

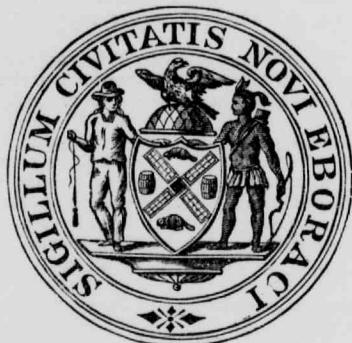
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LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending June 9, 1883:

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.

In re Wm. A. Cauldwell—To vacate assessment for regulating, etc., Eighth avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to Harlem river.
In re Caroline C. Bishop—To vacate assessment for One Hundred and Second street regulating, etc., from Fifth avenue to Harlem river.
In re Wm. A. Cauldwell—To vacate assessment for One Hundred and Second street regulating, etc., from Fifth avenue to Harlem river.
In re Herbert R. Houghton—To vacate assessment for One Hundred and Second street regulating, etc., from Fifth avenue to Harlem river.
In re Daniel Schoonmaker—To vacate assessment for One Hundred and Second street regulating, etc., from Fifth avenue to Harlem river.
In re petition of Julia E. Cameron—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Third street, between First and Fifth avenues.
In re petition of Ferdinand Ferguson—To vacate assessment for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Third street, between First and Fifth avenues.
In re Ellen D. De Navarro } —To vacate assessment for Eighth avenue regulating, etc., between
One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street and Harlem River.
In re Meyer Finn et al. do do do
In re Thomas Gardner et al. do do do
In re Newton W. Hoff, trustee, etc. do do do
In re Wm. Bergh Kip, executor do do do
In re Isais Meyer do do do
In re Manhattan Elevated Railway Company do do do
In re New York City & Northern R.R. Company do do do
In re C. B. Richards and another do do do
In re Thos. J. Stevens and another do do do
In re F. and M. Schaeffer do do do
In re John Townshend do do do
Wm. H. Birkbeck agst. Stephen B. French et al.—Damages by being run down in row boat while fishing in New York Bay by a scow and police tug-boat, \$5,000.
John Edward Marsh, Jacob D. Vermilye, and William L. Marsh, as executors of the last will and testament of Ralph Marsh, deceased—To recover an award made for damages by closing of Bloomingdale road, \$10,886.
People ex rel. Michael Gilfeather agst. the Board of Police Commissioners—To compel payment of amount deducted from pay while absent on sick leave, \$187.35.
Susannah Harris—To recover back amount of alleged overcharge of assessment for regulating, etc., Denman place, \$166.97.
Ernest Hall—To recover back amount of alleged overcharge of assessment for regulating, etc., Denman place, \$54.64.
Wm. M. Kingsland, as sole surviving trustee under the last will and testament of Daniel C. Kingsland, deceased, agst. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York, The Department of Docks of the City of New York, and John R. Voorhis, Lucius J. N. Starb, and William Laimbeer, composing the Board of the Department of Docks of the City of New York—To restrain interference with plaintiff's dock privileges at Charlton street and North river.
George L. Kingsland and Ambrose C. Kingsland, individually and as trustees under the last will and testament of Ambrose C. Kingsland, deceased, and Cornelius F. Kingsland, as trustee under the last will and testament of Ambrose C. Kingsland, deceased, agst. The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York and the Department of Docks—To restrain interference with plaintiff's dock privileges on North river, near Spring street.
People ex rel. John A. Barry agst. Stephen B. French et al., Board of Commissioners of the Police Department of the City of New York—To compel payment of amount retained while absent on sick leave, \$199.98.
People ex rel. Lawrence J. Callanan and James A. Kemp agst. Hubert O. Thompson, Commissioner of Public Works—To compel removal of sign attached in front of premises No. 43 Vesey street.
Charles F. Carret—Balance of salary of Clifford Boesé as Assistant Clerk, Superior Court Clerk's office \$5,250.
John Cannon—Balance of salary of William Guntzer as Assistant Clerk, Superior Court Clerk's Office, \$3,520.83.
Otto Brandt—Balance of salary of J. Phillips Wingate as Assistant Clerk, Superior Court Clerk's Office, \$866.66.
Sylvester J. Tormey—Balance of salary of Willis P. Minor as Assistant Clerk, Superior Court Clerk's Office, \$3,264.74.
Hopper S. Mott et al.—To recover amount of assessment paid for Fifty-first and Fifty-sixth street sewers, Ninth avenue to Hudson river, \$5,113.86.
George Lander—Damages for loss of horse by falling in manhole in Marion street, \$300.
People ex rel. Robert Connor agst. Stephen B. French et al., Commissioners of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York—To compel payment of amount deducted from relator's pay while absent on sick leave, \$600.
People ex rel. Peter J. Donnelly agst. Stephen B. French et al., Commissioners of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York—To compel payment of amount deducted from relator's pay while absent on sick leave, \$175.
People ex rel. James Heenan agst. Stephen B. French et al., Commissioners of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York—To compel payment of amount deducted from relator's pay while absent on sick leave, \$75.
People ex rel. James Murphy agst. Stephen B. French et al., Police Commissioners of the Police Department of the City of New York—To compel payment of amount deducted from relator's pay while absent on sick leave, \$300.
People ex rel. Richard Adamson agst. Stephen B. French et al., Commissioners of Police of the Police Department of the City of New York—To compel payment of amount deducted from relator's pay while absent on sick leave, \$800.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Richard Irvin—To recover excess of assessment paid for Broadway widening, \$16.50.
Sarah J. Savin—To reform and reduce assessment for Riverside Park, assessed at \$235.
The Mayor, etc., of the City of New York agst. Theodore F. Tone—Repairs to bulkhead at One Hundred and Thirtieth street, \$400.
Patrick Devaney—Summons only served.
Mary J. Disbrow—To recover excess of assessment paid for Broadway widening, \$29.95.
John McKeon—To recover excess of assessment paid for Broadway widening, \$30.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

John J. Gaffney—Damages for injuries sustained by being run over by a wagon in Thirteenth avenue, owing to the absence of gas-lamps, \$25,000.
Patrick Devaney—Summons only served.
BEFORE THE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION APPOINTED UNDER CHAPTER 550 OF THE LAWS OF 1880.
In the matter of the petition of Philip Van Valkenburgh—For an award, assessment for Boulevard regulating.
In the matter of the petition of Sarah Cochrane et al., executrix, etc.—For refunding an assessment for regulating, etc., One Hundred and Seventeenth street, Seventh and Eighth avenues.
In the matter of the petition of Myron P. Bush—For repayment of assessment for regulating, etc., Boulevard, between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets.
In the matter of the petition of Washington Life Insurance Company—For the repayment of assessment for Boulevard regulating, etc., from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

People ex rel. Samuel G. French agst. The Board of Education—Order for writ of mandamus entered.
People ex rel. The West Side and Yonkers Railroad Co. agst. Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments—General Term order entered reversing action of Commissioners.
Michael C. Shannon—Order entered to restore cause to the calendar.
James Phye—Order entered amending Clerk's minutes by making the amount of the verdict \$709.88 instead of \$679.65.
In re Sarah E. Cornish, sale Sixty-fourth street regulating—Order to vacate sale entered.
Ellen C. Vosper, adm'x etc., order of General Term entered affirming order denying motion for new trial, and order affirming the judgment at trial term—Judgment of affirmance and for \$88.65 costs entered.
John A. Lyons—Judgment entered by consent for the sum of \$100, in favor of the plaintiff.
Francis V. Ewing—do do do
William Delemater—do do do
Henry Bracken—do do do
Peter Gillespie—do do do
James D. Ames—do do do
Henry A. Perry—do do do
David Murray—do do do
Daniel Mace—Entered order permitting the plaintiff to withdraw a juror.
Metropolitan Gas-light Company—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff reforming and correcting the bid by changing the figure 7 to 17.
Charles F. Hunter, ex'r etc.—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$6,936.08; no answer was interposed.
Thomas W. Ball—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$286.20, by consent.
Thomas Barry—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$606.53, by consent.
Mary Ball—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$190.62, by consent.
Adolph Speck—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$529.10, by consent.
People ex rel. John Mooney agst. Board of Education—Order entered denying relator's motion for injunction.
In re Bryan Lawrence, Sixtieth street flagging—Order entered to vacate assessment.
Patrick Murray, application for award in One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street opening—Order entered referring to George W. Wingate to ascertain title.
In re William Arras, St. Nicholas avenue tree planting—Order entered to vacate assessment.
In re Caroline C. Bishop, St. Nicholas avenue tree planting—Order entered to vacate assessment.
In re William A. Cauldwell, St. Nicholas avenue tree planting—Order entered to vacate assessment.
In re James Monteith, St. Nicholas avenue tree-planting—Order entered to vacate assessment.
In re Norman Peck et al., St. Nicholas avenue tree planting—Order entered to vacate assessment.
Anna M. Kneller agst. The Board of Education—Order entered granting leave to pay to plaintiff gross sum \$1,341.65, plaintiff to give release.
Frank Briggs—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff after trial for \$1,631.61.
John B. Devlin, General Term—Order entered affirming order allowing Kelly to come in as party.
In re J. Harsen Rhoades, regulating, etc., Seventy-third street—Order at General Term entered.
In re Charles H. Russell, do do do
In re Cornelia R. Rhoades, do do do
In re John S. Sutphen, do do do
In re Joel W. Melick, do do do
In re Fernando Wood, do do do
In re Vincent Tilyou, do do do
In re Sarah H. Wood, do do do
In re Rowland W. Hazard, do do do

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Patrick Rutledge—Tried before O'Gorman, J., and a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$750.
People ex rel. Thomas J. Egan agst. Police Commissioners—Submitted to Donohue, J., at Chambers.
People ex rel. John Hooks do do do
People ex rel. J. A. Gardiner do do do
People ex rel. Patrick O'Sullivan do do do
People ex rel. Margaret Sullivan, adm'x, do do do
People ex rel. John G. Van Nosdale do do do
People ex rel. Thomas J. Coyle do do do
People ex rel. Robert Gunson do do do
People ex rel. Bryan Gibbs and another do do do
People ex rel. William Rourke do do do
People ex rel. Michael T. Neary do do do
People ex rel. John Nugent do do do
People ex rel. John Kiernan do do do
People ex rel. Philip Havery do do do
People ex rel. John Delaney do do do
People ex rel. Edward Buttinger do do do
People ex rel. William H. Bailey do do do
People ex rel. Clara Cullen, adm'x, do do do
People ex rel. Henry B. Nefew do do do
People ex rel. Bernard Reilly do do do
People ex rel. Michael McDonald do do do
People ex rel. John McPherson do do do
People ex rel. John Tennis do do do
People ex rel. Louis Selig do do do
People ex rel. Andrew H. Rowley do do do
People ex rel. Charles A. Hanley do do do
George W. Cregier—Appeal argued at the Court of Appeals.
People ex rel. Isaac Evans vs. Department of Public Parks—Appeal argued at the Court of Appeals.
People ex rel. Joseph F. Belton vs. Department of Public Parks—Appeal argued at the Court of Appeals.
Patrick Murray—Motion for award made and papers submitted.
Benjamin W. Goldthwaite—Tried before C. P. Daly, J., and a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$150.
People ex rel. Gustave Angerstein—Motion to put cause on preferred calendar made at Court of Appeals.
In re Levi Goldenberg, regulating Eighty-eighth street—Appeal argued at Court of Appeals.
In re Maria L. Clark, regulating One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street—Appeal submitted at Court of Appeals.
In re Stephen B. French, Boulevard Sewers—Appeal submitted at Court of Appeals.
Frank Biggins—Tried before Truax, J., and a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$1,500.
Metropolitan Gas Light Company—Tried before John A. O'Brien, Referee.
Caspar N. Lawson—Tried before Truax, J., and a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$6,095.
Patrick H. McGirr—Tried before Beach, J., and a jury; complaint dismissed.
Bradley White Lead Company—Tried before Donohue, J.; decision reserved.
GEO. P. ANDREWS, Counsel to the Corporation.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY
OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS
CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the Week ending June 9, 1883.

Barometer.

DATE.	JUNE.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.			9 P. M.			Mean for the Day.			MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	3	30.288	30.282	30.186	30.252	30.342	30.110	30.110	30.110	30.110	30.110	30.110	12 P. M.	30.110	12 P. M.	30.110	12 P. M.
Monday,	4	30.094	30.064	30.012	30.057	30.110	30.088	30.088	30.088	30.088	30.088	30.088	6 P. M.	30.088	6 P. M.	30.088	6 P. M.
Tuesday,	5	30.086	30.034	29.998	30.039	30.088	29.990	29.990	29.990	29.990	29.990	29.990	6 P. M.	29.990	6 P. M.	29.990	6 P. M.
Wednesday,	6	29.902	29.918	29.888	29.902	30.000	29.878	29.878	29.878	29.878	29.878	29.878	12 P. M.	29.878	12 P. M.	29.878	12 P. M.
Thursday,	7	29.800	29.700	29.696	29.732	29.878	29.650	29.650	29.650	29.650	29.650	29.650	6 P. M.	29.650	6 P. M.	29.650	6 P. M.
Friday,	8	29.738	29.774	29.778	29.763	29.800	29.698	29.698	29.698	29.698	29.698	29.698	0 A. M.	29.698	0 A. M.	29.698	0 A. M.
Saturday,	9	29.806	29.808	29.782	29.799	29.808	29.748	29.748	29.748	29.748	29.748	29.748	12 P. M.	29.748	12 P. M.	29.748	12 P. M.

Mean for the week..... 29.935 inches.
Maximum " at 0 A. M., June 3..... 30.342 "
Minimum " at 6 P. M., June 7..... 29.650 "
Range "692 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	JUNE.	7 A. M.			2 P. M.			9 P. M.			MEAN.			MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.
Sunday,	3	58	56	62	60	64	62	61.3	59.3	65	11 P. M.	62	11 P. M.	56	4 A. M.	54	4 A. M.	78.
Monday,	4	67	65	79	72	77	71	74.3	69.3	84	5 P. M.	74	5 P. M.	64	0 A. M.	62	0 A. M.	126.
Tuesday,	5	74	70	85	75	81	73	80.0	72.7	88	4 P. M.	77	4 P. M.	71	5 A. M.	68	5 A. M.	132.
Wednesday,	6	76	71	89	76	79	73	81.3	73.3	91	3 P. M.	78	3 P. M.	75	12 P. M.	71	12 P. M.	138.
Thursday,	7	78	70	86	76	76	73	80.0	73.0	86	2 P. M.	76	2 P. M.	73	4 A. M.	69	4 A. M.	132.
Friday,	8	73	67	83	71	78	68	78.0	68.6	85	3 P. M.	72	3 P. M.	70	5 A. M.	67	5 A. M.	134.
Saturday,	9	76	68	80	72	71	68	75.7	69.3	80	2 P. M.	72	2 P. M.	69	4 A. M.	65	4 A. M.	124.

Mean for the week..... 75.8 degrees..... 69.3 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 6th..... 91. " at 3 P. M., 6th..... 78. "
Minimum " at 4 A. M., 3d..... 56. " at 4 A. M., 3d..... 54. "
Range " " 35. " 24. "

Wind.

DATE.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.					
JUNE.		7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Distance for the Day.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Max.	Time.	
Sunday,	3....	E	NE	SE	44	58	38	140	0	½	0	2	12.00 P.M.	
Monday,	4....	SW	SW	SSW	83	80	45	208	½	½	¾	5	2.30 P.M.	
Tuesday,	5....	WSW	SW	SW	85	40	52	177	0	2½	¾	2½	2.00 P.M.	
Wednesday,	6....	WSW	SW	WSW	66	46	56	168	0	¼	0	3¼	5.20 P.M.	
Thursday,	7....	SSW	SE	WSW	26	68	23	117	0	1	0	3	1.02 P.M.	
Friday,	8....	W	SW	SW	45	37	69	151	0	¾	1	4¼	3.30 P.M.	
Saturday,	9....	SE	SSE	SSE	47	55	72	174	0	2	0	4¾	5.20 P.M.	

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,135 miles.
Maximum force " " 5 pounds.

DATE. JUNE.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, C. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.	
Sunday,	3	.422	.491	.529	87	88	89	10	10	10	10 A. M.	5 P. M.	7.00	.06	..
Monday,	4	.591	.690	.678	89	69	73	9 Cu.	2 Cir. Cu.	0	1.30 A. M.	3 A. M.	1.30	.03	..
Tuesday,	5	.679	.733	.703	81	61	66	4 Cir.	1 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....	....	....	..
Wedn'day,	6	.691	.721	.730	77	53	74	4 Cir. Cu.	5 Cir. Cu.	0	5.15 P. M.	6 P. M.	0.45	.45	..
Thursday,	7	.625	.762	.771	65	61	86	2 Cir. Cu.	6 Cir. Cu.	10	2.30 P. M.	11 P. M.	8.30	.20	..
Friday,	8	.581	.597	.550	71	53	57	7 Cir. Cu.	4 Cir. Cu.	0	.....	.....	....	....	..
Saturday,	9	.577	.677	.644	64	66	85	2 Cir.	2 Cir. S.	8 Cu.	.....	.....	....	....	..

Total amount of water for the week..... .74 inches.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH. D., Director.

LAWS OF NEW YORK, 1883.

CHAPTER 375.

AN ACT to limit the carrying and sale of pistols and other fire-arms in the cities of this state.

Passed May 10, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. No person under the age of eighteen years shall have, carry or have in his possession in any public street, highway or place in any of the cities of this state, any pistol or other fire-arms of any kind, and no person shall in such cities sell or give any pistol or other fire-arms to any person under such age.

Sec. 2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and in all trials or examinations for said offense the appearance of the person so alleged or claimed to be under the age of eighteen years shall be evidence to the magistrate or jury as to the age of such person.

Sec. 3. Nothing herein contained shall apply to the regular and ordinary transportation of pistols or fire-arms as articles of merchandise in said cities, or to the carrying of a gun or rifle through a street or highway of any city, with the intent to use the same outside of said city; nor to any person under such age carrying any pistol or other fire-arms under a license given by the mayor of said cities; but no licenses so given shall be in force more than one year from its date, and all such licenses may be revoked at the pleasure of the mayor, and a full, complete and public record shall be kept by the mayor of said cities of all such licenses, and the terms and date thereof.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 380.

AN ACT to repeal sections eight and nine of chapter one hundred and fifty-four of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, entitled "An act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties, and to punish offenses committed thereat."

Passed May 11, 1883.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section nine of chapter one hundred and fifty-four of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, entitled "An act to protect primary elections and conventions of political parties, and to punish offenses committed thereat," is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 415.

AN ACT to repeal chapter four hundred and fifty-six of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one, entitled "An act for the removal of the reservoir situated in the city of New York between Fortieth and Forty-second streets," and parts of chapter four hundred and ten of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the local and special laws affecting the public interests in the city of New York."

Passed May 16, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Chapter four hundred and fifty-six of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one, entitled "An act for the removal of the reservoir situated in the city of New York between Fortieth and Forty-second streets," is hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. Sections one hundred and thirty, three hundred and forty-nine, six hundred and eighty-five and eight hundred and ninety-six of chapter four hundred and ten of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, entitled "An act to consolidate into one act and to declare the local and special laws affecting public interests in the city of New York," are hereby repealed.

Sec. 3. Nothing in this act contained shall interfere with or prevent the payment by the comptroller of the city of New York of any expenditures heretofore incurred by the commissioner of public works of said city, in pursuance of said chapter four hundred and fifty-six of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-one, and the unexpended balance of the appropriations heretofore made for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of said act shall be applicable to the payment of such expenditures as may become necessary in order to reconnect the said reservoir with the water pipes and to make the same useful and efficient for the purposes of the water supply of said city.

Sec. 4. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 419.

AN ACT to amend chapter four hundred and eighty-four of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, entitled "An act for the relief of Warren S. Sillocks, Joshua S. Cooley and Thomas S. Kirkpatrick."

Passed May 16, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Chapter four hundred and eighty-four of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, entitled "An act for the relief of Warren S. Sillocks, Joshua S. Cooley and Thomas Kirkpatrick," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 1. The comptroller of the city of New York is hereby authorized to audit, and if in his judgment the said claims are just and proper, to pay the claims of Warren S. Sillocks, Joshua S. Cooley, and Thomas Kirkpatrick, against the city of New York, for merchandise furnished to the board of aldermen and the board of assistant aldermen of the city of New York, and the board of supervisors of the county of New York, prior to the year eighteen hundred and seventy-two, upon proof of the market value of the said merchandise at the time when furnished, and proof that the same was ordered by resolution of the said board of aldermen, assistant aldermen and supervisors respectively.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 420.

AN ACT to provide for the leasing of certain lands in the city of New York.

Passed May 16, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The commissioners of the sinking fund of the city of New York are authorized and empowered, in their discretion, to lease for a term of years with renewals to the West Washington Market Company, any unoccupied lands now owned by said city or any land which may be hereafter acquired by said city for market purposes, on such terms, conditions, and stipulations, and for such rent as the said commissioners of the sinking fund may fix and determine.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 425.

AN ACT to provide for the construction and maintenance of four free public baths in the city of New York.

Passed May 17, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The mayor, aldermen and commonalty of the city of New York, by the commissioner of public works of said city, are hereby authorized to construct and maintain four new free public floating baths in said city, and said additional baths shall be constructed on such plans as the commissioner of public works shall deem proper, but the materials and labor necessary for such construction shall be procured by contracts made at public letting with the lowest bidder, pursuant to the provisions of the general laws and ordinances which regulate the procurement of materials and labor for said city, and the said baths shall be and remain under the exclusive control and management of the department of public works of said city.

Sec. 2. The board of estimate and apportionment of said city is hereby authorized to appropriate such sum as will be necessary to pay for the construction of the said four floating baths, and

the comptroller of said city shall certify the amount so appropriated to the board of aldermen, and such amount shall be included in the final estimate, and raised by taxation in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-three. Said comptroller is hereby authorized to provide for the payment of the amount so appropriated, in anticipation of its collection by taxation, by the issue of revenue bonds, and such amount shall be paid, upon the certificate of the commissioner of public works, when the baths are completed.

Sec. 3. When the said four new public baths shall be completed and ready for public use, the commissioner of public works shall at once proceed to sell at public auction, after due advertisement, and in accordance with the provisions of law regulating the sale by auction of personal property of said city, the two oldest free public floating baths now owned by said city, and the proceeds of such sale shall be deposited with the chamberlain of said city, to the credit of the general fund.

Sec. 4. Such four new public floating baths shall be located at such available places along the water front of said city as the commissioner of public works may deem most suitable for the accommodation and convenience of the public, and the department of docks of said city shall, upon the request of the commissioner of public works, forthwith provide and designate, free of charge, such locations, at which the baths herein authorized to be constructed shall be permanently located and maintained, except when in winter quarters, and which location shall afford accessible, convenient and safe berths for said baths.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 426.

AN ACT relative to the office of the commissioner of jurors in the city and county of New York.

Passed May 17, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The board of estimate and apportionment shall annually include in its final estimate the sum of five thousand dollars for the salary of the commissioner of jurors of the city and county of New York as now fixed by law, and in addition thereto, such further sum as they shall deem necessary for the contingent expenses of the office of said commissioner, including the reasonable compensation of his assistants, clerks and messengers, and for necessary printing and advertising, and for books, stationery, and other necessary expenses for the convenient and proper discharge of the duties of the commissioner of jurors. And for the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, the board of estimate and apportionment is hereby authorized and directed, on or before the date of the certificate of the comptroller of the city of New York, required by law to the board of supervisors of said city, to appropriate in addition to the amount heretofore appropriated in the final estimate for the year eighteen hundred and eighty-three for such purposes such sum as they shall deem necessary in addition to the amount heretofore appropriated for said year, which amount shall be added to such final estimate and included in the tax levy in such year, and the said comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to pay the same when required after such appropriation shall have been made by the said board of estimate and apportionment.

Sec. 2. The commissioner of jurors shall from time to time, as he may determine, fix the salaries to be paid to his assistants, clerks and messengers, subject to the approval of the board of estimate and apportionment, and such salaries shall be paid monthly by the mayor, aldermen and commonalty of the city of New York.

Sec. 3. The fees known as jurors' fees or fines shall be paid monthly into the city treasury for the benefit of the sinking fund for the redemption of the city debt.

Sec. 4. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 427.

AN ACT to authorize and direct the comptroller of the city of New York to pay the salary of James E. McVeany, as one of the assistant aldermen of the city of New York.

Passed May 17, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The comptroller of the city of New York be and he is hereby authorized to pay unto James E. McVeany, of the city of New York, the sum of two thousand dollars, the salary fixed by law, and belonging to the said McVeany, as assistant alderman of the ninth assembly and assistant aldermanic district of the city of New York, from the first day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, until the first day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, withheld from said McVeany, pending his contest for said office, and while it was wrongfully occupied by one Peter Culklin, who has since been adjudged by the courts to have usurped said office; and that said comptroller pay the lawful interest upon said claim from the said first day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine.

Sec. 2. The said comptroller is authorized to pay the same out of any unexpended appropriation in his hands, and, if necessary, that he cause the same to be inserted in the tax-levy for the following year.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 431.

AN ACT authorizing the mayor, aldermen and commonalty of the city of New York to release certain lands in said city.

Passed May 17, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The mayor, aldermen and commonalty of the city of New York are hereby authorized, by and with the approval and assent of the commissioners of the sinking fund of the city of New York, to release to Gerard Beekman and James W. Beekman all the right, title and interest, if any, of said corporation in and to a certain triangular strip of land situate in said city, bounded northerly by the southerly line of Sixty-fifth street, westerly by the easterly line of Fourth avenue, and southerly by a line indicated as the northerly boundary line of lands formerly of William Beekman and Abraham K. Beekman, deceased, on a certain map thereof bearing date the twenty-first day of July, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, and filed in the office of the register of the city and county of New York in case number two hundred and five.

Sec. 2. Upon a certificate in writing being made by the commissioners of the sinking fund of the city of New York, that it is just and fair that such release should be given, and approving of the same, it shall be the duty of the mayor of the city and the clerk of the common council to execute and deliver to the said Gerard Beekman and James W. Beekman, at their expense, a proper conveyance or deed of release of said premises (but without covenants of title), under their hands and the seal of the city.

Sec. 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

CHAPTER 435.

AN ACT to amend chapter two hundred and forty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five, entitled "An act to regulate the use of slips, wharves, and piers in the city of New York."

Passed May 17, 1883; three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section three of chapter two hundred and forty-nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-five, entitled "An act to regulate the use of slips, wharves, and piers in the city of New York," passed May sixth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 3. It shall not be lawful to interfere with the free public use as now enjoyed, or to permit the use as a dumping ground of any wharf, pier or slip, or bulkhead adjacent thereto, in the navigable waters of the East river, in the city of New York, which has heretofore been used for the loading and discharging of sailing vessels regularly employed in foreign commerce, and having a draft of more than eighteen feet of water, and the provisions of this act shall not apply to any such wharf, pier or slip; provided, however, that nothing in this section contained shall apply to any wharf, pier, slip, or bulkhead now covered by an existing shed permitted by said department of docks, or reserved for a special use by any existing law, or which has for a period of ten years prior to the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five been used or occupied by any person, corporation, line or association engaged in the business of steam transportation between this state and any other of the United States.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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.
FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor; S. HASTINGS GRANT, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.

Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, GEO. EDWIN HILL.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

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.
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ISAAC NEWTON, Chief Engineer.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

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.
DANIEL O'REILLY, Water Purveyor.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEES, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALLAN CAMPBELL, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau.

No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL JACKSON, Auditor of Accounts.

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

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ARTEMAS CADDY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. DeVoe, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain.

Office of the City Paymaster.

Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staatz Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE P. ANDREWS, Counsel to the Corporation;
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, 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.
H. H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

ELI BATES, 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.

WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.

Office hours, Headquarters and Bureaus, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street and No. 120 Broadway.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.

Repair Shops.

Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.
JOHN McCABE, Chief of Battalion-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Hospital Stables.

99th street, between 9th and 10th avenues (temporary).
JOSEPH SHEA, Superintendent of Horses.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES F. CHANDLER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM M. OLLIFFE, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Typographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.
146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LUCIUS J. N. STARK, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staatz Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
NICHOLAS HOUGHTON, President; BENJAMIN T. HASKIN, Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
AUGUSTUS T. DOCHARTY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE CAULFIELD, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN MCKEON, District Attorney; HUGH DONNELLY, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street.
PHILIP MERKLE, FERDINAND LEVY, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 29.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33.
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, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 31.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Clerk's Office, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., Room No. 22.
General Term, Room No. 24.
Special Term, Room No. 21.
Chambers, Room No. 21.
Part I., Room No. 25.
Part II., Room No. 26.
Part III., Room No. 27.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II.
FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder, Presiding Judge of the General Sessions; HENRY A. GILDERSLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges.
Terms first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk.

MARINE COURT.

General Term, Room No. 15, City Hall.
Trial Term, Parts I., II., and III., second floor, City Hall.
Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, City Hall, to A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall.
GEORGE SHEA, Chief Justice; JOHN SAVAGE, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

General Term, New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 13, 10:30 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays, 10 A. M.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets, to A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.
Second District—Fourth, Sixth, and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, LEATHER, ICE, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.
4,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition on Thursday, June 21, 1883.
30,000 Fresh Eggs (all to be candled).
10,000 pounds Rio Coffee.
5,000 " Hominy.
2,000 " Cheese.
25 hhd. Molasses.
12 dozen Extract Lemon.
12 " " Vanilla.
50 " Sea Foam.
6 " Gelatine.
250 bbls. good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 lbs. net per bbl.
250 bushels Rye.
250 bales long bright Rye Straw, weight as delivered at Blackwell's Island.
300 quintals prime quality Grand Bank Codfish, to average not less than five pounds each, to be delivered as required in boxes of four quintals each.

DRY GOODS, ETC.
10 bales Bandage Muslin.
5 gross Women's Thimbles.
12 dozen Whitewash Brushes.
200 pounds Sash Cord.

HARDWARE.
6 dozen Scoop Shovels.
6 " Flat Shovels.
3 " Garden Hoes.
3 " Grass Sickles.
2 " Butcher's Knives.
2 " Butcher's Steels.
2 " Putty Knives.
100 gross Wood Screws.
1/2 " Shoe Pincers.

CROCKERY, ETC.
1 gross Male Urinals.
5 " Bowls.
1 " Ewers.
2 " Tumblers.

LEATHER.
500 sides good damaged Sole Leather.

ICE.
1,000 tons first quality Ice, not less than ten inches thick, to be delivered at Blackwell's, Randall's, Ward's and Hart's Islands, as required, in quantities of not less than 100 tons at each delivery.

—or any part thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, June 22, 1883. 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, Leather, Ice, etc.," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the head of said Department, and read.

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

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

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

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 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 to 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 these several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the

contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law, and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 11, 1883.

HENRY H. PORTER,
THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
JACOB HESS,

Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, June 2, 1883.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Charles Adams; aged 24 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; dark brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted, brown coat, dark pants, gray vest, colored shirt, black derby hat, shoes.

Henry Foster; aged 50 years; 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high; dark hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, black coat and vest, brown pants, white and colored shirts.

Max Klingenschwartz; aged 63 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, black coat, vest and pants, white shirt, black derby hat, shoes.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Julia Gleason; aged 63 years; 4 feet 10 1/2 inches high; brown eyes and hair.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Louis Almont; aged 34 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; hazel eyes; dark hair. Had on when admitted, brown overcoat, dark brown coat, dark pants and vest, gaiters, black derby hat.

George Swibel; aged 72 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted, black coat and vest, dark pants, brown knit jacket, black felt hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, June 12, 1883.

GOLD WATCH, CHAIN AND LOCKET HELD for claimant at the Property Clerk's office, No. 301 Mott street.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

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 once occupied by a building known as "Franklin Market," situated in the City of New York, bounded by Old Slip, Front, and South streets, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Friday, the 22d day of June, 1883.

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 nine months from the date of the contract.

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

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

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

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

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

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.
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

New York, June 11, 1883.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES.

SEALED ESTIMATES FOR MAKING ALTERATIONS and repairs to the Eleventh Precinct Station-house on Houston street, in the City of New York, known as the "Union Market" building, will be received at the Central Office of the Department of Police, 300 Mulberry street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., of Friday, the 22d day of June, 1883.

The person or persons making an estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Estimate for making alterations and repairs to the Eleventh Precinct Station-house," 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 nine 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 ten thousand dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, 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

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

No estimate for a sum in excess of fourteen 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.
S. C. HAWLEY,
Chief Clerk.

New York, June 11, 1883.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, June 1, 1883.

SILVER WATCH LOST ON BROOKLYN Bridge. Owner wanted.
JOHN F. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 391), No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, April 30, 1883.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, 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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, June 9, 1883.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required for constructing a house for the Fire Department, to be erected at No. 235 West Fifty-eighth street, for Engine Company No. 23, 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 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, June 27, 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 and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

The house to be completed and delivered in one hundred and fifty (150) days after the date 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, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000); 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, 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 four hundred dollars (\$400). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 him or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

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

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

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, June 5, 1883.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with the following articles, to wit:

FIFTY-ONE (51) POMPIER SCALING LADDERS.
FIFTY (50) POMPIER SCALING BELTS.

—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 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, 20th instant, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The ladders are to be of the following measurements, viz.:

Five to be 14 feet long, 30 inches beam.
Five " 16 " 40 "
Six " 18 " 50 "
Fourteen to be 14 feet long, 24 inches beam.
Fourteen " 16 " 30 "
Seven " 18 " 36 "

The belts to be assorted sizes, and without hatchets. All of the articles to be those known as Christopher Hoeft's patent.

All of the articles are to be delivered on or before the thirtieth day 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, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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 kind of 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, 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 in the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited 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 him 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.

done it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate, in addition to inserting the same in figures. The form of the agreement and specifications, showing the manner of payment for the articles, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,
HENRY D. PURROY,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioners.

FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, May 29, 1883.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT this office until 3 o'clock P. M., of Wednesday, June 13, 1883, for taking down the unsafe building No. 472 East One Hundred and Twentieth street, as ordered by Judge Van Brunt, of the Court of Common Pleas. The precept of the Court can be seen and full particulars obtained on application at this office.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.
W. P. ESTERBROOK,
Inspector of Buildings.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 & 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, June 8, 1883.

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
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President.
HENRY D. PURROY,
JOHN J. GORMAN,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 189.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING A NEW BOILER, TANKS AND SMOKE PIPE, WITH ALL THEIR APPURTENANCES, COMPLETE, AND FOR REPAIRING THE DONKEY BOILER ON THE TUG "MANHATTAN."

ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING A NEW boiler, tanks and smoke pipe, with all their appurtenances, complete, and for repairing the donkey boiler, on the Tug "Manhattan," will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M., of

MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1883,

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of Eighteen Hundred Dollars.

Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the price therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the 10th day of September, 1883, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the work or any part thereof may be uncompleted after the time fixed for the completion thereof have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the said tug "Manhattan" to be removed under this contract will be relinquished to the contractors, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect to do so, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, and so on until it be accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence, the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party 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 estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York, any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing,

of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

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

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation. Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

WILLIAM LAMBEER,
JOHN R. VOORHIS,
LUCIUS J. N. STARK,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated, New York, June 4, 1883.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, June 4, 1883.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A petition of the property-owners, with map and plans for changing the grade of Sixty-fourth street, between First Avenue and Avenue A, is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office on or before the 15th day of June, 1883.

The maps showing the present and proposed grades can be seen at Room 7, 31 Chambers street.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Committee on Normal College, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Thursday, June 21, 1883, and until 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, for altering, etc., the return pipes connected with the heating apparatus of the Normal College Building, Sixty-ninth street and Fourth Avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals obtained at the office of the Engineer, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name and place of residence, and place of business on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

WILLIAM WOOD,
ISAAC BELL,
F. R. COUDERT,
G. H. CRAWFORD,
J. EDWARD SIMMONS,
Committee on Normal College.

Dated New York, June 7, 1883.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, the 18th day of June, 1883, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for the erection of a New School-house on the east side of First Avenue, between Eighty-fifth and Eighty-sixth streets.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street.

Proposals will be received only for the entire work and materials required for the erection of the building, and must be indorsed "Proposals for the Erection of a School-house on First Avenue in the Nineteenth Ward."

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, residence, and place of business on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

CHARLES L. HOLT,
ISAAC P. CHAMBERS,
JOSEPH KOCH,
ABRAHAM DOWDNEY,
C. E. SIMMONS, M. D.,
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Dated New York, June 4, 1883.

STEAM HEATING APPARATUS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Trustees of the Fifth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until Monday, June 18, 1883, and until 9 o'clock A. M. on said day, for alterations, etc., in the steam heating apparatus of Grammar School No. 44, corner North Moore and Varick streets.

JOHN C. HUSER,
Chairman.

JOHN GLEASON,
Secretary.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the Trustees of the Eighth Ward, until 10 A. M. on the day and at the place before named, for alterations, etc., in the steam heating apparatus of Grammar School No. 38, on Clark street, near Broome street.

C. WESLEY BAUM,
Chairman.

URIAH WELCH,
Secretary.

Sealed proposals will be received by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on the day and at the place before named, for repairs to steam boilers, etc., of Grammar School No. 53, on East Seventy-ninth street, near Third Avenue, and for enlarging, etc., the heating apparatus in Primary School No. 35, on First Avenue, near Fifty-fifth street.

CHARLES L. HOLT,
Chairman.

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, M. D.,
Secretary.

Sealed proposals will be received by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M. on the day and at the place before named, for repairs to steam heating apparatus in Grammar School Buildings Nos. 32, 33, and 48.

THOMAS MAHER,
Chairman.

LE ROY CLARK,
Secretary.

Sealed proposals will be received by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, at the place before named, until 9 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, June 19, 1883, for repairing the steam boilers, etc., of Grammar School No. 58, on West 52d street, near Eighth Avenue, and for new steam boilers, radiators, etc., for Grammar School No. 51, on West Forty-fourth street, near the Tenth Avenue.

JAMES R. CUMING,
Chairman.

RICHARD S. TREACY,
Secretary.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals obtained at the office of the Engineer, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, residence, and place of business on said proposal.

Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

No proposal will be considered from persons whose character and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

Dated New York, June 5, 1883.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES,
146 GRAND STREET,
NEW YORK, May 15, 1883.

A PUBLIC EXAMINATION FOR ADVANCEMENT of the students of the College of the City of New York will be held at the College building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 12:15 P. M. daily, between May 29 and June 19, except on holidays and the days when candidates for admission are to be examined.

A programme of the examination has been furnished to this Board by the President of the College, and can be seen at this office or at the College.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN,
Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the Application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Tenth Avenue and Broadway.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 6th day of July, 1883, at the opening of the court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon, and appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-second street, between Tenth Avenue and Broadway, in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth Avenue, distant one hundred and ninety-nine feet ten inches (199' 10") southerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-third street; thence westerly and parallel to One Hundred and Thirty-third street five hundred and twenty feet nine and one-half inches (520' 9 1/2") to the easterly line of Broadway; thence southerly along said line sixty-two feet eight and one-half inches (62' 8 1/2"); thence easterly and parallel to One Hundred and Thirty-third street five hundred and two feet seven inches (502' 7") to the westerly line of Tenth Avenue; and thence northerly along said line sixty feet (60' 0") to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be sixty (60' 0") feet wide between Tenth Avenue and Broadway.

Dated, New York, June 6, 1883.

GEORGE P. ANDREWS,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Tryon Row, New York.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fourth street, between Boulevard and Riverside Avenue.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the twenty-second day of June, 1883, at the opening of the Court, on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of One Hundred and Fourth street, between Boulevard and Riverside Avenue in the City of New York, being the following described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of West End Avenue, distant seven hundred and twenty-five feet six inches (725' 6") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence westerly and parallel with said street four hundred feet (400' 0") to the easterly line of Riverside Avenue; thence northerly along said line sixty feet (60' 0"); thence easterly four hundred feet (400' 0") to the westerly line of West End Avenue; thence southerly along said line sixty feet (60' 0") to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of West End Avenue, distant seven hundred and twenty-five feet six inches (725' 6") northerly from the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence easterly and parallel with said street two hundred and ninety feet three inches (290' 3") to the westerly line of Boulevard; thence

northerly along said line thirty-one feet two inches (31' 2"); thence again northerly and along said line thirty feet three inches (30' 3"); thence westerly two hundred and seventy-eight feet five inches (278' 5"); to the easterly line of West End avenue; thence southerly and along the said line sixty feet (60' 0") to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of Boulevard and Riverside avenue.

Dated New York, May 24, 1883.

GEORGE P. ANDREWS,
Counsel to the Corporation,
Tryon Row, New York.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, from Boulevard to 425 feet west of Boulevard, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots, and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (3d floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-second day of June, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-second day of June, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates, and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 27th day of June, 1883.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying, and being northerly and southerly of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, and bounded easterly by the westerly side of the Boulevard, southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, westerly by a line drawn parallel with the Boulevard, and distant 425 feet westerly therefrom, and northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and One Hundred and Fortieth street.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof (Chambers), to be held in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of July, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, May 15, 1883.

PATRICK DALY,
JOHN CARLIN,
NEVIN W. BUTLER,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of Ninety-seventh street, from Boulevard to Riverside avenue, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections, in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (3d floor), in the said city, on or before the 22d day of June, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 22d day of June, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 27th day of June, 1883.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being northerly and southerly of Ninety-seventh street, and bounded westerly by the easterly side of Riverside avenue, southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Ninety-sixth street and Ninety-seventh streets, easterly by the westerly side of the Boulevard, and northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Ninety-seventh street and Ninety-eighth street; excepting therefrom all the lands embraced within the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof (Chambers), to be held in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of July, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, May 15, 1883.

PATRICK DALY,
GEO. W. McLEAN,
NEVIN W. BUTLER,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-third street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment, in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (3d floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-second day of June, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-second day of June, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the Office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-seventh day of June, 1883.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of

New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-third street with the westerly side of Tenth avenue, running thence southerly along the westerly side of Tenth avenue, 99 feet and 11 inches to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-second street and One Hundred and Forty-third street; thence westerly and along the centre line of said block 71 feet and 2 inches to the easterly side of Diagonal avenue; thence northerly along the easterly side of Diagonal avenue 108 feet and 6½ inches to the southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-third street; thence easterly and along the southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-third street 28 feet and 9¼ inches, to the point or place of beginning.

Also beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-third street with the westerly side of Diagonal avenue, and running thence southerly 108 feet and 6½ inches to the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-second street and One Hundred and Forty-third street; thence westerly and along the centre line of said block to the easterly side of the Boulevard; thence northerly along the easterly side of the Boulevard and across One Hundred and Forty-third street to a point in the easterly side of the Boulevard distant 99 feet and 11 inches northerly from a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Forty-third street with the easterly side of the Boulevard; thence easterly and along the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Forty-third street and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street to the westerly side of Diagonal avenue; thence southerly along the westerly side of Diagonal avenue and across One Hundred and Forty-third street to the point or place of beginning, excepting therefrom all the lands embraced within said One Hundred and Forty-third street.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof (Chambers), to be held in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 6th day of July, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 15, 1883.

EDGAR P. HILL,
THOMAS DUNLAP,
THOMAS ALEXANDER, JR.,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of West Fifty-third street, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (3d floor), in the said city, on or before the 13th day of June, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 13th day of June, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 18th day of June, 1883.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land, situate, lying, and being northerly and southerly of West Fifty-third street, and bounded westerly by the easterly side of Eleventh avenue, southerly by a line drawn parallel with West Fifty-third street, and distant one hundred feet and five inches southerly from the southerly side of said street; easterly by the westerly side of Tenth avenue, and northerly by a line drawn parallel with West Fifty-third street, and distant one hundred feet and five inches northerly from the northerly side of said street.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of June, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 4, 1883.

JOHN T. WILSON,
NATHANIEL JARVIS,
CHARLES W. WELSH,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Eighth avenue to New avenue, west of Eighth avenue, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (3d floor), in the said city, on or before the thirteenth day of June, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said thirteenth day of June, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the eighteenth day of June, 1883.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being northerly and southerly of One Hundred and Twelfth street, and bounded westerly by the easterly side of New avenue, southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Eleventh street and One Hundred and Twelfth street, easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue, and northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth street and One Hundred and Thirteenth street.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-ninth day of June, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated, New York, May 4, 1883.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,
NEVIN W. BUTLER,
PATRICK DALY,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (3d floor), in the said city, on or before the second day of June, 1883, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said second day of June, 1883, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 2 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New York, there to remain until the 8th day of June, 1883.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Commencing at a point in the easterly side of the Boulevard, distant 99 feet and 11 inches southerly from a point formed by the intersection of the easterly side of the Boulevard with the southerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; running thence easterly and parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and along a line distant 99 feet and 11 inches from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the westerly side of Tenth avenue; thence northerly along the westerly side of Tenth avenue and across One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to a point in the westerly side of Tenth avenue, distant 99 feet and 11 inches northerly from a point formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Tenth avenue with the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and along the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street to the easterly side of the Boulevard; thence southerly along the easterly side of the Boulevard and across One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the point or place of beginning, excepting therefrom all the lands embraced within the streets and avenues within said area.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a special term thereof, to be held in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 15th day of June, 1883, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 25, 1883.

ELLIOT SANDFORD,
THOMAS MCPEDON,
CHARLES W. WELSH,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 29, 1883.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, confirmed by the Supreme Court, May 11, 1883, and entered on the 18th day of May, 1883, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents.

Section 5 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 legal 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 of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 27, 1883, 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.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 9, 1883.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the following lists of assessments for local improvements in said city were confirmed by the "Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments," on the 4th day of May, 1883, and, on the same date, were entered in the Record of Titles of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," viz:

Third avenue basins, from Harlem river to One Hundred and Forty-seventh street.

Tenth avenue sewer (east side), between Eighty-third and Ninety-second streets, and in Eighty-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and in Ninth avenue (west side), between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-sixth streets.

Ninth avenue paving, from Boulevard to Seventy-seventh street.

Section 5 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 legal 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 of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 8, 1883, 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.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 5, 1883.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment lists for the opening of

One Hundred and Twentieth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, confirmed by the Supreme Court, April 24, 1883;

One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Seventh and New avenues, confirmed by the Supreme Court, April 30, 1883;

and entered on the third day of May, 1883, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents.

Section 5 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 legal 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 of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 5, 1883, 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.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
April 25, 1883.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 4 OF CHAPTER 33 of the Laws of 1881, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to property-owners that the assessment list for the opening of Seventy-fourth street, from Eighth avenue to Hudson river, confirmed by the Supreme Court, on the 27th day of September, 1882, and entered on the 20th day of April, 1883, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments, and of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents.

Section 5 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 legal 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 of Arrears of Taxes and Assessments, and of Water Rents," from 9 A. M. until 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 29, 1883, 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.

ALLAN CAMPBELL,
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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ALLAN CAMPBELL,
Comptroller.

THE CITY RECORD.

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JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1883.

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.

GEORGE CAULFIELD,
Commissioner of Jurors,
Room 17, New County Court-house