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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

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

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending August 28, 1886.

No meeting held this week.

The following contracts were executed:

For the carpenter and joiner work, etc., of the enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art—McGuire & Sloane, contractors; A. G. Newman and James Turner, sureties.
For the plumbing work of the enlargement of the Metropolitan Museum of Art—Patrick Joseph Andrews, contractor; C. J. Conolly and Richard W. Buckley, sureties.
For renewing the wood superstructure of the two iron trusses of the Central Bridge over Harlem river—Frank Mitchell, contractor; Moses Mehrbach and John Byrns, sureties.

Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending September 4, 1886.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1.—STATED MEETING—10 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Beekman (President), Crimmins, and Borden.

At the hour of eleven o'clock, Mr. E. G. Marsh, the representative of the Comptroller, being present, and the meeting open to the public, the President, in the presence of the representative of the Comptroller and such of the parties making proposals as were present, opened the estimate-box and publicly opened and read all the estimates or proposals which had been received in accordance with advertisements duly published in the CITY RECORD for the following works:

Table of Bids for the erection of an Iron Railing and Gates around Jeannette Park, at Coenties Slip, between South and Front streets:

Manly & Cooper Manufacturing Company.....	\$2,026 13
John S. Cochran.....	1,957 91
Joseph W. Fiske.....	1,835 12
Composite Iron Works Company.....	1,882 87

For furnishing Parkkeepers' Uniform Overcoats and Pants, Louis Stern, \$1,201.30.

The contract for erecting a railing around Jeannette Park, was awarded to J. W. Fiske, the lowest bidder.

The following communications were received:

From the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, transmitting copy of resolution amending certain ordinances for paving One Hundred and Thirty-fourth, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth streets, from Alexander to Willis avenue, by providing for trap-block pavement instead of "granite block." Referred to the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

From the Counsel to the Corporation, advising the Department that the proceedings for acquiring title to the land required for widening Fifth avenue at One Hundred and Tenth street, as authorized by chapter 421 of the Laws of 1886, should be taken at the instance of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement. Filed.

From the Secretary of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, forwarding for filing in the Department, map of Corlear's Hook Park, in the Seventh Ward, as laid out under authority of chapter 529 of the Laws of 1884. Filed.

From William E. Rider, in relation to the sanitary condition of the Mott Haven Canal. Filed.

From the Counsel to the Corporation, acknowledging receipt of a communication from this Department relative to an application of the New York Steam Company for a permit to lay pipes along Fifth avenue, and stating that, in his opinion, the Department has authority to grant the permit and affix such regulations as may be required for the protection of the public.

The President stated that an application having been made by the New York Steam Company for permission to open the street and lay pipes in Fifth avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street, he had issued a permit to said company to proceed with the work upon the condition that the pipe to be laid shall not interfere in any way with the prosecution of the work of repaving said avenue, nor with the sewers and water-mains, and their connections, and provided the portion of the avenue disturbed by the company be restored and maintained in a proper condition for one year; that in order to indemnify and save harmless the Department from any damage arising by reason of the failure of the company to fulfill the terms and conditions of the permit, he had required and received a bond in the amount of \$5,000 for the faithful performance of the work.

On motion, the action of the President was approved.

A communication from the Property Clerk, reporting the death of John McLaughlin, Clerk, was ordered entered at length upon the minutes.

From the Topographical Engineer:

1st. Reporting upon the works in progress under his charge. Filed.

2d. Forwarding a map or plan showing the proposed classification of East One Hundred and Forty-fourth, One Hundred and Forty-ninth and One Hundred and Fiftieth streets, from River avenue to the Harlem river in the Twenty-third Ward.

On motion said plan was adopted and ordered filed, according to law.

From the Topographical Engineer and Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, submitting a plan showing system of streets and avenues in that portion of the Twenty-third Ward included between Railroad avenue, West, Webster avenue and Sheridan avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh streets and Overlook avenue, as altered and revised in accordance with the provisions of chapter 365 of the Laws of 1886.

On motion, said plan was ordered placed on exhibition until the next meeting of the Board, and the Secretary was directed to insert a notice in the CITY RECORD, inviting parties interested in the proposed changes to call and examine the same and express their views in relation thereto.

From the Superintendent of Parks:

1st. Suggesting that the stone drinking-fountain for horses now situated on the east side of the Ramble, near the Obelisk, be removed and located on the bridle path, at the northeast corner of the reservoir, for the convenience of equestrians.

On motion, the suggestion of the Superintendent of Parks was approved and ordered carried out.

2d. Recommending that the proposed new greenhouse in Central Park be erected at an expense not exceeding \$3,500, in view of the limited appropriation. Laid over.

3d. Reporting in relation to proposed improvement of the bridle paths of Central Park and Riverside Drive. Laid over.

From the Acting Superintendent of Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, reporting upon the works in progress under his. Filed.

From the Engineer of Construction:

1st. Reporting upon the condition of the Harlem river bridges. Filed.

2d. Reporting in relation to the construction work on the Central and City Parks. Filed.

From the Engineer of Construction in Charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, submitting plans and specifications for the construction of a sewer in Westchester avenue, from St. Ann's avenue to Trinity avenue; also a sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from the summit east of Willis avenue to the centre line of Brown place.

On motion, said plans and specifications were approved and the works ordered advertised.

From the Secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board, reporting Frank Liard and R. R. Zingsem as eligible for appointment as Topographical Draftsmen.

On motion Frank Liard and R. R. Zingsem were appointed Topographical Draftsmen; Frank Liard for service under the Engineer of Construction for Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, and R. R. Zingsem for service under the Topographical Engineer, at \$1,200 per annum each.

From the Secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board, reporting Frederic Diaper as eligible for appointment as an Architectural Draftsman.

On motion, Frederic Diaper was appointed Architectural Draftsman for service under the Superintendent of Parks from time to time, as his services may be required, at \$4 per day.

From the Secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board, reporting Charles J. Hannelly as eligible for promotion to the grade of Clerk.

On motion, Charles J. Hannelly was promoted to the position of Clerk in place of John McLaughlin, deceased, at \$1,200 a year.

From the Police Surgeon, reporting upon the mental and physical condition of Officer John O'Shaughnessy. In view of the report of the Police Surgeon, showing the physical and mental disability of Parkkeeper John O'Shaughnessy, the said O'Shaughnessy was ordered suspended from Police duty.

Parkkeeper Andrew J. Francis was also ordered suspended from duty on account of physical disability.

From the Acting Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

1st. Reporting the suspension of Daniel Murphy, with horse and cart, for neglect of duty. Discharged.

2d. Reporting the suspension of John Hogan and John J. Rehm, Carpenters, on account of the completion of the work upon which they were engaged. Approved.

From R. F. Siegel, Assistant Engineer, asking for an increase of pay.

On motion, the salary of R. F. Siegel was fixed at \$1,320 per annum.

The President was authorized to appoint or transfer to the Central Bridge such additional Bridge-tenders as may be necessary to provide for the opening of the draw at all hours.

In accordance with Regulation 35, of the Civil Service Regulations, the following-named persons were reappointed to the position set opposite their names respectively, subject to the further pleasure of the Board:

William Egan, Parkkeeper.

August Fitting, Parkkeeper.

Appointed.

John J. Corrigan, Parkkeeper, \$2.75 per day.

John Carey, Parkkeeper, \$2.75 per day.

Cash to the amount of..... \$1,900 98

—was deposited with the City Chamberlain.

Bills amounting to..... 18,134 66

Pay-rolls "..... 31,520 52

—were approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

A contract for furnishing cast-iron water-pipes, branch-pipes and special castings was executed with M. J. Drummond, Contractor; Henry J. Hanigan and Phillips Weeks, sureties.

Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending September 11, 1886.

No meeting held this week.

Pay-rolls amounting to..... \$5,319 46

—were approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

A contract for constructing the Mill Brook drains and appurtenances between One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Westchester avenue, was executed with William Mansfield, contractor, Jacob R. Wilkins and Adolph G. Hupfel, sureties.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 8, 1886.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending September 4, 1886:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents.....	\$17,219 14
For penalties on water rents.....	269 10
For tapping Croton pipes.....	343 50
For sewer permits.....	1,024 88
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund.....	997 00
For redemption of obstructions seized.....	55 61
For vault permits.....	1,147 19
Total.....	\$21,056 42

Public Lamps.

35 new lamps lighted.
1 old lamp relighted.
4 lamps discontinued.
3 lamp-posts removed.
4 lamp-posts reset.
20 lamp-posts straightened.
16 columns releaded.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending September 4, 1886, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Aug. 30	8.50 A.M.	83.	29.92	Manhattan	Empire 5 ft.	.91	5.00	126.0	19.58	20.55
" 31	7.30 A.M.	83.	29.78	"	"	.90	5.00	118.2	21.48	21.16
Sept. 1	8.50 A.M.	79.	30.39	"	"	.91	5.00	121.2	20.21	20.41
" 2	7 A.M.	73.	30.05	"	"	.89	5.00	122.4	19.06	19.44
" 3	6 P.M.	73.	30.44	"	"	.91	5.00	118.2	21.52	21.20
" 4	11 A.M.	73.	30.50	"	"	.91	5.00	126.0	20.34	21.36
									Average.	20.68
Aug. 30	8.30 A.M.	83.	29.92	New York	Bray's Slit Union.	.94	5.00	118.8	25.04	24.79
" 31	7.50 A.M.	83.	29.78	"	"	.92	5.00	126.0	22.72	23.86
Sept. 1	8.30 A.M.	79.	30.39	"	"	.93	5.00	114.0	25.75	24.46
" 2	8.30 A.M.	74.	30.05	"	"	.95	5.00	115.2	25.32	24.30
" 3	6.30 P.M.	73.	30.44	"	"	.95	5.00	124.2	23.78	24.61
" 4	10.30 A.M.	73.	30.50	"	"	.95	5.00	120.0	24.90	24.90
									Average.	24.48
Aug. 30	7.50 A.M.	84.	29.92	N. Y. Mutual	"	1.02	5.00	122.7	32.89	33.63
" 31	8.30 A.M.	83.	29.78	"	"	1.02	5.00	121.2	32.21	32.53
Sept. 1	7.50 A.M.	78.	30.39	"	"	1.02	5.00	126.0	28.69	30.12
" 2	7.50 A.M.	73.	30.05	"	"	1.02	5.00	120.0	29.46	29.46
" 3	8 P.M.	73.	30.44	"	"	1.03	5.00	126.0	28.90	30.34
" 4	9.30 A.M.	73.	30.50	"	"	1.03	5.00	121.2	30.96	31.27
									Average.	31.22
Aug. 30	8.10 A.M.	84.	29.92	Municipal	"	.94	5.00	114.0	31.20	29.64
" 31	8.10 A.M.	83.	29.78	"	"	.94	5.00	114.0	30.59	29.05
Sept. 1	8.10 A.M.	79.	30.39	"	"	.94	5.00	116.4	27.67	26.84
" 2	8.10 A.M.	74.	30.05	"	"	.97	5.00	120.0	26.53	26.53
" 3	7 P.M.	73.	30.44	"	"	.97	5.00	114.0	28.82	27.38
" 4	10 A.M.	73.	30.50	"	"	.96	5.00	120.0	27.58	27.58
									Average.	27.84
Aug. 30	7.30 A.M.	83.	29.92	Equitable	"	.94	5.00	114.0	33.84	32.15
" 31	8.50 A.M.	84.	29.78	"	"	.95	5.00	126.0	30.24	31.75
Sept. 1	7.30 A.M.	79.	30.39	"	"	.94	5.00	121.2	31.59	31.91
" 2	7.30 A.M.	73.	30.05	"	"	.95	5.00	121.2	31.15	31.46
" 3	7.30 P.M.	73.	30.44	"	"	.97	5.00	120.0	32.21	32.21
" 4	9 A.M.	73.	30.50	"	"	.97	5.00	118.8	32.42	32.10
									Average.	31.93
Aug. 30	5 P.M.	84.	29.84	Metropolitan	No. 6	.70	5.00	114.0	22.01	20.91
" 31	9.45 A.M.	84.	29.80	"	"	.70	5.00	121.2	22.05	22.27
Sept. 1	4.30 P.M.	79.	30.29	"	"	.70	5.00	124.8	20.70	21.52
" 2	9.20 A.M.	76.	30.05	"	"	.68	5.00	123.6	22.44	23.11
" 3	5 P.M.	77.	30.47	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	22.14	22.14
" 4	8.30 A.M.	74.	30.51	"	"	.70	5.00	119.4	22.44	22.32
									Average.	22.04
Aug. 30	4.30 P.M.	84.	29.84	Knickerbocker	"	.78	5.00	114.0	21.65	20.56
" 31	9.15 A.M.	84.	29.80	"	"	.78	5.00	126.0	20.38	21.40
Sept. 1	5 P.M.	79.	30.29	"	"	.77	5.00	120.0	22.08	22.08
" 2	9 A.M.	76.	30.05	"	"	.78	5.00	116.4	21.57	20.92
" 3	5.30 P.M.	78.	30.47	"	"	.78	5.00	122.4	21.10	21.52
" 4	8 A.M.	74.	30.51	"	"	.78	5.00	120.0	22.14	22.14
									Average.	21.43

E. G. LOVE, PH. D., Gas Examiner.

Permits Issued.

82 permits to tap Croton pipes.
47 permits to open streets.
39 permits to make sewer connections.
33 permits to repair sewer connections.
119 permits to place building material on streets.
9 permits—special.
2 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

18 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Pavement Repairs.

7,483 square yards of pavement repaired in various streets and avenues during the week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

109 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
2,220 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
15 lineal feet of sewer repaired.
9 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
4 receiving-basins repaired.
20 manholes repaired.
1 new manhole head and cover put on.

2 new manhole covers put on.
18 manhole heads reset.
1 basin head reset.
2 new basin heads and covers put on.
1 new basin cover put on.
58 cubic yards earth excavated and refilled.
17 square yards pavement relaid.
50 square feet flagging relaid.
223 cart-loads of dirt removed.
1 cart-load of earth filling.

Assessment Lists for Completed Improvements Transmitted to the Board of Assessors.

Sewer in One Hundred and Sixth street, between summits east and west of Tenth avenue..... \$6,176 14
Sewer in One Hundred and Fourteenth street, between Fourth and Sixth avenues..... 6,313 17

Contracts Made and Transmitted to Comptroller.

DATE.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTORS.	SURETIES.
1886 Aug. 23	Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on northeast and northwest corners of Seventy-second, Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth streets and West End avenue.....	Thomas O'Maley.....	
" 25	Sewer in Ninety-second street, between Ninth avenue and Boulevard, and in Tenth avenue, east and west, between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets.....	W. Mansfield, 3033 Third avenue..	L. A. Fullgraff, 1012 Delmonico pl. A. G. Hupfel, 163d st. near 3d ave. Thomas Gearty, 135 E. 83d street. Patrick Sheehy, 1601 Madison ave.
" 25	Sewer in Seventy-sixth street, between Avenue A and East river.....	Patrick Reilly, 185 E. 80th street...	Thomas Gearty, 135 E. 83d street. Patrick Sheehy, 1601 Madison ave.
" 25	Receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of One Hundred and First street and Third avenue, and on the northeast, northwest, southeast and southwest corners of One Hundred and Sixth street and Fourth avenue.....	Patrick Reilly, 185 E. 80th street...	Joseph C. Biglin, 157 E. 37th street. Thomas Barile, 546 Third avenue. Patrick Reilly, 39 Sutton place. Henry Quinn, 442 W. 42d street.
" 21	Sewer in One Hundred and Fifth street, between First avenue and Harlem river.....	Terence A. Smith, 218 E. 36th street...	
" 23	Sewer in Sixty-second street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.....	Lawrence Rock, 459 W. 40th street..	
" 23	Receiving-basins on southeast corners of Seventy-ninth and Eighty-first streets, and on northeast and southeast corners Eighty-first street, on the northeast corner Eighty-second street, and on northeast and northwest corners Eighty-third, Eighty-fourth, Eighty-sixth, Eighty-seventh and Eighty-eighth streets and West End avenue.....	Thomas O'Maley, 162d st. and 10th ave.	Patrick Larney, 325 E. 38th street. Robert B. Saul, 162d st. and 10th ave.]
" 26	Extension of sewer at foot of Ninety-sixth street, Hudson river.....	Joseph Walsh, 715 Dekalb ave	Thomas Walsh, 1131 Madison ave Augustin Walsh, 427 Mott avenue.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending September 4, 1886.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS
Aqueduct—Repairs, maintenance and strengthening.....	55	186	9	6
Supplying water to shipping.....	8	..	..	..
Laying water-pipes.....	4	15	2	..
Repairing and renewal of pipes, stop-cocks, etc.....	31	129	..	10
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and repairs.....	2	18	..	2
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	4	32	..	16
Repairs and renewals of pavements.....	92	216	2	60
Boulevards, roads and avenues—Maintenance of	8	71	21	1
Roads, streets and avenues.....	1	34	6	..
Totals.....	205	701	40	95
Increase over previous week .....	..	..	..	..
Decrease from previous week .....	..	..	..	..

Appointments.

D. Lowber Smith, Deputy Commissioner, in place of William V. Smith.
Charles R. Merriam, Clerk, at \$1,200 per annum.
E. S. Van Aiken, Sewer Inspector.
Henry McGough, Sewer Inspector.

Removals.

John Tuomey, Transitman.
George F. Kroll, Draughtsman.
Theodore A. Hamilton, Inspector.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$57,553.81.

D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,
Nos. 31 AND 32 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 7, 1886.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following abstract of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning for the week ending September 5, 1886:

Material collected—		Loads.
Ashes.....		12,712
Street Dirt.....		5,538
From Department of Public Works.....		108
" Markets		98
" Permits.....		2,074
Total.....		20,53
Disposition of material—		Loads.
22 Deck scows.....		8,934
24 Dumpers		10,028
Discharged at sea.....		18,962

The Barney Dumping Boat Co.	\$542	50
.....	542	50
.....	542	50
The Croton Water Co.	20	00
Vanderbilt & Hopkins	76	00
	<u>\$7,392</u>	<u>58</u>

Schedule No. 63—

Bills

Pay-rolls.

Schedule No. 59—

Schedule No. 62—		
Joseph Ciccarelli.....	\$823	00
".....	269	00
John K. Coates.....	24	00
Collector of City Revenue and Supt. of Markets.....	250	00
John E. Connolly.....	738	20
Consolidated Gas Co. of N. Y.....	36	25
Gilchrest & Tobey.....	806	13
".....	24	00
Edward Holland.....	332	14
Guy C. Hotchkiss, Field & Co.....	4	00
Hamilton Jones.....	7	78
John L. Kipp.....	27	08
The Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co.....	157	50
The Barney Dumping Boat Co.....	542	50
".....	542	50
".....	542	50
".....	542	50

Schedule No. 61—

Wages Laborers, Cartmen, etc., last sixteen days of August.....	\$16,798 45
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Bids for Feed.

John E. Connolly, approved.....	\$763 23
James Fitzpatrick, rejected.....	767 20

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending September 4, 1886.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, September 4, 1886.

SIR.—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to September 4, 1886, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since August 31, 1886, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on September 4, 1886.

Very respectfully,
WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

DR. THE MAYOR, ALDERMEN AND COMMONALTY OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, *in account with* WM. M. IVINS, *Chamberlain, during the week ending September 4, 1886.* CR.

1886. Sept. 4	To Additional Water Fund.....	\$5,509 25	1886. Aug. 31 Sept. 4	By Balance.....		\$1,025,886 88
	American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	232 00		Arrears of Taxes.....	Cady.....	\$24,131 45
	Croton Water Fund.....	100 00		Interest on Taxes.....	".....	3,475 61
	Dog License Fund.....	336 00		Fund for Street and Park Openings.....	".....	266 65
	Dock Fund.....	7,950 44		Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886..	".....	4,613 20
	Excise Licenses.....	231 43		Interest on Assessments.....	".....	1,387 35
	Fund for Local Improvements.....	2,665 78		Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	".....	48 00
	Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	200 00		Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	".....	13 42
	For Construction of Bridges over Harlem River.....	100 27		Interest on Lands Purchased for Taxes and Assessments—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	".....	11 65
	Local Improvement Fund.....	15 25		Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	".....	39 83
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	18 95		Licenses.....	Byrnes.....	374 50
	Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works.....	506 00		Dog License Fund.....	".....	24 00
	School-house Fund.....	77 50	\$17,942 87	Tapping Pipes.....	Chambers.....	343 50
	Advertising.....	1886. \$2 75		Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	".....	504 24
	Armories and Drill Rooms—Wages.....	" 180 00		Restoring and Repaving.....	Department of Public Works	997 00
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	" 186 26			Department of Public Parks	60 00
	Additional Police Fund.....	" 14,166 66		Fund for Gratuitous Vaccination.....	Golderman.....	29 94
	Board of Estimate and Apportionment, Expenses of.....	" 250 00		Greenwich Street E. R. R.....	Kelso.....	5,131 58
	Bureau of Licenses.....	" 658 32		Intestate Estates.....	Morrisson.....	940 37
	Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	" 639 22		Commissions of Public Administrator.....	".....	500 79
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	" 68 60		Excise Licenses.....	Von Glahn.....	15,255 00
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	" 447 33		Zoological Garden Fund.....	Borden.....	128 48
	Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	" 275 00		Dock Fund.....	Matthews.....	10 00
	Contingencies—Law Department.....	" 190 12		General Fund.....	Rollins.....	94 10
	Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	" 29 00			Equitable Gas-light Co.....	3,831 15
	CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	" 583 33			Golderman.....	217 40
	Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	" 3,038 35			Borden.....	1,712 50
	Civil Service of the City of New York.....	" 1,166 53			Newton.....	1,080 49
	Cleaning Markets.....	" 2,980 94			Abell.....	101 35
	College of the City of New York.....	" 12 93			Commissioners Sinking Fund	800,000 00
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	" 6,970 24			Bowery Savings Bank.....	100,000 00
	Election Expenses.....	" 566 66			Bank Savings.....	500,000 00
	Expenses of Detectives, etc.....	" 1,041 66				
	Foundling Asylum.....	" 22,027 35		3 per cent. Revenue Bonds, 1886.....		
	Five Points House of Industry.....	" 2,538 00		4 " " ".....		
	For the Preservation of Public Records.....	1885. 19 50				
	For the Preservation of Public Records.....	1886. 4,808 64				
	Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	1885. 284 48				
	Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	1886. 11,512 04				
	Fire Department Fund—Salaries.....	" 124,477 60				
	Health Fund.....	" 17,475 25				
	Hospital Fund—North Brother Island.....	" 171 60				
	Hospital for the Care of Contagious Diseases.....	" 1,242 42				
	Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance	" 2 24				
	Interest on the City Debt—Before January, 1886.....	" 12,132 50				
	Judgments.....	" 268 89				
	Jurors' Fees.....	" 150 00				
	Laying Croton Pipes.....	1885 13,912 79				
	Laying Croton Pipes.....	1886. 7,937 42				
	Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	" 38,095 80				
	Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 25 00				
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Supplies.....	" 1,355 41				
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Police.....	" 1 50				
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Salaries.....	" 3,167 68				
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Zoological					
	Department.....	" 469 00				
	New York Institution for Instruction of Deaf and Dumb.....	" 3,139 54				
	Police Fund.....	" 306,482 68				
	Police Fund—Salaries.....	" 6,894 16				
	Police Station-houses—Alterations.....	" 2,083 33				
	Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	" 1,031 74				
	Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	" 97 61				
	Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1885. 637 13				
	Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1886. 6,168 34				
	Public Charities and Correction—Salaries.....	" 25,909 51				
	Public Instruction.....	1885. 143 95				
	Public Instruction.....	1886. 10,843 05				
	Roman Catholic House of Good Shepherd.....	" 384 85				
	Repairs and Renewal of Pavements, etc.....	" 1,508 84				
	Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	" 750 80				
	Supplies for Police.....	" 6,500 00				
	St. Joseph's Institute for the Improved Instruction of Deaf and Dumb	" 4,251 40				
	Sheriff's Fees.....	" 2,582 00				
	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	" 12 50				
	Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	" 602 78				
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	" 436 00				
	Salaries—Board of Assessors.....	" 1,383 33				
	Salaries—Commissioners of Accounts.....	" 3,071 78				
	Salaries—Common Council.....	" 5,849 77				
	Salaries—City Courts.....	" 19,783 09				
	Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....	" 2,083 33				
	Salaries—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	" 7,158 29				
	Salaries—Finance Department.....	" 15,474 18				
	Salaries—Judiciary.....	" 79,407 45				
	Salaries—Law Department.....	" 8,967 37				
	Salaries—Mayor's Office.....	" 1,791 65				
	Salaries—Engineers of the County Jail.....	" 149 99				
	To Defray Expenses of Proceedings in Street Openings.....	" 416 66				
	Balance.....		821,552 70			
			1,651,834 87			
			\$2,491,330 44			\$2,491,330 44

1886.			
Sept. 4.	By Balance		\$1,651.83 87
		WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.	

			SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.	SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.
			Dr.	Cr. \$63,545 95
1886. Aug. 31 Sept. 4	By Balance, as per last account current.....	Cady	\$1,403 57	
	Street Improvement Fund	Byrnes	4 00	
	Licenses	Kelso	1,383 00	
	Market Rent and Fees	Matthews	30,279 50	
	Dock and Slip Rent	Oriental Bank	19 11	
	Interest on Deposits	Bank of North America	117 45	
"	"	Merchants' Exchange National Bank	89 37	
"	"	National Bank of the Republic	64 59	
"	"	Commercial National Bank	63 70	
"	"	Third National Bank	31 85	
"	"	Home Bank	25 83	
"	"	Garfield National Bank	12 75	
"	"	Phenix National Bank	114 66	
"	"	Mechanics and Traders' National Bank	25 48	
"	"	First National Bank	223 07	
"	"	Bowery National Bank	104 34	
"	"	Mercantile National Bank	58 77	
"	"	Hanover National Bank	104 08	
"	"	Corn Exchange Bank	213 12	
"	"	Eleventh Ward Bank	32 20	
"	"	Produce Exchange Bank	153 08	
"	"	Fourth National Bank	421 24	
"	"	Mercantile Trust Company	93 09	
"	"	Knickerbocker Trust Company	31 85	
	Sinking Fund Redemption—Surplus Interest	Commissioners Sinking Fund	800,000 00	
	Croton Water Rent and Penalties	Chambers	\$10,865 97	
	Croton Water Arrears and Interest	Cady	706 53	
	Penalties	Boyd	498 83	
	Fines	Finn	2,145 00	
	Court Fees and Fines	Archibald	94 00	
"	"	Gardner	255 55	
"	"	Carroll	167 00	
"	"	Kelly	86 00	
"	"	Dunphy	202 00	
"	(Fifth District)	McCarthy	221 50	
"	"	Liscomb	139 00	
"	"	Van Cott	165 50	
"	(Superior)	McCarthy	185 10	
"	"	Reid	959 30	
"	"	Jarvis	358 56	
"	"	Cregier	221 00	
"	"	McAfee	1,266 00	
	Ground Rent	Kelso	212 50	
	House Rent	"	280 40	
	Stenographers' Fees	McCarthy	21 00	
To Sinking Fund Redemption			\$800,000 00	
" " Interest			98,676 64	
Balances			\$898,676 64	\$898,676 64
				\$917,438 25
				\$917,438 25

WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

Approved by the Mayor, September 8, 1886.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

Latitude 40° 45' 58" N. Longitude 73° 57' 58" W. Height of Instruments above the Ground, 53 feet; above the Sea, 97 feet.

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the Week ending September 11, 1886.

Barometer.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.
SEPTEMBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.
Sunday, 5	30.290	30.236	30.234	30.253	30.290	30.226
Monday, 6	30.292	30.276	30.282	30.283	30.300	30.224
Tuesday, 7	30.298	30.238	30.216	30.251	30.300	30.200
Wednesday, 8	30.200	30.110	30.082	30.131	30.200	30.044
Thursday, 9	29.988	29.898	29.868	29.918	30.044	29.862
Friday, 10	29.810	29.754	29.748	29.771	29.862	29.714
Saturday, 11	29.790	29.808	29.890	29.829	29.894	29.706

Mean for the week..... 30.062 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., 6th..... 30.300 "
Minimum " at 2 A. M., 11th..... 29.706 "
Range "594 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.	MINIMUM.	MAXIMUM.
SEPTEMBER.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 5	59	58	65	65	63	64.0	62.0
Monday, 6	63	62	70	68	69	67.3	66.3
Tuesday, 7	68	68	78	73	70	72.0	70.3
Wednesday, 8	67	65	80	73	71	72.6	69.6
Thursday, 9	70	70	74	73	72	72.0	71.6
Friday, 10	71	71	81	75	73	75.0	72.6
Saturday, 11	71	67	76	64	67	71.3	63.6

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.
Mean for the week..... 70.6 degrees..... 68.0 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 4 P. M., 8th..... 84. " at 4 P. M., 10th..... 77. "
Minimum " at 5 A. M., 5th..... 58. " at 5 A. M., 5th..... 58. "
Range " 26. " 19. "

Wind.

DATE. SEPTEMBER.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 P. M. to 7 A. M.	7 A. M. to 2 P. M.	2 P. M. to 9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.
Sunday	5....	NNE	ENE	ENE	34	41	29	104	0	0	0	¾	9.20 A. M.
Monday,	6....	NNE	ENE	ESE	12	36	8	56	0	0	0	¾	0.20 P. M.
Tuesday,	7....	E	SSE	SSW	8	15	42	65	0	¼	¼	½	4.20 P. M.
Wednesday,	8....	WNW	WSW	S	32	37	48	117	0	¼	¼	1	4.20 P. M.
Thursday,	9....	NE	ENE	ENE	19	38	31	88	0	0	0	¾	2.40 P. M.
Friday,	10....	N	NE	SSE	9	13	34	56	0	0	0	½	4 P. M.
Saturday,	11....	NW	NNW	NW	30	72	34	136	¾	¾	0	3	9.30 A. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 622 miles.
Maximum force " " 3 pounds.

DATE. SEPTEMBER.	Mygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	O. 10.
Sunday, 5	.469	.577	.549	94	84	89	10	10	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Monday, 6	.548	.658	.708	94	90	100	7 Cir. Cu.	10	9 Cu.	2.30 P. M.	4 P. M.	1.30	.02	.....	.....
Tuesday, 7	.685	.744	.733	100	77	100	9 Cu.	4 Cu.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wedn'day, 8	.591	.717	.758	89	70	100	10	3 Cu.	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thursday, 9	.733	.798	.784	100	95	100	10	10	10	10.30 A. M.	8 P. M.	9.30	.16	.....	.....
Friday, 10	.758	.787	.771	100	74	95	10	3 Cu.	0	1 A. M.	2.30 A. M.	1.30	.01	.....	.....
Saturday, 11	.608	.436	.425	80	48	64	8 Cir.	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Total amount of water for the week..... .29 inch.
Duration for the week 12 hours, 30 minutes.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
New York, January 7, 1886.

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

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
New York, December 31, 1885.

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

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

WM. R. GRACE, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 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.

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 200, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ROBERT B. NOONEY, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.
City Library.
No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
BERNARD JACOBS, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner; D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

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

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent.

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

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
City Paymaster

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'OENCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

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

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.
Room No. 11, City Hall.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.
The MAYOR, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

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

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

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

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

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

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.
Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney.

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, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.
Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10:30 A. M.
NOAH DAVIS, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, JOSEPH P. McDONOUGH, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.
Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARKIMORE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

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

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

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.
At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10:30 A. M., excepting Saturday.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

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 9½ 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 9 A. M.
ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.

Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue; Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of Sixth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LEO C. DESSAR, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.
Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY.
GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

First District—Tombs, Centre street.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 69 Essex street.
Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

JURORS.
NOTICE
IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 daily, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.
Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.
Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.
All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable juries, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.
Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

THE CITY RECORD.

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE obtained at No. 2 City Hall (northwest corner basement). Price three cents each.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Tuesday, September 21, 1886, at 4 o'clock P. M.

E. E. VAN SAUN,
Assistant 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 2198, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, from Seventh avenue to the east line of the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

List 2221, No. 2. Laying crosswalks across Denman place, at or near its intersections with Leggett and Tinton avenues, and across Leggett and Tinton avenues, at or near the intersections with Denman place.

List 2228, No. 3. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and also setting curb and gutter-stones and flagging the sidewalks four feet wide therein, from Elton to Courtland avenue.

List 2232, No. 4. Laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Fifty-third street, at the intersection with each avenue and of each avenue with said street, between the westerly curb-line of North Third avenue and the easterly curb-line of Railroad avenue.

List 2234, No. 5. Constructing sewers and appurtenances in One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, between Third and Brook avenues, and in One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Alexander and Brook avenues, with branches in Willis avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-sixth and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, and in Alexander avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-second streets.

List 2237, No. 6. Regulating, grading, curb and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Kingsbridge road to Public Drive.

List 2248, No. 7. Flagging sidewalks a space four feet wide and setting curb and gutter-stones in Denman place, between Forest (Concord) and Union avenues.

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-fourth street, from Seventh avenue to the east line of the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. To the extent of one-half the block on all sides, from the intersection of Denman place and Tinton avenue.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Elton to Courtland avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Third to Railroad avenue, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-sixth streets, Third and Brook avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, from Kingsbridge road to Public Drive, and to the extent of one-half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Denman place, between Forest (Concord) and Union avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 9th day of October, 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, September 8, 1886.

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 2218, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, and paving with macadamized pavement the avenue bounding Morningside Park on the east from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Twenty-third street, providing tree spaces, etc., and regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and providing tree spaces.

List 2235, No. 2. Regulating and grading, Morningside avenue and constructing retaining-walls in connection therewith, from the northerly line of One Hundred and Tenth street to the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks therein.

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 the avenue (bounding Morningside Park on the east), from One Hundred and Tenth to One Hundred and Twenty-third street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets, also both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of the avenue (bounding Morningside avenue on the west), from One Hundred and Tenth street to the Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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 15th day of September, 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, August 14, 1886.

THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS HEREBY GIVE public notice to all property-owners having claim for damages caused by the closing of that portion of Kingsbridge road lying south of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to present the same, with corroborative evidence of title thereto, to said Board on or before September 16, 1886.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NO. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, August 28, 1886.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR BUILDING A Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison on the ground and premises, situated in the City of New York, on the north side of East Sixty-seventh street, between Third and Lexington avenues, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until ten o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, the 21st day of September, 1886.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for Building a Station-house, Lodging-house and Prison," and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

For particulars of the nature and extent of the work to be done, reference must be made to the plans and specifications on file in the office of the Chief Clerk of the said Department.

Bidders will state in writing, and also in figures, a price for the work complete. The price is to cover the furnishing of all the materials and labor and the performance of all the work called for by the specifications, plans, drawings and form of agreement.

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

The entire work is to be completed within seven months from the date of the contract.

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

Each estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. 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, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, and herein stated, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

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

No estimate for a sum in excess of ninety thousand dollars can be considered.

Plans may be examined and specifications and blank estimates may be obtained by application to the undersigned, at his office in the Central Department.

By order of the Board.

WILLIAM H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

NEW YORK, September 8, 1886.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 13, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Tuesday, September 28, 1886, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. SEWER IN AVENUE ST. NICHOLAS, east side, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets.

- No. 2. SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH STREET, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.
- No. 3. SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, between Seventh avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.
- No. 4. SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST STREET, between Broadway and Tenth avenue.
- No. 5. SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-THIRD STREET, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.
- No. 6. REGULATING AND GRADING EDGE-COMB AVENUE (the first avenue east of and generally parallel with Ninth avenue or St. Nicholas Place), from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to St. Nicholas Place, SETTING CURBSTONES, FLAGGING SIDEWALKS, AND CONSTRUCTING RETAINING WALLS AND DRAIN-PIPES THEREIN.
- No. 7. REGULATING AND GRADING THE FIRST NEW AVENUE WEST OF EIGHTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Forty-fifth street to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 8. REGULATING AND GRADING, BUILDING RETAINING WALL, AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT, WITH A FOUNDATION OF BROKEN STONE THOROUGHLY ROLLED, THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH STREET, from Avenue St. Nicholas to the easterly line of St. Nicholas Place, extended; and LAYING CROSSWALKS AT THE INTERSECTING STREETS WHERE REQUIRED.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS RECEIVED FOR ANY PARTICULAR WORK IF HE DEEMS IT FOR THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE CITY.

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired can be obtained for Sewers, at Room 8; for Regulating and Grading, at Room 5; and for Paving, at Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 3, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office, until Thursday, September 16, 1886, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

- No. 1. COMPLETING UNFINISHED SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST STREET, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, and in TENTH AVENUE, east side, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.
- No. 2. SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH STREET, between Boulevard and Riverside avenue.
- No. 3. ALTERATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO RECEIVING-BASINS ON THE SOUTHEAST AND SOUTHWEST CORNERS OF NINETY-SECOND, NINETY-FOURTH, AND NINETY-SIXTH STREETS; ON SOUTHWEST CORNER OF NINETY-THIRD STREET; ON NORTHEAST AND NORTHWEST CORNERS OF NINETY-SIXTH AND NINETY-EIGHTH STREETS; AND ON NORTHWEST CORNERS OF NINETY-NINTH, ONE HUNDREDTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST, AND ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND STREETS, AND WEST END AVENUE.
- No. 4. REGULATING AND GRADING EDGE-COMB AVENUE, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 5. REGULATING AND GRADING SIXTY-NINTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and RESETTING CURBSTONES AND REFLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 6. REGULATING AND GRADING EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Avenue A to Avenue B, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

- No. 7. REGULATING AND GRADING NINETY-FIFTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 8. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 9. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 10. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 11. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SECOND STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 12. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and SETTING CURBSTONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.
- No. 13. LAYING WATER-MAINS IN BROADWAY, AND TENTH, NINTH, EIGHTH, SIXTH, FOURTH AND RIVERSIDE AVENUES, AND IN EIGHTY-EIGHTH STREET.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

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JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, CROCKERY, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, IRON, TIN, PAINTS, LIME AND LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

- 6,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, September 23, 1886.
- 800 pounds Cheese.
- 1,000 pounds Dried Apples.
- 2,800 pounds Barley, price to include packages.
- 400 pounds Cocoa.
- 2,800 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
- 1,500 pounds Wheaten Grits, price to include packages.
- 2,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.
- 400 pounds Macaroni.
- 3,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.
- 3,500 pounds Rice.
- 12,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
- 2,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
- 900 pounds Cut-loaf Sugar.
- 2,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
- 100 pounds Tapioca.
- 12,000 pounds Brown Soap.
- 3,000 pounds Laundry Starch, 40-pound boxes.
- 5,500 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
- 6 dozen Chow Chow, pints, "C. & B."
- 8 dozen Ground Thyme, best quality.
- 500 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.
- 10 barrels Pickles, 40-gallon barrels, 2,000 per barrel.
- 6 barrels prime quality Large Shore No. 2 Mackerel, 200 pounds net each.
- 20 kits prime quality No. 1 Mackerel, 20 pounds each.
- 30 pieces prime quality City cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.
- 30 prime City cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
- 20 prime City cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.
- 1,000 gallons Syrup.
- 100 bushels Peas.
- 300 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.

- 50 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.
- 15 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed three pounds, weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
- 115 bales long bright Kye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
- 10 barrels prime quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.

CROCKERY.

- $\frac{1}{2}$ gross Tumblers.
- 6 doz. Argand Chimneys.
- DRY GOODS.
- 75 Rubber Blankets.
- 100 pieces Oiled Muslin.
- 300 yards Crash.
- 5 gross Spectacles.
- 12 gross Plantation Combs.
- 20 gross each No. 2 and No. 3 Safety Pins.
- 10,000 Sewing Needles, 3 No. 5, 3 No. 6, 2 No. 7, 2 No. 8.

PAINTS AND OILS.

- 5 boxes prime quality Ultra Marine Blue, 28 pounds each.
- 20 pounds prime quality English Vermilion, dry.
- 200 pounds prime quality Indian Red, in oil, 20 5s, 20 2s, 60 1s.
- 1 barrel best Kalsomining Glean.

IRON AND TIN.

- 20 bundles best quality Common Sheet Iron, No. 22.
- 10 bundles best quality R. G. Iron, No. 24, 24 x 84.
- 5 bundles best quality R. G. Iron, No. 24, 26 x 84.
- 10 boxes best quality Charcoal Tin, 12 x 12.
- 5 boxes best quality Charcoal Tin, 12 x 12.
- 500 pounds best quality Block Tin.
- 5 bundles best quality Hoop Iron, $\frac{3}{4}$ ".

HARDWARE, WOODENWARE, ETC.

- 24 dozen papers each, Carpet Tacks, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ and 4 ounce.
- 12 dozen Shoe Brushes.
- 1 gross Razors.
- 2 dozen Coal Shovels.
- 1 dozen Long-handle Dust Brushes.

LEATHER AND FINDINGS.

- 100 sides Good Damaged Sole Leather, to average about 22 to 25 pounds.
- 100 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 11 feet.
- 100 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.
- 1,000 sides Offal Leather.
- 50 gross Shoe Binding.

LIME.

- 15 barrels Common Lime.
- 25 barrels Whitewash Lime.
- 15 barrels Chloride of Lime, containing not less than thirty-two per cent. of Chloride.

LUMBER.

- 140 square feet clear Pine Ceiling Boards, 1 x 4 inch dressed, one side tongued, grooved and beaded.
- 100 bundles first quality clear Pine Shingles, 18 inch.
- 300 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1 x $\frac{1}{2}$ inch, dressed both sides.
- 300 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1 x $\frac{1}{4}$ inch, dressed both sides.
- 300 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1 x $\frac{1}{2}$ inch, dressed both sides.

—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, September 24, 1886. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Iron, Tin, Paints, Lime and Lumber," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids. Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract. Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, September 13, 1886.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING TWO LOCOMOTIVE BOILERS FOR HOMEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, WARD'S ISLAND, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, September 17, 1886. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for repairing two Locomotive Boilers for Homeopathic Hospital Ward's Island, City of New York," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars.

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

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or

they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

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

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

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

Dated, New York, September 3, 1886.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF FURNACES AND LOWER FLUES OF FOUR BOILERS AT LUNATIC ASYLUM, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, CITY OF NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A.M., of Friday, September 17, 1886. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Reconstruction of Furnaces and Lower Flues of Four Boilers at Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, City of New York," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of one thousand (\$1,000) dollars.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, September 3, 1886.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC AND CHARITIES CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 13, 1886.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from 727 Tenth Avenue—unknown man; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes; sandy moustache and beard, about one week's growth. Had on black diagonal coat and pants, blue flannel shirt, buckled brogan shoes, brown socks.

Unknown man, from 356 Bowery; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray hair. Had on black diagonal coat, pants and vest, white shirt, white knit undershirt, white muslin drawers, white cotton socks, brogan shoes.

Unknown man, from Pier 47, East river; aged about 50 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; dark hair and moustache; dark eyes; pocked marked. Had on blue coat, pants and vest, blue flannel shirt, gray flannel drawers, brown woolen socks; figure of male and female tattooed on left arm, and name J. L. Miller, on right arm.

Unknown man, from One Hundred and Seventeenth Street, North river; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; dark brown hair. Had on black coat, dark ribbed pants and vest, white shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, white cotton socks, gaiters, gold ring with initials W. P. to F. C. November, 1876.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Otto Lang; aged 45 years. Committed July 27, 1886.

Luke Bulsom; aged 34 years. Committed August 29, 1886.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Charlotte Walters; aged 56 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Mary Donnelly; aged 60 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted black alpaca skirt and sacque, black shawl, cloth gaiters, black silk bonnet.

James Cannon; aged 18 years; 5 feet 5½ inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted black diagonal coat, pants and vest, laced shoes, white straw hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING,
CITY OF NEW YORK, Nos. 31 & 32 PARK ROW,
NEW YORK, September 3, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following articles, the property of the Department of Street Cleaning, will be sold at public auction at the stables of this Department, Seventeenth Street and Avenue C, by William Kennelly, Auctioneer, on Friday, the 17th day of September, 1886, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon:

Eight horses, known as Nos. 7, 77, 89, 91, 94, 95, 97 and 98.

About 14,000 pounds old rope.

About 10,000 pounds old scrap-iron.

About 3,000 pounds old horseshoes.

One lot old horse collars and saddles.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at the time of sale, or the articles will be resold.

Purchasers will be required to remove their articles from the stables within twenty-four hours after the sale.

Information in relation to the articles to be sold may be obtained from the Superintendent of the stables, at Seventeenth Street and Avenue C.

J. S. COLEMAN,
Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, September 9, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required in repairing the floating engine "Wm. F. Havemeyer" (Engine Co. No. 43), of this Department, 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, September 22, 1886, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

The work is to be completed and delivered within thirty (30) days after the execution of the contract.

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 fixed and liquidated at twenty (\$20) dollars.

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 three thousand and five hundred (\$3,500) dollars; 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York 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 one hundred and seventy-five (175) dollars. 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.

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

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

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

By order of

HENRY D. PURROY, President,
RICHARD CROKER,
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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 18, 1886.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Ninth Avenue regulating and grading, from One Hundred and Fifty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth Street.

Seventy-fourth Street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Eighth Avenue to Riverside Drive.

One Hundred and Thirty-seventh Street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Fifth to Seventh Avenue.

Alexander Avenue regulating, grading, setting curb-stones, flagging, laying crosswalks and paving roadway with trap blocks, from the Southern Boulevard to North Third Avenue.

Eighty-second Street paving, from Eighth to Ninth Avenue, with granite-block pavement.

Eighty-eighth Street paving, from Second to Third Avenue, with granite-block pavement.

One Hundred and Fifteenth Street paving, from Fifth to Sixth Avenue, with granite-block pavement.

One Hundred and Thirty-fourth Street paving, from Madison to Fifth Avenue, with granite-block pavement.

Eighty-sixth Street sewers, between Tenth and Riverside Avenues.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments August 12, 1886, and entered on the same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A.M. and 2 P.M., and all payments made thereon, on or before November 1, 1886, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS AND OF WATER RENTS,
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS AND CLERK OF ARREARS,
STEWART BUILDING, ROOM 35, August 16, 1886.

NOTICE OF THE SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS for unpaid taxes of 1880, 1881 and 1882, and Croton water rents of 1879, 1880 and 1881, under the direction of Edward V. Loew, Comptroller of the City of New York.

The undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882,

That the respective owners of all lands and tenements situated in the Wards Nos. 1 to 24, inclusive, in the City of New York, on which taxes have been laid and confirmed for the years 1880, 1881 and 1882, and are now remaining due and unpaid; and also the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York, situated in the Wards aforesaid, on which the regular Croton water rents have been laid for the years 1879, 1880 and 1881, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to

pay the said taxes and Croton water rents so remaining due and unpaid, with the interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, from the time when the same became due to the time of payment, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at his office in the Finance Department, in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers Street, in said City.

And that if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the Court-house in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, December 6, 1886, at 12 o'clock, noon, for the lowest term of years at which any person shall offer to take the same in consideration of advancing the amount of tax or Croton water rent, as the case may be, so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon, as aforesaid, to the time of sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements so advertised for sale shall be sold.

Notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the taxes and the Croton water rents, the ownership of the property on which taxes and Croton water rents remain unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the said pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Forty-seventh Street sewer, extension at the East river Ninety-seventh Street sewer, between Third and Fourth Avenues, from end of present sewer east of Lexington Avenue.

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

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

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

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

One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street sewer, between Brook Avenue and Mill Brook, and between Mill Brook and Courtland Avenue, with branch in Bergen Avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth Streets.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, July 15, 1886, and entered on the same date in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A.M. and 2 P.M., and all payments made thereon, on or before October 4, 1886, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

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