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### APPROVED PAPERS

*Approved Papers for the week ending December 10, 1887.*

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John Zoller to place and keep a watering-trough on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the Boulevard, near the northwest corner of West One Hundredth street, provided the work be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 29, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, December 9, 1887.

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in Sixty-fourth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 29, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, December 9, 1887.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 29, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, December 9, 1887.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps be placed thereon and lighted in Lorillard place, between One Hundred and Eighty-seventh and One Hundred and Eighty-eighth streets, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 29, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, December 9, 1887.

Resolved, That the market now being built at the foot of Gansevoort street, and which, when completed, is to take the place of the present West Washington Market, be and is hereby designated as West Washington Market, upon the completion and occupation of the same for market purposes.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 6, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, December 9, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Edward Smith to place and keep a stand for the sale of fruit on the sidewalk, inside the stoop-line, on the northeast corner of Catharine and Monroe streets, provided such stand shall not be an obstruction to the free use of the street by the public, nor exceed six feet long by four wide; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 6, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, December 9, 1887.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid across Forty-second street, on the line of the westerly sidewalk of Vanderbilt avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, December 6, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, December 9, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Augustus Gareiss to flag the sidewalks and set the curb and gutter stones in front of his premises, on the southerly side of One Hundred and Forty-second street, commencing at the westerly side of Willis avenue, and extending westerly one hundred and six feet and six inches, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 29, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1887.

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance which was approved by the Mayor, September 12, 1887, ordering that Sedgwick avenue, between its intersection with the northerly curb-line of Montgomery avenue and its intersection with the southerly curb-line of Van Courtland avenue, be regulated, etc., be and are hereby amended by striking out the compound word "curb-line," wherever it occurs in said resolution and ordinance, before the words "of Van Courtland avenue," and inserting in lieu thereof the compound word "house-line," so that said resolution and ordinance, when so amended, shall provide "that Sedgwick avenue, between its intersection with the northerly curb-line of Montgomery avenue, and its intersection with the southerly 'house-line' of Van Courtland avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, be regulated and graded upon the established grade, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide between said limits," under the direction of the Department of Public Parks, who may appoint an Inspector thereon and one of the City Surveyors, and assessing upon the property benefited, in the manner required by law, the expense of the work.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 29, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1887.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to place an iron drinking-fountain, for man and beast, in the square bounded by East Broadway, Canal and Rutgers streets, at whatever point in his judgment would be the best location.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, November 29, 1887.  
Approved by the Mayor, December 10, 1887.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk of the Common Council.

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, November 28, 1887.

Whereas, It is provided in and by section twelve of chapter seven hundred and eighteen of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An Act to provide for the recording and indexing of conveyances and instruments relating to land in the City of New York, according to limited areas," that if it shall be determined by the Mayor of said city and the Register of the City and County of New York that said act cannot go into operation at the time therein designated therefor, by reason of the non-completion of the map or indices referred to in said act, or for any other reason, thereupon said Mayor, by notice published in the CITY RECORD, in the City of New York, for thirty days prior to the expiration of said time, may extend the time for said act to go into operation, and for the books, maps and indices in said act referred to be completed, not exceeding six months from the time in said act designated therefor, and that said act, upon such publication, shall thereupon go into operation in said Register's office at the time so to be designated by said Mayor; and

Whereas, The said Mayor and Register have determined that said act cannot go into operation at the time therein designated therefor, by reason of the non-completion of said map and indices, and for other reasons;

Now, therefore, I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby give notice that I have extended and do hereby extend the time for said act to go into operation, and for said books, maps and indices to be completed, to the thirtieth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, which is hereby designated by me as the date upon which said act shall go into operation in said Register's office.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor.

### DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following abstract of the transactions of this Department for the week ending December 4, 1887:

Streets Cleaned.		
	Miles.	Feet.
By the Department.....	162	140
Lower Broadway.....	15	...
First District.....	202	3,483
Second District.....	320	4,290
Totals.....	700	2,633

Material Removed.		
	Loads.	
Ashes.....	9,349	
Street dirt.....	3,406	
Department of Public Works.....	75	
Markets.....	105	
Permits.....	2,121	
Total.....	15,056	

Final Disposition.		
	Loads.	
44 dumpers at sea.....	16,785	
5 deck scows at Fort Hamilton.....	1,742	
5 deck scows at Newtown Creek.....	1,715	
4 deck scows at Hart's Island.....	1,618	
4 deck scows at Edgewater.....	1,586	
4 deck scows at Whitestone.....	1,570	
4 deck scows at Eighth avenue and Harlem river.....	1,551	
1 deck scow at North Brother Island.....	294	
Total.....	26,861	

Appointments.	
Edward Donnelly, Laborer, Nineteenth Precinct.	
Joseph Bennett, Laborer, Nineteenth Precinct.	
Owen Ahearn, Laborer, Nineteenth Precinct.	
Michael Lahiff, Laborer, Twenty-ninth Precinct.	
Charles Campbell, Laborer, Twenty-third Precinct.	

Transfers.	
George W. Ridderhoff, Laborer, from Twenty-fifth to Twenty-third Precinct.	
John Condon, No. 2, Hired Cart, from Sixteenth to Twenty-fifth Precinct.	
William Coholan, Hired Cart, from Sixteenth to Twenty-fifth Precinct.	
R. Somerville, Hired Cart, from Twenty-sixth to Thirtieth Precinct.	
Thomas Keitel, Hired Cart, from Thirtieth to Twenty-sixth Precinct.	

Bids for Feed.	
John E. Connolly, approved.....	\$485 80
James Fitzpatrick.....	492 67

Pay-rolls	
—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning," for the year 1887:	
Schedule No. 109—Commissioner, Deputy, etc., for November.....	\$3,289 14
Schedule No. 111—Foremen, etc., for November.....	3,494 50
Schedule No. 113—Wages of Laborers, etc., for last fifteen days of November.....	15,061 36
Total.....	\$21,845 00

Bills	
—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning," for the year 1887:	
Schedule No. 110—	
Downer, V. E., agent, towing.....	\$5 00
Canale, L., unloading scows.....	599 00
Dailey, John D., ".....	439 00
Moran, Michael, towing.....	497 50
Platt & Washburn Refining Co., grease.....	6 50
Sullivan, John W., repairs.....	72 08
Trainor, Charles, unloading scows.....	328 40
White & Co., supplies.....	89 10
Hayward & Duffy, assignees of Michael J. O'Reilly, contract.....	16,785 09
Hayward & Duffy, contract.....	9,056 71
Holland, E., ".....	428 57
Total.....	\$28,895 95

Revenues.	
For trimming scows, etc.....	\$269 00

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

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

REPORTED MORTALITY\* for the week ending December 3, 1887, together with the ACTUAL MORTALITY for the week ending November 26, 1887.

Col. EMMONS CLARK, Secretary Board of Health.

SIR—There were 658 deaths reported to have occurred in this city during the week ending Saturday, December 3, 1887, which is an increase of 33, as compared with the number reported the preceding week, and 122 less than were reported during the corresponding week of the year 1886. The actual mortality for the week ending November 26, 1887, was 632, which is 1.0 above the average for the corresponding week for the past five years, and represents an annual death-rate of 21.91 per 1,000 persons living, the population estimated at 1,499,786.

Table showing the Reported Mortality for the week ending December 3, 1887, and the Actual Number of Deaths each day, from the Principal Causes, with the Ages of Decedents, for the week ending November 26, 1887.

METEOROLOGY.		Week ending Dec. 3.	Week ending Nov. 26.	ACTUAL NUMBER OF DEATHS EACH DAY DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 1887.											AGE BY YEARS.											SEX.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
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All Diseases of the Brain and Nervous System.....		50	52	6	7	4	7	6	9	6	45	51	52.8	1.56	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
Cirrhosis of Liver and Hepatitis.....		9	6	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	5	7.2	.14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
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Bright's Disease and Nephritis.....		41	43	5	4	11	6	6	2	6	49	42	43.2	1.70	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
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Premature and Preterm Births.....		12	19	3	3	4	..	3	3	17	14	13.6	.57	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
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Deaths in Children.....		118	105	13	16	19	12	14	14	17	105	135	132.0	3.04	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
" " 2 years.....		155	145	16	20	26	15	20	28	20	147	203	174.4	5.10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
" " 5 years.....		229	224	27	32	32	31	33	38	31	221	291	239.6	7.77	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			

## Births \* reported during the week ending December 3, 1887.

Total.	Color.		Sex.			Nativity of Parents.										Name of Child.	
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Not stated.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign Father only.	Foreign Mother only.	Nativity of Father stated only		Nativity of Mother stated only		Not stated.	Stated.	Not stated.	
										Native.	Foreign.	Native.	Foreign.				
686	660	6	344	342	..	374	178	93	32	..	..	4	5	..	608	78	

## Marriages \* reported during the week ending December 3, 1887.

TOTAL.	COLOR.		NATIVITY.				CONDITION.							
	White.	Colored.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Native.	Born at Sea.	Not stated.	First Marriage.	Second Marriage.	Third Marriage.	Fourth Marriage.	Not stated.
375	372	3	3	299	203	146	172	..	..	331	332	41	33	..

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

## Nativity of those who were Married, and the Parents of the Births and Still-Births, for the week ending December 3, 1887, and those who Died (actual mortality), week ending November 26, 1887.

NATIVITY OF DECEASED.	COUNTRY.	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		MARRIAGES.		STILL-BIRTHS.	
		Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.	Nativity of Groom.	Nativity of Bride.	Nativity of Father.	Nativity of Mother.
18	Austria.....	11	11	42	42	18	13	2	2
2	British America.....	1	4	7	7	6	3	..	..
62	England.....	27	27	29	21	17	13	..	..
113	Germany.....	145	123	167	135	104	107	16	17
11	Ireland.....	210	213	96	97	29	21	15	15
3	Italy.....	30	29	29	27	8	5	1	1
398	Poland.....	10	10	22	18	..	..	2	2
9	Scotland.....	4	4	8	5	3	3	..	..
3	Switzerland.....	3	3	4	3	3	6	..	..
16	United States.....	123	137	210	275	140	172	13	16
..	Unknown or not stated.....	38	33	9	..	..	..	7	..
..	West Indies.....	1	1	2	..	2	1	..	..
7	Other countries.....	27	24	52	53	34	29	9	7

## Still-Births reported during the week ending December 3, 1887.

TOTAL.	SEX.			COLOR.	NATIVITY OF						PERIOD OF UTERO-GESTATION.													
	Male.	Female.	Not stated.		FATHER.			MOTHER.			MONTH.													
					White.	Not Stated.	Colored.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	Native.	Foreign.	Not stated.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Unknown or over 10.
66	43	23	..	64	..	2	13	46	7	16	44	6	..	..	..	1	5	2	10	10	11	27	..	..

## Deaths reported during the week ending December 3, 1887.

TOTAL.	PLACE OF DEATH.														RESIDENCE.			CONDITION.				
	Institutions.	Tenement-houses (four families or more).	Houses containing three families or less.	Hotels and Boarding-houses.	In Rivers, Streets, Boats, etc.	Not stated.	FLOORS.								New York City.	Outside New York City.	Not stated.†	STATED.				
							Basement.	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.	Top.				Not Stated.	Single.	Married.	Widowed.	
658	160	350	131	7	10	..	13	117	139	116	72	26	4	1	..	638	20	..	102	171	90	95

† Principally children and deaths in Institutions.

## METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

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 December 3, 1887.

## Barometer.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday, 27	30.200	30.114	30.100	30.138	30.210	10 A.M.	30.088	12 P.M.
Monday, 28	30.000	30.112	30.300	30.137	30.372	12 P.M.	30.000	7 A.M.
Tuesday, 29	30.468	30.458	30.512	30.479	30.512	9 P.M.	30.372	0 A.M.
Wednesday, 30	30.546	30.540	30.658	30.581	30.703	12 P.M.	30.504	0 A.M.
Thursday, 1	30.790	30.734	30.728	30.751	30.800	9 A.M.	30.700	0 A.M.
Friday, 2	30.620	30.500	30.408	30.509	30.704	0 A.M.	30.278	12 P.M.
Saturday, 3	30.312	30.260	30.302	30.298	30.378	0 A.M.	30.280	2 P.M.

Mean for the week ..... 30.413 inches.  
 Maximum " at 9 A.M., December 1st ..... 30.800 "  
 Minimum " at 7 A.M., November 28th ..... 30.000 "  
 Range " ..... .800 "

## Thermometers.

DATE.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday, 27	45	43	62	58	55.6	52.6	63	1 P.M.	58
Monday, 28	58	55	42	39	33	28	44.3	9 A.M.	60
Tuesday, 29	23	20	32	28	25	27.6	24.6	3 P.M.	29
Wednesday, 30	24	20	26	23	20	25.6	22.0	3 P.M.	26
Thursday, 1	11	8	22	18	10	17.6	14.6	4 P.M.	22
Friday, 2	21	18	33	35	31	29.6	26.0	7 P.M.	32
Saturday, 3	36	32	45	39	36	40.0	36.0	3 P.M.	41

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.  
 Mean for the week ..... 34.3 degrees ..... 30.9 degrees.  
 Maximum for the week, at 1 P.M., 27th ..... 63. " at 9 A.M., 28th ..... 60. "  
 Minimum " at 7 A.M., 1st ..... 11. " at 7 A.M., 1st ..... 8. "  
 Range " ..... 52. " ..... 52. "

## Wind.

DATE.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.				
	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	9 P. M.	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	Distance for Day.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Max.	Time.
				10 7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.						
Sunday, 27....	NNE	ESE	SE	7	28	50	85	0	½	½	2	8.20 P.M.
Monday, 28....	SSE	NW	NW	75	89	91	255	1	1	1¼	7	8.50 A.M.
Tuesday, 29....	NW	NW	NW	122	90	51	263	2	½	0	4¾	8 A.M.
Wednesday, 30....	NNW	NNE	NNE	51	62	87	200	0	½	2¾	8¾	10.30 P.M.
Thursday, 1....	NNE	N	NNE	155	84	46	285	2	¾	0	6¼	0.40 A.M.
Friday, 2....	NNW	NE	ENE	73	63	50	186	0	¾	0	1¼	11.10 A.M.
Saturday, 3....	NNW	NNW	N	15	18	18	51	0	0	0	¾	5.40 A.M.

Distance traveled during the week ..... 1,325 miles.  
 Maximum force " ..... 8 3/4 pounds.

DATE. — NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER.	Hygrometer.						Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.					
	FORCE OF VAPOR.			RELATIVE HUMIDITY.			CLEAR, O. OVERCAST, 10.			DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.					
	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration. H. M.	Amount of Water. Depth of Snow.	0 10	
Sunday, 27	.251	.429	.426	84	77	82	10	8 Cir. Cu.	8 Cu.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Monday, 28	.393	.199	.096	81	74	51	10	10	4 Cir.	9 50 A.M.	4 50 P.M.	7 00	.31	.....	
Tuesday, 29	.074	.126	.100	60	69	65	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Wedn'day, 30	.062	.095	.074	48	57	60	0	3 Cir.	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Thursday, 1	.028	.053	.076	40	45	70	0	0	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Friday, 2	.065	.114	.128	57	60	63	10	10	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Saturday, 3	.129	.182	.173	61	60	72	10	9 Cir. Cu.	2 Cir.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

Total amount of water for the week ..... .31 inch.  
 Duration for the week ..... 0 day, 7 hours, 00 minutes.  
 Depth of snow ..... 00 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.



## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## BALANCES IN BANK AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DECEMBER 9, 1887.

## CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE.

Banks.		National Broadway Bank.....	\$539,049 87
Bank of North America.....	\$150,000 00	National Shoe and Leather Bank.....	158,000 00
Bank of the State of New York.....	90,000 00	Ninth National Bank.....	191,000 00
Bowery National Bank.....	154,000 00	Oriental Bank.....	95,000 00
Central National Bank.....	218,000 00	Phoenix National Bank.....	220,000 00
Chase National Bank.....	140,000 00	Seaboard National Bank.....	105,000 00
Chatham National Bank.....	140,000 00	St. Nicholas Bank.....	115,000 00
Continental National Bank.....	250,000 00	Third National Bank.....	180,000 00
Corn Exchange Bank.....	122,000 00	Tradesmen's National Bank.....	50,000 00
First National Bank.....	472,000 00	Western National Bank.....	200,000 00
Fourth National Bank.....	649,077 47	Irving National Bank.....	50,000 00
Garfield National Bank.....	75,000 00	Fifth National Bank.....	25,000 00
Gallatin National Bank.....	430,000 00	Market National Bank.....	145,000 00
Hanover National Bank.....	354,700 00		
Importers and Traders' National Bank.....	1,079,000 00		
Lincoln National Bank.....	172,000 00		
Mechanics and Traders' Bank.....	70,000 00		
Mechanics' National Bank.....	523,000 00		
Mercantile National Bank.....	250,000 00		
Manhattan Company.....	552,700 00		
Merchants' Exchange National Bank.....	140,000 00		
National Bank of the Republic.....	385,000 00		
			\$9,985,557 34

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, Dec. 10, 1887.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, Dec. 9, 1887:

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS
Saturday, Dec. 3.....	121	\$174 00
Monday, " 5.....	105	154 75
Tuesday, " 6.....	96	119 75
Wednesday, " 7.....	80	713 25
Thursday, " 8.....	64	88 00
Friday, " 9.....	80	154 75
Totals.....	546	\$1,404 50

THOMAS W. BYRNES,  
Mayor's Marshal.

## FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT.

DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT,  
COR. SECOND AVE. AND FIRST ST.,  
NEW YORK, Dec. 9, 1887.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Please take notice hereby that I have this day appointed George Hall as Assistant Clerk of the District Court for the Fourth Judicial District, in the place of John Clark, whose term of office has expired.

Yours respectfully,  
ALFRED STECKLER,  
Justice of the Fourth District Court.

DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT,  
COR. SECOND AVE. AND FIRST ST.,  
NEW YORK, Dec. 9, 1887.

To the Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Please take notice hereby that I have this day appointed Bernard Rourke as Clerk of the District Court for the Fourth Judicial District in the City of New York, in place of William L. Gardner, whose term of office has expired.

Yours respectfully,  
ALFRED STECKLER,  
Justice of the Fourth District Court.

## CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS, SECRETARY'S OFFICE, ROOM 11, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, June 3, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,  
Supervisor City Record:

DEAR SIR—The following amendment to Regulation 16 of the New York City Civil Service Regulations has been made:

If the appointing officer shall notify the Secretary of more than one vacancy at any one time, the Secretary shall certify to the appointing officer for appointment, the names of as many persons as there are vacancies to be filled, with the addition of two names for the first vacancy

and one name for every two vacancies in addition to the first.

Yours respectfully,  
LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS, SECRETARY'S OFFICE, ROOM 11, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, May 31, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,  
Supervisor:

DEAR SIR—The following resolution was passed by the Supervisory Board at their meeting, held May 27, 1887:

"Resolved, That in view of the inadequate space in the Secretary's office and in order to enable him more readily to discharge the business of the same, the Secretary is authorized to arrange the business of the office so that the same shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public during a part of the day only."

Pursuant to the above action, I hereby designate the two hours between 2 and 4 o'clock in afternoon as the time for which the offices shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public.

Very respectfully,  
LEE PHILLIPS,  
Secretary and Executive Officer.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.  
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor; ARTHUR BERRY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.  
No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS W. BYRNES, First Marshal.  
GEORGE W. BROWN, Jr., Second Marshal.

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

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

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.  
Office of Clerk of Common Council.  
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY R. BREKMAN, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.  
No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
BERNARD JACOBS, City Librarian.

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

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

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

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

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.  
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM G. BERGES, Superintendent.

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

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

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

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

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

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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

Auditing Bureau.  
Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.  
DAVID E. AUSTIN, Second Auditor.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.  
No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building.  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.  
No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.  
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.  
Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MORGAN J. O'BRIEN, Counsel to the Corporation.  
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

Office of the Public Administrator.  
No. 40 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.  
No. 40 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. FOSTER, President; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.  
Central Office.  
No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.  
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M. Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M. RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.  
Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 12 M. Saturdays, to 12 M.

Headquarters.  
Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.  
HENRY D. PURROV, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.  
CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.  
PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.  
GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.  
ALBERT F. D'OENCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.  
WM. L. FENDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.  
J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.  
Central Office open at all hours.

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

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.  
No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES C. BAYLES, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.  
Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
M. C. D. BORDEN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

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

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

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.  
Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.  
MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.  
Nos. 21 and 23 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 1, 2 and 3, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEAROLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.  
Room No. 11, City Hall.

EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.  
East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES J. SLEVIN, Register; JAMES J. MARTIN, Deputy Register.

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

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

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,  
And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.  
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Bookkeeper.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.  
Office City Hall, Room No. 115, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

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

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.  
Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12 M.  
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.  
Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.

CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.  
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.  
Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.  
Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.  
Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14, RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.  
Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.  
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

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

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.  
Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
General Term, Room No. 24, 12 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part I, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part II, Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part III, Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

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





10 dozen Canned Corn.  
10 dozen Chow Chow, "C & B."  
10 dozen Canned Peas.  
10 dozen Canned Peaches.  
10 dozen Wines, "S. S. & P."  
10 dozen Sea Foam.  
10 dozen Canned Tomatoes.  
3 dozen Canned Salmon.  
550 barrels good Irish Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.  
50 barrels prime Red Onions, to weigh 150 pounds net per barrel.  
100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.  
1,500 heads prime good sized Cabbage.  
100 bags Bran, 35 pounds net each.  
50 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.  
250 bushels Oats, 30 pounds net per bushel.  
100 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed three pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.  
100 bales prime quality long, bright Rye Straw, tare and weight same as on hay.

## DRY GOODS.

500 yards Linen Diaper.  
50 pieces Oiled Muslin.  
50 dozen with Spool Cotton, No. 30, "O. N. T."  
10 grs women's underwear.  
10,000 Sewing Needles, 5 No. 3, 5 No. 4.  
25 pieces Crinoline.

## CROCKERY, WOODEN-WARE, ETC.

3 gross W. G. Dinner Plates.  
2 gross W. G. Soup Plates.  
3 gross W. G. Bowl.  
12 dozen Dust Brushes.  
12 dozen Stove Brushes.  
120 Sledge Hammer Handles.  
100 dozen Map Handles.  
50 dozen Spectacles.  
12 boxes best quality I. C. Roofing Tin, 14 x 20.

## PAINTS AND OILS.

100 pounds first quality Venetian Red in oil, 30 28, 40 18.  
1,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil, free from all adulterations and any added impurities, and subject to analysis if necessary, 50-pound kegs.  
6 dozen 6 O-Paint Brushes.  
15 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil, 150° test.

## LIME.

20 barrels first quality W. V. Lime.  
10 barrels first quality Chl-ride of Lime, containing not less than 72 per cent. of chlorine.

## LUMBER.

5,000 feet first quality extra clean Shaving, 12 to 16 in. wide, 12 to 16 ft. long, dressed 2 sides.  
200 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 3/4-in., dressed both sides.  
300 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 1/2 in., dressed both sides.  
500 feet first quality White Pine Stop Bed, 5/4 x 1 1/2 in., dressed.  
1,000 feet first quality clear White Pine, 2-in., dressed both sides.  
500 feet first quality clear White Pine, 1 1/4-in., dressed both sides.  
300 feet first quality clear White Pine Paneling, 3/4-in., dressed both sides.

Will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M. of Friday, December 16, 1887. 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, Paints, etc." 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 and estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal sum 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 all the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested in 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 any 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 each of the persons 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 residences, 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 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 same in the sealed envelope of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security thus offered will 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 State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, 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 an officer of 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 sample of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures. Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, 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.

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

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

Dated New York, December 5, 1887.  
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President,  
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,  
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioner,  
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
New York, November 29, 1887.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from New York Hospital—Unknown man, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches tall; dark eyes; dark hair and moustache. No clothing received with body.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Stewart Campbell, aged 41 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown eyes; dark gray hair. Had on when admitted brown coat, vest and pants, colored shirt, black derby hat, shoes.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Bridget McGrath, aged 40 years. Committed November 11, 1887.  
At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Denis Hurley, aged 70 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted black coat and vest, black shirt, light brown hair, blue eyes. Hit hat. Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
New York, December 6, 1887.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from No. 47 Walker street—Unknown man, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light brown hair, blue eyes. Had on black straw bonnet, gray woolen shawl, black waist and dress, red flannel petticoat, white knit undershirt, white muslin chemise and drawers, brown striped stockings, gaiters.

Unknown man, from St. Vincent's Hospital, drowned off foot of Perry street; aged about 40 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; dark brown hair, blue eyes; brown moustache and chin beard.

Unknown man, from No. 2 York street; aged 60 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair, brown eyes; gray moustache and beard. Had on gray coat, dark vest and pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt, gaiters, black derby hat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Joseph Hatch; aged 42 years. Committed November 18, 1887.  
Edward Martin; aged 60 years. Committed November 22, 1887.

Kate Conroy; aged 45 years. Committed September 23, 1887.  
At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine Crowley, alias Mary Conway, aged 51 years; 5 feet high; brown hair and eyes.

Mary Johnson, aged 40 years; 5 feet 1 1/2 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted red hood, striped shawl, purple skirt.  
At Randall's Island Hospital—Henry Herman, aged 8 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; blue eyes, black hair.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Frank Smith, aged 37 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted gray check coat, gray pants and vest, gaiters, black derby hat.

Mary Reardon, aged 50 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted black calico shawl and dress, black bonnet, gaiters.

Nothing known of his friends or relatives.

By order G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

## NAUTICAL SCHOOL.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Executive Committee on Nautical School, at the office of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Wednesday, December 14, 1887, and until 10 o'clock P. M. on said day, from New Deck-houses, etc., for the Schoolship "St. Marys," lying at the foot of East Thirty-first street.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and all information obtained, on application to Comm. A. S. Crowsfield, on board ship, foot of East Thirty-first street.

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 on separate papers, and forward two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

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

ISAAC BELL,  
SAMUEL M. PURDY,  
HENRY L. SPRAGUE,  
WILLIAM L. COLE,  
WILLIAM LUMMIS,  
Executive Committee on Nautical School.  
Dated New York, November 30, 1887.

## NORMAL COLLEGE.

A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION WILL BE held in the Normal College, corner Sixty-eighth street and Fourth avenue, on Saturday, December 17, 1887, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of filling a vacancy in the Department of the Normal College, caused by the death of Miss Alice N. Gould.

The examination will be conducted by a committee consisting of the President of the Normal College, the Chairman of the Committee on Normal College and the Superintendent of the Training Department.

WILLIAM WOOD,  
ISAAC BELL,  
CHARLES CRARY,  
DEWITT J. SELLIGMAN,  
MARY NASH AGNEW,  
Committee on Normal College.

Dated December 7, 1887.

## BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE will be a meeting of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York held in the Mayor's Office, in the City Hall, on Monday, December 12, 1887, at 10 o'clock P. M., at which meeting it is proposed to consider the following matters, viz.: The park in the Seventh Ward at or near Corlears Hook; the Elm street widening and extension, etc.; the matter of small parks and the Highbridge Park, with other matters as may be brought before the Board.

Dated December 6, 1887.

WM. V. I. MERCER,  
Secretary.

## POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 5, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the following-described property of this Department will be sold at public auction, on Tuesday, December 20, 1887, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, No. 110 East Tenth street, viz.: 2 horses, 3 wagons, 3 top buggies.

By order of the Board. WM. H. KIPP,  
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),  
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, December 1, 1887.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,  
Property Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
December 8, 1887.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the 28th day of December, 1887, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office in the Emigrant Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to a proposed change in the grades of Railroad avenue, East, from East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth to East One Hundred and Sixty-first street, and on intersecting streets from Railroad avenue East, to Courtland avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

A map showing the contemplated change is on exhibition in said office.

Dated New York, December 8, 1887.  
M. C. D. BORDEN,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
THEODORE W. MYERS,  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
December 8, 1887.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, at 11 o'clock A. M., on the 28th day of December, 1887, attend and hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence which may be then and there offered in reference to the contemplated change, alteration, amendment and revision, under the authority of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, of the maps or plans heretofore adopted by said Department by authority of law, showing streets, avenues, roads, etc., in that part of the "Spuytens Duvel District," in the Twenty-fourth Ward, bounded on the north by East 125th street, on the east by Riverdale avenue, on the south by Delafield's lane, and on the west by the Hudson river.

The map showing such contemplated change is on exhibition in said office. The contemplated change consists in changing the location, width, course, windings and lines of certain streets, avenues, etc., now laid out, running through, or in the vicinity of, the lands belonging to the estate of the late William Lewis Morris, in discontinuing and closing certain portions of the same, and in laying out or extending others to take their places.

M. C. D. BORDEN,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
THEODORE W. MYERS,  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
December 10, 1887.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will at their office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, in said city, at 11 o'clock A. M., on the 28th day of December, 1887, attend and hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence which may be then and there offered in reference to the contemplated change, alteration, amendment and revision, under the authority of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887, of the maps or plans heretofore adopted by said department by authority of law, showing streets, avenues, roads, boulevards, parks, public squares or places heretofore laid out in that part of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards of said city bounded on the north by Belmont and Elliot streets, on the east by Sheridan and Mott avenues, on the south by the Spuyten Duvel and Port Morris Railroad, and on the west by Jerome, Claremont and Cromwell avenues.

The amended map or plan showing such contemplated change is on exhibition in said office.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change is as follows:

To discontinue and close portions of Sheridan, Mott, Claremont, Highwood and Overlook avenues, Julliot street, Marchwood place, Mars Crescent and Cannon Crescent.

To prolong Julliot, One Hundred and Sixty-second and One Hundred and Sixty-third streets, Endrow, Woolf and Clark places, Cromwell avenue, Mott and Sheridan avenues, and to change the class of "Inwood avenue."

M. C. D. BORDEN,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
THEODORE W. MYERS,  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
December 10, 1887.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the seventeenth day of December, 1887, at ten o'clock A. M., at their office in the Emigrant Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the proposed plan, as amended, for the depression of the tracks and changing the grades of the New York and Harlem Railroad, and carrying certain streets, avenues, roads, boulevards and parkways in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards over said railroad, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The map showing the contemplated changes is on exhibition in said office.

The general character and extent of the contemplated changes is as follows:

The railroad tracks are to be lowered in various parts, the maximum depression being about ten feet. Bridges will be required over the railroad at—East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street. East One Hundred and Forty-fourth street. East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street. East One Hundred and Fifty-third street. East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Morris avenue.

East One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street. East One Hundred and Sixty-first street. East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, Brook and Webster avenues.

East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street. East One Hundred and Seventy-first street. Wendover avenue.

East One Hundred and Seventy-third street (former "Warren street"). East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street. Tremont avenue (75 feet wide east of the railroad). Samuel street.

East One Hundred and Eighty-third street. East One Hundred and Eighty-seventh street. Pellam avenue.

Southern Boulevard. Woodlawn road. Olin avenue.

Convenient approaches to the various bridges by way of the adjacent streets and avenues are to be provided.

Dated New York, November 22, 1887.

M. C. D. BORDEN,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
THEODORE W. MYERS,  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,  
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,  
December 10, 1887.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the fourteenth day of December, 1887, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office in the Emigrant Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to proposed changes in the street system in a portion of the Twenty-fourth Ward, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

A map showing the contemplated changes is on exhibition in said office.

The changes proposed are as follows: Discontinuing and closing portions of East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh, George and Home streets. Trinity, Forest and Union avenues.

Extending East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, from Union avenue to Prospect avenue. Denning Home street, between Boston road and Union avenue, and between Union avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Intervale avenue; and Lyon street, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Westchester avenue.

Laying-out and re-opening Home street, between Union avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Intervale avenue.

Dated New York, November 22, 1887.

M. C. D. BORDEN,  
WALDO HUTCHINS,  
THEODORE W. MYERS,  
J. HAMPDEN ROBB,  
Commissioners of Public Parks.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

(Work of construction under new plan.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 263.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING ALL THAT PART OF PIER, OLD 35, AT THE FOOT OF FRANKLIN STREET, NORTH RIVER, WITH THESE THEREON, WHICH LIES WESTERLY OF THE NEW BULKHEAD LINE, EXCEPT THE CRIBWORK BELOW LOW-WATER MARK, AND PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER, NORTHERLY OF THE SITE OF SAID PIER, OLD 35, TO BE KNOWN AS PIER, NEW 24, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING A PART OF PIER, old 35, North River, and the shed thereon, and for building a new wooden pier, near the foot of Franklin street, North river, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," foot of Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1887,

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

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

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





mates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,  
JAMES MATTHEWS,  
CHARLES H. MARSHALL,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks

Dated New York, December 6, 1887.

### THE CITY RECORD.

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

### AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
ROOM 205, STEWART BUILDING, NO. 230 BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, November 24, 1887.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE WORK and furnishing the materials called for in the approved form of contract now on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, for building the Gate-house superstructure, roof and floor system for the blow-off chamber at South Street, on Section 9 of the New Croton Aqueduct, will be received at this office until Wednesday, the 14th day of December, 1887, at 3 o'clock P. M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

Blank forms of said approved contract, and the specifications thereof, and bids or proposals, and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and form of bonds, and also the plans for said work, and all other information can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.  
JAMES C. SPENCER, President.  
JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

#### CORPORATION SALE OF LEASE.

A LEASE OF THE FOLLOWING-DESCRIBED vacant lot, piece or parcel of land, will be sold at public auction for the term of ten years from January 1, 1888, to the highest bidder, on THURSDAY, the 5th day of December, 1887, at 12 o'clock P. M., at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, to wit:

All that certain lot or parcel of vacant land in the Nineteenth Ward of the City of New York, bounded as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Eighty-second street, one hundred (100) feet west of the southerly line of Madison street; thence easterly parallel with said Eighty-second street, one hundred (100) feet; thence southerly parallel with said Fourth avenue, one hundred (100) feet to the point of place of beginning.

The terms and conditions of the lease will be announced at the time of sale.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

EDWARD W. LOEW, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, November 25, 1887.

The above sale is postponed to Tuesday, December 20, 1887, at the same hour and place.

EDWARD W. LOEW, Comptroller.

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

#### CORPORATION SALE OF FERRY LEASE, FROM GRAND STREET, CITY OF NEW YORK, TO GRAND STREET, CITY OF BROOKLYN.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF law and ordinances of the Common Council, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, on Tuesday, the 20th day of December, 1887, at 12 o'clock, noon, the lease for a period of ten years, from the 1st day of January, 1888, of the full and absolute franchise and right to run, maintain, operate and use with the franchises, the ferry from Grand street, in the City of New York, to Grand street, in the City of Brooklyn, together with the docks, slips and facilities now and heretofore used for the purpose of a ferry, belonging to the city, in conformity with the provisions of chapter 73 of the Laws of 1876, regulating the operation of ferries, and in accordance with the terms, conditions and covenants contained in a lease to be executed by the highest bidder at the sale, the form of which lease can be seen at the Comptroller's Office before the day of sale, and upon such other terms as will be announced at the time of sale.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

EDWARD W. LOEW, Comptroller.  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, December 6, 1887.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
December 3, 1887.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Madison avenue and One Hundred and Eleventh street fencing, southeast corner.

Manhattan avenue curbing and flagging, from One Hundred and Sixteenth to One Hundred and Twentieth street.

Morris avenue regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging sidewalks, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth to One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street.

Pleasant avenue laying crosswalks, at the northerly and southerly sides of One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

St. Nicholas place paving with 1elford-Macadam pavement, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to Avenue St. Nicholas.

Westchester and St. Ann's avenues basin, northeast corner.

Seventh avenue fencing, west side, between One Hundred and Twenty-eighth and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets, and on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street for about 100 feet west of Seventh

avenue, and on the south side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street for about 75 feet west of Seventh avenue.

Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Forty-first street laying crosswalks, at intersection of.

Twenty-first street and Thirteenth avenue basin, southeast corner.

Fifty-fifth street paving with trap-block pavement, from the present pavement to a line about 36 feet westerly, to the present bulkhead line at the North River.

Fifty-ninth street flagging, south side, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

Sixty-second street and Avenue A basin, southwest corner.

Sixty-second street setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks, between Eighth avenue and the Boulevard.

Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets sewers, between West End avenue and the land of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad.

Sixty-sixth street paving with trap-block pavement, from Boulevard to Tenth avenue.

Sixty-seventh street paving with trap-block pavement, from Tenth avenue to A Street.

Seventieth street flagging, both sides, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

Seventy-third street paving with granite-block pavement, from Avenue A to First avenue.

Seventy-fifth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

Eighty-first street setting, grading, curbing and flagging, from Avenue A to Avenue B.

Eighty-third street paving with granite-block pavement, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

Eighty-eighth street paving with granite-block pavement, from First to Second avenue.

Eighty-ninth street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Tenth to Riverside avenue.

Ninety-first street paving with granite-block pavement, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

Ninety-third street paving with granite-block pavement, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.

Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets fencing vacant lots, from First to Second avenue.

Ninety-fifth street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets fencing vacant lots, from Second to Third avenue.

Ninety-seventh street sewer, between Ninth avenue and summit west of Ninth avenue.

Ninety-sixth street sewer extension at the Hudson river.

One Hundredth street sewer, between Boulevard and West End avenue.

One Hundred and First street paving with trap-block pavement, from Second to Third avenue.

One Hundred and Third street sewer, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Seventh streets fencing vacant lots, from Fourth to Madison avenue.

One Hundred and Eighth street basins, northeast and southeast corners of Lexington avenue.

One Hundred and Eighth street regulating and grading, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

One Hundred and Ninth street fencing vacant lots, north side, ninety feet east of Madison avenue.

One Hundred and Tenth street fencing vacant lots, south side, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

One Hundred and Tenth street fencing vacant lots, north side, between Fourth and Madison avenues.

One Hundred and Eleventh and One Hundred and Twelfth streets fencing vacant lots, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

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

One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets fencing vacant lots, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets fencing vacant lots, from Fourth to Madison avenue.

One Hundred and Seventeenth street sewers, between Fifth and Sixth avenues, and in Avenue St. Nicholas, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Seventeenth streets, and in One Hundred and Seventeenth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Eighth avenue.

One Hundred and Eighteenth street sewer, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

One Hundred and Eighteenth and One Hundred and Nineteenth streets fencing vacant lots, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Eighth avenue.

One Hundred and Nineteenth street sewer, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-first street paving with granite-block pavement, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-second street fencing vacant lots, south side, about 100 feet west of Pleasant avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-second street fencing vacant lots, south side, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-second street flagging, south side, from First avenue to Avenue A.

One Hundred and Twenty-second and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets fencing vacant lots, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Manhattan avenue.

One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Manhattan avenue basin, southeast corner.

One Hundred and Twenty-third street and Manhattan avenue basins, northeast and northwest corners.

One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets fencing vacant lots, between Manhattan and Ninth avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street and First avenue basin, northwest corner.

One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street flagging, south side, between Lexington and Fourth avenues.

One Hundred and Twenty-first street paving with granite-block pavement, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets fencing vacant lots, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-second street paving with trap-block pavement, from Madison to Fifth avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street and Lincoln avenue basin, northeast corner.

One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets fencing vacant lots, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, between the Boulevard and Twelfth avenue, Hudson river, which was confirmed by operation of law January 14, 1878.

One Hundred and Forty-third street sewer, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-third street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

One Hundred and Forty-eighth street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging, laying crosswalks, from North Third avenue to St. Ann's street.

One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Mott to Walton avenue, and laying crosswalks.

One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street sewer and appurtenances, from Washington to Third avenue, with a branch in Third avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-fifth and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth streets.

One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street sewer and appurtenances, between Washington and North Third avenues.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments, November 11, 1887, and entered on the same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 917 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before February 11, 1888, will be exempt from interest as above provided; and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD W. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),  
NEW YORK, December 2, 1887.

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

THE RECEIVER OF TAXES OF THE CITY OF New York hereby gives notice to all persons who have omitted to pay their taxes for the year 1887 to pay the same to him at his office on or before the first day of January, 1888, in accordance with section 846 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Upon any such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of December, 1887, one per centum will be charged, received and collected in addition to the amount thereof; and upon such tax remaining unpaid on the first day of January, 1888, interest will be charged, received and collected upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum to be calculated from the third day of October, 1887, on which day the assessment rolls and warrants for the taxes of 1887 were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, pursuant to section 843 of said act.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
November 17, 1887.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 907 OF THE New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of Ninety-fourth street between First and Second avenues, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, November 4, 1887, and entered on the 15th day of November, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 908 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 908 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before January 23, 1888, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD W. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
October 20, 1887.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 907 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz:

One Hundred and Seventeenth street opening, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-ninth street opening, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

—which were confirmed by the Supreme Court October 3, 1887, and entered on the 18th day of October, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 908 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 908 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before December 27, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD W. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,  
No. 57 CHAMBERS STREET (STEWART BUILDING),  
NEW YORK, November 1, 1887.

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Receiver of Taxes of the City of New York to all persons whose taxes for the year 1887 remain unpaid on the 1st day of November of said year, that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office on or before the 1st day of December of said year, he will charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such taxes one per centum on the amount thereof, and charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on the 1st day of January thereafter, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from October 3, 1887, the day on which the assessment rolls and warrants therefor were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, as provided by sections 843, 844 and 845 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
Receiver of Taxes.

CITY OF NEW YORK,  
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
October 11, 1887.

### NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 907 OF THE New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of Tenth and Edgemcomb road, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court September 19, 1887, and entered on the 3d day of October, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 908 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 908 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect, and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before December 16, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD W. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with the most reliable and complete records 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 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00  
The same in 25 volumes, half bound, " 50 00  
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, " 15 00  
Records of Judgments, 23 volumes, half bound, " 10 00  
Orders should be addressed to Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building.

EDWARD W. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF chapter 371 of the Laws of 1887, entitled "An Act to provide for the erection of a building for Criminal Courts and other purposes in the City of New York," the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund will receive plans and specifications until the first day of March, 1888, for the building provided for in the said act, to be erected in connection with the City Hall and the Court-house, in accordance with a general plan which has been approved by the said Commission, and which can be examined at the office of the Commissioners.

The plans submitted must give the elevation of the said building on all four sides and on the inner court, and must be accompanied by floor plans and specifications for the construction of the said building in sufficient detail to enable the working drawings to be made therefrom. An estimate of the cost of the structure must accompany each plan in sufficient detail to enable the Commission to modify the plans as desired.

For the plan which may be adjudged by the Commission to be the best submitted, a premium of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS will be paid; for the second best, a premium of FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS; for the third best, a premium of THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS; for the fourth best, a premium of TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS, and for the fifth best, a premium of ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS. But no obligation shall rest upon the Commission to award premiums to any plan which shall not be regarded as meritorious.

The premiated plans shall become the property of the City, and may be used in any manner which the Commission may approve. No obligation shall be created by the acceptance of any plan to employ the author thereof as the architect to construct the building, it being discretionary with the Mayor and the Commissioners of Public Works to determine in what manner the supervision of the building shall be provided for. Each plan submitted shall be marked with such assumed designation as the architect may select, provided there shall be filed with the Mayor a sealed envelope giving the real name of the author of the plan so designated, which will not be opened until after the award of the premium.

250 Lithograph copies of the general plans of the building, adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund October 7, 1887, can be obtained by architects upon application at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 230 Broadway, in the City of New York, together with a pamphlet containing special instructions.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,  
Mayor and Chairman.

City of New York, November 1, 1887.