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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.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending August 28, 1886:

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

David Banks and Anthony Bleecker Banks vs. The Mayor, etc.—Action to recover on alleged contract to furnish certain law books for use of Justices of City Court, \$986.

People ex rel. Bernard Gunther vs. The Commissioners of Charities and Correction of the City of New York—Habeas corpus for discharge of relator, an inmate of the New York Asylum for Insane on Ward's Island.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Theodore F. Tone vs. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York—Summons only served.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

The People ex rel. The New York Electric Lines Company vs. Rollin M. Squire, as Commissioner of Public Works, in and for the City and County of New York—Application for writ of peremptory mandamus requiring the Commissioner of Public Works to grant a permit and authority to make excavations and open streets for the purpose of laying wires and conductors of electricity.

Louis Levenson vs. The Mayor, etc.—(1.) To recover the amounts paid as purchase-money on tax sale for unpaid taxes of 1869 and 1870, No. 216 Church street, March 9, 1874, \$2,490.48. (2.) And for costs and expenses incurred in defending the title and amount paid, \$7,500.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

In re Lydia Fox, regulating, etc., Broadway, Manhattan to One Hundred and Thirty-third street—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Edward Connelly, One Hundred and Forty-seventh street outlet sewer—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re August Floyd and another, Tenth avenue sewer—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Drew & Bucki, Thirteenth street patent paving—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re John S. McLean, Thirteenth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re James B. Johnston et al., Thirteenth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Gloriana R. Hoffman and another, Thirteenth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Catharine Lorentz, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Edward S. Simon, regulating, etc., Thirteenth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re James B. Johnson, regulating, etc., Thirteenth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Gloriana and Samuel V. Hoffman, regulating, etc., Thirteenth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Drew & Bucki, Thirteenth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Seaman & Son, Thirteenth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Consumers' Ice Co., Thirteenth avenue regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Elizabeth Seery, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirteenth street—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Michael Carr, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirteenth street—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re William Milner, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirteenth street—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Henry Vehsleht, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirteenth street—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Thomas Hackett, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirteenth street—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re Patrick Redding, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.
In re John Ryan, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.
In re William H. Tone, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.
In re Frederick Roberts, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.
In re Ann Carroll, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.
In re Catharine Lorentz, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.
In re Anna Lyon, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.
In re Ann Newberry, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.
In re Henry Tone, regulating, etc., One Hundred and Thirty-first street—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

In re James Murray, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.
In re Catharine Eilermann, regulating, etc., Broadway—Order entered dismissing petition by consent.

People, etc., ex rel. John O. Conway vs. L. J. N. Stark—Order entered denying motion for peremptory writ of mandamus.

In re James A. Striker and ano., Seventh avenue sewers—Order entered reducing assessment pursuant to decision in Court of Appeals, in re Merriam, 84 N. Y., 596.

In re New York Cable Railway Company—Order entered denying motion to confirm, etc.

People ex rel. Bernhard Gunther vs. Board of Charities, etc.—Order entered to refer to Charles H. Daniel to take proofs, etc.

Michael Nolan and ano. vs. The Mayor et al.—Order discontinuing action entered.

Maria W. Dittmar vs. The Mayor, etc., No. 2—Order discontinuing action entered.

Alexander J. Howell—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$267.36 upon offer made by the defendants and accepted.

Ambrose K. Ely—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$886.36; no answer interposed.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

People ex rel. The New York Electric Lines Co. vs. Rollin M. Squire, Commissioner of Public Works for the City and County of New York—Argued before Allen, J.; Roger Forster for relator; E. Henry Lacombe for respondent; D. L. Gibbens, an amicus curia for Subway Commissioners; decision reserved.

People ex rel. Bernard Gunther vs. The Commissioners of Charities and Correction—Argued before Hon. John C. Churchill; reference directed; W. Carmalt for respondent.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending September 4, 1886:

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

Catharine Cantlon, administratrix of the estate of Oliver Cantlon, deceased, vs. The Mayor, etc.—To recover the sum of \$75, paid the Excise Board for a license, but on account of death of applicant was never issued.

The People ex rel. George H. Cummings vs. Stephen B. French, John McClave, Fitz John Porter and John R. Voorhis, Commissioners composing the Board of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York—Application for writ of peremptory mandamus requiring the Board to pay to the relator, a Patrolman, the sum of \$400 retained for absence caused by sickness.

The People ex rel. the Mayor, etc., of the City of New York vs. the Board of Assessors of the City of Brooklyn and the Board of Supervisors of the County of Kings—Writ of certiorari to review assessment of 1886 upon premises at the foot of Fulton street in the City of Brooklyn.

In re petition of Ambrose K. Ely—To vacate an assessment for Eighty-ninth street regulating, between Eighth and Tenth avenues, and Ninth avenue regulating, between Eighty-first and One Hundred and Tenth streets.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

The Mayor, etc., vs. Louis C. Bruns et al., No. 1—Order of discontinuance entered.
The Mayor, etc., vs. Van Wyck—Order entered adjourning sale until October 12, 1886.

In the matter of Michael Cox—Order entered confirming the Referee's report as to title of petitioner to the award.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, AUGUST 16 TO 21, 1886.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending August 14, 1886: Males, 29; females, 7. On file.

List of 34 prisoners to be discharged from August 22 to 28, 1886. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 7 patients received during week ending August 14, 1886. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 12 patients received during week ending August 14, 1886. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending August 14, 1886, \$550. On file.

Appointed.

August 16. David Langdon, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.

" 17. Ellen Fitzgerald, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$192 per annum.

" 19. Anna M. Woolford, Nurse, Homœopathic Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 20. Annie Ryan, Nurse, Homœopathic Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 20. Michael Curry, Stableman, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.

" 20. Joseph R. Horne, Thomas H. McClair, William Simmonds, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum each.

Resigned.

August 17. Kate Hendrickson, Laundress, Charity Hospital.

" 17. Michael J. Cullen, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

" 19. Adam J. Otto, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

" 21. Edward J. O'Brien, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

Dismissed.

August 21. Charles Hutchison, Night Watchman, Bellevue Hospital.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of the transactions of the Bureau of the City Chamberlain for the week ending August 31, 1886.

OFFICE OF THE CITY CHAMBERLAIN,
NEW YORK, August 31, 1886.

Hon. WM. R. GRACE, Mayor :

SIR—In pursuance of section 165 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, I have the honor to present herewith a report to August 31, 1886, of all moneys received by me and the amount of all warrants paid by me since August 21, 1886, and the amount remaining to the credit of the City on August 31, 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 August 31, 1886.

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1886. Aug. 31	To Additional Water Fund.....	\$325,490 66	1886. Aug. 21 31	By Balance.....	\$1,029,002 70	
	Assessment Commission—Awards	50 42		Arrears of Taxes	Cady.....	\$71,810 41
	Croton Water Fund.....	16,565 31		Interest on Taxes.....	".....	10,192 83
	Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account	10 00		Fund for Street and Park Openings	".....	1,003 37
	Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	2,506 66		Street Improvement Fund, June 15, 1886..	".....	9,520 95
	Dock Fund.....	5,223 12		Interest on Assessments.....	".....	2,114 83
	Excise Licenses.....	1,052 00		Charges on Arrears of Taxes.....	".....	112 50
	Fund for Local Improvements	11,562 35		Taxes.....	McLean.....	180 10
	For Construction of Bridges over Harlem River.....	4,655 00		Interest on Taxes.....	Byrnes.....	361 25
	Local Improvement Fund.....	38,540 02		Dog License Fund.....	McMahon.....	45 00
	Morningside Park Improvement Fund	1,142 36		Tapping Pipes.....	Chambers.....	356 00
	Revenue Bonds, 1886.....	500,000 00		Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	Department of Public Works	869 00
	Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	171 82		Restoring and Repaving	Martine.....	1,972 59
	Restoring and Repaving—Department of Public Works.....	404 50		Forfeited Recognizances	Lacombe.....	180 45
	Water Meter Fund No. 2.....	493 59		General Fund	Britton.....	392 80
		\$907,933 81			Squire.....	780 11
	Advertising	1886. \$254 00			Coleman.....	458 00
	Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	" 1,422 58			Comptroller.....	75
	Armories and Drill Rooms—Wages	" 30 00			Newton.....	170 83
	Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.....	" 557 00			German Savings Bank.....	500,000 00
	Bronx River Bridges—Repairs and Maintenance.....	" 40 25			U. S. National Bank.....	100,000 00
	Bronx River Works—Repairs and Maintenance.....	" 39 15			Commissioners Sinking Fund	450,000 00
	Bridges, etc., Mott Haven Canal	" 24 00				
	Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	" 2,915 99				
	City Contingencies.....	" 25 30				
	Contingencies—Comptroller's Office	" 248 66				
	Contingencies—District Attorney's Office	" 204 83				
	Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	" 10 00				
	Contingencies—Law Department	" 757 49				
	Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	" 9 72				
	Civil Service of the City of New York.....	" 590 34				
	Cromwell's Creek Bridges, etc.....	" 407 44				
	College of the City of New York.....	" 207 38				
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	1884. 21 10				
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning	1885. 48 00				
	Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	1886. 21,524 03				
	For Additions, Brown-stone Building.....	" 425 00				
	For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors and Marines	" 35 00				
	For Counsel Fee—Equalizing State Taxes.....	" 1,000 00				
	For the Preservation of Public Records.....	" 17 35				
	Free Floating Baths	" 1,035 00				
	Fire Department Fund—Apparatus.....	" 5,670 41				
	Health Fund	" 1,055 68				
	Hospital for the Care of Contagious Diseases	" 799 66				
	Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance	" 1,645 27				
	Incumbrances—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, Removal	" 51 12				
	of.....	" 51 12				
	Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	" 3,377 78				
	Interest on the City Debt—Before January, 1885	1885. 210 00				
	Interest on the City Debt—Before January, 1886	1886. 4,942 50				
	Interest on Revenue Bonds.....	" 2,509 60				
	Jeannette Park Improvement	" 24 64				
	Judgments	" 8,622 92				
	Laying Croton Pipes.....	1884. 400 67				
	Laying Croton Pipes	1885. 250 00				
	Laying Croton Pipes.....	1886. 4,811 97				
	Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	" 37,765 89				
	Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 5,925 18				
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Supplies.....	1885. 6 18				
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Supplies.....	1886. 17,080 97				
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Museums.....	" 3,008 62				
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Police.....	" 9,468 61				
	Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places—Zoological	" 675 63				
	Department	" 3,845 00				
	Music—Central and City Parks.....	" 17,200 80				
	Nursery and Child's Hospital.....	" 7,500 55				
	New York Infant Asylum.....	" 275 00				
	New York Infirmary for Women and Children.....	" 6,387 12				
	New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled...	" 3,738 09				
	Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	" 27 00				
	Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1885. 286 88				
	Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1886. 12 00				
	Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1885. 31,272 51				
	Public Charities and Correction—Supplies.....	1886. 53 03				
	Public Instruction	1885. 9,119 24				
	Public Instruction.....	1886. 2,868 24				
	Riverside Park and Avenue.....	" 1,176 00				
	Roads, Streets and Avenues—Unpaved, etc.....	" 6,100 85				
	Repaving Streets and Avenues.....	" 10,427 68				
	Repairs and Renewal of Pavements, etc.....	" 3,492 08				
	Repairs and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	" 740 07				
	Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards...	" 12 10				
	Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	" 45 43				
	Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	" 41 36				
	Surveying, Laying-out, etc.—Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-	" 166 50				
	third and Twenty-fourth Wards	" 237 50				
	Sprinkling—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	" 533 33				
	Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	" 260 00				
	Salaries—Department of Public Works.....	" 1,250 00				
	Salaries—Judiciary	" 247,306 38				
	The Shepherd's Fold	" 1,025,885 88				
	Balance.....	\$2,181,127 07				

E. & O. E.
NEW YORK, August 31, 1886.

1886.
Aug. 31. By Balance

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUNDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, in account with WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain, for and during the week ending August 31, 1886.

1886. Aug. 31			SINKING FUND FOR THE REDEMPTION OF THE CITY DEBT.		SINKING FUND FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST ON THE CITY DEBT.	
			DR.	CR.	DR.	CR.
	By Balance, as per last account current.....			\$486,715 05		\$873,292 89
	Assessment Fund.....	Cady.....	\$265 60			
	Street Improvement Fund	".....	4,833 73			
	Interest on Deposits.....	American Loan and Trust Company	12 74			
		Metropolitan Trust Company.....	25 48			
	Licenses.....	Byrnes.....	71 00			
	Market Rent and Fees.....	Kelso.....	9,640 22			
	Market Cellar Rent	".....	98 75			
	Street Vaults	Commissioner Public Works.....	7,323 33			
	Dock and Slip Rent	Matthews.....	4,510 05			
	Commissioner of Juror's Fines	Reilly.....	50 00			
				26,830 90		
	Croton Water Rent and Penalties.....	Chambers.....	\$25,490 61			
	Croton Water Arrears and Interest	Cady.....	1,614 08			
	Court Fees and Fines	Breen.....	52 00			
		Perley.....	841 00			
	Ground Rent.....	Kelso.....	81 00			
	House Rent.....	".....	90 93			
					25,169 62	
	To Sinking Fund Redemption.....		\$450,000 00			
	Interest.....		63,545 95		\$75 00	
					898,387 51	
			\$513,545 95	\$513,545 95	\$898,462 51	\$898,462 51

Aug. 31, 1886. By Balances.....
E. & O. E.
NEW YORK, August 31, 1886.

WM. M. IVINS, Chamberlain.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, SANITARY BUREAU, SEVENTH DIVISION—VITAL STATISTICS.

REPORTED MORTALITY* for the week ending August 28, 1886, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending August 21, 1886.

W. DE F. DAY, M. D., Sanitary Superintendent and Register :

SIR—There were 700 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, August 28, 1886, which is a decrease of 36, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 58 more than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1885. The actual mortality for the week ending August 21, 1886, was 719, which is 22 above the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 25.87 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,445,026.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending August 28, 1886, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending August 21, 1886.

METEOROLOGY.		Week ending Aug. 28.	Week ending Aug. 21.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 1886.							AGE BY YEARS.																	SEX.																																																																																		
Mean temperature (Fahr.) for the week was.		71.0	66.9																																																																																																											
" reading of barometer		29.883	30.014																																																																																																											
" humidity for the week was.....		81	80																																																																																																											
Number of miles traveled by the wind was..		643	947																																																																																																											
Total rain-fall, in inches, for the week.....		....	.03																																																																																																									
CAUSES OF DEATH.				DATE.																																																																																																										
Total Deaths reported during the week ending Aug. 28, 1886.				Total Deaths reported during the week ending Aug. 21, 1886.																																																																																																										
				Aug. 15.	Aug. 16.	Aug. 17.	Aug. 18.	Aug. 19.	Aug. 20.	Aug. 21.																																																																																																				
											Total Actual Mortality during the week ending Aug. 21, 1886.	Actual number of Deaths for the corresponding week of 1885.	Average number of Deaths in the corresponding week of the past five years.	Annual Death-rate per 1,000, during week (population estimated at 1,445,026).																Male.	Female.	COLORS																																																																														
											Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 and over.																																																																																
											1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	100
Total Deaths from all Causes.....				700	736	96	95	122	108	94	98	106	719	665	697.0	25.87	225	67	22	15	8	337	14	8	18	34	49	30	47	36	21	19	21	25	19	41	376	343	11																																																																							
Total Zymotic Diseases.....				232	244	32	27	42	41	25	26	30	223	239	269.0	8.03	110	39	13	9	6	177	8	4	5	2	3	2	3	3	1	2	4	2	7	114	109	3																																																																								
Total Constitutional Diseases.....				146	180	24	22	26	26	25	23	26	172	134	144.0	6.19	40	7	3	3	...	51	2	13	10	23	14	19	11	5	2	...	6	4	5	81	91	1																																																																								
Total Local Diseases.....				261	255	31	39	47	33	35	36	42	263	224	218.8	9.46	52	21	6	3	2	84	2	6	1	11	19	11	18	10	15	19	13	12	23	143	120	6																																																																								
Total Developmental Diseases.....				34	30	3	4	3	4	5	11	4	34	33	31.4	1.22	23	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																																								
Deaths by Violence.....				27	27	3	4	4	4	4	2	4	27	36	31.8	.97	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	1	1	5	1	6	3	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																																																	
Small-pox.....				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																					
Measles.....				4	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																							
Scarlatina.....				1	6	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	4	4	10.0	.14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																																		
Diphtheria.....				25	23	3	5	2	4	2	4	7	27	15	15.2	.97	3	4	5	4	4	20	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																																											
Membranous Croup.....				9	12	3	2	1	3	2	1	1	13	9	10.2	.47	2	5	3	1	2	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																																								
Whooping Cough.....				2	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																							
Erysipelas.....				9	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																							
Typhus Fever.....				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																					
Yellow Fever.....				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																					
Typhoid Fever.....				11	5	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																									
Cerebro-Spinal Fever.....				2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																							
Remittent, Intermittent, Typho-Malarial, Congestive and Simple Continued Fevers.				7	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																							
Puerperal Diseases.....				4	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																							
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....				149	147	21	11	28	25	15	15	130	150	163.4	4.68	88	21	3	1	...	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																																							
Inanition, Want of Breast Milk, etc.....				7	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																							
Alcoholism.....				3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																							
Rheumatism and Gout.....				...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																					
Cancer.....				12	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																							
Phthisis Pulmonalis.....				99	117	15	15	18	17	14	15	19	113	81	89.8	4.07	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																																				
Bronchitis.....				14	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																							
Pneumonia.....				45	36	1	5	9	4	7	7	4	37	32	29.8	1.33	4	10	2	1	...	17	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																																																		
Heart Diseases.....				25	29	5	3	7	2	2	2	5	26	27	24.8	.90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																																		
Aneurism.....				3	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...																																																			

* Refers to the number of death certificates received.

WARDS.	AREA IN ACRES.	DEATHS FROM ZYMOTIC DISEASES.													Total Deaths from all Causes.	Total Deaths, exclusive of those in Public Institutions.	Total Population (in Wards), Census of 1880	REMARKS.	Total in Institutions.	
		NEW YORK.—DEATHS FROM SMALL-POX, MEASLES, SCARLATINA, DIPHTHERIA, CROUP, WHOOPING COUGH, TYPHOID FEVER, TYPHUS FEVER, MALARIAL FEVERS, PUERPERAL FEVER, DIARRHOEAL MALADIES, CEREbro-SPINAL FEVER, AND OTHER ZYMOTIC DISEASES.																		
		Actual Mortality during the Week ending August 21, 1886.																		
		Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlatina.	Diphtheria.	Croup.	Whooping Cough.	Typhus Fever.	Typhoid Fever.	Malarial Fevers.	Puerperal Fever.	All Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Cerebro-Spinal Fever.	Other Zymotic Diseases.	Total Deaths from Zymotic Diseases.					
First.....	154	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	9	9	17,939	Castle Garden and Emigrant Depot, —; U. S. Marine Hospital (Bedloe's Island), —; First Precinct Station, —	..
Second.....	81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,608	Twenty-seventh Precinct Station, —; House of Relief, 160 Chambers street, 2; Newsboys' Lodgings, —	..
Third.....	95	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	6	4	3,582	Fourth Precinct Station, —; Mission Home, —; St. James' Home, —; Sailor Home, —	2
Fourth.....	83	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	5	9	9	20,996	Fifth Precinct Station, —; Trinity Infirmary, 50 Varick street, —	..
Fifth.....	168	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	8	15,845	City Prison, —; Home of Industry, —; Centre Street Dispensary, —; Sixth Precinct Station, —	..
Sixth.....	86	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	4	10	10	20,196	Seventh Precinct Station, —; Gouverneur Hospital, 1; Nursery and Child's Protectory, East Broadway, —	1
Seventh.....	198	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32	32	50,066	Eighth Precinct Station, —	..
Eighth.....	183	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	9	15	15	35,879	St. Vincent's Hospital, 4; Welcome Home, —; Home for Old Men and Aged Couples, —	..
Ninth.....	322	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	2	..	1	7	30	26	54,596	Essex Street Prison, —; Tenth Precinct Station, —; Ludlow Street Jail, —	4
Tenth.....	110	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	6	..	..	8	23	23	47,554	St. Francis' Hospital, 6; Eleventh Precinct Station, —	..
Eleventh.....	196	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	10	34	28	68,778	Reception Hospital, 90th street, 1; Infants' Hospital, 3; Soldiers' Retreat, —; N. Y. City Asylum for the Insane, 5; Colored Orphan Asylum, —; Ward's Island, —; Randall's Island, 7; Bloomingdale Lunatic Asylum, —; St. Joseph's Asylum, —; St. Joseph's Home, —; House of Mercy, —; Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island, —; Deaf and Dumb Asylum, —; House of Good Shepherd, —; N. Y. Juvenile Asylum, —; St. Luke's Home, —; Homeopathic Hospital, 10; Home of the Little Sisters of the Poor, 2; Manhattan Hospital, —; Magdalene Convent, —; St. Joseph's Hospital, 2; Deborah Nursery, —; Home for Aged, —	6
Twelfth.....	5,504.13	..	1	..	7	1	2	..	..	1	..	18	..	5	35	100	70	81,800	Thirteenth Precinct Station, —; Fifth District Court, —	..
Thirteenth.....	107	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	5	20	20	37,797	R. C. Orphan Asylum, —; Lying-in-Asylum, —; Fourteenth Precinct Station, —; House of Mercy, —	..
Fourteenth.....	96	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	8	8	30,171	Fifteenth Precinct Station, —; Mission of Immaculate Virgin, —; Protestant Half-Orphan Asylum, —	..
Fifteenth.....	198	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	12	31,882	St. Joseph's Home for the Aged, —; French Hospital, —; Baby's Shelter, —; Samaritan Home for the Aged, —	..
Sixteenth.....	348.77	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	5	20	20	52,188	House of the Holy Comforter, —; New York Infirmary, —; N. Y. Lying-in Asylum, —; St. Phillip's Home, —	..
Seventeenth.....	331	..	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	12	34	34	104,837	New York Hospital, 1; St. Stephen's Home, —; Post Graduate Hospital, 3; N. Y. Ophthalmic Hosp., —; Willard Parker Hospital, 1; Home of the Church of the Holy Communion, —	5
Eighteenth.....	449.89	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	7	28	23	66,611	Presbyterian Hosp., —; German Hospital, 1; Mt. Sinai Hospital, 3; Foundling Asylum, 6; Women's Hospital and College, —; City Lunatic Asylum, 3; Almshouse, 7; Penitentiary, —; Small-pox Hospital, —; Charity Hospital, 13; Colored Home Hospital, 2; Nursery and Child's Hospital, 1; St. Luke's Hospital, 2; Workhouse, 1; Roman Catholic Orphan Asylum, —; Hospital for Ruptured and Crippled, —; Home for the Aged (Little Sisters of the Poor), 1; Chapin Home for the Aged, —; Hahnemann's Hospital, —; Hebrew Orphan Asylum, —; St. Joseph's Infirmary, —; Baptist Home, —; Dominican Convent, —; Montefiore Home, —; Manhattan Eye and Ear Hospital, —; Nineteenth Precinct Station, —; St. Joseph's Industrial Home, —; Presbyterian Home, —; Fifty-seventh Street Prison, —	..
Nineteenth.....	1,480.60	..	1	..	6	2	1	..	3	2	..	17	2	3	37	118	78	158,191	St. Elizabeth's Hospital, 1; St. Mary's Hospital, —; Trinity Home, —; St. Vincent De Paul Nursery, —; Bellevue Hospital, 28; in Ambulances, —; Ophthalmic Hospital, —; Skin and Cancer Hospital, —; Home of the Friendless, —; Emergency Hospital, —; St. Luke's Home, —; St. Stephen's Home, —	1
Twentieth.....	444	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	..	2	17	54	53	86,013	Roosevelt Hospital, 5; Old Ladies' Home, —; New York Infant Asylum, —; Twenty-second Precinct Station, —; N. Y. Orphan Asylum, —; N. Y. Med. College and Hosp. for Women, —; Barrett Home, —	28
Twenty-first.....	411	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	4	13	50	22	66,536	Thirty-third Precinct Station, —; Old Gentlemen's Unsectarian Home, —; North Brother Island Hospital, —	..
Twenty-second.....	1,529.42	..	..	2	2	3	1	..	..	..	..	11	..	3	22	65	60	111,606	House of Rest for Consumptives, 1; Home for Incurables, 1; Thirty-fourth Precinct Station, —; Thirty-fifth Precinct Station, —; Peabody Home, —; St. Stephen's Home, —; N. Y. Skin and Cancer Hospital, —	5
Twenty-third.....	4,267.023	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	6	14	14	28,338		..
Twenty-fourth.....	8,050.323	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	10	8	13,288		2
Totals.....	24,893.156	..	8	4	27	13	8	..	5	7	..	130	3	18	223	719	595	1,206,299	Total mortality in Public Institutions.....	124

Births * reported during the week ending August 28, 1886.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		SEX.			NATIVITY OF PARENTS.								NAME OF CHILD.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	NATIVITY OF FATHER STATED ONLY		NATIVITY OF MOTHER STATED ONLY		Not stated.	Stated.
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.		
650	643	7	325	325	..	347	165	91	40	..	..	2	5	..	559

Marriages * reported during the week ending August 28, 1886.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.						CONDITION.							
	White.	Colored.	Foreign.	Native.	BORN AT SEA.	NOT STATED.			FIRST MARRIAGE.	SECOND MARRIAGE.	THIRD MARRIAGE.	FOURTH MARRIAGE.			NOT STATED.	
140	138	2	88	82	52	58	..	..	122	123	16	17	2	..	..	..

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

Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending August 28, 1886, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending August 21, 1886.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
4	Austria	17	15	50	48	12	13	6	6
4	British America	5	3	5	8	1	4	..	..
6	England	23	18	23	15	7	5	..	..
2	France	6	6	5	5	3	3	1	1
68	Germany	166	163	194	162	38	28	15	12
107	Ireland	220	225	74	78	7	7	5	5
5	Italy	25	22	10	10	4	4	2	2
2	Poland	4	5	18	16	..	..	..	..
3	Scotland	8	0	5	5	2	..	..	..
4	Switzerland	6	5	5	2	1	1	..	..
496	United States	155	167	205	258	52	58	18	22
3	Unknown or not stated	42	37	7	..	..	..	2	1
1	West Indies	2	1	1	1	1	1	..	..
14	Other countries	41	39	48	42	13	16	5	3

Still-Births reported during the week ending August 28, 1886.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.		NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.										
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	White.	Colored.	FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.										Unknown or not stated.
						Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
54	26	28	..	52	2	18	34	2	22	31	1	..	..	..	2	5	5	14	5	22	1	..

Deaths reported during the week ending August 28, 1886.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.												RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.						
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more).	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.								New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated. †	STATED.				
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Seventh.				Eighth.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	Not stated. †
700	111	407	163	7	12	..	15	126	191	133	81	29	2	..	1	692	8	..	94	161	76	369

† Principally children and deaths in Institutions

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks held September 1, 1886.

Present—Commissioners Stark, Matthews, and Koch.

The minutes of the meeting held August 27, 1886, were read and approved.

The following communications were received, read, and,

On motion, laid on the table to await action, as stated, to wit:

From Department of Street Cleaning—Requesting dredging at dumping-boards located at Market street, East river, and Nineteenth street, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Health Department—Enclosing complaint respecting condition of Pier at Forty-sixth street, North river. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Consolidated Gas Company—Requesting permission to repair bulkhead between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, East river, and extend line. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From Wm. M. Montgomery & Co.—Requesting permission to use Pier at Fortieth street, North river, and agreeing to keep the same in repair. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report repairs required.

From Chas. P. Blake, Dock Master—Reporting that D. D. Harrison has replaced mast on Pier at Twenty-eighth street, East river, and is using boat-house on north side of the bulkhead without a permit from the Department. Referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

From The Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company:

1st. Requesting permission to erect a temporary shed on Pier 27, East river, and also requesting the right to use bulkheads adjoining in accordance with the plans submitted. Referred to Executive Session and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to examine and report.

2d. Requesting lease of the north half of Pier, old 34, North river, and the bulkhead north. Referred to Executive Session.

The following communications were received, read and,

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

From Department of Street Cleaning—Reporting that the bulkhead foot of Horatio street, North river, and One Hundred and Seventh streets, Harlem river, has been cleaned.

From New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad—In reference to piles located in front of the bulkhead between Thirtieth and Thirty-first streets, East river.

From Chas. Nimmo, Clerk—Tendering his resignation, to take effect on September 1, 1886. Resignation accepted.

From Lehigh Valley Railroad Company—Agreeing to the terms and conditions of resolution adopted August 25, 1886.

From Counsel to the Corporation—Enclosing \$10 received from Michael Ward in settlement of penalty for violation of Rule 7.

From Department of Public Works—Requesting the Board to keep the entrance to bath located at Pier foot of Gouverneur street open so as to secure safe and convenient passageway to said bath. The action of the President in directing the Dock Master to remove obstructions on said Pier was approved.

From Simon Stevens, attorney—Enclosing acceptance of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, to the terms and conditions of resolution adopted August 20, 1886.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting amount of work done during the week ending August 21, 1886.

2d. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty.

3d. Submitting map of newly-made land between Piers, new 41 and 42, North river, and stating that the permit issued to the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company, on August 20, 1886, laps over the area of the premises occupied by the Hudson Tunnel Company at pleasure of Board under resolution adopted March 23, 1881, and that if the said shed is built it will close up the passageway thereat, and suggesting that a portion of the Tunnel Company's fence be removed, so as to allow a clear passageway of about thirty feet for the passage of teams, which will necessitate the rearrangement of the temporary pavement, and also stating that for above-stated reasons he had not repaired pavement as ordered under Secretary's Order No. 5581.

On motion, the repairs ordered under Secretary's Order No. 5581 was rescinded, and the President authorized to request the Hudson Tunnel Company to call on the Commissioners.

4th. Reporting the death of John Keating, Chairman. The Secretary directed to drop his name from the list of employees.

5th. Reporting that the bulkhead between Piers 42 and 43 East river, is in a dangerous condition, and should be rebuilt from low-water mark up. The President authorized to notify the Sectional Dry Dock Company, alleged owners, to make the repairs required thereat within ten days, under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5684, in reference to the condition of the bulkhead foot of Thirty-eighth street, East river, and recommending that the Department of Street Cleaning be requested to dump a few loads of steam ashes or clean earth where required.

On motion, the report was received, and recommendation adopted.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5683, repairs required to the backing-logs at bulkhead between Piers, new 37 and 38 and 38 and 39, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$25.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5689, that Vandervoort & Tucker have removed float from foot of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, Harlem river, to the front of premises between One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets, Harlem river.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5682, repairs required to sheathing on deck of bulkhead south of Pier, old 54, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$10.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5626, that he had examined the plans and specifications submitted by the New York and Brooklyn Ferry and Steam Transportation Company for ferry platform, racks and bridges in slip between Piers 2 and 3, East river, and find that they are in accordance with the permit issued 30th June, 1886.

On motion, The plans and specifications were approved and the President authorized to notify the Ferry Company and Engineer-in-Chief of the action of the Board.

11th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5648, in reference to the depth of water in slip adjoining bulkhead west of Pier 60, East river.

12th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5704, that he had examined the plans and specifications submitted by the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company for the erection of temporary shed and extension of bulkhead between Piers 2 and 3, North river, and found them sufficient and proper for the work.

On motion the plans and specifications were approved, and the President authorized to notify said company and the Engineer-in-Chief of the action of the Board.

13th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5663, that he had superintended raising flagging in front of Pier, old 41, North river.

14th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5666, that he had superintended repairing sheathing on deck of Pier, old 34, North river.

15th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5673, that he had sent the information desired to General Newton, Commissioner of the Department of Public Works.

16th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5677, that he had repaired sheathing Pier at Eighteenth street, North river.

17th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5679, that he had repaired sheathing on deck of Pier, new 60, North river.

18th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5680, that he had repaired deck of Pier at Thirty-fourth street, North river.

19th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5396, reference to fence on new-made lands at foot of Ninety-sixth street, North river.

20th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5629, that he had superintended the erection of a small house, foot of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, North river.

21st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5685, that he had repaired sheathing on deck of bulkhead foot of Fifty-fourth street, East river.

From John M. Smith, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting that F. P. Eastman had discontinued using dumping-board located at foot of Bogart street, North river, since August 28, 1886, and enclosing letter from Mr. Eastman in respect thereto. Referred to the Treasurer, with power.

2d. Recommending repairs to the surface of Piers, old 42 and 54, and approach to Pier, old 42, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

3d. Recommending that a portion of the backing-log between Piers, new 40 and 41, North river, be replaced. Action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.

From Patrick J. Brady, Dock Master:

1st. Reporting that the paving at approach to Pier at Nineteenth street, North river is in need of repair. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report was approved.

2d. Reporting that a spring-pile is needed on south side of Pier, new 57, North river. The action of the President in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to repair was approved.

From John Callan, Dock Master—Reporting that James D. Leary is dredging at the foot of Fourth avenue, Harlem river.

From Chas. P. Blake, Dock Master—Reporting that he had notified John McLaughlin to remove sand obstructing Pier foot of Thirty-sixth street, East river, on or before August 23d instant. Said obstruction not removed August 28th instant. Penalty of \$100 imposed for violation of Rule 4, and the President authorized to notify him to call and pay the amount to the Treasurer of this

Department within five days, or the claim will be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection.

A communication from A. H. Green, executor of the Ogden estate, reporting that boulders will prevent piles being driven above and below Harlem River Bridge to the depth required, and requesting permission to erect bulkhead, as shown on sketch submitted, was received, and, together with the report on Secretary's Order No. 5705, ordered to be placed on file. Permission granted, the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and in accordance with the terms and provisions of permit issued August 18, 1886.

The communication from the Department of Public Charities and Correction requesting a cleat on the upper side of the Workhouse Pier on Blackwell's Island, East river, was

On motion, taken from the table, and, with the report from the Engineer-in-Chief, on Secretary's Order No. 5652, ordered to be placed on file, and the Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair, as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$25.

Commissioner Matthews, to whom was referred, with power, the application of Kennedy, Reinhart & Co., for use of berth and platform occupied by Andrew Dettinger at Pier, foot of Fifty-first street, North river, reported that they had agreed to pay for the use thereof, weekly, when due, the sum of \$24 per week or fraction of a week, from and including September 1, 1886, the said platform to be and remain thereat only during the pleasure of the Board and to be used for ice purposes only.

On motion, his action was approved and the President authorized to notify Kennedy, Reinhart & Co. and the Dock Master of the action of the Board.

Commissioner Koch reported that he had been served with a writ of alternative mandamus in the suit of John O. Conway and that the same had been forwarded to the Counsel to the Corporation for such action as he may deem proper to protect the interest of the City. His action was approved.

The Treasurer reported that the following parties were in arrears for rent due August 1, 1886, and recommended that the claims be sent to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection.

Murphy & Nesbit..... \$25 00
James L. Miller..... 75 00

On motion, the report was received, and the President authorized to forward said claims to the Counsel to the Corporation for collection.

The President, Commissioner Stark, offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the permit granted November 19, 1884, to Messrs. Henderson Brothers to berth the vessels of the Twin Screw Line at Pier, new 43, North river, at the rate of wharfage \$50 per day, be and is hereby rescinded.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, submitted his report of receipts for the week ending August 31, 1886, amounting to \$2,112.59, which was received, and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1886.					1886.
Aug. 25	Abram Duryee.....	Wharfage District No. 10.....	\$5 00		
" 31	Chas. H. Thompson.....	" 1.....	73 58		
" 31	John Simpson.....	" 2.....	173 87		
" 31	Edward Abeel.....	" 3.....	455 98		
" 31	John M. Smith.....	" 4.....	619 91		
" 31	Eugene McCarthy.....	" 5.....	208 47		
" 31	Patrick J. Brady.....	" 6.....	89 34		
" 31	Chas. P. Blake.....	" 7.....	83 15		
" 31	Joseph B. Erwin.....	" 8.....	197 65		
" 31	Anthony Hartman.....	" 9.....	48 06		
" 31	Joseph F. Sharkey.....	" 10.....	96 15		
" 31	John Callan.....	" 11.....	61 43		
			\$2,112 59	Aug. 31	
			\$2,112 59	\$2,112 59	

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

The following requisitions were read and,

On motion, approved:

Register No.			
5697.	For services of dredge, etc., bulkhead One Hundred and Sixth street, Harlem river.....	Estimated cost,	\$260 00
5698.	For repairs to tide-gauge, per pound.....	"	04
5699.	For 15 feet wrought-iron pipe, 1 cast-iron flange.....	"	60 00
5700.	For 10,000 feet three-inch spruce.....	"	200 00
5701.	For 1 box card dials.....	"	2 00
5702.	For stationery use of floating property.....	"	8 00
5703.	For 2 barrels kerosene oil.....	"	15 00
5704.	For 10 bundles of pine shingles.....	"	17 50
5705.	For 2 dozen sheets ferro-prussiate paper.....	"	6 40
5706.	For services of tug, per hour.....	"	5 00
5707.	For fine sieves.....	"	8 80
5708.	For 1 copying-press, West Fifty-seventh street office.....	"	10 00
5709.	For stationery, office Engineer-in-Chief.....	"	48 95

The Board then went into Executive Session.

On motion, John Foley was appointed as Carpenter.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, September 1, 1886, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Spencer, Dowd, Commissioner of Public Works, Commissioners Baldwin, Barnes, Ridgway, and Fish; also Chief Engineer Church, and Chief Engineer Birdsall, of the Department of Public Works.

The minutes of the Special Meeting of August 13 were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 1955 to 1972, inclusive; also Vouchers Nos. 1979 to 1989, inclusive, and the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Committee also reported their approval of the action of the Purveyor of the sale to P. Dolan of wood cut by the Engineers upon the line of the New Aqueduct, between Shafts 10 and 12 A, for the sum of \$30, and the payment of said sum to the City Chamberlain to the credit of the "Additional Water Fund," and the same was approved by the Commissioners.

The Committee next reported their action on Estimate No. 19, Section B, returned by the Comptroller, and the said action was approved by the Commissioners.

The Committee also reported that they had under consideration the matter of the payment to David B. Lewis, for one and a half months' services at Yonkers.

After some discussion the matter was referred back to the Committee for further examination and report.

The Committee on Construction submitted the following report:

NEW YORK, September 1, 1886.

To the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—The Committee on Construction report that they have had under consideration the subject matter of the communication of the Chief Engineer, dated August 1, 1886, and concur in the opinion therein expressed that in reorganizing the parties on the several divisions, much inconvenience and personal expense to the Assistants and loss of time to the work will be saved by requiring the single men only to change their residence.

Your Committee also approve of the following assignments to duty made by the Chief Engineer, viz.:

Assistant Engineer S. F. Morris to North Section, Fourth Division.
Assistant Engineer G. R. Olney to Middle Section, Fourth Division.
Assistant Engineer P. K. Yates to South Section, Fourth Division.
Rodman W. E. Horton to North Section, Fourth Division.
Rodman W. T. Ross to Second Division.

Assistant Engineer W. McCulloh, special temporary duty in making soundings and additional examinations of Sodom Dam, to obtain data for completing plans.

Transitman Curtis Millard, to temporarily perform the duties performed by W. McCulloh on the Aqueduct.

(Signed)

JAMES C. SPENCER, Chairman.

On motion of Commissioner Barnes, the report of the Committee was unanimously adopted.

A communication was received from the Commissioner of Public Works, submitting Exhibit "FF," being maps of property required for Double Reservoir 1; showing the proposed changes in the location of the highways bordering the said reservoir; also the change in the location of the New York and New England Railroad, and the taking in fee of Parcels Nos. 80 and 81, together with the water rights appurtenant to said parcels.

In connection therewith, Commissioner Spencer offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The Commissioner of Public Works, pursuant to section 4, chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, heretofore prepared and submitted to this Commission, six similar property maps of the lands required for the construction of the dams and reservoirs upon the east branch of the Croton river, which maps were designated Exhibit "FF," and were approved and adopted by the Aqueduct Commissioners on the 5th day of May, 1886; and

Whereas, Since said adoption of said maps the Counsel to the Corporation advised that they be so amended as to show all changes proposed to be made in the highways bordering upon said reservoirs; also the proposed change in the location of the New York and New England Railroad; and also the taking in fee of certain additional parcels of land; and that when said maps were so amended, they be again submitted to public hearing; and

Whereas, The said maps have now been so amended and submitted to this Commission by the Commissioner of Public Works; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That public hearing be given to all persons interested in relation to said proposed changes in said highways and railroads; and in the taking in fee of the two additional parcels of land now shown upon said maps, and numbered Parcels 80 and 81; said hearing to be given at this office on Wednesday, the 8th day of this month (September, 1886), and the Secretary is hereby directed to give due notice of said hearing by publication in the CITY RECORD in the City of New York; and in the "Standard" and the "Courier" published at Brewsters, in Putnam County.

On motion of Commissioner Barnes, the resolution was unanimously adopted.

The Secretary then submitted the statement called for by a resolution offered by Commissioner Fish on the 13th ultimo, and adopted by the Commissioners, showing the amount paid out of the fund known as the "Additional Water Fund," for the expenses of the Commissioners of Appraisal.

Commissioner Ridgway moved that the report be received, and spread in full upon the minutes.

Commissioner Baldwin moved as an amendment to the motion of Commissioner Ridgway, that the report be received and filed, and the same was adopted.

The Secretary then submitted a communication from Messrs. O'Brien & Clark, contractors, complaining of the delay in the payment of their estimates, and stating that they would look to the City of New York to make good the loss occasioned them by such inconvenience and hindrance to the progress of their work.

A similar communication was also received from Messrs. Brown, Howard & Co., contractors, and, on motion of Commissioner Baldwin, said communications were ordered placed on file, and copies thereof sent to the Comptroller.

The Secretary then submitted a communication from the Counsel to the Corporation, giving his opinion as to whether the Chief Engineer had the power, under the contracts with the contractors, to provide for adequate light and ventilation to do engineering work, etc., where, in his opinion, the contractors had failed to do it.

On motion of Commissioner Dowd the communication and the subject matter therein contained was referred to the Committee on Construction.

The Secretary next submitted a communication from Robert H. Moore, tendering his resignation, and on the verbal recommendation of the Chief Engineer, Commissioner Barnes moved that the resignation be accepted, to take effect as of the 1st day of September, and the same was adopted, the Commissioner of Public Works and Commissioner Fish voting in the negative.

The Secretary next submitted communications from the Comptroller, of the dates August 14, 21, and 28, showing the drawing of warrants for the payment of vouchers not certified to by the Aqueduct Commissioners, for the following amounts:

Manhattan Island Section.....	\$150 00
New York County Section.....	504 00

—and the same were ordered to be received and placed upon file.

The Secretary then submitted a communication received from W. H. Barlow and David B. Tompkins, executors, showing the loss and damage to their property at Shaft No. 1.

Commissioner Ridgway moved that the matter be referred to the Committee on Construction. Commissioner Spencer moved as an amendment that it be referred to the proper Commissioners of Appraisal, and the same was adopted, and the Secretary directed to notify the Commissioners of Appraisal of such action.

A communication was received from the Chief Engineer, asking that authority be given him to select and employ five or six laborers temporarily for the purpose of completing soundings and test pits at the Sodom Dam and overflow, and, on motion of Commissioner Barnes, the request of the Chief Engineer was ordered to be complied with.

Commissioner Barnes, seconded by Commissioner Newton, then offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the President, Vice-President and Chief Engineer be and they are hereby appointed a committee to meet and advise with the Supervisory Committee of the Civil Service Commission and ask them to withdraw their protest against the payment of the Inspectors and other employees heretofore appointed and now engaged upon the work, and they are authorized to say to the Commission that no further appointments will be made until the question is determined by the Court of Appeals, unless in compliance with the Rules and Regulations claimed by the Civil Service Commission as applicable to the appointees of this Commission.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Chief Engineer submitted out of its regular order the resignation of Frank Clark, an Inspector of Masonry.

Commissioner Fish moved that the resignation be not accepted, but that said Clark be dismissed.

Commissioner Baldwin moved, as an amendment, that the matter be referred to the Committee on Construction for further examination, and report.

The recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the correspondence in connection with the dismissal of said Clark were then called for and read by the Secretary.

After the reading of such correspondence Commissioner Fish's motion was unanimously adopted.

On motion of Commissioner Barnes, the Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

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 siezed 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 SHERRMAN, J. B. ADAMSON.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHREHAN, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMY 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. KEENE, City Hall

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD V. LOWE, 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.
ARTHEMUS 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. 40 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM A. BOVD, 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 SNOODICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOSSE, 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. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

CITY COURT.

City Hall.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 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.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York have caused to be deposited in the Arsenal, Fifth avenue and Sixty-fourth street, Central Park, for the inspection of property-owners, there to remain until September 14, 1886, grade and monument map, plan and profiles showing the grades of streets and avenues in that portion of the Twenty-fourth Ward, bounded on the north by Fort Independence street and Montgomery avenue, on the east by Sedgwick avenue, on the south by Emmerich place and Heath avenue, and on the west by Bailey avenue, as proposed to be established by the said Board.
Dated New York, August 31, 1886.

CARROLL BERRY,
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, and 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.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

NEW YORK SECTION.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONFIRMATION OF THE REPORT OF COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL, NEW YORK SECTION, DATED AUGUST 3, 1886, AS TO PARCEL FIFTY-EIGHT (58) AND REAL ESTATE CONTIGUOUS THERETO.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is my intention to make application before the Honorable Jackson O. Dykman, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, on the 11th day of September, 1886, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to confirm the report as to Parcel Fifty-eight (58) and real estate contiguous thereto, of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, on the 11th day of August, 1886, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New York on the same day.
Dated New York, August 11, 1886.

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

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 by its 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 included 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

THE CITY RECORD.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
27 AND 29 READE STREET,
New York, September 4, 1886.

NOTICE.

PARTIES INTERESTED IN THE CHANGES proposed to

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.

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 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.

DEPARTMENT 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 SOUTH-EAST 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 Convent 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.

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; and 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 faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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.

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

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 Laying Water-mains at Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

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

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

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

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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 GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, IRON, TIN AND LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.
6,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, September 9, 1886.
1,000 pounds Cheese.
1,000 pounds Dried Apples.
3,000 pounds Barley.
3,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
2,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.
3,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.
500 pounds Whole Pepper.
100 pounds Ground Pepper, half-pound packages.
2,000 pounds Prunes.
4,000 pounds Rice.
12,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
2,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
1,000 pounds Cut-loaf Sugar.
2,500 pounds Granulated Sugar.
2,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
2,512 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
12,000 pounds Brown Soap.
100 bushels Beans.
500 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.
100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
10 dozen Sea Foam.
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.
100 bales long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
300 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.
50 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.
100 bushels Rye.
10 barrels prime quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.
24 dozen best quality Potash.

DRY GOODS.

300 dozen Women's Stockings.
800 yards Crash.
200 pounds White Linen Thread, No. 40.
100 pounds Black Linen Thread, No. 40.
30 pounds Black Machine Thread, No. 50.
10 pieces Mosquito Netting.

HARDWARE, IRON AND TIN.

10 kegs best quality Cut Nails, 20d.
10 kegs best quality Cut Nails, 40d.
3 bundles each, Wire Nos. 4, 10 and 14.
2 boxes best quality Charcoal Tin IX, 14 x 20.
10 boxes best quality Charcoal Tin IX, 10 x 14.
2 boxes best quality Bright Tin XX, 14 x 20.

LEATHER, ETC.

110 sides Good Damaged Sole Leather, to average about 22 to 25 pounds.
100 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 12 feet.
100 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.
12 bushels best quality Shoe Pegs, 6-8.
3 dozen half-round Shoe Rasps, 9 inches.

WOODENWARE, ETC.

50 gross Clothes Pins, 5 gross per box.
10 dozen Dust Brushes.
10 dozen Window Brushes.

LIME AND CEMENT.

15 barrels best quality Common Lime.
25 barrels best quality Whitewash Lime.
20 barrels best quality Plaster Paris.
50 bushels best quality Plasterer's Hair.
18 barrels best quality Portland Cement.

LUMBER.

30 best quality White Pine Plank, clear, 1½ by 12 inches by 13 feet.
10,000 lineal feet first quality cone or vertical grained, thoroughly seasoned, Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, 1½ by 3 inches, tongued and grooved, dressed one side.

—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 10, 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 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 sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled

on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included 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, August 30, 1886.

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

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 con-

tract 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 included 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,
ELWARD SMITH,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

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.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.