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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

STATED MEETING.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

FRIDAY, May 27, 1887, }
1 o'clock P. M. }

The Board met in their chamber, room 16, City Hall.

PRESENT :

Hon. Henry R. Beekman, President ;

ALDERMEN

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| Patrick Divver, Vice-President, | James E. Fitzgerald, Cornelius Flynn, Christian Goetz, Philip Holland, Gustav Menninger, James J. Mooney, John Murray, | Joseph Murray, Patrick N. Oakley, Charles P. Sanford, Matthew Smith, William Tait, James T. Van Rensselaer, William H. Walker. |
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The minutes of the meeting of May 24 were read and approved.

PETITIONS.

By Alderman Mooney—
Petition of the North New York Electric Light Company, as follows :

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of New York :

The North New York Lighting Company respectfully petitions your Honorable Body to pass the accompanying resolution.

This company was organized on or about the 25th day of March, 1887, under the laws of this State, for the purpose of manufacturing and using electricity for producing light, heat or power, and using electricity as a means of lighting streets, avenues, public parks and places and public and private dwellings.

The capital stock of the company is one hundred and fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000), all of which has been paid in.

The officers of the company are as follows :

Mr. Jordan L. Mott, Jr., President.
Mr. Thornton N. Motley, Secretary and Treasurer.

The offices of the company are on Third avenue near One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street (and No. 26 Liberty street), where the company has leased the necessary grounds upon which are now being constructed the necessary buildings for the plant of the company.

The Company has from the Subway Commissioners, and from the Department of Public Works, permits for the erection of poles, a large number of which have been and are now being erected, and there are electric-lights in actual operation in the Twenty-third Ward of this city, being supplied by this company.

The system of electric lighting adopted by this company is the well-known and successful Thomson-Houston system.

Your Honorable Body is earnestly requested to pass the accompanying resolution, in order that this company may have, without question, a status before the Gas Commission, in order to bid for public lighting in all parts of this city, in competition with other companies, and also in order that this company may have privileges to supply private lighting equal to those enjoyed by other companies, which have received the sanction of your Honorable Body.

This company is solvent and has at its command all the capital and business arrangements necessary for the establishment of electric lighting plants throughout the city, to meet any requirements under the terms and purposes of its organization.

Dated, NEW YORK CITY, May 27, 1887.

THORNTON N. MOTLEY, Secretary.

In connection with the foregoing, Alderman Mooney presented the following resolution :

Resolved, That permission and authority are hereby given and granted unto the North New York Lighting Company, its successors and assigns, to place, construct and use wires, conduits and conductors for electrical purposes, in the City of New York, and over and under the streets, avenues, wharves and piers therein or adjacent thereto, according to such plans as may be directed, approved or allowed by and subject to the powers of the Electrical Subway Commissioners, and to the provisions of chapter 499 of the Laws of 1885, and under the supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works and of the Department of Public Parks, within their respective territorial jurisdictions, and subject also to all existing ordinances applicable thereto, and to all reasonable regulations of the privilege hereby conferred, which the Common Council may hereafter impose by ordinance or otherwise.

Resolved, That, as compensation for the privilege hereby granted, the said North New York Lighting Company shall furnish, maintain and light in the streets or avenues occupied by the said company, free of any charge to the city for maintenance or otherwise, and at such place or places as may be determined by the Board of Street Lighting, one standard candle-power street electric arc-light, of power equal to the average required at the time in contracts with the city for such street electric lights for every fifty arc-lights furnished by said company to other consumers, and shall make return under oath of the number of such private arc-lights whenever required by the said Board of Street Lighting ; but for any permit to open the streets, pavement or sidewalks, for the purpose of laying conductors for the operation of incandescent or other than arc-electric lights, said company shall pay to the city a sum equal to one cent per lineal foot of streets occupied under such permit.

SPECIAL ORDER.

The President here announced that the consideration of the special order of the day was now in order, being a report of a majority of the Committee on Lamps and Gas, with resolutions in favor of granting permission to certain electric light companies to lay tubes, insulators, erect poles, string wires, etc., in the streets of the city, as follows :

Resolved, That permission and authority are hereby given and granted unto the Waterhouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, The American Electric Manufacturing Company, The Ball Electrical Illuminating Company, The Mt. Morris Electric Light Company and The Harlem Lighting Company to locate and erect poles and hang wires and fixtures thereon, and to place, construct and use wires, conduits, and conductors for electrical purposes, in the City of New

York, in, over and under the streets, avenues, wharves, piers and parks therein, or adjacent thereto, according to such plans, as may be directed, approved or allowed by and subject to the powers of the Electrical Subway Commissioners, and to the provisions of chapter 499 of the Laws of 1885, and under the supervision of the Commissioner of Public Works and of the Department of Public Parks, within their respective territorial jurisdictions, and subject also to all existing ordinances applicable thereto, and to all reasonable regulations of the privilege hereby conferred, which the Common Council may hereafter impose by ordinance or otherwise.

Resolved, That, as compensation for the privilege hereby granted, the said companies shall furnish, maintain and light in the streets or avenues occupied by the said company, free of any charge to the City for maintenance or otherwise, and at such place or places as may be determined by the Board of Street Lighting, one full arc light of power equal to the average required at the time, in contracts with the city, for such electric lights for every fifty arc lights furnished by said companies to other consumers, and shall make return under oath of the number of such private arc lights whenever required by the said Board of Street Lighting ; but for any permit to open the streets, pavements, or sidewalks, for the purpose of laying conductors for the operation of incandescent or other than arc electric lights, said companies shall pay to the city a sum equal to one cent per lineal foot of streets occupied under such permit.

Alderman Mooney moved to amend by inserting "The North New York Lighting Co." among the list of companies.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Flynn moved to amend by inserting "and all other companies now in existence."

Alderman Dowling moved further to amend by inserting the following companies : "The Mutual Electric Illuminating Company" and the "Citizens' Freeman Electric Light Company."

Alderman Mooney moved to recommit the whole subject to the Committee on Lamps and Gas, with instructions to confer with the Commission for Lighting the City with a view of providing safeguards for the public, equally with the city, and to report at the next meeting of the Board.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Alderman Van Rensselaer, as follows :

Affirmative—Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Bennett, Cowie, Dowling, Ficke, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Menninger, Mooney, Joseph Murray, Oakley, and Tait—13.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Farrell, Fitzgerald, John Murray, Sanford, Smith, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—9.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By the Vice-President—

Resolved, That the Commission for Lighting the City be and they are hereby respectfully requested to contract for lighting the entire city with electric lights, instead of gas.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

By Alderman Walker—

Resolved, That the petitions of the several electric light companies be granted, providing said companies agree to furnish electric-light to private consumers at a rate not exceeding thirty-five cents per light.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

REPORTS.

(G. O. 288.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying a crosswalk across Avenue A, at Seventy-second street, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid across Avenue A, on a line parallel with and within the lines of the sidewalk on the north side of Seventy-second street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of."

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| WILLIAM FICKE, ALFRED R. CONKLING, PATRICK N. OAKLEY, HENRY R. BEEKMAN, | } Committee on Street Pavements. |
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Which was laid over.

(G. O. 289.)

The Committee on Street Pavements, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of flagging the sidewalks on Fourth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets, full width, respectfully

REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary. They therefore recommend that the said resolution and ordinance be adopted.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on the east side of the Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth streets, be flagged full width, where not already so flagged, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

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| WILLIAM FICKE, ALFRED R. CONKLING, PATRICK N. OAKLEY, HENRY R. BEEKMAN, | } Committee on Street Pavements. |
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Which was laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

By the Vice-President—

Whereas, There is no question more intimately identified with the health of our people than that of good and wholesome food, and especially with the poor of our population, who, as a rule, consume only the plainest and most common necessities of life, which afford greater facilities for adulteration, with less liability of detection, than the food usually consumed by our more prosperous and wealthy residents ; and

Whereas, The startling declaration is made, officially, by the President of the "American Society for the Prevention of Adulteration of Food," that "thousands of people suffer and die every year from using adulterated food and drink, and especially vinous and malt liquors. In nearly all the large cities malt and vinous liquors have suffered such sophistication as to produce Bright's disease, and many other afflictions. Upon analysis in the past three years, we have found many of five thousand samples of supplies adulterated or sophisticated. The malt and vinous liquors were found to suffer the most from adulteration, many of the malt liquors being so unwholesome, from drugs and chemicals, as to be totally unfit for consumption, and which would have been publicly destroyed in Germany, were they found on sale there" ; and

Whereas, Existing laws, if enforced, seemingly provide amply for the suppression of food adulteration, and it is therefore incumbent upon the Chief Executive of our City Government to see to it that the subordinate executive officers charged with the preservation of the public health are not remiss in the enforcement of these salutary laws ; be it therefore

Resolved, That the attention of his Honor the Mayor is hereby most respectfully called to the provisions of chapter 407 of the Laws of 1881, and he is hereby earnestly requested to apply his well known and commendable vigor and energy in enforcing the laws, to a suppression of the evils arising from the adulteration of food consumed in this city, by its inhabitants, if it is in his power, or the power of the Board of Health to do so, under the provisions of said act.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Conkling—

Resolved, That the Common Council of the City of New York respectfully request Governor David B. Hill to refrain from signing the bill recently introduced in the Senate by Mr. Murphy, permitting the First Brigade of the National Guard to parade once a year in the Central Park.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor of the State of New York.

Alderman Farrell moved to refer to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.
Which was decided in the negative on a division called by Alderman Sanford, as follows:
Affirmative—Aldermen Dowling, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Mooney, John Murray, Smith, and Walker—10.
Negative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Bennett, Conkling, Cowie, Ficke, Menninger, Joseph Murray, Oakley, Sanford, Tait, and Van Rensselaer—12.
The President put the question whether the Board would agree to adopt said resolution.
Which was decided in the negative on a division called by Alderman Flynn, as follows:
Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Goetz, Sanford, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—7.
Negative—Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Bennett, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Holland, Menninger, Mooney, John Murray, Joseph Murray, Oakley, Smith, and Tait—15.
On motion of Alderman Mooney the above vote was reconsidered, and the paper was laid on the table.

By Alderman Dowling—

Whereas, The practice of pawnbrokers receiving goods as pledges, indiscriminately, from old and young persons alike, without question, is productive of evil, not unmixed with crime, as the facility with which money can be thus obtained has originated and now fosters, among many depraved and evil-disposed children, in many parts of this city, a propensity to steal; and
Whereas, In order to remedy this evil, it is simply necessary only to insert in the existing ordinances relating to pawnbrokers, a provision forbidding any such pawnbroker to receive, or advance or loan money on any goods, wares or merchandise, from any person under sixteen years of age; be it

Ordered by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, as follows:

Section 1. Section 253 of article XXVI. of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880, is hereby amended by adding thereto, at the end thereof, the following: "but no such pawnbroker and loan broker or keeper of a loan office shall take or receive, or cause or allow to be taken or received, or advance or loan money, or cause or allow money to be advanced or loaned, on any goods, article or thing, to any person under sixteen years of age, under a penalty of fifty dollars for every violation of any of the provisions of this section," so that said section, when so amended, shall read as follows:

"Section 253. Every pawnbroker and loan broker or keeper of a loan office shall keep a book in which shall be fairly written, at the time of each loan, an accurate account and description of the goods, article or things pawned or pledged, the amount of money loaned thereon, the time of pledging the same, the rate of interest to be paid on such loan, and the name and residence of the person pawning or pledging the said goods, article or thing, but no such pawnbroker and loan broker or keeper of a loan office shall take or receive, or cause or allow to be taken or received from, or advance or loan money, or cause or allow money to be advanced or loaned on any goods, article or thing to any person under sixteen years of age, under a penalty of fifty dollars for every violation of any of the provisions of this section."

Section 2. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent or conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

By Alderman Holland—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to J. J. Astor to extend the vault in front of premises on the northwest corner of Prince and Mercer streets, in Mercer street, commencing fifty-eight feet three inches from the corner of Prince street (as shown in the accompanying diagram), a distance of four feet beyond the curb-line, provided the said J. J. Astor shall pay the usual fee; that the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that a stipulation be entered into between the said J. J. Astor and the Commissioner of Public Works, to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may occur, caused by the extension of said vault, during the construction, or subsequent to the completion of said extension, the work done at his own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By Alderman Mooney—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain, for man and beast, be placed on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 940 Washington avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the same—

Resolved, That an improved iron drinking-fountain, for man and beast, be placed in Alexander avenue, near the northeast corner of the Southern Boulevard (or One Hundred and Thirty-third street), under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the President—

Resolved, That Eugene E. Morrow be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Bennett—

Resolved, That Morris H. Hayman be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That Robert J. Smack be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Menninger—

Resolved, That Adolph Silverstein be and he is appointed a Commissioner of Deeds for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

By Alderman Walker—

Resolved, That Otto I. Overbauer be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

PETITIONS RESUMED.

By Alderman John Murray—

Petition of the property-owners and residents of Kingsbridge road for macadamizing the roadway from curb to curb.

Which was ordered on file.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Department of Public Works:

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS—COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 25, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—In reference to the inclosed resolution relative to the contract for changing the grade and otherwise improving William street, from Duane to Frankfort street, I beg to say that the contract for said work has been declared abandoned; that new bids were called for and opened on the 19th instant, and that the lowest bid is now before the Comptroller for his approval of the sureties thereon. The work will be proceeded with under the new contract as early as possible.

Very respectfully,

D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Comptroller:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 24, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN—The Comptroller reports that the gross receipts of the Sixth Avenue Railroad Company, for carrying passengers for the month of April, 1887, as appears by the statement under oath of the Treasurer of said Company, received by this Department on the 24th instant, were sixty-five thousand seven hundred and thirteen dollars and thirty cents (\$65,713.30).

Respectfully submitted,

E. V. LOEW, Comptroller.

Which was ordered on file.

The President laid before the Board the following communications from the Counsel to the Corporation:

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, May 25, 1887.

F. J. TWOMEY, Esq., Clerk of the Board of Aldermen:

SIR—In accordance with a request contained in a resolution passed by your Honorable Board on the 10th day of July, 1886, I beg leave to inform you that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of opening East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, from Brook to Elton avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, was confirmed on the 29th day of April, 1887.

The title to the land within the lines of said street is now vested in the City.

Yours respectfully,

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, May 25, 1887.

F. J. TWOMEY, Esq., Clerk of the Board of Aldermen:

SIR—In accordance with a request contained in a resolution passed by your Honorable Board on the 10th day of July, 1886, I beg leave to inform you that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of opening East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Railroad avenue to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, was confirmed on the 6th day of May, 1887.

The title to the land within the lines of said street is now vested in the City.

Yours respectfully,

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

LAW DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE COUNSEL TO THE CORPORATION,
NEW YORK, May 25, 1887.

F. J. TWOMEY, Esq., Clerk of the Board of Aldermen:

SIR—In accordance with a request contained in a resolution passed by your Honorable Board on the 10th day of July, 1886, I beg leave to inform you that the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the matter of opening One Hundred and Fiftieth street, from St. Nicholas avenue to Tenth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, was confirmed on the 13th of May, 1887.

The title to the land within the lines of said street is now vested in the City.

Yours respectfully,

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

Which were severally ordered on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Mooney called up G. O. 273, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That James K. Price be and he is hereby permitted to flag the sidewalk in front of his property, at the southeast corner of Monroe avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-third street, being fifty feet front on said street and one hundred feet front on said avenue, a space four feet in width through or near the centre thereof, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Conkling called up G. O. 272, being a resolution, as follows:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, to repave with Trinidad Asphalt Pavement, at its own expense, the roadways or carriage-ways of Nassau and Liberty and Cedar streets, within the following limits, namely: On Nassau street, from the southerly crosswalk of Cedar street to the northerly crosswalk of Liberty street; on Cedar street, from the easterly crosswalk of Nassau street to a distance of one hundred and ten (110) feet east of the easterly line of Nassau street; on Liberty street, from the easterly crosswalk of Nassau street to a distance of one hundred and twenty (120) feet east of the easterly line of Nassau street; the present stone blocks to be delivered for the use of the Department of Public Works, where required, and the new pavement to be kept in good order, at the expense of the Mutual Life Insurance Company, for the period of five (5) years; the work to be done under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works without any charge to the City; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Conkling called up G. O. 243, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the roadway of Eighty-fifth street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said resolution.

Which was decided in the negative by the following vote:

Affirmative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Holland, Mooney, John Murray, Joseph Murray, Oakley, Sanford, Smith, Tait, and Van Rensselaer—17.

Negative—Alderman Menninger—1.

On motion of Alderman Conkling, the above vote was reconsidered and the paper again laid over.

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS AGAIN RESUMED.

Alderman Oakley moved that this Board do now adjourn.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with said motion.

Which was decided in the affirmative on a division called by Alderman Sanford, as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen Bennett, Dowling, Ficke, Goetz, Holland, Menninger, Mooney, John Murray, Oakley, Tait, and Walker—11.

Negative—The President, Vice-President Divver, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Farrell, Flynn, Joseph Murray, Sanford, Smith, and Van Rensselaer—10.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, May 31, 1887, at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, May 18, 1887, at 3 o'clock P. M.

Present—Commissioners Spencer, Dowd, the Commissioner of Public Works, and Commissioners Baldwin, Barnes, Ridgway and Fish.

Also, Chief Engineer Church and Chief Engineer Birdsall of the Department of Public Works. The minutes of the stated meeting and of the executive session of May 11 were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit, through its Chairman, William Dowd, reported that they had carefully considered the claim of the Chief Engineer for expenses for clerical assistance incurred in the defense before the Examining Engineers, of the charges made by H. S. Craven against the Chief Engineer and the character of the work of construction of the New Croton Aqueduct, and are of the opinion that he should be allowed the sum of \$1,500 for such clerical assistance, and recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Benjamin S. Church, Chief Engineer, be allowed the sum of \$1,500 for expenses for clerical assistance, incurred in the defense before the Board of Examining Engineers, of the charges made by H. S. Craven against the Chief Engineer and the character of the work of construction of the New Croton Aqueduct, and that a proper voucher for the same be certified to the Comptroller for payment.

On motion, the resolution was adopted, Commissioner Fish voting in the negative.

The Committee also reported their examination and audit of bills contained in Vouchers Nos. 2646 to 2660, inclusive, and on motion of Commissioner Dowd the same were approved and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

The Committee on Construction, through its Chairman, Oliver W. Barnes, recommended the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That R. C. Rathbone be and he is hereby promoted from Leveler to Transitman, he being certified as eligible for such promotion by the Civil Service Commission. Adopted.

Whereas, The Chief Engineer has reported to the Committee on Construction that the blasting

in the cut for the Croton Dam gate-house on Smith & Brown's work makes it necessary to timber Shaft Zero on Brown, Howard & Co.'s work; and

Whereas, Said shaft has been completed and paid for; therefore

Resolved, That the Aqueduct Commissioners hereby authorize the doing of extra work in timbering said Shaft Zero to the amount of \$1,000.

Adopted.

Resolved, That in future the contractors on the New Croton Aqueduct may use oil or other burning fluid which is non-explosive and none other, and the Chief Engineer is hereby directed to promulgate this order. Adopted.

A communication was received from J. W. Lewis, dated May 15, tendering his resignation of the position of Inspector of Masonry on the New Aqueduct, and on motion of Commissioner Barnes, the same was accepted.

A communication was received from Oliver P. Hubbard, Esq., Overseer of "The Thayer School of Civil Engineering," dated May 14, requesting that said institution be placed on the list of institutions to receive a complete set of the contracts, drawings and pamphlets concerning the New Croton Aqueduct and the forthcoming and future reports of the Commissioners; which was read, and on motion of Commissioner Spencer, said communication and any others bearing upon the same subject, were referred to the Committee of Finance and Audit.

The Comptroller, under date of May 14, gave notice of the issue of warrants for vouchers not certified to by the Aqueduct Commissioners for—

Westchester County Section..... \$54,860 47

New York County Section..... 223 00

—which was ordered entered upon the books of the Commission, and filed.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending May 21, 1887.

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

Theodore E. Lyon—To recover back excess of assessment paid for sewers in Seventy-second street between Third and Fourth avenues, and in Seventy-seventh street, \$198.50.

Henrietta Rosenberg—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Seventh avenue sewer, between Greenwich avenue and Fifty-ninth street, on Ward No. 729, in Sixteenth Ward.

David B. Moses—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Forty-eighth street sewer, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues, on Ward No. 7, Block 183, \$306.70.

James Crowley—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Seventy-second sewer, between Third and Fourth avenues, and in Seventy-seventh street, etc., on Ward No. 18, Block 281, \$222.01.

Francis Morgan and Patrick Morgan—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Sixty-third and Sixty-seventh streets underground drains, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Ward Nos. 12 to 17, Block 450, \$877.08.

Richard P. Risdon—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Sixty-third and Sixty-seventh streets underground drains, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Ward Nos. 42 and 43, in Block 448, \$239.30.

Elizabeth For—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Seventy-eighth and Eightieth streets underground drains, between Second and Third avenues, on Ward Nos. 1 to 6, Block 282, \$321.01.

Timothy C. Eastman—For excess of assessment paid for Seventy-ninth and Eighty-eighth street sewer, between Fourth and Fifth avenue, on Wards Nos. 49 and 50, Block 471, \$733.16.

Ruth A. Wallace—For excess of assessment paid for Seventh avenue sewer, between Greenwich avenue and Fifty-ninth street, on Wards Nos. 41 to 44, Block 12, \$99.59.

George J. Hamilton—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Sixty-third and Sixty-seventh streets underground drains, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, on Wards Nos. 41 to 48, Block 448, and 41 to 48, Block 282, \$2,169.79.

Jacob Waldheimer—To recover back amount of assessment paid for Seventy-eighth and Eightieth streets underground drains, between Second and Third avenues, on Wards Nos. 13½, 14, 14½, 15, 15½ and 16, Block 282, \$156.68.

James O'Donohue—To have declared void assessment for Boulevard sewers, between Sixty-first and Sixty-seventh streets, on Ward No. 21, Block No. 211, and to recover back amount paid therefor, \$437.04.

James O'Donohue—To have declared void assessment for Boulevard sewers between Ninety-second and One Hundred and Sixth streets, on Ward No. 43, Block No. 1141, and to recover back, etc., \$256.99.

Christian Krause—To have declared void assessment for Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets, on Wards Nos. 14 to 21, Block No. 218, and to recover back, etc., \$1,275.34.

Margaret C. Smyth—To have declared void assessment for Boulevard sewers, between Ninety-second and to One Hundred and Sixth street, on Ward Nos. 52½, 52 and 54, and to recover back amount paid therefor, \$1,238.62.

Ernest Conrades—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Seventy-second street sewer, between Third and Fourth avenues, etc., on Ward Nos. 21 to 24, Block 281, \$394.11.

Charles H. McIntire—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Seventy-second street sewer, between Third and Fourth avenues, etc., on Ward Nos. 38 and 39, Block 192, \$483.77.

Joseph R. Smith—Summons only served.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen Waldon, deceased—Citation and order why \$694.30, deposited by Public Administrator with the Comptroller for the benefit of next of kin, should not be paid to Bridget Collins, decedent's sister.

In the matter of the Estate of Bridget Rigney, deceased—Order directing payment of \$94.88 to Catharine Rafferty and others, paid by Public Administrator into the City Treasury for unknown next of kin of decedent.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.

James O. Mattair—Damages for loss of sail-boat "49," upset and wrecked by scow in tow of "Municipal," at Coney Island Point, July 19, 1886, \$125.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

The Broadway and Seventh Avenue R.R. Co. Sand case—Order entered substituting Root & Strong as attorneys for plaintiff by consent.

In re David Frank, One Hundred and Sixth street regulating, etc., between Third avenue and East river—Order entered substituting T. F. Neville as attorney in place of E. M. Neville, deceased, by consent.

Abbie C. Fitch—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$5,429.87, after trial before O'Gorman, J., and jury.

Marvin Safe Company—General Term order of affirmance entered with costs, etc.

William M. Pownall—General Term order of affirmance entered with costs, etc.

Société Française l'Aimé vs. Stephen B. French, et al.—General Term order of affirmance entered with costs, etc.

The Second Avenue Railroad Co.—Judgment entered in favor of the City on the demurrer and for \$76.94 costs, etc.

The Third Avenue Railroad Co.—Judgment entered in favor of the City on the demurrer, and for \$76.94 costs, etc.

Anna Elliot de Montsaulnin—Order entered denying motion to dismiss appeal.

Elizabeth Jones—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$735.25 after trial before Dugro, J.

One Hundred and Fiftieth street—Order entered confirming report of Commissioners upon motion. Mayor, etc. vs. Leonore M. Van Wyck et al.—Entered order of Barrett, J., confirming report.

Philip Brady—General Term order and judgment of affirmance entered in favor of plaintiff for \$104.03 costs, etc.

Charles Meyer—Order entered dismissing complaint for non-filing of intention to sue by Van Hoesen, J.

William M. Pownall—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

Marvin Safe Company—Order entered discontinuing action without costs by consent.

The Chatham National Bank—Rule of discontinuance entered without costs by consent.

Matter Eliazur V. Foote et al., Worth street award—Order entered directing payment of award into Court and referring to William H. Deady, Esq., to ascertain title upon motion.

Jacob Tallman—Order entered denying motion in order to show cause and vacating stay.

Josiah F. Kendall—Order entered vacating and setting aside judgment entered on May 11, 1887, in favor of plaintiff by consent.

In re John Mullaly, Fifty-fifth street paving, Eighth to Tenth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion before Barrett, J.

In re John M. Dodd, paving Fifty-sixth street—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion before Barrett, J.

In re Charles K. Maguire, Second avenue paving, Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion before Barrett, J.

In re Isaac F. Tyren—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion before Barrett, J.

John Kehoe—Judgment entered in favor of the City dismissing the complaint and for \$112.72 costs, etc., upon trial before Beach, J.

George W. McLean, as Receiver, etc., vs. John C. Work—Order entered discontinuing action without costs, amount be paid by consent.

Ann Mulholland—General Term order affirming order and judgment appealed from with costs.

Mary A. Kieth—Order entered allowing withdrawal of demurrer with costs by consent.

Charles F. Holmes—Order entered allowing withdrawal of demurrer with costs by consent.

Adolphus Eberhardt—Order entered allowing withdrawal of demurrer with costs by consent.

Dietrich Wehrenberg—Order entered allowing withdrawal of demurrer with costs by consent.

Jane Hone—Order entered allowing withdrawal of demurrer with costs by consent.

John Lowden—Order entered allowing withdrawal of demurrer with costs by consent.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

People ex rel. Patrick McGuire vs. Stephen B. French et al.—Argued before Ingraham, J.; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for the City.

People ex rel. George Geicks vs. Thomas Byrnes et al.—Argued before Ingraham, J.; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for the City.

Carrie Lowenstein—Motion for injunction argued and submitted to Ingraham, J.; decision reserved; W. L. Turner for the City.

Dennis Moran, Jules A. Candee and another, Andrew J. Campbell—Motion to consolidate made before Dugro, J.; motion granted; order to be submitted by agreement; W. Carmalt for the City.

James Gregory—Submitted at General Term; D. J. Dean for the City.

Charles S. Clarke—Tried before Truax, J., and a jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$3,904.99; W. Carmalt for the City.

Charles Meyer—Motion for leave to amend made before Daly, J.; granted.

Jacob Scholle et al—Tried before Beach, J.; verdict for plaintiff; findings to be submitted; R. L. Wensley for the City.

Charles S. Clarke—Motion for extra allowance made; motion granted.

Matter claim Father Sumfe—Hearing proceeded and adjourned to 23d, at 12 M.

In re John Mullaly, Fifty-fifth street paving, Eighth to Tenth avenue—Motion to dismiss petition made before Barrett, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re John M. Dodd, paving Fifty-sixth street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Barrett, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Charles K. Maguire, Second avenue paving, etc., Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Barrett, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Isaac F. Tyren, paving Madison avenue, Forty-second to Eighty-sixth street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Barrett, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

Matter New York Cable Railway Company—T. P. Wickes attended hearing and made an argument and submitted in opposition; Court took papers.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

NEW YORK, March 12, 1887.

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 339 of the Laws of 1883, I hereby designate "The Star" 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.

ABRAM S. HEWITT, 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.
ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor; ARTHUR BERRY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMOY 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.
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM G. BERGEN, 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.

JOHN RICHARDSON, Superintendent.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEESE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of 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.
GRAHAM MCADAM, Chief Clerk.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.
Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.
Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts. 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M.
RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

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

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'ONCH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

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.
JAMES C. BAYLES, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North River, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.
Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 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 COMERFORD, 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. ADRE, 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 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Sheriff; JOHN 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.
JAMES J. SLEVIN, Register; JAMES J. MARTIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10:30 A. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.

General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.

Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.

Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.

Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.

Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.

Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.

Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.

Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.

Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 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. 134 Clinton street.

JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighth 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.

AMROSE MONELL, Justice.

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

FREDERICK G. GEDNEY, Justice.

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

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

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

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

ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.

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

LEO C. DESSAR, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY.

GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

First District—Tombs, Centre street.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.

Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 18, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, from Railroad avenue to Webster avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward, which was confirmed by the Supreme Court May 6, 1887, and entered on the 12th day of May, 1887, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 25, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 18, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Lincoln avenue regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue.

One Hundred and Third street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive.

Eighty-ninth street paving with trap-block pavement, from Second to Fifth avenue.

Elton avenue flagging, setting curb and gutter stones and laying crosswalks, from Washington to Third avenue.

Lexington avenue flagging, southeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

St. Ann's and North Third avenues flagging, on the easterly side of, from East One Hundred and Sixty-first street (or Clifton street) to East One Hundred and Sixty-third street.

Thirtieth street flagging, between Sixth and Seventh avenues.

Eighty-third street flagging, full width, the north side of, between First and Second avenues.

Fencing vacant lots on northeast corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street.

Fencing vacant lots on northwest corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by First and Second avenues, Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets.

Fencing vacant lots on north side of Fifty-seventh street, 100 feet east of Broadway, and running east about 150 feet.

Attorney street sewer, between Stanton and Rivington streets.

Grove street sewers and appurtenances, between Brook and North Third avenues, with connecting sewers in Bergen avenue, between Westchester avenue and Grove street; North Third avenue, between Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between North Third and Courtland avenues; One Hundred and Fifty-second street, between North Third and Courtland avenues; One Hundred and Fifty-third street, between North Third and Courtland avenues; Elton avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-third and One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets; Courtland avenue, between One Hundred and Fifty-first and One Hundred and Fifty-fourth streets.

Hudson street sewer, between Christopher and Grove streets.

Ninety-seventh street sewer, between Boulevard and Riverside avenue.

One Hundred and Sixth street sewer, between summits east and west of Tenth avenue.

One Hundred and Sixth street sewer, between Boulevard and summit east.

One Hundred and Fourteenth street sewers, between Fourth and Sixth avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-first street sewer, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments May 7, 1887, and entered on the same date, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and 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 July 25, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 13, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the assessment list for the opening of One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Brook avenue and Elton avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward.

—which was confirmed by the Supreme Court, April 29, 1887, and entered on the 11th day of May, 1887, in the

Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessment, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

Section 998 of the said act provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Titles of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment, to charge, collect and receive interest thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

The above assessment is payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," Room 31, Stewart Building, between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 25, 1887, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per centum per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
April 4, 1887.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

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

Madison avenue regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street.

Sixty-fourth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from First avenue to East river.

Ninety-first street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Third to Fourth avenue.

Ninety-fourth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Second to Third avenue.

One Hundred and Third street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

One Hundred and Twelfth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

One Hundred and Forty-first street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging and laying crosswalks, between North Third and Rider avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-second street regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, flagging and laying crosswalks, between North Third and Rider avenues.

One Hundred and Fifty-first street, regulating, grading and setting curb-stones, from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Boulevard.

One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

Washington avenue crosswalks, at intersections of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth, One Hundred and Sixty-seventh, One Hundred and Sixty-eighth, One Hundred and Sixty-ninth, One Hundred and Seventy-second, One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

Willis avenue crosswalks, between Southern Boulevard and North Third avenue.

Eighty-fifth street sewer, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

One Hundred and Forty-ninth street sewer,

- No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF NINETY-FIFTH STREET, from Second to Third avenue.
- No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF NINETY-SEVENTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.
- No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTH STREET, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.
- No. 7. FOR REGULATING, SETTING CURB AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-NINTH STREET, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.
- No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH STREET, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

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 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.

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 9, and for paving at Room 1, No. 31 Chambers street.

D. LOWBER SMITH,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 10, 1886.)

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

NUMEROUS APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN made to this Department by citizens claiming reductions or rebates on bills for water supplied through meters, on the alleged ground of leakage caused by defective plumbing and worn-out service pipes, or by willful waste of water by tenants allowing the faucets to be turned on in full force in water-closets, sinks, etc., without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the premises.

The main object of the use of water-meters is to enable this Department to detect and check the useless and unwarrantable waste of an element so valuable and essential to the health and comfort of all the citizens, and this object can only be accomplished by enforcing payment for the water wasted.

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted.

Noice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reduction of water rents, no allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have occurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

House-owners are further notified that whenever their premises become vacant, and are likely to remain vacant, they must notify this Department in writing, and that unless this requirement is complied with no deductions in extra water rents will be allowed for any portion of one year.

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 Bureaux 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, May 25, 1887.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from St. Vincent's Hospital—Unknown man; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair, mixed with gray, light brown moustache, gray eyes. No clothing.

Unknown man, from foot of Montgomery street; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on dark vest and pants, gray undershirt, red drawers, gaiters. Body in water about ten months.

Unknown man, from foot of Canal street, North river; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair. Had on black coat, dark diagonal vest, gray mixed pants, gray undershirt, white muslin shirt, blue check jumper, gray woolen socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, Harlem river; aged about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; sandy hair and full beard, mixed with gray, blue eyes. Had on brown coat and pants, blue flannel shirt, blue check jumper, dark gray socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river; aged about 50 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray hair and side whiskers. Had on dark overcoat, dark vest, dark mixed pants, blue striped shirt, gray knit undershirt, red flannel drawers, brown mixed socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Ninth street, East river; no head on body. Had on dark coat, vest and pants, blue flannel shirt and brogan shoes. Body in water about 18 months.

At Work House, Blackwell's Island—John Moriarty; aged 26 years. Committed May 3, 1887.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Henry Heissen; aged 52 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; brown eyes, dark brown hair. Had on when admitted brown mixed coat and vest, black diagonal pants, brown cloth cap, gaiters.

Burley Woodson, colored; aged 20 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted black overcoat, brown overalls, red merino undershirt, red striped calico shirt, brown felt hat, shoes.

Joseph Frazer; aged 37 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted black velvet coat and vest, black velvet pants, laced shoes, black felt hat.

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, LEATHER, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

- 7,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, June 2, 1887.
- 1,000 pounds Cheese.
- 1,000 pounds Dried Apples.
- 2,900 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
- 20 dozen Canned String Beans.
- 20 dozen Canned Corn.
- 40 dozen Canned Peaches.
- 40 dozen Canned Tomatoes.
- 20 barrels prime quality Sal Soda, about 320 pounds per barrel.
- 651 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.
- 100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.
- 50 barrels prime Red Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.
- 100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.
- 50 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.
- 50 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
- 100 bushels Beans.
- 100 bushels Rye.
- 3,000 gallons Syrup.
- 300 bales prime quality long, bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds. Weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
- 100 hales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare and weight same as on Straw.

CROCKERY.

- 5 gross Bowls.
- ½ gross Female Urinals.

DRY GOODS.

- 5,000 yards Shroud Muslin.
- 5,000 yards Stillwater Muslin.
- 1,000 yards Linen Diaper.
- 200 pieces Mosquito Netting.
- 474 White Spreads.
- 56 B. F. Blouses.
- 2,550 yards Seersucker.
- 300 pounds Pure S. A. Curled Hair.

LEATHER.

- 150 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to average about 22 to 25 pounds.
- 100 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 11 feet.

LIME.

- 25 barrels first quality Chloride of Lime, containing not less than 32 per cent. of chlorine.

WOODEN WARE.

- 24 dozen Dust Brushes.
- 12 dozen W. W. Brushes.
- 1 coil first quality Manila Rope, 5 in. soft laid.

LUMBER.

- 50,000 feet first quality Shipping Box Boards, 1 x 12 in. to 16 in x 12 to 16 feet, dressed one side.
- 5,000 feet first quality extra clear Shelving, 12 to 16 in. x 12 to 16 feet, dressed two sides.
- 600 feet first quality extra clear White Pine, 1 x 10 in. x 13 to 15 feet, dressed one side.
- 50 first quality Spruce Joists, 3 x 4 in. x 20 to 24 feet.
- 20 first quality Spruce Boards, 1 in. x 9 to 10 in. x 10 feet.
- 50 first quality Spruce Plank, 2 x 10 in.
- 2 first quality Spruce Plank, 3 x 16 in. x 24 feet.
- 2,000 feet first quality extra clear thoroughly seasoned Parton ion Boards, 1½ x 4½ in. x 12 feet, dressed, tongued and grooved.
- 2,000 feet first quality extra clear thoroughly seasoned Ceiling Boards, ¾ x 4½ in. x 16 feet.
- 5,000 superficial square feet first quality clear thoroughly seasoned, edged or vertical, grained Yellow Georgia Pine Flooring, 1½ x 2½ in., tongued and grooved, dressed both sides.
- 10 pieces first quality Spruce, 4½ x 5½ in. x 18 feet.
- 10 pieces first quality Spruce, 4 x 5½ in. x 12 feet.
- All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—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, June 3, 1887. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the

same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Lumber, Leather, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department, and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the 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 refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same 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 contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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

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

Dated NEW YORK, May 21, 1887.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, May 17, 1887.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital—From foot of Grand street, East river; unknown man; aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair and moustache; blue eyes. Had on black overcoat, dark vest and pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, white socks, elastic-side gaiters.

Unknown man from foot of Corlears street; 5 feet 7 inches high. Had on blue and white flannel shirt, blue shirt, blue overalls, blue flannel drawers, gray woolen socks, elastic-side gaiters.

Unknown man from Central Park; aged about 60 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair and chin beard. Had on diagonal coat, dark gray-mixed vest, light pants, brown hickory shirt, white knit undershirt, white cotton flannel drawers, white cotton socks, b.ots.

Unknown man from Pier 37, East river; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; sandy hair. Had on diagonal coat, brown vest, gray mixed pants, blue checked jumper, brogan shoe; gray socks.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Eliza Alexander; aged 73 years; gray hair; brown eyes. Admitted December 15, 1869.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Brust, aged 56 years; 5 feet 11 inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black coat, dark mixed vest, black pants, slippers, black derby hat.

Michael Cannon, aged 51 years; 5 feet 7½ inches high. Had on when admitted black diagonal coat and vest, gray mixed pants, congress gaiters, gray woolen cap.

Margaret Murphy, aged 35 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black cashmere sacque, black alpaca skirt, gray woolen shawl, black straw hat.

William Cochran; aged 60 years; 5 feet 6½ inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted gray mixed coat and vest, brown striped pants, gaiters, black derby hat.

August Fiore; aged 44 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted gray overcoat, black diagonal coat, gray vest and pants, boots, black derby hat.

Patrick Keenan; aged 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat, gray pants, blue check calico jumper, laced shoes, black cloth cap.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, May 19, 1887.)

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, May 19, 1887, the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That section 95 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 95. That it shall be the duty of every owner, tenant, lessee and occupant of any and every building, or place of business in the generally built-up portions of the City of New York, forthwith to provide or cause to be provided, and at all times thereafter to keep and cause to be kept and provided, within such building or place of business, suitable and sufficient boxes, barrels or tubs for receiving and holding without leakage, and without being filled to within four inches of the top thereof all the ashes, rubbish, garbage, and liquid substances, of whatever kind, that may accumulate during thirty-six hours, from said building or place of business, or the portion thereof of which such person may be the owner, tenant, lessee or occupant; and every such box, barrel and tub designed to hold ashes shall be made of or lined with some suitable metal. That a separate vessel shall be provided for ashes and rubbish, and another for garbage and liquid substances; and ashes and rubbish shall not be placed or kept in the same vessel with garbage and liquid substances; and all ashes, rubbish, garbage and liquid substances that should be removed from such buildings and place of business, or from that part for which said receptacles were provided, and none other (without the proper consent) shall be placed therein, and no such box, barrel or tub, before or after it is emptied, shall be placed or permitted to remain upon the open sidewalk between the curb and the area or stoop-line, or in any other public place, but may be kept within and between the stoop or area-line and the house-line of the premises to which it belongs, until removed therefrom for emptying by the authorized employees of the Department of Street Cleaning, and by them returned to the place whence it was taken.

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JAMES C. BAYLES,
President.

EMMONS CLARK,
Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 2388, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to first new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

List 2390, No. 2. Receiving-basins on the northwest and southwest corners of One Hundred and First street and Third avenue, and on the northeast, northwest, southeast and southwest corners of One Hundred and Sixth street and Fourth avenue.

List 2392, No. 3. Fencing vacant lots on the block bounded by One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, Fifth and Madison avenues.

List 2393, No. 4. Sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

List 2394, No. 5. Fencing vacant lot on the southeast corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

List 2395, No. 6. Sewer in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, and in Tenth avenue, east side, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.

List 2397, No. 7. Fencing vacant lots at the northwest corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Ninth street.

List 2398, No. 8. Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Ninety-sixth street, from Second to Third avenue.

List 2399, No. 9. Fencing vacant lots east side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

List 2400, No. 10. Fencing vacant lots south side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

List 2401, No. 11. Fencing vacant lots at the southwest corner of First avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street.

List 2402, No. 12. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the southeast corners of Seventy-ninth and Eightieth streets; on the northeast and southeast corners of Eighty-first street; on the northeast corner of Eighty-second street, and on the northeast and northwest corners of Eighty-third, Eighty-fourth, Eighty-fifth, Eighty-sixth and Eighty-eighth streets, and West End avenue.

List 2404, No. 13. Alteration and improvement to receiving-basins on the southeast and southwest corners of Ninety-second, Ninety-fourth and Ninety-sixth streets; on the southwest corner of Ninety-third street; on the northeast and northwest corners of Ninety-sixth and Ninety-eighth streets, and on the northwest corners of Ninety-ninth, One Hundredth, One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets, and West End avenue.

List 2405, No. 14. Sewer in Eighty-seventh street, between Tenth avenue and Riverside Drive.

List 2406, No. 15. Regulating and grading One Hundred and Eighth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

List 2408, No. 16. Fencing vacant lots on the southwest corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

List 2410, No. 17. Sewer and appurtenances in Morris avenue, from the summit between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, to North Third avenue.

List 2412, No. 18. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Washington and Brook avenues.

List 2414, No. 19. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Brook to St. Ann's 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 Eighth to Coogan avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and First street, between Third and Lexington avenues; west side of Third avenue between One Hundred and One Hundred and First streets; block bounded by One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth streets, Fourth and Madison avenues; north side of One Hundred and Sixth street, between Fourth and Madison avenues; west side of Fourth avenue, extending 100 feet north of One Hundred and Sixth street; both sides of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Lexington and Fourth avenues; east side of Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Seventh streets, and north side of One Hundred and Fifth street, extending about 150 feet easterly from Fourth avenue.

No. 3. Block bounded by One Hundred and Ninth and One Hundred and Tenth streets, Madison and Fifth avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-third street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 5. Southeast corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-second street.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, and east side of Tenth avenue, between One Hundred and Fiftieth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets.

No. 7. Commencing at northwest corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Ninth street, and running from that point 100 feet north on Fourth avenue and 80 feet west on One Hundred and Ninth street.

No. 8. South side of Ninety-sixth street, between Second and Third avenues.

No. 9. East side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred Twenty-second streets.

No. 10. South side of One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, known as Block number 828, Ward numbers 47 and 48.

No. 11. Commencing at the southwest corner of First avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, and running from that point 100 feet south on First avenue and on south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, running 65 feet from First avenue on the west.

No. 12. East side of West End avenue, from Seventy-eighth to Eighty-third street; also both sides of West End avenue, from Eighty-third to Eighty-fifth street; both sides of West End avenue, between Eighty-sixth and Eighty-ninth streets, and both sides of West End avenue, between Eighty-fourth and Eighty-fifth streets.

No. 13. Both sides of West End avenue, between Ninety-first and Ninety-second streets, Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets, Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, Ninety-eighth and Ninety-ninth streets; also west side of West End avenue, between Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets, Ninety-ninth and One Hundred and Third streets.

No. 14. Both sides of Eighty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to Riverside Drive.

No. 15. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighth street, from Tenth avenue to Public Drive.

No. 16. Commencing at the southwest corner of Seventh avenue and One Hundred and Thirty-first street and running 100 feet southerly on Seventh avenue and 75 feet westerly on One Hundred and Thirty-first street.

No. 17. Both sides of Morris avenue, from North Third avenue to One Hundred and Fortieth street.

No. 18. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street, between Washington and Brook avenues.

No. 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from Brook to St. Ann's avenue; also both sides of Crimmins and Beekman avenues, extending about 350 feet north of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street.

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 June, 1887.

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, May 24, 1887.

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 2343, No. 1. Sewers in Lexington avenue, between Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, and in Ninety-fifth and Ninety-sixth streets, between Lexington and Fourth avenues, with alterations and improvements to existing sewers in Third avenue, between Ninety-seventh and Ninety-eighth streets.

List 2356, No. 2. Regulating and grading William street, from Duane street to the intersection of North William street.

List 2374, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to McComb's Dam Lane.

List 2387, No. 4. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Old Broadway to the Boulevard.

List 2359, No. 5. Paving One Hundred and Ninth street, from Madison to Fourth avenue, with Belgian or trap-block pavement.

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. Property bounded by Ninety-third and Ninety-eighth streets, Third and Fourth avenues, including both sides of Third avenue.

No. 2. Both sides of William street, from Duane street to North William street.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from Eighth avenue to McComb's Dam Lane.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from Old Broadway to the Boulevard.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from Madison to Fourth avenues, 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 7th day of June, 1887.

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, May 6, 1887.

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 2338, No. 1. Sewer in Fourth avenue, east side, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets.

List 2372, No. 2. Flagging with an additional course of flagging on Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street.

List 2378, No. 3. Sewer in Ninety-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 2385, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Third

street, and laying crosswalks, from First to Second avenue.

Lot 2386, No. 5. Paving with trap-block pavement Ninety-third street, from Eighth to Ninth 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. East side of Fourth avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street.

No. 2. Both sides of Seventh avenue, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, excepting on the west side of Seventh avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninety-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, and on the east side of Tenth avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Third street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of Ninety-third street, from Eighth to Ninth 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 3d day of June, 1887.

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, MAY 2, 1887.

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 2308, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in One Hundred and First street, from Third to Fourth 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 First street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

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 30th day of May, 1887.

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, April 29, 1887.

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 2356, No. 1. Paving Sixty-fourth street, between First and Second avenues, with trap-block pavement.

List 2373, No. 2. Receiving-basins on the north side of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, at the junction of Manhattan street and south side at east and west corners of Manhattan street.

List 2375, No. 3. Flagging sidewalks on Grand Boulevard, from Sixty-first to Sixty-third street.

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 Sixty-fourth street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Manhattan street to the Boulevard, and both sides of Manhattan street, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and the Boulevard.

No. 3. West side of Grand Boulevard, between Sixty-first and Sixty-third streets.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 28th day of May, 1887.

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, April 27, 1887.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 & 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
NEW YORK, January 26, 1887.

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.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the School Trustees for the Twelfth Ward, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Friday, June 10, 1887, for Furniture, etc., for Grammar Schools Nos. 52, 57 and 83.

A. L. SOULARD, Chairman.
JOHN WHELAN, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., on the same day and at the same place, for Furniture, etc., for Grammar School No. 32.

CHARLES CONLEY, Chairman.
J. GEORGE FLAMMER, Secretary.
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, 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 and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

Dated New York May 28, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the School Trustees of the Fourth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Tuesday, June 7, 1887, at 9.30 o'clock A. M., for New Furniture, etc., required for Grammar School Building No. 1, located at No. 30 Vandewater street.

FREDERICK WIMMER,
Acting Chairman,
MICHAEL J. DUFFEY, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fourth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Fifth Ward, on the same day and at the same place, until 10.30 o'clock A. M., for New Furniture, etc., required for Grammar School No. 44, corner North Moore and Varick streets.

HENRY C. WEST, Chairman,
WM. H. NAETHING, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Fifth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Seventh Ward, on the same day and at the same place, until 4 o'clock P. M., for the Furniture required for the new building in course of erection in Henry street, for Grammar School No. 2; also for New Furniture, etc., required for Grammar School No. 12, located at No. 371 Madison street.

WM. H. TOWNLEY, Chairman,
JAMES W. MCBARRON, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Eighth Ward until 4.30 o'clock P. M., on the same day and at the same place, for New Furniture, etc., for Grammar School No. 38, located at No. 8 Clarke street.

C. WESLEY BAUM, Chairman,
GEO. F. VETTER, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eighth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Eleventh Ward, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 8, 1887, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, for Furniture, etc., required for Primary School No. 5, located at Nos. 269 and 271 East Fourth street.

LEWIS S. GOEBEL, Chairman,
WM. A. GRAHAM, Secretary,
Board of School Trustees, Eleventh Ward.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, 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 and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

Dated New York, May 25, 1887.

CORNELL UNIVERSITY.

STATE SCHOLARSHIPS.

(Notice pursuant to Chapter 291, Laws of 1887).

A COMPETITIVE EXAMINATION OF CANDIDATES for the State scholarships, falling to the County of New York, will be held at the hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Saturday the 4th day of June, next, commencing at 9.30 A. M.

Candidates must be at least sixteen years of age and of six months standing in the common schools or academies of the State during the present school year.

The examination will be upon the following subjects, viz.: English grammar, geography, physiology, arithmetic, plane geometry and algebra through quadratic equations.

There will be as many candidates appointed from this county as there are Assembly Districts in the county. Candidates will become entitled to the scholarships in the order of merit.

Dated at City Superintendent's Office,
this 15th day of May, 1887.
JOHN JASPER,
Superintendent of Schools, City of New York.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the Board of School Trustees for the Sixteenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Tuesday, May 31, 1887, at 4 o'clock P. M., for general overhauling of Grammar School Building No. 11; for general repairs, new columns, etc., for Grammar School Building No. 45, also for rebuilding rear extension, closets, etc., in Grammar School Building No. 81.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained, at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, 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 and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

PETER MACDONALD,
GEORGE H. BROUWER,
HENRY C. F. KOCH,
JAMES HARRISON,
CHARLES A. WINCH,
Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.

Dated New York, May 17, 1887.

SEPARATE SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Friday, the 3d day of June, 1887, to Paint and Repair Walks, Grammar School No. 9, on Eighty-second street and Eleventh avenue; to Repair and Paint Grammar School No. 17, at No. 335 West Forty-seventh street; for General Repairs at Grammar School No. 51, at No. 523 West Forty-fourth street; to Drain Cellar, Paint, etc., Grammar School No. 28, at No. 317 West Fifty-second street; for General Repairs, Area, Closets, at Grammar School No. 69, at No. 125 West Fifty-fourth street.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand, corner of Elm street, 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 and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

SEAVER PAGE,
GEORGE H. ROBINSON,
RICHARD S. TREACY,
HENRY A. ROGERS,
JAMES R. CUMING,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

Dated New York, May 20, 1887.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees for the Twenty-first Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Tuesday, May 31, 1887, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., for General Repairs, Flooring, etc., in Grammar School No. 14, located at Nos. 225 and 233 East Twenty-seventh street; Ceilings, Drains, Flooring, etc., in Grammar School No. 49, located at No. 237 East Thirty-seventh street; also for Repairing and Painting Primary School No. 16, located at No. 215 East Thirty-second street.

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

The parties 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 and antecedent dealings with the Board of Education render their responsibility doubtful.

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

ANDREW G. AGNEW,
F. ELLERY ANDERSON,
MAX'N FLEISCHMAN,
GILBERT M. SPIER, JR.,
R. D. HARRIS,
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Dated New York, May 16, 1887.

SUPREME COURT.

In the Matter of the Application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from the easterly line of Tenth avenue to a point distant 900 feet 3¼ inches easterly therefrom, and A NEW AVENUE, from the last-mentioned point in a southerly, easterly and northerly direction to Avenue St. Nicholas, opposite One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street, (third floor), in the said city, on or before the sixth day of July, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said sixth day of July, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the sixth day of July, 1887.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-ninth streets; the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets; the prolongation easterly of the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, from the northeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Hamlin avenue to the centre line of the blocks between Hamlin avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, and a line drawn in a north-westerly direction from the northwest corner of Hamlin avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, and extending to the centre line of the blocks, between Hamlin avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas; easterly by a line drawn northerly from the northeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and Hamlin avenue, and at right angles with the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and extending to the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, the centre line of the blocks between Hamlin avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, the westerly side of Avenue St. Nicholas and the centre line of the blocks between Cliff avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Hamlin avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, the centre line of the blocks between Hamlin avenue and One Hundred and Thirtieth street and by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Thirty-eighth and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Tenth avenue, the centre line of the blocks between Hamlin avenue and Convent avenue, and the easterly side of Convent avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-second day of July, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 25, 1887

GEORGE W. MCLEAN,
CORNELIUS A. RUNKLE,
W. R. KNAPP,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of June, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-eighth day of June, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirtieth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Edgecombe road; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the fifteenth day of July, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 16, 1887.

E. B. HART,
JAMES D. McCLELLAND,
JOHN P. GAW,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTIETH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-eighth day of June, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-eighth day of June, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-eighth day of June, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by a line drawn parallel with the northerly side of One Hundred and Thirtieth street and 99 feet and 11 inches northerly therefrom, and extending from the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas to the westerly side of Eighth avenue; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Avenue St. Nicholas; excepting from such area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the fifteenth day of July, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 16, 1887.

E. B. HART,
JAMES D. McCLELLAND,
JOHN P. GAW,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FOURTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority), extending from Railroad avenue East to Third avenue, 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 10th day of June, 1887, at the opening of 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 Commonality 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 East One Hundred and Fifty-fourth street, extending from Railroad avenue East to Third avenue, 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 western line of Morris avenue distant 1,272 $\frac{3}{4}$ feet northerly from the northwestern intersection of Morris avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Morris Avenue for fifty feet;
2d. Thence westerly deflecting 90° 07' to the left for 141 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet;
3d. Thence southerly deflecting 60° 42' to the left for 91 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet;
4th. Thence southerly deflecting 2° 56' 20" to the left for 46 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet;
5th. Thence easterly deflecting 116° 21' 40" to the left for 166 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet to the point of beginning.

PARCEL B.

Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Morris avenue distant 1,271 $\frac{3}{4}$ feet northerly from the northwestern intersection of Morris avenue and East One Hundred and Forty-ninth street;

1st. Thence northerly along the eastern line of Morris avenue for 50 feet;
2d. Thence easterly deflecting 89° 53' to the right for 2,025 $\frac{2}{3}$ feet to the western line of Third avenue;
3d. Thence southwesterly along the western line of Third avenue for 52 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet;
4th. Thence westerly for 2,008 $\frac{7}{8}$ feet to the point of beginning.

And as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners 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, May 4, 1887.

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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEENTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 4th day of June, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 4th day of June, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 4th day of June, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Nineteenth street and One Hundred and Twentieth street; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Nineteenth street and One Hundred and Eighteenth street, and westerly by the easterly side of Ninth avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 17th day of June, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 16, 1887.

JOSEPH A. WELCH,
HERMAN W. VANDER POEL,
JOS. P. FALLON,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the thirty-first day of May, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said thirty-first day of May, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the thirty-first day of May, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth street and One Hundred and Thirteenth street; easterly by the westerly side of Tenth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Twelfth street and One Hundred and Eleventh street, and westerly by the easterly side of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the seventeenth day of June, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 16, 1887.

JOSEPH A. WELCH,
EDWARD HINMAN,
HERMAN W. VANDER POEL,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTEENTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to Ninth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said City, on or before the thirty-first day of May, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said thirty-first day of May, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each said ten days at 2:30 o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the thirty-first day of May, 1887.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Eighteenth street and One Hundred and Nineteenth street; easterly by the westerly side of Eighth avenue; southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Eighteenth street and One Hundred and Seventeenth street, and westerly by the easterly side of Ninth avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the seventeenth day of June, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, April 16, 1887.

DENIS A. SPELLISSY,
MICHAEL J. KELLY,
DENIS BURNS,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

ARMORY BOARD.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING IRON WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY THE BOULEVARD, NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing Iron Work in the erection of an Armory Building on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, New York City, will be received by the Armory Board at the Mayor's office, City Hall, until 2 P. M. of 20th day of June, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed, "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Iron Work in the Erection of an Armory Building, on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth 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 engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000).

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 examination 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 submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding 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 contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the 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 incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect 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 in making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair, and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true.

Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation or 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 himself as surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered 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 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 one thousand dollars (\$1,000). 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 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 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 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 otherwise, 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 agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the architect, George B. Post, No. 15 Cortlandt street, New York City.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates 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. 15 Cortlandt street, New York City.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD,
COL. EMMONS CLARK,
Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
STAATS-ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,
NEW YORK CITY, May 28, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING WORK FOR STEAM-HEATING AND VENTILATING IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY THE BOULEVARD, NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing work for Steam-Heating and Ventilating in the erection of an Armory Building on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, County and City of New York, will be received by the Armory Board, at the Mayor's Office, City Hall, until 2 o'clock P. M., of the 20th day of June, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Work for Steam-Heating and Ventilating in the Erection of an Armory Building on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth 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 engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of four thousand dollars (\$4,000).

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 examination 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 submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding 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 contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the 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 incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect 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 persons be

so interested the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that these several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.*

Each 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 sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation 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 himself as a surety in good faith, and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200). 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 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 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 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 otherwise, 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 agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the architect, George B. Post, No. 15 Cortlandt street.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates 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. 15 Cortlandt street, New York City.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
MICHAEL COLEMAN,
BRIG.-GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD,
COL. EMMONS CLARK,
Commissioners.

ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING MASONRY WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY THE BOULEVARD, NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing masonry work in the erection of an Armory Building, on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, County and City of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the Mayor's office, City Hall, until 2 P. M. of the 20th day of June, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Masonry Work in the Erection of an Armory Building, on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth 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 engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000).

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 examination 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 submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding 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 contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the 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 incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a

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

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation 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 himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1,500). 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 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 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 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 otherwise, 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 agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be seen upon application at the office of the architect, George B. Post, No. 15 Cortlandt street, New York City.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates 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. 15 Cortlandt street, New York City.

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ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,
NEW YORK CITY, May 28, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING PLUMBING AND GAS-FITTING WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY THE BOULEVARD, NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing plumbing and gas-fitting work in the erection of an Armory Building, on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, City and County of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the Mayor's Office, City Hall, until 2 P. M. of the 20th day of June, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Plumbing and Gas-fitting Work in the Erection of an Armory Building on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth 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 engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

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 examination 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 submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding 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 contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the 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 incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect 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 estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. *Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.*

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders 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 sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation 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 this contract, as 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 himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered 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 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 one hundred and fifty dollars (\$150). 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 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 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 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 otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates 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. 15 Cortlandt street, N. Y. City.

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ARMORY BOARD—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,
NEW YORK, May 28, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING CARPENTER WORK IN THE ERECTION OF AN ARMORY BUILDING ON THE BLOCK BOUNDED BY THE BOULEVARD, NINTH AVENUE, SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, NEW YORK CITY.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING materials and performing carpenter work in the erection of an Armory Building, on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, New York City, will be received by the Armory Board, at the Mayor's Office, City Hall, until 2 P. M. of the twentieth day of June, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed "Estimate for Furnishing Materials and Performing Carpenter Work in the Erection of an Armory Building, on the block bounded by the Boulevard, Ninth avenue, Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth 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 engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the amount of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000).

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 examination 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 submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding 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 contract and the plans therein referred to. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed, at the 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 incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures the amount of their estimates for doing this work. The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect 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.

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No estimate will be received or 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 \$1,250. 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 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 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 by the Comptroller.

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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.

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