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POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 12th day of October, 1886.
Present—Commissioners French, Porter, McClave, and Voorhis; also Mr. Marsh, representing the Comptroller.

The following proposal for supplying the Police Department with printing and stationery for election purposes was opened and read :
Martin B. Brown..... \$2,350 00

Whereupon, it was
Resolved, That the contract for supplying the Police Department with printing and stationery for election purposes be and is hereby awarded to Martin B. Brown for the sum and price of \$2,350, he being the lowest and only bidder, and that the President be authorized to execute said contract for and in behalf of this Board, on approval of sureties by the Comptroller.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Surgeon D. Matthews, one week, half pay.
" F. M. Purroy, ten days, half pay.
Weekly statement of the Comptroller showing condition of the several accounts of the Police Department, was referred to the Treasurer.

Death Reported.

Patrolman Patrick Mullane, Third Precinct, on 12th instant.
Reports of the Board of Surgeons (as follows) were ordered on file.

In case Doorman Robert O'Neil, Thirty-second Precinct, recommending postponement.
In case Patrolman Thomas M. Clifford, Twenty-second Precinct, not permanently disabled.
In case Patrolman Charles B. Jenny, Sixth Precinct, not permanently disabled.

Applications for Promotion Referred to the Board of Examiners for Citation.

Patrolman Charles S. Colton, Twenty-first Precinct.
" Michael E. Keating, Twenty-seventh Precinct.

The following applications for permission to take vacation after October 15, were granted; provided the same be not taken on registry or election days :

Precinct.	Precinct.
Captain A. J. Allaire..... 10	Sergeant Thomas Reilly..... 8
" William H. Clinchy..... 18	" Timothy J. Creeden..... 10
" Jacob Siebert..... 30	" George L. Suttie..... 12
Sergeant H. O. Corbett..... Central Office.	" John Gallagher..... 17
" George B. Kass..... Central Office.	Roundsmen Patrick J. Lane..... 20
" Alexander B. Warts..... Central Office.	Patrolman Etienne Bayer..... 10

Applications Ordered on File.

Recorder F. Smyth—For promotion of Roundsmen Thomas Boyle, Twenty-second Precinct.
William Campbell—Transfer of Patrolman John McLaughlin, Twenty-second Precinct.
Roundsmen John J. Harley, Central Office—For Civil Service examination for promotion.
Application of Captain Sanders, Second Precinct, for three additional mounted men, was referred to the Superintendent with power, and report.

Communications Ordered on File.

Corporation Counsel—Opinion relative to sale of Italian bonds, at No. 207 Broadway, by the International Banking Company.
William B. Keese, Secretary, etc.—Acknowledging receipt of communication relative to application of Charles E. Spiegel for reappointment.
Communication from Mrs. D. Clausnitzer, complaining of disorderly house, was referred to the Superintendent.

Transfers, Etc.

Patrolman John Moore, from Eighteenth Precinct to Twenty-third Precinct.
" John Kiley, from Seventeenth Precinct to Thirty-first Precinct.
" John McLaughlin, from Twenty-second Precinct to Twenty-fifth Precinct.
" Timothy Donohue, from Thirty-first Precinct to Thirty-third Precinct.
" William O'Rourke, from Twenty-ninth Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct.
Doorman John Fay, Ninth Precinct, detail at Thirty-second Precinct, temporarily.

Appointments—Patrolman.

Precinct.	Precinct.
Griffin H. Merritt..... 29	Angus J. McDonald..... 30
James H. Magan..... 21	James E. Hussey..... 29
Thomas Malone..... 8	Morton Bishop..... 8
John F. Poole..... 14	John F. Tappin..... 4
James Tivers..... 18	John J. McDonald..... 22
Thomas F. Lott..... 19	Edward Mann..... 30
John Irving..... 8	Thomas F. Leonard..... 7
Patrick J. Harrigan..... 8	Hugh McGuire..... 8

Advanced to Second Grade.

Patrolman Gustav Rehan, Jr., Thirtieth Precinct, from October 7, 1886.
" Thomas L. Monahan, Eighteenth Precinct, from October 7, 1886.
" Joseph Scott, Eighth Precinct, from October 7, 1886.
" Lawrence P. Powers, Seventh Precinct, from October 7, 1886.
" Thomas J. Donohue, Thirty-third Precinct, from September 30, 1886.
Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to Patrolman Louis Reichart, Ninth Precinct, from August 13 to September 1, 1886.
Resolved, That Charles D. Heath be granted a re-examination by the Surgeons.
Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to equalize the number of Roundsmen in the several Precincts, and report to this Board.
Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to issue orders to the Captains of Precincts in which the Station-houses have insufficient sleeping accommodations for the increased force, permitting certain of their Patrolmen to sleep at their respective homes, subject to such regulations as he shall prescribe.

Pensions Granted—all aye.

Elizabeth Lavender, widow of George Lavender, late Pensioner, \$300 per year, from July 1, 1886.
Daniel E. Daly, guardian of children of Hannah Walsh, late Pensioner, \$300 per year, from July 1, 1886.
Martha A. Doty, widow of Theodore M. Doty, late Patrolman, \$300 per year, from July 26, 1886.

Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller, in pursuance of section 262, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and the Commissioners directed to approve the same, for the following sums of money for the month of October, 1886, being one-twelfth part of the total amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Police Department and force for the current year, to wit :

Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Surgeons, uniformed force and provisional employees.....	\$306,482 68
Police Fund—Salaries of clerical force, etc.....	6,894 16
Additional Police Fund.....	14,166 66
Supplies for Police.....	6,500 00
Police Station-houses, alterations, etc.....	2,083 33
Expenses of Detectives, etc.....	1,041 66
Salaries of Chief and Chief Clerk, Bureau of Elections.....	541 66

Total..... \$337,710 15

Resolved, That honorable mention be and is hereby made in the records of the Department of the meritorious service of Patrolman George J. Godfrey, Twenty-fourth Precinct, in rescuing Christ Loff from drowning, off the Battery, on October 4, 1886, at great risk to his own life; and that this resolution be suitably engrossed and presented to said officer.

Judgments—Dismissals—all aye.

Patrolman Edward M. Sturgis, Second Precinct.
" Joseph M. Hode, Thirteenth Precinct.

Bureau of Elections.

Resolved, That the following polling places be changed :
Twenty-second Election, Second Assembly District, from No. 72 Baxter street to No. 16 Franklin street, because the proprietor of the former will not make necessary changes.
Twentieth Election, Nineteenth Assembly District, from Boulevard, between Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, to No. 1153 Ninth avenue, because the former place is not accessible to the public.
Resolved, That the persons named in list "K" be selected and appointed Inspectors of Election in the several districts named, in the places and stead of those previously selected, approved and appointed who have resigned; that said list be ordered on file in the Bureau of Elections, and the Chief of the Bureau directed to issue the necessary notices to said persons, and qualify them according to law.

"K."

ELECTION DISTRICT.	ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.	APPOINTED.	IN PLACE OF.	POLITICS.	CAUSE.
30	13	John J. Rolet.....	Martin Carroll.....	Democrat.....	Resigned
30	23	John H. Bonitz.....	Charles M. Torpey.....	".....	"
6	22	William Scott.....	George H. Scully.....	Republican.....	"
5	9	Jacob H. Forshay.....	R. H. Gregory.....	".....	"
27	3	Patrick Reilley.....	Michael J. Shea.....	Democrat.....	"
16	1	H. B. Phinney.....	John J. Boyle.....	Republican.....	"
39	24	A. M. Sachs.....	William Ball, Jr.....	".....	"
49	23	Abram Fielding.....	Benjamin S. Swift.....	Democrat.....	"
4	18	Charles A. Bush.....	James J. Harnett.....	Republican.....	"
33	7	John Clancy.....	Albert J. McIntosh.....	".....	"
17	19	George C. Bernholz.....	Thomas C. Fisher.....	Democrat.....	"
13	18	John Scott.....	Charles A. Nevins.....	Republican.....	"
26	23	Walter F. See.....	Thomas R. H. Smith.....	Democrat.....	"
4	21	William H. Lee, Jr.....	S. R. Thorne.....	Republican.....	"
11	13	David McKinley.....	George Taylor.....	".....	"
9	23	Joseph Yeamans.....	James B. Treanor.....	".....	"
23	24	Henry Hecht.....	Thomas F. Tressel.....	Democrat.....	"

Adjoined.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a special meeting of the Board of Docks, held October 7, 1886.

Present—Commissioners Stark, Matthews, and Koch.
The minutes of the meeting held October 6, 1886, were read and approved.

The Board then went into Executive Session.
The petition of citizens and property-holders requesting the Board to build a pier at One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, Hudson river, was laid on the table and referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report.

The following communications were received, read and,
On motion, ordered to be placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit :
From C. H. Mallory & Co.—Requesting permission to substitute a gravel roof, instead of corrugated iron, on shed on Pier 21 and bulkhead between Piers 20 and 21, East river, and also requesting permission to cover sides with galvanized corrugated iron. Application denied.

From H. W. Loud & Co.—Reporting that it was not the schooner "S. G. Hart" that damaged backing-log on Pier foot of Eighteenth street, North river. The Dock Master directed to furnish information respecting the damage thereat.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5823, repairs required at entrance to Pier, new 43, North river. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to repair as recommended in his report, at a cost of about \$900.

2d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5854, that he had examined the plans and specifications submitted by the New York and South Brooklyn Steam Ferry and Transportation Company for the erection of a ferry-house, etc., between Piers 2 and 3, North river, and find them to be sufficient and proper with amendments and additions made in red ink on the plans.

On motion, the same were approved as amended by the Engineer-in-Chief.

3d. Report on Secretary's Order No. 5488, as to the condition of and repairs required to the bulkhead platform between Piers 18 and 19, East river.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to prepare specifications and form of contract for repairing the said premises as recommended in his report.

On motion, the Engineer-in-Chief was directed to place mantels in the Board room and the room adjoining, at a cost not to exceed \$500.

The communication from James W. Colwell, requesting permission to drive piles on the Harlem river, south of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, was,

On motion, taken from the table and ordered to be placed on file. Permission granted, to be done under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department.

The communication from the New York Floating Dry Dock Company, requesting the Board to postpone the order to repair Pier 49, East river, was,

On motion, taken from the table and ordered to be placed on file, and the President authorized to advise that the repairs required to said pier must be made at once, in accordance with the order of the Board dated September 29, 1886.

The application of Jones & Company for permission to erect a small shed or hood on the bulkhead between Piers 59 and 60, East river, was,

On motion, taken from the table and, together with the report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 5621, ordered to be placed on file, and permission granted to erect a temporary shed or hood thereat, under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, and to be and remain thereat only during the pleasure of the Board.

The communication from the Engineer-in-Chief recommending the rebuilding of the bulkhead between Piers 42 and 43, East river, was,

On motion, taken from the table and ordered to be placed on file, and the President authorized to notify the New York Floating Dry Dock Company to commence to rebuild the said bulkhead at once, under the direction and supervision of the Engineer-in-Chief of this Department, or the penalty for violation of the rules will be imposed.

The communication from the New York, Catskill and Athens Steamboat Company, Limited, requesting permission to sublet to the Old Dominion Steamship Company the south side of Pier foot of Jay street, North river, was,

On motion, taken from the table and ordered to be placed on file.

On motion, the President was authorized to request T. M. King, Vice-President of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, to call on the Commissioners respecting the berthing of the steamship "America" at Pier, new 43, North river, from October 21st to 27th instant.

On motion, the application of the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company for permission to improve ferry premises at the foot of Twenty-third street, North river, was referred to the Engineer-in-Chief to modify the plans, etc., submitted by their engineer and report the same to the Board.

On motion, the appointment of Montraville M. Smith, temporary Steam Engineer, was in accordance with Rule 35 of the Civil Service Rules made permanent.

Commissioner Koch, to whom was referred the report from the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 4156, and the report dated September 24, 1886, in reference to the permanent improvement of the water-front at the West Thirty-second Street Section, reported that he had conferred with Mr. Depew, President of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, and other officers of the road, and that Mr. Depew had agreed to pay a proportion of the cost of building the river wall or bulkhead of the Department in lieu of building the bulkhead required by the terms of the water grant, from Thirtieth street to the northerly side of Thirty-third street, North river.

On motion, the President was authorized and requested to notify the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company that the Department will proceed at once with the construction of the bulkhead wall from its present end, between West Thirty-first and West Thirty-second streets, to the northerly side of West Thirty-third street, and request the said company to vacate so much of the outer end of the Pier on the southerly side of West Thirty-second street as is necessary, in order that the Department may build the bulkhead or river wall, and to prepare to vacate the Pier at foot of West Thirty-third street when the work of building the bulkhead or river wall should require it.

On motion, the Board adjourned to meet Friday, at 11 A. M.

B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, October 6, 1886, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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

The meeting was opened for public hearing pursuant to public notice. A public hearing and meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners was held pursuant to the foregoing notice. The meeting was opened and held open by the President of the Aqueduct Commission until a majority of the Commissioners assembled.

Many citizens owning land in the vicinity of the premises described in said notice appeared and examined the maps of the same, but no objections were raised or made against the proposed acquirement of said premises in fee simple in lieu of the easement heretofore acquired.

On motion of Commissioner Dowd, the said public hearing was adjourned, to be held at the same place on Wednesday, October 6, at 2 o'clock P. M.

On the 6th instant Mr. Clifford Barbee appeared before the Commissioners with regard to his property in One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, and after hearing his statements, no one else desiring to be heard, on motion of Commissioner Dowd, the public hearing was closed, and the regular order of business taken up.

The minutes of the stated meeting of September 29 were read and approved.

Commissioner Barnes offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The report of the Committee on Construction, submitted to the Aqueduct Commissioners on Wednesday, September 22, providing that the meetings of the Committee on Construction shall be open to the visitation of the Aqueduct Commissioners, their Secretary, the Chief Engineer and his principal assistants; therefore

Resolved, That the following resolution, adopted on the same day, be and the same is hereby rescinded:

Resolved, That the minutes of the Committee on Construction be read at the regular meetings of this Board for their information.

The resolution was adopted, Commissioner Fish voting in the negative.

The Committee of Finance and Audit, by its Chairman, William Dowd, reported the examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 2042 to 2056 inclusive, which were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Committee next made report as follows:

The Committee of Finance and Audit, to whom was referred the communication of the Comptroller requesting the Aqueduct Commissioners to prepare and send to the Board of Estimate and Apportionment an estimate of the amount required to pay the expenses of the Commission for the year 1887, report that they have considered the matter of said request, and that in their judgment the sum of five million dollars (\$5,000,000) will be required to meet the expenses of the Commission for the year 1887, and that the Secretary be directed to transmit said estimate to the Comptroller.

Recommendation adopted.

The Committee on Construction, by its Chairman, Oliver W. Barnes, made the following report, dated 5th instant:

The Committee on Construction respectfully report that upon the request of the Chief Engineer for an appropriation of \$500, for the purchase of disc-diagram machines and a level, which are required upon the work of the New Aqueduct, the Committee recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of \$500 be appropriated to cover the cost of five (5) disc-diagram machines and one (1) level, which are required upon the work of the New Aqueduct.

Adopted.

The Committee next offered the following report, and the same was unanimously adopted:

That the question of sinking an additional shaft between existing Shafts Nos. 13 and 14, at or near Station 792+50, to be known as "Shaft No. 13½," having been considered by this Committee to be necessary for the proper ventilation and prosecution of the work, recommend its construction, and the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That on the reception of the recommendation of the Chief-Engineer and the Committee on Construction, the Aqueduct Commissioners deem it advisable and necessary that an additional shaft be located and constructed on the line of the New Aqueduct, between Shafts Nos. 13 and 14, at or near Station 792+50, that shall be known as "Shaft No. 13½;" and that sufficient land be taken or purchased for the same, and for a dumping-ground adjacent thereto; and the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby authorize and direct the construction of said shaft, and the taking or purchasing the necessary land for said shaft, and its adjacent dumping-ground; and the Committee on Construction and the Chief-Engineer are hereby directed to have the said shaft located and the necessary land for said shaft and dumping-ground surveyed and mapped immediately, and reported to the Commissioners for their action in the premises. Also, that the said Committee shall prepare and submit to the Commissioners the form of a contract or agreement for the construction of said shaft that shall provide, among other things, that the construction of said shaft, and the work on the same, may be discontinued and stopped at any time by the order of the Commissioners; and in case of such discontinuance, that the contractors shall only be entitled to and receive pay for the work done up to the time of such discontinuance and stoppage.

Also, that the Committee on Construction respectfully report: That upon the request of the Chief Engineer for an appropriation of \$460, for the purpose of purchasing such instruments as may be required upon the work of the Aqueduct, the Committee recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of \$460 be appropriated for the purpose of purchasing the instruments required by the requisition of the Chief Engineer, dated October 6, 1886.

Adopted.

Also, that the Chief Engineer having requested an appropriation of \$500 for the purpose of mounting and binding contract drawings, and for models of difficult constructions in masonry, this Committee recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of \$400 be appropriated for the purpose of mounting and binding contract drawings for gate-houses on Sections 1 and 15, and for Sections 12, 13 and 14; also an appropriation of \$100 for models of difficult constructions in masonry at intersections of shafts with Aqueduct arch.

Adopted.

Also, that a communication from the Chief Engineer, addressed to the Committee on Construction, was read at their meeting of the 1st instant, and ordered to be read to the Commissioners and returned to them for filing.

The said communication was read and the recommendation of the Committee approved.

Also, that in compliance with your resolution of the 22d September last, we now submit a report of the Chief Engineer, together with a plan prepared by him of the lands upon the Ravensdale road in Westchester County, required for the additional shaft and dumping-grounds to be known as Shaft 15½, and we recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the plan this day submitted to us of the lands required to be taken in fee for the construction of an additional shaft near the Ravensdale road, in the County of Westchester, and now designated "Shaft Site No. 15½," be and the same is hereby approved; and the Committee on Real Estate is hereby directed and empowered to immediately take such steps as may be necessary to acquire the fee in the lands shown upon said plan, either by agreement with the owners or by proceedings for the condemnation of said lands, subject to the approval of this Commission.

Adopted.

The Committee on Real Estate, by its Chairman, James C. Spencer, made the following report: Whereas, It is the sense of the Aqueduct Commissioners that it is for the best interest of the City that the fee simple should be acquired of the lands hereinafter described, in lieu of the easement heretofore acquired through the lands upon the line of the New Aqueduct, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and Convent avenue, and One Hundred and Fifty-second street and Tenth avenue; and

Whereas, Upon request of the said Commissioners the Commissioner of Public Works heretofore prepared and submitted to them the plan, hereinafter described, for modifying the plans heretofore adopted by taking the fee in lieu of the aforesaid easement in said lands; and

Whereas, Full opportunity to be heard in relation to the said plan for taking of said fee has heretofore been given to all persons interested, due public notice of said hearing having been given; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That for the more efficient carrying out of the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, we hereby approve and adopt the plan submitted to us by the Commissioner of Public Works, and now designated "Final Plan Sheet No. 5 C," for the taking of the fee simple of all those parcels of land in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York which are known and described by their ward and block numbers, as follows:

Lots No. 15, 16, 17, 48, 49 and 50 of Block 1072.

Lots No. 15, 16, 17, 48, 49 and 50 of Block 1073.

Lots No. 15, 16, 17, 48, 49 and 50 of Block 1074.

Lots No. 15, 16, 17, 47, 48 and 49 of Block 1075.

Lots No. 15, 16, 17, 47, 48 and 49 of Block 1076.

Lots No. 15, 16, 17, 49, 50, 51 and 53 of Block 1077.

Lots No. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 63, 64, 65, 66 and 67 of Block 1078.

Also, all that part of Lot No. 3, of Block 1078, which is designated "Parcel No. 20" upon the property-map filed in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York on the 28th day of August, 1885.

Also, all that parcel of land forming a part of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, between the Tenth avenue and St. Nicholas avenue, which is designated upon the aforesaid property-map as "Parcel No. 51."

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby requested to prepare and submit to the Aqueduct Commissioners, for their approval and adoption, the six similar property-maps required by section 4 of the aforesaid act, showing thereon the above-described lands to be taken in fee.

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

Also, that we have to report that at a meeting held this day (October 4th), all the members being present, the Committee on Real Estate organized by the election of Commissioner Spencer as Chairman of the Committee, and that Mr. James W. McCulloh will temporarily act as Secretary of the Committee.

Action approved.

The President submitted the following report:

On the 26th day of May last a resolution was adopted by you, of which the following is a copy:

Resolved, That the President is hereby requested to report to the Aqueduct Commissioners at an early day a review and report of the work of the Commission to the first day of June, 1886, that shall include the plans and work of construction to that date, and the progress therein, and the plans and projects relating to said Aqueduct, and the dams and reservoirs now under consideration before the Commission that have not been adopted and approved; and the Secretary and Chief Engineer are hereby directed to report to the President such information as he shall require for the said review from their respective offices.

The report and review required by this resolution embraced statistical information, maps and drawings from the Chief Engineer, that involved such an amount and class of labor in his Department that he has found it impracticable to prepare and furnish to the present time. The Chief Engineer states that he can now progress with this work and report the same to the President at an early day; but he makes this suggestion, that appears to me to be worthy of your consideration:

That he should continue the plans and work to the close of the year, so that the report called for by the said resolution should cover the year 1886, instead of until the 1st of June, 1886; and if it is deemed desirable to the Commission that the plans and work of construction to the latter date should be distinctly stated and described, that it should appear in an appendix to the report.

If the Commissioners approve of this suggestion, and conclude that the work to the close of 1886 shall be included in this report, the resolution should be amended by inserting in place of the words "the first day of June, 1886," the words "to and including the 31st day of December, 1886."

All of which is respectfully submitted for your consideration.

Commissioner Dowd moved that the resolution referred to in said report be amended by inserting in place of the words "the first day of June, 1886," the words "to and including the 31st day of December, 1886," and that the report of the President be placed upon file. Adopted.

The Committee on By-Laws, by its Chairman, William Dowd, presented the following rules of order for adoption and observance, as provided in the last clause of Article I of the By-laws, and recommended that the same be adopted and printed with the By-Laws; and the same were unanimously adopted.

RULES OF ORDER.

First—The President shall preside at all meetings of the Commissioners, and direct and conduct the proceedings. In case of his absence the Vice-President shall act in his place. In case of the absence of both of said officers, the Commissioners shall appoint a President pro tem. for that meeting, or until the appearance of the President or Vice-President.

When the Secretary is not present at any meeting, the Commissioners shall appoint a Secretary pro tem. for that meeting, or until the Secretary appears.

Second—The President or Vice-President may substitute any other member to preside in his place, but such substitution shall not continue beyond the meeting at which it shall be made.

The affirmative vote of not less than four Commissioners in favor of any resolution or proposition before the Commissioners, shall be required for its adoption, except as provided in Rule 10.

Third—The order of business at every stated meeting (except where otherwise specially ordered) shall be as follows:

I.

Reading the minutes of the previous stated meeting, and any special meeting held since the last stated meeting, and consideration of the same by the Commissioners. The reading of the minutes may be dispensed with by unanimous consent of the members of the Commission present.

II.

1. Reports of Standing Committees:
2. Reports of Committee of Finance and Audit.
3. Reports of Committee on Construction.
4. Reports of Committee on Real Estate.

III.

Reports of Special Committees,

IV.

1. Reports from the President.
2. Reports from the Chief Engineer.
3. Reports from the Commissioner of Public Works.
4. Reports from the Comptroller.
5. Reports from the Secretary.

V.

Communications to the Aqueduct Commissioners received and considered.

VI.

Unfinished business from the table.

VII.

New business.

Upon the presentation of any of the foregoing business that requires reference to any Standing Committee or requires filing, the President shall order the same so referred or filed, unless the Commissioners shall otherwise direct.

The regular order of business may be suspended at any time by a vote of a majority of the commissioners present.

Fourth—At any special meeting of the Commissioners, the presiding officer shall state the special matter or matters to be considered at such meeting, and no other than such special matters shall be considered at such meeting except by the unanimous consent of the Commissioners present.

Fifth—Resolutions offered at any meeting shall be reduced to writing by the mover, if requested by the President, or two Commissioners, and shall not be considered until seconded by one of the Commissioners other than the mover.

Sixth—Motions to refer, to lay on the table, to adjourn, shall always be in order, and except the motion to refer, shall be taken without debate. It shall require a vote of two-thirds of the Commissioners present to order the previous question.

A call or motion to adjourn into executive session or council, shall be in order only when no other question or motion is before the Commissioners for consideration.

All votes of the Commissioners at any meeting shall be taken by ayes and noes, at the request of any Commissioner, and shall preclude further debate, after the beginning of the roll call.

Seventh—Every member, except the President, who shall be present when a question is put shall vote for or against the same unless excused by a majority vote of the Commissioners.

Eighth—A motion to reconsider a vote or resolution of the Commissioners may be made by any member who voted with the majority at the same meeting, or at the next succeeding stated meeting.

Ninth—No member shall speak more than twice on the same question without leave of a majority of the Commissioners present, nor more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken; nor shall any Commissioner speak more than ten minutes at any one time upon any subject under consideration unless by consent of a majority of the Commissioners present.

Every member, previous to his speaking upon any question under debate, shall rise and address the President; and if two or more members rise at one time, the President shall designate which is entitled to the floor.

Tenth—All questions of order and parliamentary usage shall be decided by the presiding officer, subject to appeal to the Commissioners. Such appeal cannot be debated when the decision relates to indecorum or the transgression of the rules of speaking, or the priority of business, or made while the previous question is pending.

The presiding officer may state his reasons for his decision before the question is put on the appeal. The form of appeal shall be as follows: "Shall the decision of the Chair stand as the decision of the Commissioners?" and if not affirmed by a majority of the Commissioners present, the decision of the Chair shall be reversed. The presiding officer shall be entitled to vote upon the question.

Questions of order and parliamentary usage not covered by these rules shall be decided by the presiding officer and the Commissioners in accordance with Cushing's Manual of Parliamentary Practice.

The Committee also reported that at their meeting held on the 4th instant, it was decided to recommend to the Commissioners the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the following be added to the By-laws: That the Commission may at any stated meeting, upon notice given at a previous stated meeting, repeal, amend, or suspend any by-law or rule of order.

Adopted.

The Chief Engineer reported that the lines through the open cut at Shaft 8 and the north heading of Shaft 9 have met, and came together with a variation of just one-eighth of an inch, and that the lines were established under Division Engineer McIntyre, and were executed by Assistant Engineer Lockwood and Rodman Cunningham, who are deserving of a great deal of credit for their accurate alignments and grades; and on motion of Commissioner Barnes the same was ordered to be placed on file.

The Chairman of the Committee of Finance and Audit, William Dowd, presented to the Board a communication received by him from the Comptroller, wherein he states that the objections to the application of the Chief Engineer to have the Paymaster pay the members of the Engineer corps along the Aqueduct line in bank bills instead of in checks, seemed to be insurmountable, and that he reluctantly declined to comply with the request.

On motion of Commissioner Barnes the said communication was ordered to be placed upon file.

The Comptroller, under date of October 2, gave notice of the issue of warrants for vouchers not certified to by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and appertaining to
Manhattan Island Section..... \$14,149 05
New York County Section..... 933 52
Westchester County Section..... 230 19

Which was ordered placed upon file and entered upon the books of the Commission.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, SEPTEMBER 27 TO OCTOBER 2, 1886.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending September 25, 1886: Males, 52; females, 9. On file.

List of 43 prisoners to be discharged from October 3 to 9, 1886. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—History of 14 patients received during week ending September 25, 1886. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 14 patients received during week ending September 25, 1886. On file.

From City Prison—Amount of fines received during week ending September 25, 1886, \$460. On file.

From Superintendent of Out-door Poor—Reporting the return to Europe of 9 alien paupers. On file.

From City Prison. Reporting an effort to escape by Daniel Driscoll, prisoner, charged with homicide. Warden to appear before Board.

From the Comptroller. Weekly statement of unexpended balances. On file.

From Charity Hospital. Report of Superintendent of Training School for August, 1886. On file.

Resolutions.

This Board having learned of the demise of General James Bowen, for many years a Commissioner of this Department,

Resolved, That we record our acknowledgment of his faithful services during his connection with the public institutions.

Resolved, That we tender to his family and relatives our heartfelt sympathy in the bereavement with which an all-wise Providence has seen fit to inflict them.

Resolved, That this Board attend the funeral in a body, and that the flags of the several institutions be placed at half-mast until after the day of the funeral.

Resolved, That these resolutions be entered upon the minutes of this Board and that a copy properly authenticated be forwarded to the family of the deceased. Adopted.

Contracts Awarded.

Thurber, Whyland & Co., 2,800 pounds Rio coffee, at 11 472-1000 cents per pound; 3,000 pounds oat meal, at \$2.47 per 100 pounds 3,500 pounds rice, at \$2.75 per 100 pounds; 12,000 pounds brown sugar, at \$4.54 per 100 pounds; 2,000 pounds coffee sugar, at \$5.10 per 100 pounds; 3,000 pounds starch, at \$3.22 per 100 pounds. Sureties, John Early, No. 145 Chambers street; James S. Barron, No. 141 Chambers street.

Appointed.

September 27. Florence McKeon, Attendant, Branch Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$192 per annum.

" 27. Kate Maloney, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum. Salary, \$192 per annum.

" 29. Michael J. Lyddy, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.

" 29. C. Schermerhorn, Helper, Storehouse. Salary, \$180 per annum.

October 2. Arthur J. Walsh, Ambulance Surgeon, Ninety-ninth Street Hospital. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 2. James Fox, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.

Reappointed.

October 2. Patrick Murray, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.

" 2. Henry A. Riecks, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane. Salary, \$240 per annum.

Resigned.

September 29. Joseph Wheeler, Fireman, Branch Workhouse.

" 30. Arthur J. H. Wynne, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

" 30. Jeremiah Denehy, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

October 1. Mary A. Burke, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

" 1. James Finnegan, Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital.

" 2. John L. Mowbray, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

" 2. Esther J. Hitchman, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

" 2. Elizabeth Morrison, Attendant, Homoeopathic Hospital.

" 2. Margaret J. O'Connell, Attendant, Lunatic Asylum.

Relieved from Duty.

September 30. Peter V. Bennett, Steward, Gouverneur Hospital.

" 30. James P. Bartley, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

" 30. James Crowley, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

October 1. James Clifford, Driver, Branch Workhouse.

Dismissed.

September 28. Nassau Leggett, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane.

Salary Increased.

September 28. Amsley Scarlet, Gas-maker, Storehouse, from \$360 to \$480 per annum.

" 28. James A. Waters, Attendant, Randall's Island Hospital, from \$150 to \$240 per annum.

" 2. Richard H. Roden, Clerk, City Prison, from \$300 to \$480 per annum.

Transferred.

September 27. Mary Reed, Nurse, Homoeopathic Hospital to Gouverneur Hospital. Salary increased from \$192 to \$240 per annum.

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following abstract of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning for the week ending October 3, 1886:

Material collected—

	Loads.
Ashes.....	13,275
Street Dirt.....	6,329
From Department of Public Works.....	229
" Markets.....	141
" Permits.....	3,123
Total.....	23,097

Disposition of material—

	Loads.
25 Dumpers discharged at sea.....	10,847
22 Deck scows discharged at sea.....	8,795
6 Deck scows discharged at Hart's Island.....	2,577
Total.....	22,219

Streets swept—

	Miles.	Feet.
By Department, above Fourteenth street.....	338	2,300
By contractors, First District, below Fourteenth street.....	202	3,483
" Second " ".....	320	4,290
Total.....	861	4,793

Pay-rolls

—transmitted to the Department of Finance:

Salaries of Commissioner, Deputy, etc.....	\$3,343 31
" Foremen, Assistants, etc.....	4,028 00
Wages, Laborers, etc., for last fifteen days of September.....	16,262 74

Appointments.

Simon Rosenfelt, Special Inspector, Second Street Cleaning District, Sub. 7.
Devine H. Coles, Department Cart Driver.

Public moneys received and deposited in the City Treasury:

For trimming scows.....	\$710 00
" use of Twelfth Street Dump.....	28 00
" proceeds auction sale.....	803 82
Total.....	\$1,550 82

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Statement and Return of Moneys Received by RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator in the City of New York, for the Month of September, 1886, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the provisions of Section 3, Part II., Chapter VI., Title VI., Revised Statutes; and Sections 38 and 96 of Chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873.

DATE.	ESTATE OF.	INTESTATE ESTATES.	COMMISSIONS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
Sept. 1.....	Edwin Button.....	.....	\$379 08	
" 9.....	Mary A. Smith.....	.....	3 24	
" 9.....	Carrie McIvor.....	.....	80	\$383 12
	Amount received as costs in suit for collecting account due the estate of Louis Hansen, deceased, and paid into the City Treasury.....	.....	.....	20 00
				\$403 12

RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

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 October 9, 1886.

Barometer.

DATE. OCTOBER.		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.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Time.	Time.	Time.
Sunday,	3	30.378	30.298	30.204	30.293	30.382	9 A. M.	30.164	12 P. M.								
Monday,	4	30.100	29.935	29.922	29.986	30.164	0 A. M.	29.910	4 P. M.								
Tuesday,	5	29.992	30.010	30.082	30.028	30.088	10 P. M.	29.916	0 A. M.								
Wednesday,	6	30.052	29.972	29.980	30.001	30.068	0 A. M.	29.968	5 P. M.								
Thursday,	7	30.023	30.072	30.146	30.082	30.154	12 P. M.	29.988	0 A. M.								
Friday,	8	30.198	30.112	30.106	30.138	30.200	6 A. M.	30.098	12 P. M.								
Saturday,	9	30.100	30.038	30.068	30.068	30.102	6 A. M.	30.020	4 P. M.								

Mean for the week..... 30.085 inches.
Maximum " at 9 A. M., 3d..... 30.382 "
Minimum " at 4 P. M., 4th..... 29.910 "
Range "472 "

Thermometers.

DATE. OCTOBER.		7 A. M.		2 P. M.		9 P. M.		MEAN.		MAXIMUM.				MINIMUM.				MAXIMUM.	
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	Dry Bulb.	Time.	Wet Bulb.	Time.	In Sun.	
Sunday,	3	41	39	56	48	51	47	49.3	44.6	61	4 P. M.	51	4 P. M.	39	6 A. M.	38	6 A. M.	113.	11 A. M.
Monday,	4	47	42	63	53	56	53	55.3	49.3	66	3 P. M.	57	4 P. M.	44	6 A. M	41	6 A. M.	120.	1 P. M.
Tuesday,	5	51	48	63	55	58	54	57.3	52.3	66	4 P. M.	58	4 P. M.	48	3 A. M.	45	3 A. M.	119	1 P. M.
Wednesday,	6	49	47	61	54	54	49	54.6	50.0	63	4 P. M.	54	4 P. M.	49	7 A. M.	47	7 A. M.	123.	1 P. M.
Thursday,	7	54	46	64	56	56	53	56.6	51.6	64	3 P. M.	57	3 P. M.	49	6 A. M.	46	6 A. M.	120.	12 M.
Friday,	8	48	45	67	59	58	55	57.6	53.0	69	3 P. M.	61	3 P. M.	48	4 A. M.	45	4 A. M.	121.	11 A. M.
Saturday,	9	51	48	75	64	60	59	62.0	57.0	77	4 P. M.	67	3 P. M.	50	6 A. M.	48	6 A. M.	131.	1 P. M.

Dry Bulb. Wet Bulb.
Mean for the week..... 56.1 degrees..... 51.1 degrees.
Maximum for the week, at 3 P. M., 9th..... 77. " at 4 P. M., 6th..... 67. "
Minimum " at 6 A. M., 3d..... 39. " at 6 A. M., 3d..... 38. "
Range " 38. " 29. "

Wind.

DATE. OCTOBER.		DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.				FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT				
		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....	NNW	SSW	S	7	14	28	49	0	0	0	¾	6 P. M.
Monday,	4....	WSW	WSW	SW	33	62	40	135	¾	¾	0	4¾	0.20 P. M.
Tuesday,	5....	NNE	ENE	ENE	21	74	30	125	¾	¾	0	2¾	10.30 A. M.
Wednesday,	6....	NNW	NNE	N	24	54	37	115	¾	¾	0	1¾	12 M.
Thursday,	7....	NE	ENE	ESE	34	61	28	123	0	0	0	3	10.50 A. M.
Friday,	8....	NNE	SSW	SSW	15	10	26	51	0	0	0	¾	10.30 P. M.
Saturday,	9....	WNW	NW	ENE	33	11	5	49	0	0	0	¾	0.20 A. M.

Distance traveled during the week..... 647 miles.
Maximum force " 4¾ pounds.

DATE. OCTOBER.		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.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.	Amount of Water.	Depth of Snow.
										H. M.		O. 10.
Sunday,	3	.212	.230	.270	82	51	72	0	0	0	0	0
Monday,	4	.202	.270	.363	62	47	81	0	3 Cir.	0	0	0
Tuesday,	5	.296	.327	.365	79	57	75	0	0	7 Cir. Cu.	0	1
Wedn'day,	6	.297	.325	.282	83	60	67	2 Cir.	3 Cir.	0	0	3
Thursday,	7	.258	.343	.363	71	57	81	0	0	0	0	0
Friday,	8	.260	.393	.393	77	59	81	0	0	0	0	0
Saturday,	9	.296	.449	.487	79	52	94	0	0	0	0	0

Total amount of water for the week..... .00 inch.
Duration for the week 0 hours, 00 minutes.

DANIEL DRAPER, Ph. D., Director.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

Statement of all Suits for Penalties for Violations of the Sanitary Code, finally disposed of in the Civil and Criminal Courts, for the Week ending October 2, 1886.

Number of Order.	DATE OF ISSUE OF ORDER.	DATE OF SERVICE OF SUMMONS.	DATE OF ATTORNEY'S NOTICE.	LOCATION.	DEFENDANT.	ADDRESS.	OWNER, AGENT, OR LESSEE.	SUBJECT OF COMPLAINT, ORDER OR OFFENSE CHARGED.	NATURE OF ACTION, CIVIL OR CRIMINAL.	SECTION OF SANITARY CODE VIOLATED.	SECTION OF CON-SOLIDATION ACT VIOLATED.	No. of Inspec-tions on Order.	RESULT OF TRIAL.	REASONS OF ACQUIT-TAL OR DISCHARGE.	NAME OF COURT.	Amount of Judgment.	Amount Collected.	Dismissed by Court.	Consent of At-torney to Discontinue.	REASONS THEREFOR.	Execution Issued.	REASON WHY EXECUTION IS NOT ISSUED.	DATE OF ARREST.	REMARKS.
7553	1886, July 15	" 16	1886, Aug. 9	225 East 103d st.....	John Heins.....	216 Broome st.....	Owner.....	{Water-closet to be reset, and name and address of owner posted.}	Civil.....	92	.....	2	Judge's forpl't.	.....	Third Dist. Court	\$59 50	None	.....	.....	.....	No	{Def't not notified.}	.....	Order partly complied with.
7601	" 16	" 16	" 18	294 Delancey st.....	Morris Singer.....	53 Walker st.....	"	{Water-closet to be flush-ed, bell trap provided.}	"	92	.....	2	"	.....	"	59 50	"	.....	.....	.....	"	"	.....	"
8597	Aug. 6	" 19	" 18	67 and 69 Forsyth st..	James B. Brady.....	1552 Broadway.....	"	{Roof of school sink house to be repaired, name, etc., of owner not posted.}	"	92	.....	2	"	.....	"	59 50	"	.....	.....	.....	"	"	.....	"
7821	July 21	" 20	" 18	76 Goerck st.....	James Farrell.....	243 Henry st.....	"	{School sink required, etc.}	"	266	.....	2	"	.....	"	59 50	"	.....	.....	.....	"	"	.....	"
9234	Aug. 21	" 21	Sept. 7	315 East 32d st.....	Maurice F. Holloway.	Pier 20, N. R.....	"	{Hopper-closets, etc.}	"	266	.....	1	"	.....	"	59 50	"	.....	.....	.....	"	"	.....	"
9218	" 21	" 21	Aug. 30	46, 48 and 50 First st.	John Kupp.....	84 East 3d st.....	"	{Portable receptacles to be provided.}	"	95	.....	2	"	.....	"	59 50	"	.....	.....	.....	"	"	.....	"

Executions were issued in Cases Nos. 2075 and 2093, previously reported on Orders Nos. 8454 and 6877.

The judgment of \$59.50, in Case No. 1674, against Henry Hart, and interest, etc., amounting to \$60.25, was collected through the Sheriff, October 1, 1886.

The sum of \$55 was received from Solomon Jacobs, in payment of costs on discontinuing an action in the Superior Court against him for an injunction for violation of the tenement-house law, the violation having been removed.

Statistics in the Attorney's Weekly Report to the Board of Health not included in the above statement. Besides the ordinary office work, there were 33 Suits begun, 198 Attorney's Notices issued, 99 Nuisances abated, Executions were issued in 2 cases, and 5 Arrests made.

Respectfully submitted,

W. P. PRENTICE, Attorney and Counsel.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the owners of property on both sides of the Eleventh avenue, from Seventieth to Seventy-second street, to extend the line of their sidewalks outwardly so as to conform to the width of the sidewalks on said Eleventh avenue north of Seventy-second street, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work done at their 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, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Nelson & Co. to lay a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone across Cortlandt street, opposite No. 13, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Ninety-fifth street, between First and Third avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That an iron drinking-fountain (for man and beast) be placed in front of No. 962 Tremont avenue, corner of Franklin avenue, Fairmount, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to James Reilly to place and keep a watering-trough on the Kingsbridge road, at Spuyten Duyvil, at what is known as Reilly's Bridge, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Fox & Kelly to lay a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone across Broadway, on south side of Ninth street, the work to be done at their 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, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to John H. Steinmetz to set curb, gutter, and flag in front of his property, south side of Eighty-fifth street, commencing one hundred feet west of Eighth avenue, running westerly two hundred feet, the work done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Board of Education to regulate, grade, curb, and flag in front of their property in One Hundred and Twentieth street, south side, commencing one hundred and seventy-five feet west of Sixth avenue, and running west one hundred and twenty-five feet, the work done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That Ninety-fifth street, from the crosswalk on the westerly side of Second avenue to the crosswalk on the easterly side of Third avenue, be regulated and paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid where required and not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in Sixth avenue, in continuation of the present pipes in said avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That Gansevoort street, from Washington street to its intersection at Thirteenth street and West Fourth street, and Thirteenth street, from West Fourth street to Eighth avenue, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set and reset, flagging laid and relaid and paved with Belgian trap-block pavement where not already done, in accordance with the plan for widening said streets confirmed September 18, 1885, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That an additional course of flagging, four feet in width, be laid on the west side of the Grand Boulevard, from Sixty-first to Sixty-third street, and the present flagging be relaid on the established grade, where not already so laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That the carriageway of Eightieth street, from the crosswalk on the westerly side of Ninth avenue to the crosswalk on the easterly side of Tenth avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. W. Smith to erect a temporary booth, about four feet square, on Thirteenth avenue corner of Twenty-fourth street, to be used for shelter in connection with the scale now located there, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 29, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 4, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Chambers Street and Cross-town Railroad Company to erect a starter's box four feet square and seven feet high at the foot of James Slip, for protection during inclement weather, the work done at their 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, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 6, 1886.

Resolved, That the carriageway of the Eleventh avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to the intersection thereof with the Kingsbridge road, be established of the width of seventy feet, as provided by the resolution and ordinance of January 5, 1886, and that the said carriageway be paved with macadamized pavement, and that the curb and gutter stones and receiving-basins now set in the said avenue be removed and reset in such manner as to conform to this ordinance and to the plan of the regulation and improvement of the said avenue as amended by the ordinance of January 5, 1886, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 22, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 6, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Peter Beyer to erect a drinking-fountain, for man and beast, in front of his premises, No. 178 South street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 29, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, October 6, 1886.

Resolved, That the name of Charles E. Mathews, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read Charles H. Mathews.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Constantine Feretto to keep a stand for the sale of fruit, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 55 College place; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1886.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 22, 1886, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1886, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted on Edgecomb avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1886.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 22, 1886, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1886, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Walnut street, from Central avenue to McComb's Dam road, and in McComb's Dam road, from its intersection with Central avenue to Featherbed lane, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1886.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 22, 1886, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1886, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That three lamp-posts be erected and boulevard lamps placed thereon and lighted in front of German Lutheran Church on Lexington avenue, corner of Eighty-eighth street, two of said lamps to be placed in front of the main entrance, and one in front of the rear entrance, all on Lexington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1886.
Received from his Honor the Mayor, September 22, 1886, with his objections thereto.
In Board of Aldermen, October 6, 1886, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from Willis avenue to Brown place, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 8, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, September 25, 1886.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 7, 1886.

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

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, December 31, 1885.

In pursuance of the ordinance, approved April 30, 1877, and amended June 1, 1877, entitled, "An ordinance to prevent the danger of hydrophobia to any of the inhabitants of the City of New York," notice is hereby given that all Dogs found at large in the City of New York on and after January 1, contrary to such ordinance, will be seized and disposed of as provided therein.
The Dog Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, is hereby designated as the place where dogs so captured must be delivered to the Keeper thereof. The Pound will be open from eight o'clock A. M. until five o'clock P. M. daily, Sundays excepted, on and after the first day of January, 1886.

WM. R. GRACE,
Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council

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

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT**Comptroller's Office.**

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
GEORGE W. McLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
—, City Paymaster

LAW DEPARTMENT.**Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.**

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.**Central Office.**

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, CORONERS; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.**Central Office.**

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

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERV, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'ONCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

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

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER SHALES, 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.
HENRY R. BECKMAN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMBERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

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

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.
NOAH DAVIS, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, JOSEPH P. McDONOUGH, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court. Terms, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

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

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturday.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.

MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.
Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.
Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.

ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.
Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 135 Clinton street.

JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.
Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighteenth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.

WILLIAM H. KELLY, Justice.
Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, No. 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays) and continues to the close of business.

AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.
Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.

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

HENRY P. McGOWN, Justice.
Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9½ A. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.

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

LEO C. DESSAR, Justice.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," NORTH RIVER, BATTERY PLACE,
NEW YORK, October 12, 1886.

NOTICE.

THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, BY MESSRS.
Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, will sell at public auction, on Saturday, the 23d day of October, 1886, at 11 o'clock A. M., at Pier 44, foot of Rutgers Slip, East river, the small frame building located on a platform on the inner end of the southerly side of said Pier 44, East river. The platform will not be sold.

Terms, cash, at time of sale. The said building to be removed by the purchaser within ten days.

L. J. N. STARK,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
JOSEPH KOCH,
Commissioners of Docks.

JURORS.**NOTICE**

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY
Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: 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

ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEET-
ing of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 280 Broadway (Stewart Building), on Friday, October 15, 1886, at 2 o'clock, P. M.

DANIEL LORD, JR.,
ALLAN CAMPBELL,
JOSEPH GARRY,
JOHN W. MARSHALL,
Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Friday, October 23, 1886, and until 4 o'clock P. M. on said day, for a new Steam Boiler, Repairs, etc., to Heating Apparatus for Grammar School Building No. 3, corner of Hudson and Grove streets.

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

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, 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 or antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

CHARLES S. WRIGHT,
GEORGE E. HORNE,
JAMES A. SEAMAN,
E. M. L. EHLERS,
E. J. TINSDALE,

Board of School Trustees, Ninth Ward.

Dated New York, October 14, 1886.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, October 13, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS
Department with the following articles:

300,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.

50,000 pounds good, clean Rye Straw.

3,000 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

1,500 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag.

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, October 27, 1886, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

All of the articles are to be delivered at the various houses of the Department in such quantities and at such times as may be directed.

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

The form of the agreement with 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.

Proposals must include all the items, specifying the price per cwt. for hay and straw, and per bag for oats and bran.

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

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 above 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 supply 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

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, October 11, 1886.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIX
(6) horses (numbered 111, 113, 190, 254, 231 and
313), will be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder,
for cash, on Tuesday, October 19, 1886, at 12 o'clock M.,
by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at Nos. 110 and
112 East Thirteenth street.

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

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

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

By order of
HENRY D. PURROY, President.
RICHARD CROKER,
ELWARD SMITH,
Commissioners.
CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

ARMORY BOARD COMMISSIONERS.

TO CONTRACTORS.

ARMORY BOARD—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 6, 1886.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PAV-
ING, CURBING AND GUTTERING THE
STREETS AROUND THE ARMORY
BUILDING AT NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-
FIRST AND SIXTY-SECOND STREETS.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PAVING,
Curbing and Guttering the streets around the
Armory Building, at Ninth Avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-
second streets, County and City of New York, will be
received by the Armory Board at the office of the Secretary,
M. Coleman, Tax Office, Staats Zeitung Building,
until 2 o'clock P. M., of October 19, 1886, at which
time they will be publicly opened and read by said
Board at the Mayor's office, City Hall.

Any person making an estimate for the above work
shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the Presi-
dent of said Armory Board, indorsed, "Estimate for
Paving, Curbing and Guttering Work of the Armory
Building, at Ninth Avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second
streets," and also with the name of the person or persons
presenting the same, and the date of its presentation.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be en-
gaged 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 sum of \$1,500.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal ex-
amination of the location of the proposed work, and by
such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy
of the estimate, and shall not at any time after the sub-
mission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the state-
ment of quantities, nor assert that there was any misun-
derstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work
to be done.

2d. Bidders will be required to complete the entire
work to the satisfaction of the Armory Board, and in
substantial accordance with the specifications of the con-
tract and the plans therein referred to. No extra com-
pensation beyond the amount payable for the work before
mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the
prices therefor to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall
be due or payable for the entire work.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the
whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the
approved form of contract 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
incident 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 so to do
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 estimate 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 col-
lusion 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 Corpora-
tion, 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 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 or persons making the estimate, they will, on
its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sure-
ties 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 or the Armory Board 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
and stated in the proposals, 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 him-
self as surety in good faith, and with the intention to ex-
ecute the bond required by law. The adequacy and suffi-
ciency of the security offered is to be approved 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 ac-
companied by either a certified check upon one of the State
or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the
order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five
per centum of the amount of the security required for the
faithful performance of the contract. Such check or

money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope con-
taining the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or
clerk of the Board 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 success-
ful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after
notice that the contract has been awarded to him to ex-
ecute 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 afore-
said, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by
the Comptroller.

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 other-
wise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates,
to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the Board
a copy of which, together with the form of the agree-
ment, including specifications, and showing the manner
of payment for the work, can be obtained upon applica-
tion therefor at the office of the architect, James E.
Ware, No. 239 Broadway.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all esti-
mates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.
Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank
forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the
architect, at his office, No. 239 Broadway, New York.

WILLIAM R. GRACE,
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
BRIG. GEN. J. NEWTON,
COL. EMMONS CLARK,
Commissioners.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street
Opening and Improvement of the City of New York,
for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Com-
monalty of the City of New York, relative to the
opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-
FOURTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to the bulk-
head line of the Harlem river, in the Twelfth Ward of
the City of New York.

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 12th day of No-
vember, 1886, 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 Assess-
ment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and ex-
tent of the improvement hereby intended, is the acqui-
sition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor,
Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York,
for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises,
with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto
belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or
avenue known as One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street,
from Eighth avenue to the bulkhead line of the Harlem
river, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York,
being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of
land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eighth
avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from the
northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-third street;
thence easterly and parallel with said street 775 feet to
the westerly line of Seventh avenue; thence northerly
along said line 60 feet; thence westerly 775 feet to the
easterly line of Eighth avenue; thence southerly along
said line 60 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the easterly line of
Seventh avenue, distant 199 feet 10 inches northerly from
the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-third street;
thence easterly and parallel with said street 108 feet to
the bulkhead line, Harlem river; thence northerly along
said line 73 feet 3 3/4 inches; thence westerly 66 feet 2 1/2
inches to the easterly line of Seventh avenue; thence
southerly along said line 60 feet to the point or place of
beginning.

Said street to be 60 feet wide between the lines of
Eighth avenue and bulkhead line, Harlem river.

Dated New York, October 2, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street
Opening and Improvement of the City of New York,
for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Com-
monalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring
title wherever the same has not been heretofore ac-
quired to that portion of LIND AVENUE (although
not yet named by proper authority), extending from
Wolf street to Devoe street, in the Twenty-third Ward
of the City of New York, as the same has been hereto-
fore laid out and designated as a first-class street or
road by the Department of Public Parks.

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 29th day of October,
1886, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon
thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appoint-
ment of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter.
The nature and extent of the improvement hereby in-
tended, is the acquisition of title, in the name and on
behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the
City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the
lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the
appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening
of a certain street or avenue, known as Lind Avenue,
from Wolf street to Devoe street, in the Twenty-third
Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been
heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street
or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the
following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point (the intersection of the southern
line of Wolf street and the western line of Lind Avenue),
distant 2,554 3/4 feet easterly from the eastern line of
Tenth Avenue, measured at right angles to the same from
a point 4,064 feet northerly from the southeastern corner
of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street and Tenth Avenue.
1. Thence southerly, along a line whose direction
is 8° 21' 51" westerly of that of the east line of Tenth
Avenue, for 946 2/3 feet.
2. Thence deflecting to the left 14° 08' 15.6" south-
westerly for 433 3/4 feet.
3. Thence deflecting to the left 125° northeasterly for
61 1/2 feet.
4. Thence deflecting to the left 55° northeasterly for
392 1/2 feet.
5. Thence deflecting to the right 14° 08' 15.6" north-
easterly for 908 3/4 feet.
6. Thence deflecting to the left 57° 59' 48.7" northerly
for 58 3/4 feet, to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commis-
sioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the office
of the Register of the City and County of New York,
in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New
York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, September 29, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street
Opening and Improvement of the City of New York,
for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Com-
monalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring
title, wherever the same has not been heretofore ac-
quired, to that part of COURTLANDT AVENUE
(although not yet named by proper authority), ex-
tending from the southerly side of East One Hun-
dred and Forty-eighth street to the northerly side of
East One Hundred and Sixty-third street, in the
Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the
same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a
first-class street or road by the Department of
Public Parks.

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 29th day of October, 1886, 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, for the use of the
public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings
thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, re-
quired for the opening of a certain street or avenue,
known as Courtlandt Avenue, from the southerly side
of East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street to the north-
erly side of East One Hundred and Sixty-third street,
in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as
the same has been heretofore laid out and designated
as a first-class street or road by the Department of
Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces
or parcels of land, viz:

PARCEL "A."

Beginning at a point in the southern line of East One
Hundred and Forty-ninth street, distant 455 1/2 feet
northwesterly from the intersection of the southern line
of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street with the
western line of Third Avenue.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of
East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street for 60 feet;
2d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 89° 38' 30" to the
left for 263 feet;
3d. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90° 21' 30" to the
left for 60 feet;
4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 89° 38' 30" to the
left for 263 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "B."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One
Hundred and Forty-ninth street, distant 497 1/2 feet
northwesterly from the intersection of the northern line
of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street with the
western line of Third Avenue.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of
East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street for 60 feet;
2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 90° 21' 30" to the
right for 1,768 3/4 feet;
3d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 4° 02' 54" to the
right for 50 3/4 feet;
4th. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 1° 08' 04" to the
left for 1,298 3/4 feet to the southern line of East One
Hundred and Sixty-first street;
5th. Thence southeasterly along the southern line of
East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 60 feet;
6th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 90° to the right
for 1,295 3/4 feet;
7th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 1° 13' 48" to the
right for 50 3/4 feet;
8th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 4° 08' 38" to the
left for 1,768 3/4 feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL "C."

Beginning at a point in the northern line of East One
Hundred and Sixty-first street, distant 1,223 3/4 feet
northwesterly from the intersection of the northern line
of East One Hundred and Sixty-first street with the
western line of Washington Avenue.

1st. Thence northwesterly along the northern line of
East One Hundred and Sixty-first street for 56 3/4 feet;
2d. Thence northeasterly, deflecting 117° 46' 40" to the
right for 573 1/2 feet;
3d. Thence southeasterly, deflecting 63° 18' 20" to the
right for 35 1/2 feet;
4th. Thence southwesterly, deflecting 116° 41' 40" to
the right for 572 3/4 feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain Maps filed by the Commis-
sioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the Office
of the Register of the City and County of New York, in
the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of New
York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, September 30, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation,
No. 2 Tryon Row, New York City.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

On October 27, 1886, at 11 o'clock A. M., the Depart-
ment of Public Charities and Correction will sell at public
auction at the Dock of the Commissioners of Public
Charities and Correction, foot of Twenty-sixth street,
East River, by J. H. Draper, Auctioneer, the steamer
"Bellevue," her machinery and all belongings.

The "Bellevue" is a side-wheel steamer of 261 and
80-100 tons, built in Brooklyn in 1865, re-built in 1880,
engines vertical beam, 32 inches in diameter of cylinder,
and 6 inch stroke, built by Thomas Murphy & Company.
The hull is coppered in parts. The vessel may be ex-
amined at the foot of Twenty-sixth street, East River,
at any hour of the day, and will be sold as she now lies.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent. of the purchase-money will be required
to be paid at the time and place of sale, and the residue
will be required to be paid upon the day following, when
the vessel will be ready for delivery. The purchase-
money must be paid in cash or in a certified check upon
one of the State or National Banks. The purchaser
must take possession of the vessel within five days from
the date of sale. The biddings will be kept open after
the property is struck down, and in case any purchaser
or purchasers shall fail to comply with any of the above
conditions of sale, the vessel will be again put up for sale
under these terms of sale, and such purchaser will be held
liable for any deficiency there may be between the sum
for which the said vessel shall be struck down upon the
sale and that for which it may be purchased on the re-
sale.

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

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

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Bellevue Hospi-
tal—Unknown man; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 8
inches high; gray hair and mustache, gray eyes. Had
on black coat, brown mixed coat and vest, gray pants,
knit undershirt, white check jumper, white cotton socks,
gaiters.

Unknown man, from Chatham and Doyer streets;
aged about 45 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair,
blue eyes, light brown mustache mixed with gray,
brown imperial. Had on dark mixed sack coat, dark

vest and pants, muslin shirt, white cotton socks, gaiters,
black derby hat.

Unknown man from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth
street and Harlem river; aged about 50 years; 5 feet 8
inches high; gray hair, blue eyes. Had on dark coat and
pants, brown hickory shirt, white knit drawers, gray
socks, gaiters.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Owen McBride;
aged 45 years. Committed September 13, 1886.
Enos Miller; aged 56 years. Committed September
4, 1886.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Margaret
Chatterton; aged about 47 years; 4 feet 9 1/2 inches
high; gray hair, blue eyes.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Johann
Oldenburg; aged 32 years; brown hair and eyes; 5
feet 6 inches high. Had on when admitted blue frock
coat, blue pants and vest, slippers, black derby hat.

Eliza Walters; aged 45 years; 5 feet 5 inches high;
blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted black
skirt, blue check calico sacque, dark check shawl.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY
GOODS, WOODENWARE, HARD-
WARE, LEATHER, LIME AND CE-
MENT.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISH-
ing

GROCERIES.

7,783 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition
Thursday, October 21, 1886.

1,000 pounds Cheese.
1,000 pounds Dried Apples.
3,000 pounds Barley, price to include packages.
500 pounds Cocoa.
3,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
1,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.
200 pounds Dried Currants.
1,500 pounds Chicory.
200 pounds Farina.
3,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.
2,600 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.
500 pounds Macaroni.
3,000 pounds Prunes.
5,000 pounds Rice.
15,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
2,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
2,000 pounds Granulated Sugar.
3,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
100 bushels Beans.
100 bushels Rye.
10 dozen Gelatine.
20 dozen Gherkins.
20 dozen Canned Corn.
20 dozen Canned Peaches.
20 dozen Worcestershire Sauce.
2 cases Sardines, "halves."

2,607 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
10 barrels prime quality Large Shore No. 2 Mack-
erel, 200 pounds net each.
16,000 pounds Brown Soap.
30 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average
about 6 pounds each.
50 prime City Cured Smoked Hams, to average
about 14 pounds each.
20 prime City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average
about 6 pounds each.
604 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168
pounds net per barrel.
50 barrels Prime Red Onions.
300 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.
100 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.
50 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.
40 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.

DRY GOODS.

450 yards Red Bunting, 12 inches.
400 yards White Bunting, 12 inches.
240 yards Blue Bunting, 12 inches.
200 gross Cotton Laces.
300 pounds pure S. A. Curled Hair.
200 Women's Shawls.
450 Women's Woolen Hoods.
700 yards Seersucker.
200 B. F. Blouses.

WOODENWARE, ETC.

300 pounds Sash Cord.
24 dozen Bath Brick.
100 pounds Broom Twine.
100 pounds Sail Twine.
10 coils Manila Rope, first quality, 9-thread.
10 bales Broom Corn.

LEATHER.

210 sides Good Damaged Sole Leather, to average
about 22 to 25 pounds.
200 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to
average about 17 feet.
200 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to
average about 11 feet.
1,000 pounds Offal Leather.

LIME AND CEMENT.

45 barrels best quality Rosendale Cement.
10 barrels best quality Portland Cement.
20 barrels best quality Common Lime.
10 barrels best quality Plaster of Paris.
15 barrels Chloride of Lime, containing not less
than 32 per cent. of chloride.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities
and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock
A. M. of Friday, October 22, 1886. The person or per-
sons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in
a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groc-
eries, Dry Goods, Woodenware, Leather and Lime
and Cement," with his or their name or names, and the
date of presentation, to the head of said Department,
at the said office, on or before the day and hour above
named, at which time and place the bids or estimates
received will be publicly opened by the President of said
Department and read.

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name
and place of residence of each of the persons making the
same; the names of all persons interested with him or
them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it
shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without
any connection with any other person making an estimate
for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and with-
out collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Com-
mon Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau,
Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the

Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to 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.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples 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, 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, October 11, 1886.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

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

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1886, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, at the Corporation Yard, foot of Rivington street, East river, the following, viz.:

50 to 60 tons Old Iron (Manhole Heads, Covers, etc.)
2,500 pieces 6-inch Straight Pipe.

TERMS OF SALE.

The purchaser must remove the material purchased from the yard within ten days from date of the sale, otherwise he will forfeit the same, together with all moneys paid therefor.

Purchase-money to be paid in bankable funds at the time and place of sale.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, October 11, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Monday, October 25, 1886, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for the following:

No. 1. SEWER IN LEXINGTON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Twenty-second and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets.

No. 2. EXTENSION OF SEWER AT FOOT OF RECTOR STREET, HUDSON RIVER, with alteration and improvement to existing sewer.

No. 3. OUTLET SEWER THROUGH PIER 29, EAST RIVER, with alteration and improvement to existing sewer at foot of Roosevelt street.

No. 4. REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, the names of all persons interested with him therein, and if no other person

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

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
BUREAU OF WATER REGISTER,
No. 31 CHAMBERS ST., ROOM 2,
NEW YORK, October 18, 1886.

CROTON WATER RENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ACCORDING to law, ten per cent. additional will be added on the first of November next on all unpaid Croton water rates.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 29, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING ANY BUSINESS IN THIS Department which is not assigned to or transacted by the several Bureaus in the Department, and which should come under the immediate notice of the Commissioner of Public Works, are requested to communicate directly in person, or by letter, with the Commissioner.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 2228, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones and flagging in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Elton to Courtland avenue.

List 2235, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curb and flagging Eighty-eighth street, from Tenth to Riverside avenue.

List 2243, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curb and flagging Lincoln avenue, from Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Elton to Courtland avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Eighty-eighth street, from Tenth to Riverside avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Lincoln avenue, from Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 2d day of November, 1886.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 1, 1886.

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

List 2188, No. 1. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, with branches in said new avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.

List 2247, No. 2. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Fiftieth street, between Brook and Courtland avenues,

with branches in North Third avenue and Bergen avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-ninth street and Westchester avenue.

List 2253, No. 3. Paving with trap blocks, East One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from North Third avenue to Alexander avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets, and both sides of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and said new avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of Westchester avenue and both sides of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from Brook to Courtland avenue; both sides of Bergen avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth street to Westchester avenue; both sides of North Third avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-ninth to One Hundred and Fiftieth street, and east side of Courtland avenue, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from North Third avenue to Alexander avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 25th day of October, 1886.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, September 22, 1886.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR \$500,000 DOCK BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

EXEMPT FROM CITY AND COUNTY TAXATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, until Tuesday, the 10th day of October, 1886, at 2 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened by the Comptroller, in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, for the whole or any part of the following bonds of the City of New York, to wit:

DOCK BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, authorized by section 143, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for \$500,000.

Said bonds will bear interest at the rate of Three per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of May and November in each year, and the principal sum will be payable November 1, 1916.

The said bonds will be issued as Registered Bonds, redeemable in lawful money of the United States of America, and will be

EXEMPT FROM TAXATION BY THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK,

but not from taxation for State purposes, under an ordinance of the Common Council, approved by the Mayor October 2, 1880, and a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, adopted February 1, 1884, as provided by section 137, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Section 146, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, provides that "The Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine what, if any, part of said proposals shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law"; and also, "that no proposals for bonds or stocks shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of bonds awarded to them at their par value, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

The proposals should be inclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Dock Bonds of the City of New York," and each proposal should also be inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, October 5, 1886.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, Oct. 4, 1886.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS of Real Estate, Personal Property and Bank Stock in the City and County of New York for the year 1886, and the warrants for the collection of taxes have been delivered to the undersigned, and that the taxes on said Assessment Rolls are now due and payable at this office.

In case of payment on or before the first day of November next, the person so paying shall be entitled to the benefits mentioned in section 442 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, viz., a reduction of interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum between the day of such payment and the first day of December next.

GEORGE W. MCLEAN,
Receiver of Taxes.

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

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Ninth avenue regulating and grading, from One Hundred and Fifty-first to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

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

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

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

Eighty-second street paving, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

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

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

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

Eighty-sixth street sewers, between Tenth and Riverside avenues.

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

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

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due November 1, 1886, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from September 24, to November 1, 1886.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, September 17, 1886.

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

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

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

That the respective owners of all lands and tenements situated in the Wards Nos. 1 to 24, inclusive, in the City of New York, on which taxes have been laid and confirmed for the years 1880, 1881 and 1882, and are now remaining due and unpaid; and also the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York, situated in the Wards aforesaid, on which the regular Croton water rents have been laid for the years 1879, 1880 and 1881, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to pay the said taxes and Croton water rents so remaining due and unpaid, with the interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, from the time when the same became due to the time of payment, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at his office in the Finance Department, in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street, in said city.

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

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

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

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.

Grantors, 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, 25 volumes, bound 10 00
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell Room 23, Stewart Building."

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO section 1839 of chapter 410, of the Laws of 1882, entitled "An act to consolidate into one act, and to declare the special and local laws affecting public interests in the City of New York," that at the General Election to be held in this State on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November next, the following municipal officers are to be chosen in the City and County of New York, to wit:

A Mayor, in the place of William R. Grace.
A President of the Board of Aldermen, in the place of Robert B. Nooney.

Twenty-four Aldermen, one of whom shall be elected in the territory embraced in each Assembly District as the same existed on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-two.

A Register, in the place of John Reilly.

A Justice of the Supreme Court, in the place of Noah Davis.

A Judge of the Superior Court, in the place of Hooper C. Van Vorst.

Twenty-four Members of Assembly, one of whom shall be elected in each of the Assembly Districts as now established by law.

Dated New York, October 4, 1886.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk of the Common Council.