerly sides of Broadway, so as to connect with the tracks to be laid on the surface line or route of said company as located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, on East Fourth street, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Eight.

"Also together with a branch or extension, with double tracks, at the intersection of Broome street, extending across Broadway, east and west into Broome street, on both the easterly and westerly sides of Broadway, so as to connect with the tracks to be laid on the surface line or route of said company as located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid on Broome street, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Seven.

"Also together with a branch or extension, with single tracks, at the intersection of Duane street, extending across Broadway, and another branch or extension, with single tracks, at the intersection of Chambers street, extending across Broadway east and west in the line of and into the said Duane street and the said Chambers street respectively, on both the easterly and westerly sides of Broadway, so as to connect with the tracks to be laid on the surface line or route of said company as located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, on said Duane street and on said Chambers street, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Six."

"Also together with a branch or extension, with single tracks at the intersection of Cortlandt street and Maiden lane with Broadway, and another branch or extension, with single tracks at the intersection of Liberty street with Broadway, extending across Broadway east and west into the said Cortlandt street and the said Maiden lane and the said Liberty street, respectively, on

"both the easterly and westerly sides of Broadway, so as to connect with the tracks to be laid on the surface line or route of said company as located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, on said Cortlandt street, and said Maiden lane and said Liberty street, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Five.

"Third—Also the following-described branches, extensions and connections of the surface portion of that certain line or route of The New York Cable Railway Company which commences on the southerly shore of the Harlem river, at the intersection of River street and Lexington avenue, and extends thence southerly through Lexington avenue, Irving place, Astor place, and terminating via Broad and Pearl streets at the South Ferry, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, and known and designated in the articles of association of said Company as Route Number One.

"I. Commencing at the intersection of Pearl street and Whitehall street, and connecting therewith the above-mentioned Route Number One; thence running northerly, with double tracks, upon, through and along Whitehall street to and into Broadway; thence with double tracks upon, through and along Broadway, on the easterly side of the Bowling Green, to a point on the northerly side thereof in Broadway, so as to connect with the hereinabove-described branch or extension which commences in Fifth avenue at Forty-second street and terminates at or near Pier Number One, at the Hudson river.

"II. Also a branch, extension and connection, commencing in Astor place, and connecting therein with the above-mentioned Route Number One; thence running westerly, with double tracks, upon, through and along Astor place to and into Broadway, so as to connect with the hereinabove-described branch or extension which commences in Fifth avenue at Forty-second street and terminates at or near Pier Number One, at the Hudson river.

"III. Also a branch, extension and connection, commencing in East Fifteenth street at its intersection with Irving place, and connecting therein with the above-mentioned Route Number One; thence running easterly, with double tracks to and into Fourth avenue and Union Square; thence southerly and westerly, with double tracks, on a deflected line around and near the Union Square Park, to and into and across East Fourteenth street, to and into Broadway, so as to connect with the hereinabove-described branch or extension which commences in Fifth avenue at Forty-second street and terminates at or near Pier One, at the Hudson river.

"Also an extension, with double tracks, across Fifth avenue, in the line of East Thirteenth street, and West Thirteenth street, so as to connect and make complete the surface line or route of said company, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Nine.

"Also an extension with double tracks across Broadway, in the line of East Twenty-second street and West Twenty-second street, so as to connect and make complete the surface line or route of said company, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Ten.

"Also an extension with double tracks across Broadway, in the line of East Thirty-fourth street and West Thirty-fourth street, so as to connect and make complete the surface line or route of said company, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Eleven.

"Also an extension with double tracks across Fourth avenue, in the line of East Sixty-fifth street, so as to connect and make complete the surface line or route of said company on East Sixty-fifth street, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Eighteen.

"Also an extension with double tracks across Fourth avenue, in the line of East Seventy-ninth street, so as to connect and make complete the surface line or route of said company on East Seventy-ninth street, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Twenty.

"Also an extension with double tracks across Fourth avenue, in the line of East Eighty-sixth street, so as to connect and make complete the surface line or route of said company on East Eighty-sixth street, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Twenty-two.

"Also an extension with double tracks across Fourth avenue, in the line of East Ninety-seventh street, so as to connect and make complete the surface line or route of said company on East Ninety-seventh street, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Twenty-four.

"Also an extension across Eighth avenue with double tracks in the line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, so as to connect and make complete the surface lines or routes of said company on One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, located, fixed and determined by the Commissioners aforesaid, and known and designated in the articles of association, or charter of said company, as Route Number Four and Route Number Sixteen, respectively.

"And also to construct such switches, sidings, turn-outs and turn-tables, and suitable stands as may be necessary for the convenient working of such roads, and that the aforesaid extensions and branches be constructed upon the surface of said streets, avenues and highways, and be operated by cable-traction motive power, as are cable railways in the cities of San Francisco and Chicago, and in the manner set forth, provided and specified in Article VII. of the articles of association, or charter of the New York Cable Railway Company, for the construction and operation of surface railways.

"And such consent is requested as for extensions of and branches from the street surface lines or routes of the New York Cable Railway Company, a corporation created by and existing under proceedings duly taken and had pursuant to chapter 606 of the Laws of 1875, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and this application is made pursuant to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, being an act entitled 'An act to provide for the construction, extension, maintenance and operation of street surface railroads and branches thereof in cities, towns and villages,' passed May 6, 1884; and the New York Cable Railway Company has made and filed with the Secretary of State a certificate signed by its Board of Directors, containing a statement of the name of the city and the names and descriptions of the streets, avenues and highways in which such extensions and branches are to be constructed, and the places from and to which the same are to be constructed, maintained and operated, and the length thereof, as near as may be; and consent is also requested to construct and operate the railroads to be constructed on such extensions and branches according to the most approved plan of cable traction, and fully equal to that operated and maintained in the cities of San Francisco and Chicago, for the conveyance of persons and property.

Dated June, 1884.

"THE NEW YORK CABLE RAILWAY COMPANY,  
By W. C. ANDREWS, President.

Attest,

"ABM. L. EARLE,  
Secretary."

The petition contained in the CITY RECORD of February 3, 1885, was not read.

Vice-President Jaehne moved that the subject be laid over.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Finck, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McQuade, O'Dwyer, and Reilly—11.

Negative—Aldermen Brown, Cowie, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, McGinnis, McKenna, Oakley, Quinn, Rothman, Van Rensselaer, and Walsh—13.

The President then put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion of Alderman Hartman to grant the prayer of the petitioners.

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

Affirmative—Aldermen Brown, Cowie, Hall, Hartman, Kenney, Kerwin, McGinnis, McKenna, Oakley, Quinn, Rothman, and Walsh—12.

Negative—The President, Vice-President Jaehne, Aldermen Cleary, De Lacy, Finck, Morgan, Mulry, Murray, McQuade, O'Dwyer, Reilly, and Van Rensselaer—12.

Alderman O'Dwyer 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 Friday, the 11th instant, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 4th day of December, 1885.

Present—Commissioners French, Porter, McClave, and Voorhis.

## Leaves of Absence Granted.

Patrolman Charles Reiser, Eighth Precinct, three days, half pay.

"James De Bow, Thirty-second Precinct, two days, half pay.

"Charles Dapping, Thirty-second Precinct, one and one-half days' half pay.

Reports of Superintendent Murray, inclosing \$92.50 fees for pistol permits, and Sergeant Mullen, inclosing \$688 fees for steam boiler examinations, for the month of November, 1885, were referred to the Treasurer to pay to the Police Pension Fund.



*Reports Filed.*

Superintendent, on proposed transfer of Patrolman Theodore Kerns, Twenty-first Precinct.  
 Superintendent, on application of Thomas P. Wickes, for detail of Patrolman James Nealis, Seventeenth Precinct.  
 Superintendent, on application of Captain Smith, Twenty-fourth Precinct, for transfer of certain officers.  
 Application of Inspector Steers, for leave to take balance of vacation, was granted.

*Mask Ball Permits Granted.*

Albert Kramer, at Tammany Hall, December 5. Fee, \$25.  
 R. S. Durrant, at Skating Rink, One Hundred and Seventh street and Lexington avenue, December 7. Fee, \$50.  
 Mary Pfaffler, at Germania Assembly Rooms, December 14. Fee, \$25.  
 James G. Frisbee, at Wendel's Assembly Rooms, December 25. Fee, \$25.  
 The following applications for pension were referred to the Committee on Pensions:  
 Mary F. Cornell, widow of late Pensioner Christian F. Cornell.  
 Sarah Young, widow of late Pensioner William Young.  
 Mary A. Doyle, widow of late Patrolman Jno. J. Doyle.  
 Hannah A. Collins, widow of late Patrolman Dennis Collins.  
 Michael Buckley, guardian of child of late Patrolman Ed. J. Buckley.

*Applications Ordered on File.*

Roundsman James F. Carey, Fifth Precinct, for examination for promotion.  
 " Walter L. Thompson, Twelfth Precinct, for examination for promotion.  
 " James Quigley, Eighteenth Precinct, for examination for promotion.  
 " John D. Herlihy, Eighteenth Precinct, for examination for promotion.  
 Patrolman Michael J. Hogan, Second Precinct, for detail.  
 " Michael Barrett, Twenty-third Precinct, for detail.  
 Application of P. V. Cartier, for the appointment of a Special Patrolman, was referred to the Superintendent for report.  
 Application of Captain Washburn, Twentieth Precinct, for detail of Patrolman Abraham Minnerly, was returned to the Superintendent for report as to the record of the officer.  
 Communication from the Comptroller, relative to pay-rolls of Inspectors, Poll Clerks and land-lords, and certificates to be attached to each, was referred to the Chief of the Bureau of Elections and Chief Clerk for compliance with request.

*Communications Ordered on File.*

A. G. Thompson, relative to Patrolman Michael Naughton.  
 Fire Department, relative to exit from Grand Opera House.  
 Communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, relative to case of Robert Kopp, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.  
 Communication from James Crowley, Superintendent of Telegraph, relative to telephone connection, was referred to the Committee on Repairs and Supplies.  
 On reading report of the Superintendent on communication from A. G. Jennings & Son, it was Resolved, That a day-post be established at Broadway and Warren street, and that a Patrolman of the Twenty-fifth Precinct be assigned to such post, if it can be done without detriment to that precinct.  
 Resolved, That the resolution of November 30, 1885, declaring all examinations for promotion to Roundsmen and Sergeants prior to November 20, 1885, to be void, be amended by excepting such officers as have already been examined by the Civil Service Board, with the consent of the Board of Police, and have passed such examination.  
 Whereas, Thomas L. Crawford, A. P. Lynn, and George C. Moulton have obtained entrance into places of amusement by falsely representing themselves to be attaches of this Department; therefore,  
 Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to instruct Captains of precincts to cause the arrest of all persons who may be found attempting to obtain free access to places of amusement by false representations of connection with this Department.  
 Resolved, That a communication from the Fire Department, relative to fire-escapes, be referred to the Superintendent, who is directed to cause to be reported to said Fire Department all buildings without fire-escapes, where such are lawfully required; and also to co-operate with said Department in preventing violations of section 28, chapter 456, Laws of 1885, relative to obstructions or incumbrances to outside fire-escapes.  
 Resolved, That the Secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board be notified that there are two vacancies in the rank of Sergeant in the Police force now existing.  
 Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to Patrolman James G. Cooper the sum of eighty-two cents, being balance of pay due him for November, 1885—all aye.  
 The following proposed transfer and detail were referred to the Superintendent for report:  
 Sergeant William B. McMillan, from Eighth Precinct to Twenty-eighth or Twenty-fifth Precinct.  
 Patrolman John Farley, Eighth Precinct, detail at Spring Street Market.

*Transfers and Detail Ordered.*

Patrolman George B. Grimshaw, from Twenty-second Precinct to Twenty-fourth Precinct.  
 " Samuel G. Sheldon, from Thirty-fourth Precinct to Detective Squad.  
 Roundsman William Hogan, from Fifteenth Precinct to Detective Squad.  
 " John J. Harley, from Twenty-fifth Precinct to Central Office.  
 Patrolman Louis McCord, from Eighth Precinct to Central Office.  
 " Matthew Cagney, from Fourth Precinct to Twenty-third Precinct.  
 " Michael Offelt, Eighteenth Precinct, detail at East Twenty-third Street Ferry.

*Appointed—Patrolmen.*

Precinct	Patrolman	Precinct
4	Edward Courtenay	16
5	William F. Connery	22
6	Edward F. Conroy	27
	David A. Gillespie	
	George A. Neal	
	Charles Kelk	

*Special Patrolmen Appointed.*

George V. Reeves and William A. Creamer, for Pennsylvania R. R. Co.  
 Commissioners French, Porter and McClave voting aye; Commissioner Voorhis voting no, in consequence of the men being non-residents.  
 Adjourned.

W. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

## APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Joseph J. Gleason to place and retain two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps inside the stoop-line, in front of his premises, No. 863 Third avenue; the gas to be supplied and the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 30, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be granted to St. Andrew's Church to erect and maintain a transparency in front of said church on lamp-post, and also on lamp-post at corner of Seventy-second street and Ninth avenue, for six days, beginning November 30, 1885, for ladies' fair.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 30, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Winkler to erect two ornamental lamps inside the stoop-line, in front of his premises, No. 342 Sixth avenue, the work to be done and gas 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, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 30, 1885.

Whereas, The Department of Public Parks has incurred certain debts in and about the erection of a temporary receiving tomb for the remains of General Grant, without sealed bids, public notice, or advertising, but by private contracts; and

Whereas, One of said bids is to George W. Hughes, for mason work, to the amount of two hundred and forty-five (245) dollars, and another is to the said George W. Hughes, for services and labor, to the amount of one thousand one hundred and forty-two dollars and nineteen cents (\$1,142.19), and another is to Hurst & Treanor, for materials, to the amount of one thousand two hundred and fifty-

three dollars and forty-two cents (\$1,253.42), and another is to said Hurst & Treanor, for materials, to the amount of two hundred and fifty-nine dollars and five cents (\$259.05), and another is to Breen & Nason, for work and materials, to the amount of four hundred and eighty-eight dollars and eighty-three cents (\$488.83); and

Whereas, Said debts were incurred in good faith, and without fault, and with the full knowledge of this Board and of the city authorities, and of the citizens at large, and under the pressure of an emergency not permitting of delay; and

Whereas, The charges composing the said debts, respectively, are fair, reasonable and just, and the City of New York has received full value therefor, and the action of the Department of Parks in the premises was for the best interests of the city; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the action of the Department of Public Parks in the premises, and the contracting by them for labor, materials and services in and about the erection of a temporary receiving vault for the remains of General Grant, in Riverside Park, without public notice or advertising, or sealed bids or public letting, but by private contract, be and is hereby ratified.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 30, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lay water-mains in Thirty-first street, between First avenue and East river, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 30, 1885.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lay water-mains in Ninth avenue, between Eighty-seventh and One Hundredth streets, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 30, 1885.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 30, 1885.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 30, 1885.

Resolved, That a gas-lamp be placed and lighted in front of the entrance to the Church of the Holy Spirit, on Sixty-sixth street, and an additional gas-lamp be placed and lighted in front of said church on Madison avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, November 30, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to G. Barney Heitzman to erect and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 968 Tenth 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, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 1, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Clark to place and keep a platform-scale in the carriageway, near the curb, on the east side of Thirteenth avenue, about thirty-seven feet south of Twenty-fourth street; such scale to be flush with the surface of the street, so as to present no impediment to the free use thereof by the public, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 1, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to P. M. Wilson to connect premises No. 588 Hudson street with premises No. 2 Abington Square with an iron steam-pipe, to be laid across Hudson street, not to exceed four inches in diameter, properly inclosed, and so laid as not to interfere with the sewer, or water, or gas, or other pipes now laid or to be hereafter laid in Hudson street, provided the said P. M. Wilson shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur during the progress of the work of laying such steam-pipe, or subsequent to the completion thereof; the work to be done under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the said Commissioner, and the privilege hereby given to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 1, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Grunthal & Bohlen to retain the sign in front No. 643 Hudson street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 1, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Dolan to retain a sign in front of No. 505 West Twenty-eighth street, provided such sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 1, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Thomas Wood to retain a sign and post on the sidewalk, near the curb, now in front of No. 834 Tenth avenue, provided such post and sign shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 1, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to William Seagrist to place a booth inside the stoop-line, in front of premises No. 304 Avenue B; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 1, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to George Smith to erect and retain a storm-door in front of his premises, No. 6 Centre street; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 24, 1885.  
 Approved by the Mayor, December 1, 1885.

Resolved, That the name of Andrew Dewitt, who recently resigned as Commissioner of Deeds, and Bryan P. Henry appointed in his place, to be corrected so as to read Andrew B. Dewitt.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 2, 1885.

Resignation of Wanhope Lynn as a Commissioner of Deeds.

Resolved, That James Lynn be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Wanhope Lynn, resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 2, 1885.



## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; WILLIAM L. TURNER, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

## Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

## Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY WOOD, Registrar.

## COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

## LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ADOLPH L. SANGER, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

## City Library.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

## Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner; DAVID 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.  
GEORGE A. JEREMIAN, Superintendent.

## Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

## Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

## Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

## Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

## Bureau of Streets.

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

## Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

## Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## Comptroller's Office.

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

## Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

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

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

**Office of the City Paymaster.**  
No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.  
MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

## Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

## Office of the Public Administrator.

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

## Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

## Central Office.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

## Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M.  
THOMAS S. BRANNAN, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

## Headquarters.

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

## Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

## Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

## Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

## Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'ONCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

## Attorney to Department.

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

## Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

## Repair Shops.

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

## Hospital Stables.

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

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY R. BECKMAN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

## Civil and Topographical Office.

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

**Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.**  
One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH KOCH, President; B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.  
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from September 15 to June 15, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 15 to September 15, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.

MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

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

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 37 and 39 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.  
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Advisory Board; CHARLES H. WOODMAN, Secretary and Executive Officer.

## BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

## BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

## BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowers, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; JOHN K. PERLEY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

## SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALEXANDER V. DAVIDSON, Sheriff; ARON ARONS, Under Sheriff; DAVID MCGONIGAL, Order Arrest Clerk.

## REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

## COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

## COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
PATRICK KEENAN, County Clerk; EDWARD SELLECK, Deputy County Clerk.

## DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

## THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.  
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERNAND LEVY, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

## SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.  
NOAH DAVIS, Presiding Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk; EDWARD SELLECK, Deputy County Clerk.

General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, JR., Clerk.

Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, THOMAS J. DUNN, Clerk.

Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, FREDERICK C. LANE, Clerk.

Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.

Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, FRANCIS S. McAVOY, Clerk.

Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, JOHN VON GLAHN, Clerk.

Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.

Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

## SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.  
General Term, Room No. 35.  
Special Term, Room No. 33.  
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.

Part I., Room No. 34.  
Part II., Room No. 35.  
Part III., Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court opens at 11 o'clock A. M.

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.

Terms, first Monday each month.

JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

## CITY COURT.

## City Hall.

General Term, Room No. 20.

Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.

Part II., Room No. 19.

Part III., Room No. 15.

Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; JOHN REID, Clerk.

## OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 13. Court opens at 10 1/2 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.

MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.

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 Eighteenth 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.

FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.

HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.

Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9 1/2 A. M.

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 10 A. M.

JAMES R. ANGELL, 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.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 229.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING THE HALF-SLIP SOUTH OF PIER, NEW 46, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR DREDGING THE HALF-SLIP south of Pier, new 46, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

DECEMBER 17, 1885.

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 Hundred Dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the quantities of material necessary to be dredged in order to secure at the premises mentioned the depth of water set opposite thereto in the specifications, is as follows: About 6,500 cubic yards.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed dredging, 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,



## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, WOODEN WARE, PAINTS, AND LUMBER.

## SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

## GROCERIES.

- 7,500 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, December 17, 1885.  
1,000 pounds Cheese.  
500 pounds best quality, kettle rendered Leaf Lard, 50-pound packages.  
500 pounds Whole Pepper.  
2,000 pounds Wheat-n Grits, price to include packages.  
8,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.  
1,000 pounds Macaroni, in 25-pound boxes.  
5,000 pounds Oat Meal, price to include packages.  
1,300 pounds Prunes.  
30,000 pounds Brown Sugar.  
1,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.  
3,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.  
2,000 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.  
10,000 pounds Brown Soap.  
600 pounds Laundry Starch, 40-pound boxes.  
3,000 pounds Tea.  
100 barrels prime Carrots, 120 pounds net per barrel.  
100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.  
50 barrels prime Red Onions.  
550 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.  
100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.  
250 bushels Oats.  
100 bushels Rye.  
3,500 gallons Syrup.  
20 dozen Canned Peas.  
50 dozen Sea Foam.  
50 pieces prime quality City-cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.  
50 pieces quality City-cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.  
50 pieces quality City-cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.  
100 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.  
100 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.  
50 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed 3 pounds weight, charged as received.  
3,000 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

## WOODEN WARE, ETC.

- 6 dozen Window Brushes.  
10 Bales Broom Corn.  
10 gross Tin Dinner Plates.

## PAINTS.

- 6,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, and equal to Atlantic Mills, 20 100s, 40 50s, 80 25s.

## LUMBER.

- 10,000 lineal feet first quality Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1½" x 3", dressed, tongued and grooved, and all of one milling.  
10 pieces first quality Spruce, 6" x 6" x 12 to 14 feet.  
15 pieces first quality Spruce, 4" x 6" x 12 to 14 feet.  
12 pieces first quality Spruce, 3" x 7" x 12 to 14 feet.  
100 pieces Scantlings, Spruce, 3" x 4" x 12 to 14 ft.  
100 first quality Hemlock Boards, 1" x 10" by 13 feet.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, December 18, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Wooden Ware, Paints and Lumber," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated, New York, December 7, 1885.

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

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

## PROPOSALS FOR POULTRY.

## SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

About 16,440 pounds of Poultry, for use on Christmas Day.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, the 18th day of December, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Poultry," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Delivery will be required to be made on Thursday, December 24, before 7 o'clock A. M.

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

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

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

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

within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

The Department of Public Charities and Correction reserve the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, and to accept any bid or estimate as a whole, or for any one or more articles included therein. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

Dated New York, December 7, 1885.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, }  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, December 4, 1885. }

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 Tenth street, East river, unknown man, aged about 30 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair, small sandy mustache. Had on black sack coat and vest, dark pants, elastic gaiters, striped calico shirt, blue flannel undershirt, gray drawers, white cotton socks.

Unknown man from United States Barge office dock, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; sandy hair and mustache. Had on dark mixed coat, vest and pants, white shirt, gray flannel undershirt, blue checked jumper, laced shoes, dark brown cap.

Unknown man from Twenty-seventh Precinct Station-house, aged about 60 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair mixed with gray. Had on gray striped pants, unbleached cotton undershirt, white striped hickory shirt, black striped vest, blue flannel sack coat, black derby hat, laced shoes.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Henrietta Spring; aged 70 years; 4 feet 10 inches high; dark gray hair, dark eyes. Had on when admitted, purple calico dress.

At Work-house, Blackwell's Island—James Menomy; aged 81 years. Committed September 25, 1885.

Annie Williamson; committed November 22, 1885; aged 45 years.

Mary Reilly; aged 30 years; committed April 13, 1885.

Edward Wilson; aged 53 years; committed November 1, 1885.

At Almshouse, Blackwell's Island—Stephen Kook; aged 71 years; admitted November 19, 1885.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Lena Oppenheimer or Abernau; aged 34 years; 4 feet 11¼ inches high; black eyes and hair.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Caroline Weiss; aged 63 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes.

Kate Welch; aged 28 years; 5 feet 4 inches high. Had on when admitted dark calico wrapper, dark striped petticoat, buttoned gaiters, brown stockings.

Patrick Mulligan; aged 60 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted blue coat, brown vest, green striped pants, laced shoes, black derby hat.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Johanna Walden; aged 73 years; admitted July 19, 1873.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 2, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING A new boiler, and fitting the same to and repairing the steam fire engine (known as number 295 of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company), will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, December 16, 1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The boiler to be La France Patent Nest-tube, as per specifications.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done and time of delivery bidders are referred to the specifications which form part of these proposals.

The engine to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and to replace, at the expense of the contractor, such parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship. Said engine shall have a full and complete trial of its working powers at New York, under the superintendence of a competent engineer.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty (\$20) dollars per day.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present 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 Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded become bound as sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of seven hundred dollars (\$700); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of thirty-five dollars (\$35). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

The form of the agreement with specifications and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
EDWARD SMITH,  
Commissioners.

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

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

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

CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 2247, No. 1. Sewer in First avenue, between Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth streets.

List 2267, No. 2. Filling sunken lots on the northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Forest avenue.

List 2268, No. 3. Laying crosswalks at the northerly and southerly intersections of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street and Railroad avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of First avenue, between Forty-eighth and Forty-ninth streets.

No. 2. Northwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street and Forest avenue.

No. 3. To the extent of half the block each way from the intersection of Railroad avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 6th day of January ensuing.

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, December 4, 1885.

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

List 2213, No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Convent avenue and Lawrence street.

List 2217, No. 2. Sewer in Eighteenth street, between Second and Third avenues, from end of present sewer east of Third avenue.

List 2259, No. 3. Basins on the east side of Ninth avenue, opposite Seventy-eighth, Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets, and alteration and improvements, etc.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Convent avenue to Lawrence street.



No. 2. Both sides of Eighteenth street, extending one hundred and seventy-five feet easterly from the easterly side of Third avenue.

No. 3. Central Park.  
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 5th day of January, 1886.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, December 3, 1885.

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

List 2116, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in One Hundred and Forty-first street, from St. Nicholas to Tenth avenue.

List 2134, No. 2. Alterations and improvement to sewer in Fifty-seventh street, from a point 220 feet west of Madison avenue to present sewer east of Fifth avenue.

List 2144, No. 3. Sewer in One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

List 2155, No. 4. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Bethune street, between Washington street and Hudson river.

List 2160, No. 5. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Seventh avenue and summit west of Seventh avenue.

List 2172, No. 6. Sewer in Macdougall street, between West Third and West Fourth streets.

List 2177, No. 7. Basins on the southwest corners of Seventieth, Seventy-first and Seventy-second streets and Boulevard, at the junction of Boulevard and Tenth avenue, at Seventy-second street and north of Seventieth street, and on the southwest corner of Seventy-third street and Tenth avenue.

List 2185, No. 8. Sewer in One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

List 2186, No. 9. Sewer in One Hundred and First street, between Ninth and Manhattan avenues.

List 2187, No. 10. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Ninth and Manhattan avenues.

List 2190, No. 11. Basin on the northeast corner of Beaver and William streets.

List 2236, No. 12. Basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Fourth avenue.

List 2239, No. 13. Sewer in Tenth avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets.

List 2240, No. 14. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues, and between Eighth avenue and summit, east of Eighth avenue.

List 2247, No. 15. Laying crosswalks across the northern, eastern and western intersections of Lincoln avenue and Southern Boulevard.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from St. Nicholas to Tenth avenue, and on the east side of New avenue, one-half way between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, and one-half way between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-seventh streets, and on the west side of New avenue, to the extent of one-half the block from the intersection of One Hundred and Forty-first street.

No. 2. In Fifty-seventh street, between Madison and Fifth avenues, known as Block 447, Ward No. 65, and Block 442, Ward No. 8.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of Bethune street, between Washington street and Hudson river.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Macdougall street, between West Third and West Fourth streets.

No. 7. Property bounded by Sixty-ninth and Seventy-third streets, Boulevard and Tenth avenue; also west side of Tenth avenue and Boulevard, between Seventieth and Seventy-second streets, and both sides of Seventy-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and First street, between Manhattan and Ninth avenues.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Ninth and Manhattan avenues.

No. 11. Block bounded by Beaver street and Exchange place, Hanover and William streets.

No. 12. South side of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, between Fourth and Madison avenues, and on west side of Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-second and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets.

No. 13. Both sides of Tenth avenue, between Fifty-sixth and Fifty-seventh streets.

No. 14. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Sixth and Eighth avenues.

No. 15. To the extent of one-half the block each way, from the intersection of Lincoln avenue and Southern Boulevard.

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 4th day of January, 1886.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, December 1, 1885.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS IN TWENTY-THIRD WARD.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Board of Assessors have now under consideration the assessment for "regulating and grading Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, and grading approaches to the same at intersecting streets, between Harlem river and One Hundred and Forty-seventh street."

All persons who consider their property to have been injuriously affected by the grade of Third avenue, as established by the improvement, are requested to transmit the evidence relating thereto to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, Room 11½ City Hall, on or before the 10th day of December, 1885, at which time an appointment of the assessment will be made.

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, December 1, 1885.

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

List 2123, No. 1. Regulating and grading intersection of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Public Drive.

The limits embraced by such assessment, include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within the following area:

No. 1. To the extent of one half the block, on either side, at the intersection of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Public Drive.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 26th day of December, ensuing.

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, November 24, 1885.

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

List 2141, No. 1. Sewer in Eighth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets.

List 2142, No. 2. Receiving-basin on the southeast corner of Seventy-eighth street and Lexington avenue.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within the following area:

No. 1. East side of Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh street and to one-half the distance, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets, and both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets, and north side of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

No. 2. South side of Seventy-eighth street, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 22d day of December, ensuing.

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, November 20, 1885.

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

List 2098, No. 1. Sewers in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and first new avenue, west of Eighth avenue, and in said new avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within the following area:

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Eighth avenue and first new avenue west of Eighth avenue; both sides of said new avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, and south side of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, between the first and second new avenues west of Eighth avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 18th day of December, ensuing.

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, November 17, 1885.

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

List 2074, No. 1. Paving Tenth avenue, from the northerly crosswalk of Manhattan street, to a line five feet north of and parallel with the north curb of One Hundred and Thirtieth street.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within the following area:

No. 1. Both sides of Tenth avenue, from Manhattan to One Hundred and Thirtieth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 14th day of December, ensuing.

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, November 11, 1885.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 30, 1885.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Ninth avenue sewer, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Fifty-second streets, connecting with present sewer in Avenue St. Nicholas.

Forty-second street sewer, from Third avenue to East river, with alterations and improvements to existing sewers in Sewerage District No. 5.

Eighth avenue regulating and paving, from One Hundred and Twenty-fifth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, with granite-block pavement.

Forty-third street paving, from Second to Third avenue, with granite-block pavement.

Eighty-third street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from the west curb of the Boulevard to the east line of the Riverside Drive.

Eighty-ninth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.

One Hundredth street regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging, from Third to Fourth avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, from Third to Alexander avenue.

One Hundred and Forty-second street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, from Willis to Brook avenue.

One Hundred and Fifty-third street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, from Third to Fourth avenue.

St. Nicholas place regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging, sidewalks, from the south curb of One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the intersection with Avenue St. Nicholas.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, November 20, 1885, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive interest thereon at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment.

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before January 25, 1886, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

#### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

**THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL** Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1885, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, grants, suits in equity, insolvents and Sheriffs' sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00

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

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

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

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Comptroller.

#### JURORS.

**NOTICE** IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1885.

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.

#### AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
STEWART BUILDING, 280 BROADWAY, ROOM 209,  
NEW YORK, December 3, 1885.

#### PUBLIC NOTICE—FINAL HEARING.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

**IN CONFORMITY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS** of section 2, chapter 490, Laws of 1883, of the State of New York, public notice is hereby given to all persons interested that full opportunity will be afforded them to be heard in relation to the various plans now under consideration by the Aqueduct Commissioners for the location and construction of one or more of the following dams and reservoirs upon the Croton river, in the county of Westchester, viz.:

First—That known as "Quaker Bridge Dam" and reservoir, about four miles below the present Croton Dam.

Second—That known as the "Muscoot Dam" and reservoir, at Muscoot mountain, about six miles above the present Croton Dam.

Third—A dam and reservoir on the east branch of the Croton river and commonly known as the "Sodom Dam and Reservoir."

All as shown upon the plans, maps and profiles in this office.

The said public hearing having been adjourned on the 12th of April, 1884, until further notice, and resumed at the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, Room 209, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, on WEDNESDAY, NOV. 4, and continued on Wednesday, Nov. 11 and 25 and Dec. 2, 1885, will be continued on WEDNESDAY, DEC. 9, 1885, at 3 o'clock P. M., and on such days thereafter to which said hearing may be adjourned, until finally concluded.

JAMES W. McCULLOUGH,  
Secretary.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 1, 1885.

#### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

**THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF THE CITY OF** New York hereby gives notice to all persons who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1885, to pay the same to him at his office on or before the first day of January, 1886, as provided by section 846 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of December, 1885, one per centum will be charged, received and collected in addition to the amount thereof; and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of January, 1886, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the first day of October, 1885, on which day the assessment rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1885 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes to the date of payment, pursuant to section 843 of said act.

GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 20, 1885.

#### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Tenth avenue regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter and flagging, from Manhattan street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

Eighty-fifth street regulating, grading, curb and flagging, from Tenth avenue to Riverside avenue.

Ninety-eighth street regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging, from west line of Fourth avenue to east curb-line of Fifth avenue.

One Hundred and Twelfth street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Madison to Sixth avenue.

One Hundred and Twentieth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-second street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Madison to Fourth avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from First to Second avenue.

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

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

One Hundred and Forty-first street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

One Hundred and Fifty-ninth street regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

Eightieth street paving, from Madison to Fourth avenue, with trap-block pavement.

One Hundred and Eleventh street paving, from Seventh avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, with granite-block pavement, and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Twenty-third street paving, from Third to Madison avenue, with granite-block pavement.

One Hundred and Thirty-first street paving, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, with trap-block pavement.

Ninth avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Fifty-second and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets, and in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between Ninth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

Tenth avenue flagging, for laying an additional course on both sides, from One Hundred and Seventh to One Hundred and Tenth street.

Eleventh avenue flagging, east side, between Thirty-eighth and Fortieth streets.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk