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COMMISSIONERS OF THE SINKING FUND OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

*Proceedings of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund at a Meeting held at the Mayor's Office,
at 1 o'clock P.M., Monday, May 28, 1888.*

Present—Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor; Frederick Smyth, Recorder; Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller; William M. Ivins, Chamberlain, and Patrick Divver, Chairman Finance Committee, Board of Aldermen.

The minutes of the meeting held May 2 were read and approved.

The Mayor presented the following communication from the gentlemen appointed May 2 on the Committee to examine and report upon the plans of a Municipal Building proposed to be erected in the City Hall Park:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, NEW YORK, May 8, 1888.

Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT:

DEAR SIR—We have received your letter of the 5th instant, saying that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund have done us the honor of inviting us to assist them in the examination of the designs submitted in competition for the proposed enlargement of the City Hall.

We shall be glad to render this service, and to do so in accordance with the method of procedure recommended by yourself and approved by the Commissioners.

We are of opinion that the sum of fifteen hundred dollars would be a proper compensation for this service, to be divided equally among us, and respectfully make this suggestion subject to your judgment and that of the Commissioners.

We are, very respectfully, your obedient servants,

WILLIAM R. WARE,
R. M. HUNT,
R. M. UPJOHN.

The Chamberlain offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the sum of \$500 be and is hereby fixed as the amount of compensation to be paid to each of the three gentlemen appointed as experts in architecture upon the Committee on examination of the plans of a new Municipal Building, for determining their respective merits, under a resolution adopted May 2, 1888.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report on a sale of City Bonds:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 28, 1888.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—In pursuance of section 146 of the Consolidation Act of 1882, sealed proposals were invited by public advertisement for \$358,000 Consolidated Stock of the City of New York, known as School-house Bonds, payable in the year 1897, issued under the authority of section 132 of the Consolidation Act, and chapter 458 of the Laws of 1884, and the amendments thereof, which proposals were publicly opened by the Comptroller at his office, on the 15th day of May, 1888, at 2 o'clock P.M., in the presence of the Mayor, a member of the Board of Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, as follows, to wit:

Bidders.	Amount.	Rate.
L. W. Morrison.....	\$10,000 00	100.03
Blake Brothers & Co.....	358,000 00	100.91
Vermilye & Co.....	358,000 00	101.03
The Trustees of the New York Fire Department Relief Fund.....	45,000 00	101.00
Harriot & Groesbeck.....	50,000 00	100.78
".....	50,000 00	100.65
".....	50,000 00	100.55
Moller & Co.....	350,000 00	101.59
Daniel A. Moran.....	358,000 00	100.64
The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.....	358,000 00	101.50
Total.....	\$1,987,000 00	

The said stock was awarded to the highest bidders, with the approval of the Commissioner of the Sinking Fund present at the opening of the proposals, as follows, to wit:

Awarded to	Amount.	Rate.
Moller & Co.....	\$350,000 00	101.59
The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.....	8,000 00	101.50
Total.....	\$358,000 00	

Respectfully submitted,
THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Which was accepted and ordered on file.

The Comptroller presented the following report on a corporation sale of real estate:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 28, 1888.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—In pursuance of resolutions of this Board, adopted March 28 and April 6, 1888, authorizing and directing the sale of certain real estate belonging to the Corporation of the City of

New York, after appraisal and public advertisement, the following described lots, pieces or parcels of property shown on the sales map drawn by Eugene E. McLean, Engineer, were sold at public auction, to the highest bidders, on May 15, 1888, to wit:

Lot No. 11, northwest corner One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Twelfth avenue, Ward No. 73, Block No. 1286½, Twelfth Ward, sold to A. Lustig, for the sum of \$20,500.

Public School Property, known as Primary School No. 18, Ward No. 3250, on the easterly side of Waverley place, between West Eleventh and Bank streets, Ninth Ward, sold to James J. Barr, for the sum of \$18,500.

The minimum or upset prices at which the lots on the line of the old Aqueduct were appraised were not bid, and they were not sold.

The appraisements made and approved by this Board May 2, 1888, with certain changes in amount, and also the advertisements of sale certified by the Clerk of the CITY RECORD, are herewith submitted.

Respectfully submitted,
THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK, April 12, 1888.

Hon. THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller:

SIR—I have examined the property which you directed me to appraise, and have appraised the several lots, pieces and parcels of land shown upon the map herewith, at the valuations placed against each of them, as follows:

Lots on the line of the old Aqueduct in the Twelfth Ward.

1. One vacant lot south side of Ninety-ninth street, 25 by 100 feet 11 inches, Block 1025, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue, Map No. 1....	\$7,000 00
2. One vacant lot south side of Ninety-ninth street, 25 by 100 feet 11 inches, Block 1025, Ward No. 28, one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Ninth avenue, Map No. 2.....	6,500 00
3. One vacant lot on south side of One Hundred and First street, 25 by 100 feet 11 inches, Block 1027, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue, Map No. 3.....	7,000 00
4. One vacant lot south side of One Hundred and First street, 25 by 100 feet 11 inches, Block 1027, Ward No. 28, one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Ninth avenue, Map No. 4.....	6,500 00
5. One vacant lot north side of One Hundred and First street, 25 by 100 feet 11 inches, Block 1028, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue, Map No. 5.....	7,000 00
6. One vacant lot north side of One Hundred and First street, 25 by 100 feet 11 inches, Block 1028, Ward No. 28, one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Ninth avenue, Map No. 6.....	6,500 00
7. One vacant lot south side of One Hundred and Second street, 25 by 100 feet 11 inches, Block 1028, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue, Map No. 7.....	7,000 00
8. One vacant lot south side of One Hundred and Second street, 25 by 100 feet 11 inches, Block 1028, Ward No. 28, one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Ninth avenue, Map No. 8.....	6,500 00
9. One vacant lot north side of One Hundred and Second street, 25 by 100 feet 11 inches, Block 1029, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue, Map No. 9.....	7,000 00
10. One vacant lot north side of One Hundred and Second street, 25 by 100 feet 11 inches, Block 1029, Ward No. 28, one hundred and twenty-five feet west of Ninth avenue, Map No. 10.....	6,500 00

Respectfully,
V. K. STEVENSON & CO.

NEW YORK, April 9, 1888.

THEO. W. MYERS, Esq., Comptroller, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—My valuation of the property on Waverley place, eighty feet west of Eleventh street, as per diagram, is \$17,000.

Yours truly,
JOSEPH A. LEVY.

NEW YORK, April 9, 1888.

THEO. W. MYERS, Esq., Comptroller, City of New York:

DEAR SIR—My valuation of the property on One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Twelfth avenue, as per diagram, is \$18,000.

Yours truly,
JOSEPH A. LEVY.

State of New York, City and County of New York, ss.:

J. C. Higgins, being duly sworn, says that he is Clerk of the CITY RECORD, the official journal of the City of New York; that the advertisement hereto annexed has been regularly published in the said CITY RECORD thirty-one days consecutively, commencing on the 9th day of April, 1888.

J. C. HIGGINS.

Sworn to before me this 22d day of May, 1888.

R. P. H. ABELL, Notary Public, N. Y. Co.

CORPORATION SALE OF PUBLIC SCHOOL PROPERTY.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York will offer for sale at public auction on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1888, at noon, at the Real Estate Exchange and Auction Rooms (Limited), Nos. 59 to 65 Liberty street, the lot, piece or parcel of ground, fifty feet front and rear by sixty-six feet deep, with the buildings thereon, known as Primary School No. 18, Ward No. 3250, situate on the easterly side of Waverley place, between West Eleventh and Bank streets, in the Ninth Ward of the City of New York. This property is sold pursuant to chapter 89, Laws of 1881 (section 186 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882), which provides for the sale of any land or lands and the buildings thereon, owned by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, occupied or reserved for school purposes, and no longer required therefor, the money received in payment to be appropriated to the Board of Education for the purpose of purchasing property or erecting school buildings for new public schools.

TERMS OF SALE.

The auctioneer's fee and ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance in cash within thirty days thereafter on delivery of warranty deed of the property from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund under a resolution adopted March 28, 1888, The right to reject any bid is reserved.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 7, 1888.

State of New York, City and County of New York, ss.:

J. C. Higgins, being duly sworn, says that he is Clerk of the CITY RECORD, the official journal of the City of New York; that the advertisement hereto annexed has been regularly published in the said CITY RECORD thirty-one days consecutively, commencing on the 9th day of April, 1888.

J. C. HIGGINS.

Sworn to before me, this 22d day of May, 1888.

R. P. H. ABELL, Notary Public, N. Y. Co.

CORPORATION SALE OF CITY REAL ESTATE.

Public notice is hereby given that the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them by law, will offer for sale at public auction, on Tuesday, the 15th day of May, 1888, at noon, at the Real Estate Exchange and Auction Rooms (Limited), Nos. 59 to 65 Liberty street, certain lots, pieces and parcels of unimproved real estate belonging to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, as follows, to wit:

TWELFTH WARD.

The Old Croton Aqueduct, between Ninth and Tenth Avenues.

1. On Ninety-ninth street, south side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1025, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 1, 2. Lots to be sold separately.
2. On One Hundred and First street, south side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1027, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 3, 4. Lots to be sold separately.
3. On One Hundred and First street, north side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1028, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 5, 6. Lots to be sold separately.
4. On One Hundred and Second street, south side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1028, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 7, 8. Lots to be sold separately.
5. On One Hundred and Second street, north side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 1029, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 9, 10. Lots to be sold separately.

MANHATTANVILLE.

Northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Twelfth avenue, one vacant lot, piece or parcel of land, known as Ward No. 73, Block No. 1286½, in the Twelfth Ward. Sales Map No. 11.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay ten (10) per cent. of the purchase money and the auctioneer's fee on each lot immediately after the sale; thirty (30) per cent. upon the delivery of the deeds, within thirty days from the date of the sale; and the balance, sixty (60) per cent. of the purchase money, or any portion thereof, may remain, at the option of the purchaser, on bond and mortgage, for five years, with interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually; the mortgages to contain the customary thirty days' interest and ninety days' tax clauses.

The bond and mortgage may be paid off at any time within the term thereof on giving thirty days' notice to the Comptroller, or it may be paid by installments of not less than five hundred dollars, on any day when the interest is due, or on thirty days' notice. The bonds and mortgages will be prepared by the Counsel to the Corporation, and the sum of twelve dollars and fifty cents will be charged for drawing, acknowledging and recording each separate mortgage. If more than one lot of land is included in any mortgage, the whole mortgage must be paid off before any release can be given by the Corporation, as a release of any part of the premises included in a mortgage to the Corporation is forbidden by law.

The Comptroller may, at his option, resell any lot which may be struck off to the highest bidder who may fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the party who may fail to comply therewith will be held liable for any deficiency that may result from any such resale.

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be had at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, after April 20, 1888.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolutions adopted at meetings held March 28 and April 6, 1888.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 7, 1888.

The report was accepted, and ordered to be printed in the minutes with the papers submitted.

The Comptroller presented the following applications of the Police Department for the leasing of premises at High Bridge in the Twenty-third Ward, together with a report and resolution thereon:

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 6, 1888.

The Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police held this day it was Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to execute a renewal of the lease, from the estate of William B. Ogden, of the premises designated as lots Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6 in Block No. 4 on map showing property of W. B. Ogden, situate on the easterly side of Sedgwick avenue in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, for the use of the Police Department of said city, for one year and four months from January 1, 1888, with the privilege of renewal for four years from May 1, 1889, at the yearly rent of six hundred dollars, and taxes upon the property (including Croton water tax).

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, April 6, 1888.

The Honorable Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—At a meeting of the Board of Police held this day it was Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and are hereby respectfully requested to authorize the Comptroller to execute a renewal of the lease, from the estate of William B. Ogden, of the premises designated as lot No. 2 in Block No. 4 on map showing property of W. B. Ogden, situate on the easterly side of Sedgwick avenue in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, for the use of the Police Department of said city, for one year from May 1, 1888, with the privilege of renewal for four years, at the yearly rent of twelve hundred dollars, and taxes upon the property (including Croton water tax).

Very respectfully,

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 28, 1888.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Herewith I present applications of the Police Department for a renewal of two leases to the City of premises in the Twenty-third Ward, near High Bridge, now occupied for the Thirty-first Precinct Police Station-house, etc.

One of these leases expired on January 1, and the other on May 1, 1888. The Police Department requests that these leases shall be renewed until May 1, 1889, with the privilege of a further renewal for four years, at the same rents heretofore paid.

It was proposed, also, that the City should pay the taxes in addition to the annual rent, but I have agreed with the lessor to pay the rent only, which upon examination is considered fair and reasonable, the terms and conditions to be the same as those of the old leases.

I submit a resolution to authorize a lease of said premises for the renewal of both leases, accordingly, under one lease.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City for the use of the Police Department as a Police Station, etc., of the premises on Sedgwick avenue in the Twenty-third Ward, and now occupied for that purpose, viz.: the premises designated on a certain map, entitled "Map showing property of W. B. Ogden, situate in the City, County and State of New York," made by E. C. Morrison, Civil Engineer, dated January 1, 1874, as lots Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6, in Block No. 4, with the buildings and improvements thereon, for the term of one year and four months from January 1, 1888, at a yearly rent of six hundred dollars (\$600); also the premises designated on the same map as lot No. 2, with the improvements thereon, for the term of one year from May 1, 1888, at the yearly rent of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200), being a total rent of eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800) per annum for the said premises, with the same conditions as are contained in former leases of the said premises, and the privilege of renewal for the term of four

years from May 1, 1889; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interest of the City that such lease should be made, and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease when prepared and approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, as provided by sections 123 and 181 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following application of the Health Department for a lease of premises at No. 42 Bleeker street, with report and resolution thereon:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, April 27, 1888.

Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Chairman, Sinking Fund:

SIR—At a meeting of this Board on April 26, 1888, a resolution of which the following is a copy was adopted:

"Resolved, That application be and is hereby made to the Honorable the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for the lease of the two upper floors and attic of the premises No. 42 Bleeker street, for the use of this Department, upon the following terms: The rent to be at the rate of \$800 per annum, and the lease to extend from May 1, 1888, to May 1, 1890."

A true copy.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 28, 1888.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—An application has been made by the Board of Health for a lease of the upper part of the building No. 42 Bleeker street, for the use of the Inspectors of Plumbing and Ventilation, of the Health Department, who now occupy rooms in the building No. 309 Mulberry street, which is also used as a reception hospital for contagious diseases.

The rent asked is \$800 per annum, and the owner will make necessary repairs and alterations of the premises. Upon examination the rent is considered fair and reasonable, and I submit a resolution to authorize a lease of the premises.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Counsel to the Corporation be and is hereby requested to prepare a lease to the City of the two upper floors and attic of the building No. 42 Bleeker street, for the term of two years, from May 1, 1888, at the yearly rent of eight hundred dollars (\$800), payable quarterly, with the usual covenants and the condition that the lessee shall pay Croton water rents, and that the lessor shall make such repairs and alterations of the premises as may be required for the use and accommodation of the Health Department; the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund deeming the rent fair and reasonable, and that it would be for the interest of the City that such lease should be made; and the Comptroller is hereby authorized and directed to execute such lease when prepared and approved by the Counsel to the Corporation, as provided by sections 123 and 181 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following report and resolution on granting premises for the use of the Volunteer Firemen's Association, together with a communication from the President of the Association:

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 28, 1888.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—Chapter 95 of the Laws of 1888 authorized the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund to grant the use of a portion of a public building to the Volunteer Firemen's Association of the City of New York, and this Act together with resolution of the Board of Aldermen requesting the Commissioners to set apart and grant certain premises in Waverley place or such other premises belonging to the City as they may deem proper, were referred to the Comptroller at the meeting of this Board held April 27, 1888.

The premises in Waverley place are school property and could not be so appropriated. A portion of the upper part of the Centre Market Building, adjoining that part assigned for the Second Judicial District Court, is not required for public purposes and might be set apart and granted for the use of the Volunteer Firemen's Association. The room would be large and afford ample accommodation for the purpose, and the President of the Association desires it to be appropriated.

I submit a resolution to that end for such action as the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund may deem proper.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the portion of the second story of the Centre Market Building adjoining that part appropriated for the occupation of the Second Judicial District Court, be and the same is hereby assigned for the use of the Volunteer Firemen's Association, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 95 of the Laws of 1888 and a resolution of the Board of Aldermen adopted April 17, 1888, all necessary alterations and repairs of the premises to be made by and at the expense of said Association, subject to the approval of the Comptroller, and the premises to be occupied by it during the pleasure of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

Laid over until next meeting.

NEW YORK, May 25, 1888.

THEODORE W. MYERS, Esq.:

SIR—Having been informed by you that a portion of the upper part of Centre Market in this city is unoccupied at present and might be set apart by the City for the use of the Volunteer Firemen's Association of the City of New York, I hereby acknowledge the courtesy of your offer, and in reply thereto will say that the portion of the building referred to is acceptable to the Association, and they will cheerfully avail themselves of it. Hoping that the matter will receive the favorable consideration of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, I remain

Yours respectfully,

MICHAEL CRANE, President, Volunteer Firemen's Association.

The Comptroller presented the following communication from the Department of Docks, relative to alterations in the plan of Pier, new 24, North river, with report and resolution thereon:

CITY OF NEW YORK—DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
PIER "A," N. R., BATTERY PLACE,
NEW YORK, May 8, 1888.

Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor and Chairman Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

SIR—I have the honor to enclose herewith copy of resolution passed by the Board of Docks on the 4th instant, for changing the dimensions of Pier, new 24, near the foot of Franklin street, North river, together with plans of the same in duplicate, which are respectfully submitted to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, with the request for their early action on the same. The lessees asking for the change have a lease of the pier for ten years, at \$25,000 per year.

This change has been decided upon for the reason that the pier is used by six steamboats engaged in North river transportation business. The length of these boats is such that if they are laid alongside the pier and parallel to its sides, they will extend out from the end of the pier some thirty feet, which is very undesirable and dangerous to the boats themselves and also to passing boats. If, however, the boats are lapped at bow and stern, one outside the other, all six of the boats can be accommodated at the pier.

Yours respectfully,

L. J. N. STARK, President.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund be and they hereby are requested to consent to and approve of the alterations in the dimensions of Pier, new 24, near the foot of Franklin street, North river, from the dimensions as shown on the plans adopted by this Board on the 6th of October, 1887, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the 1st of December, 1887, by the addition of two triangular projections or extensions on the southerly side thereof, and the addition of one triangular projection or extension on the northerly side thereof, as shown on the plans adopted by the Board on the 4th May, 1888.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 28, 1888.

To the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund:

GENTLEMEN—I present herewith a communication from the Department of Docks, submitting a resolution requesting this Board to consent to and approve of certain alterations in the plan of Pier, new 24, North river, near the foot of Franklin street.

The reasons for making the proposed alterations are stated by the Commissioners of Docks, that they will afford greater berth accommodations for the North river steamers of the Homer Ramsdell Transportation Company; and that company has also made a communication explaining the object of these alterations of the pier, which is herewith submitted. I have also had an examination made by Mr. E. E. McLean, Engineer of the Finance Department, to ascertain what objections to the alterations might exist, if any, and he has reported that he considers them judicious.

A resolution of approval is submitted.

Respectfully,

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund do hereby consent to and approve of the alterations in the dimensions of the new pier located near the foot of Franklin street, North river, to be known as Pier, new 24, North river, from the dimensions as shown on the plans adopted by the Commissioners of Docks, October 6, 1887, and approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund December 1, 1887, by the addition of two triangular projections or extensions on the southerly side thereof, and the addition of one triangular projection or extension on the northerly side thereof, as shown on plans adopted by the Commissioners of Docks May 4, 1888, and hereby approved by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund.

The report was accepted and the resolution unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following resolution to pay auctioneer's bill for sale of real estate:

Whereas, At a corporation sale of real estate held at the Real Estate Exchange May 15, 1888, ten lots along the line of the Old Aqueduct were bid in, and a charge of five dollars each lot is made by the auctioneers under the rules of the Exchange.

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn for the sum of fifty dollars, payable from the appropriation entitled "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Expenses of," for 1888, in favor of Van Tassel & Kearney, auctioneers, to pay their bill for lots bid in on account of the City.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following resolution to pay bill for posting notices of sale of real estate:

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn for the sum of \$12, payable from the appropriation entitled "Commissioners of the Sinking Fund—Expenses of," for 1888, in favor of Williams Brothers, to pay bill for posting notices of sale of City real estate, May 15, 1888.

Which was unanimously adopted.

The Comptroller presented the following Act of the Legislature relative to Exterior street, on the East river, and resolution to return the plan thereof to the Department of Docks.

CHAPTER 272.

AN ACT to amend chapter six hundred and ninety-seven of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An act to lay out and establish an exterior street along a portion of the East river, in the City of New York, and to alter the map or plan of the City of New York to conform thereto."

Became a law without the approval of the Governor, in accordance with the provisions of article four, section nine of the Constitution, May 10, 1888. Passed, three-fifths being present.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows: Section 1. Section one of chapter six hundred and ninety-seven of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An act to lay out and establish an exterior street along a portion of the East river in the City of New York, and to alter the map or plan of the City of New York to conform thereto," is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

1. There shall be laid out and completed upon and after the filing of a plan therefor, and as provided by this act, an exterior street of one hundred and fifteen feet in width, extending along the westerly shore of the East river in the City of New York, from the centre line of East Sixty-fourth street, as such line is and would be if extended eastwardly into the East river, to the northerly line of East Eighty-first street, as such line is and would be if extended eastwardly into the East river.

2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Whereas, Chapter 272 of the Laws of 1888 amends chapter 697 of the Laws of 1887, entitled, "An Act to lay out and establish an exterior street along a portion of the East river, in the City of New York, and to alter the map or plan of the City of New York to conform thereto."

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to return to the Department of Docks the plan of an exterior street of one hundred and fifty feet in width extending along the westerly shore of the East river, from the centre line of East Sixty-fourth street as such line is and would be if extended easterly into the East river, to the northerly line of East Eighty-sixth street as such line is and would be if extended easterly into the East river, made in accordance with the provisions of chapter 697 of the Laws of 1887, prepared by the Department of Docks and submitted to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for their approval, October 7, 1887, for the purpose of making such alterations thereof as are provided for by chapter 272 of the Laws of 1888.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

The matter of a sale of certain lots belonging to the City on Eighty-second street and Fourth avenue to the Church of the Redeemer, referred to the Comptroller April 6, and reported on April 27, and then referred back to him for further examination and report, was taken up for consideration, by request of J. W. Shackelford, Rector, and after a hearing of T. R. Horley, Esq., Counsel of the Church, and a general discussion as to the value of the land, the whole subject was referred to the Comptroller and the Recorder to examine and report upon the questions affecting the value of the lots and the legal and equitable rights of the Church.

The Comptroller presented the following schedule of unfinished business before the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, in addition to the statement published in the proceedings of a meeting held March 22, 1887, a number of items in the statement then pending having been since disposed of:

- 1887.
- Mar. 4. Department of Docks—Agreement with G. Banyer, executor, etc., of estate of Harriet B. White, deceased, and others, for sale of wharf property on West street, North river, near Morton street. No action under advice of Counsel to the Corporation.
- " 4. J. C. Barth and Maria G. Barth—Petition for correction of a deed of two lots of land, Ward Nos. 22 and 23, Block 311, in Twelfth Ward, and conveyance of three inches front and rear in excess of the original measurement according to the assessment map. Action suspended.
- " 4. New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company—Proposal to relinquish lease of land occupied as depot on Centre street. Action suspended.

June 17. Board of Education—Application for two lots of land on East Sixty-eighth street, between Lexington and Third avenues. Action suspended.

" 17. East Side Dispensary and Hospital—Petition for appropriation of portions of Essex Market. Action suspended.

Dec. 1. Mores Hirsch—Application for release of part of the Eastern Post road, Forty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues. Under examination.

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Jan. 25. George Bradish—Petition for release of meadow land on East river, One Hundred and Eighth street. Under examination.

Feb. 6. Staten Island Rapid Transit Railroad Company—Proposal to improve landing of ferries, Whitehall street. Action suspended.

" 16. George W. Quintard, George E. Weed, assignees of John Roach, deceased. Petition for release from covenant of grant of land between Ninth and Tenth streets, East river. Counsel to the Corporation has the matter before him.

April 6. Church of the Redeemer—Relative to sale of lots belonging to City on Eighty-second street and Fourth avenue, at private sale, under chapter 101, Laws of 1888. Negotiation pending.

" 27. Claims relative to State taxes—In course of settlement by Counsel to the Corporation.

" 27. Department of Docks—Communication relative to plans for improvement of the waterfront of the city, with special reference to that part extending from Grand to Thirty-fourth street, East river, and an exterior street, from Sixty-fourth to Eighty-sixth street, East river. Under consideration.

" 27. Board of Aldermen—Resolution requesting the establishment of a branch office for the collection of taxes in the upper wards of the city. Before the Counsel to the Corporation.

Which was ordered to be printed in the minutes.

Adjourned.

RICHARD A. STORRS, 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 26, 1888:

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

SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

SUPREME COURT.

Albert W. Harris vs. John Brunton et al. and the Mayor, etc.—To foreclose a lien for oil, etc., furnished Knapman & Hook, used under contract of John Brunton and Dennis Ryan for work upon Sections 13 and 14 of New Aqueduct.

John McQuade, assignee of William T. Croft—For balance claimed to be due for four-inch pipe furnished for hospitals on North Brother Island, between July 3, 1883, and February 16, 1885, \$1,150.

Charles M. Marsh, No. 1—That assessment for Boulevard sewers, Ninety-eighth street to Ninth avenue, on Ward Nos. 27 and 28 and 37 and 38, Block 1146, be declared void and to recover back, etc., \$208.40.

Charles M. Marsh, No. 2—That assessment for Boulevard sewers, Ninety-second to One Hundred and Sixth street, Ward Nos. 27 and 28 and 37 and 38, Block 1146, be declared void and to recover back, etc., \$7.27.

SUPERIOR COURT.

People ex rel. Marie C. Smith vs. Artemus S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears—Mandamus to compel Clerk of Arrears to accept payment of taxes of 1869, 1867 and 1868, on Ward No. 66, Block 597, Twelfth Ward.

People ex rel. John Townsend vs. Artemus S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears—Mandamus to compel Clerk of Arrears, upon receipt of \$10.92, to enter the redemption from sale of Lot No. 357, in One Hundred and Seventeenth street, for assessment for opening Mount Morris Square.

John C. Diefenthaler—Damages for alleged personal injuries resulting from falling on ice on sidewalk at No. 510 West Forty-second street, December 23, 1887, \$10,000.

Marie Hetzer, administratrix of the goods, chattels, credits, and effects of Herman Hetzer, deceased—That assessment for Sixty-sixth street sewer, on Ward No. 4, Block 156, be declared void, and to recover back, etc., \$833.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Isabella S. Tripler—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$3,240.10 after trial before Ingraham, J. Matter of Carl Muller—Order entered directing payment of award into Court and referring to John Berry to ascertain title and liens.

Mayor, etc., vs. The Tenth National Bank—General Term order and judgment of affirmance entered in favor of defendant and for \$110.30.

Jacob Lagowitz—Order entered sustaining demurrer to defense contained in sixth paragraph of answer with costs, and overruling demurrer to seventh paragraph of answer, with leave to plaintiff to withdraw same within twenty days, etc.

Bertha C. L. Scheller—Order entered sustaining demurrer to defense contained in sixth paragraph of answer with costs, and overruling demurrer to seventh paragraph of answer with leave to plaintiff to withdraw same within twenty days, etc.

Charles E. Sims—Order entered sustaining demurrer to defense contained in sixth paragraph of answer with costs, and overruling demurrer to seventh paragraph of answer, with leave to plaintiff to withdraw same within twenty days, etc.

Daniel Schoonmaker—Order entered sustaining demurrer to defense contained in sixth paragraph of answer with costs, and overruling demurrer to seventh paragraph of answer, with leave to plaintiff to withdraw same within twenty days, etc.

James F. Ruggles—Order entered sustaining demurrer to defense contained in sixth paragraph of answer with costs, and overruling demurrer to seventh paragraph of answer, with leave to plaintiff to withdraw same within twenty days, etc.

Isaac Bernheimer and another—Order entered sustaining demurrer to defense contained in sixth paragraph of answer with costs, and overruling demurrer to seventh paragraph of answer, with leave to plaintiff to withdraw same within twenty days, etc.

James A. C. Gray—Order entered sustaining demurrer to defense contained in sixth paragraph of answer with costs, and overruling demurrer to seventh paragraph of answer, with leave to plaintiff to withdraw same within twenty days, etc.

Daniel Frey, guardian, etc.—Order entered vacating order of May 17, instant.

Mayor, etc., vs. Emma L. Van Ness et al.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs and canceling lis pendens.

People ex rel. The Third Avenue Railroad Company vs. John Newton, Commissioner of Public Works—Entered General Term order of reversal and denying application with costs and disbursements.

Leonard W. Johnson—Entered General Term order of reversal and directing new trial with costs to abide the event.

Mayor, etc., vs. The Third Avenue Railroad Company—Entered General Term order and judgment of affirmance in favor of the City and for \$105.62 costs, etc.

Matter Metropolitan Transit Company—Entered order of reversal and denying application of petitioner.

In re Chauncey M. Brainerd, Tenth avenue sewers—Order entered denying application and dismissing petition with \$10 costs.

James Connolly—Order entered discontinuing action without costs, by consent.

Mayor, etc., vs. Twenty-third Street Railway Company—Order entered denying motion for new trial.

Jaspar P. Roe—Order entered denying motion for new trial, and to set aside verdict.

People ex rel. Manhattan Railway Company vs. Tax Commissioners—General Term order entered affirming, so much of the Special Term order as provides for a reference; in all other respects reversing same without costs to either party.

People ex rel. New York Elevated Railroad Company vs. Tax Commissioners—General Term order entered affirming so much of the Special Term order as provides for a reference; in all other respects reversing same without costs to either party.

In re Mary W. Lester, Fifty-sixth street paving—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Mary W. Lester, Fifty-sixth street curbing, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Mary W. Lester, regulating, etc., Fifty-sixth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Mary W. Lester, regulating, etc., Madison avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Mary W. Lester, paving Madison avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

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Bernard Cohen and another, executors, paving Fourth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

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William H. Gebhard, paving Fourth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

Joseph F. Barnard, executor, paving Fourth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

Eva B. Gebhard, paving Fourth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Dore Lyon, Morningside avenue, East, regulating, etc.—Order entered denying motion and dismissing petition with \$10 costs to City.

In re John M. Livingston, Morningside avenue, East, Regulating, etc.—Order entered denying motion and dismissing petition with \$10 costs to City.

In re Michael Almer, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Isadore Abraham and another, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Estate of John H. Bloodgood, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

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In re John H. Kiker, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Jacob Ruppert, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Caroline M. Sewell, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Abraham Steers, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Mary A. Sheehan, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

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In re Sarah M. Wentworth, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Mary A. Wood, executrix, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

In re Frederick W. Wehrenberg, Fourth avenue paving—Order entered dismissing petition upon motion made before Lawrence, J.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Matter Equitable Life Assurance Society, One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street opening award, etc.—Reference to ascertain title and liens proceeded and closed; R. H. Smith for the City.

Matter New York and Harlem Railroad Company, land at depot—Hearing before the Commissioners proceeded and closed; D. J. Dean for the City.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes, vs. George F. Gantz—Tried before Freedman, J., and jury; judgment directed for plaintiff for \$133.16; D. J. Dean for the City.

James Kelly vs. William A. Clark—Tried before Ehrlich, J., and jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$200; E. L. Abbott for the City.

Matter Jacob Stout and another, Railroad avenue, East, award—Reference proceeded and closed; R. H. Smith for the City.

Charles Lehman vs. Artemus S. Cady, Clerk of Arrears et al.—Motion for stay argued before Dugro, J.; Court took papers; W. Carmalt for the City.

Denis Moran—Reference proceeded and adjourned to 29th, at 2 P. M.; W. Carmalt for the City.

People ex rel. William Gibson vs. Police Commissioners—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for the City.

John B. Stevens—Tried before Dugro, J.; decision reserved; G. L. Sterling for the City.

Matter Mary Whiteman, New Aqueduct award—Attended before Referee W. T. Cox to ascertain title, etc.; Mr. Henschel for the City.

Mayor, etc., vs. Twenty-third Street Railway Company—Motion for new trial made at General Term, denied; Thomas Allison for the City.

People ex rel. Patrick McGuire vs. Thomas Byrnes—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; W. L. Turner for the City.

In re James Harrison vs. Bockhorn, Forty-eighth street sewer—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; G. L. Sterling for the City.

People ex rel. Henry Farley vs. Park Commissioners—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; W. L. Turner for the City.

People ex rel. Patrick J. Flynn vs. Park Commissioners—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; W. L. Turner for the City.

In re Mary H. Lester, Fifty-sixth street paving—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Mary H. Lester, Fifty-sixth street curbing, etc.—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Mary H. Lester, regulating, etc., Fifty-sixth street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Mary H. Lester, regulating, etc., Madison avenue—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Mary H. Lester, paving Madison avenue—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

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In re William H. Gebhard, paving Fourth avenue—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

Broadway and Seventh Avenue Railroad Co. (snow case)—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; P. J. Dean for the City.

In re Michael Almer, Fourth avenue paving—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

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Twenty-third Street Railway Company (snow case)—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; D. J. Dean for the City.

HENRY R. BECKMAN, Counsel to the Corporation.

BOARD OF REVISION AND CORRECTION OF ASSESSMENTS.

A meeting of the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments was held at the Comptroller's office, on Friday, May 25, 1888, at 1.10 o'clock P. M.

Present—Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller; Henry R. Beckman, Counsel to the Corporation; Frederick Smyth, Recorder.

The minutes of the meeting held May 3, 1888, were read and approved.

The Comptroller presented the following assessment lists received from the Board of Assessors, under date of May 14, 1888, viz.:

1. Sewer and appurtenances in the Southern Boulevard, from North Third to Lincoln avenue.
2. Sixty-fifth street regulating, grading, setting curb-stones and flagging, from First avenue to Avenue A.
3. One Hundred and Seventh street paving with granite-block pavement, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.
4. Manhattan avenue curbing and flagging, on east side of, between One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-third streets.
5. Seventieth street flagging, on both sides of, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.
6. One Hundred and Eighteenth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Sixth to Seventh avenue, and laying crosswalks.
7. Seventy-fourth street paving with trap-block pavement, between the Boulevard and Eleventh avenue.
8. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Fourteenth and One Hundred Fifteenth streets, Fifth and Sixth avenues.
9. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and First and One Hundred and Second streets, First and Second avenues.
10. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Fifteenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets, Seventh and Eighth avenues.
11. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundred and Thirteenth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, Fifth and Sixth avenues.
12. Fencing vacant lots on east side of St. Nicholas avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Forty-first street.
13. Fencing vacant lots on the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, between Fifth and Sixth avenues.

14. Fencing vacant lots on the block bounded by Madison and Fifth avenues, and One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Eleventh streets.

15. Fencing vacant lots on the Western Boulevard, east side, between Manhattan and One Hundred and Twenty-ninth streets.

The foregoing assessment lists being in proper form and no objections having been filed, on motion, the same were severally confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The following assessment lists were presented by the Comptroller having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of May 23, 1888, viz.:

1. One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street paving with trap-block pavement, between Eighth and St. Nicholas avenues.

2. Sixty-eighth street paving with trap-block pavement, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard.

3. Fencing vacant lots on east side of Western Boulevard, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

4. Fencing vacant lots on west side of Western Boulevard, from One Hundred and Fourteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

5. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Lexington and Fourth avenues, Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets.

6. Fencing vacant lots on the northeast corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Fourth street.

7. Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Fifty-sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

8. Setting curb-stones on the west side of Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets.

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

10. Sewer in Seventy-sixth street, between Avenue A and East river.

11. Flagging sidewalks on One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Boulevard.

12. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, with branch in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets.

13. Sewer in One Hundred and Fourth street, between West End and Riverside avenues.

14. Ninety-ninth street paving with trap-block pavement, and laying crosswalks, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue.

15. Fifth street setting and resetting curb stones and flagging, from Lewis street to the East river bulkhead.

16. Sewer in East Gramercy place, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets.

17. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundredth and One Hundred and First streets, First and Second avenues.

18. Sewers in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fifth streets.

19. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets, Madison and Fourth avenues.

20. Sewer in Ninety-first street, between Avenue A and First avenue.

The foregoing assessment lists being in proper form and no objections having been filed, on motion, the same were severally confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The assessment list for sewer in One Hundred and Forty-third street, between Boulevard and Hamilton place (Diagonal avenue), with branches in Hamilton place, between One Hundred and Forty-second and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets, and objections of George W. Ellis, attorney, were presented by the Comptroller, having been received from the Board of Assessors, under date of May 16, 1888.

Mr. Stratton, representing Mr. Ellis, was heard, and objected to the apportionment of the assessment on his property, and Col. Gilon, Chairman of the Board of Assessors, was heard in explanation.

After consideration, on motion, the objections were overruled, and the assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The assessment list for paving One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street with granite-block pavement, from Avenue St. Nicholas to St. Nicholas place, and objections of F. A. Thayer, attorney, ordered to be referred back to the Board of Assessors at meeting of February 17, 1888, were presented by the Comptroller having been returned by the Board of Assessors, under date of May 16, 1888, together with a report of J. McIntire Smith, the surveyor of the work, dated March 17, 1888.

The Board of Assessors reported that from the statement of the surveyor and a re-examination of the paving they have reapportioned the assessment and advertised the same for objections, and that no objections have been filed to the apportionment as now made.

After consideration, on motion, the said assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller presented the assessment list for paving with trap-block pavement, Willis avenue, from the Southern Boulevard to North Third avenue, and objections of Clayton C. Greenlee, received from the Board of Assessors under date of May 14, 1888.

Upon consideration, no one appearing in opposition after notice, on motion, the said objections were overruled and the assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The Comptroller presented the assessment list for regulating and grading, setting and resetting curb and gutter stones, and laying and relaying flagging, and laying crosswalks in East One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, between North Third avenue and Brook avenue, with record of awards for damages to buildings for change in grade on the line, and applications of Michael Kelly and John R. M. Sheil for awards for damages to their property, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of May 16, 1888.

The said assessment list being in proper form and no objections having been filed, on motion the same was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The assessment list for constructing the Mill Brook drains and appurtenances, between One Hundred and Forty-fourth street and Westchester avenue, and objections of Matthew Hicks, were presented by the Comptroller, having been received from the Board of Assessors under date of May 14, 1888.

Upon consideration, no one appearing in opposition after notice, on motion the said objections were overruled and the assessment list was confirmed, all the members of the Board voting in the affirmative.

The matter of the application of Francis Blessing for an award for damages by reason of the closing of Ninety-eighth street in the city of New York, between the easterly and westerly lines of the Fourth avenue, was presented to the Board by Mr. Charles H. Kitchel, attorney for Mr. Blessing, together with a certified copy of an Act of the Legislature (chapter 228, Laws of 1888), and a brief and affidavits in the case.

On motion of the Counsel to the Corporation, it was

Resolved, That the application of Mr. Blessing be referred to the Comptroller to take proof of the matters set forth therein; that the applicant produce his witnesses and proofs for examination on notice to the Counsel to the Corporation, who shall have the right to cross-examine the witnesses for the applicant and to offer testimony and proofs in behalf of the city, and that the Comptroller report to this Board all the testimony and proofs that may be so offered.

At 1.45 P. M., on motion, the Board adjourned.

RICHARD A. STORRS,
Chief Clerk Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,
Nos. 49 and 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 25, 1888.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following abstract of the transactions of this Department for the week ending May 20, 1888:

Streets Swept.		
	Miles.	Feet.
By Department.....	580	1,180
By contract, Lower Broadway.....	15	
By contract, First District.....	201	2,640
By contract, Second District.....	320	4,290
Totals.....	1,117	2,830
Material Removed.		
		Loads.
Ashes.....		16,470
Street dirt.....		6,548
Department of Public Works.....		514
Markets.....		176
Permits.....		3,937
Total.....		27,645

Final Disposition.

	Loads.
33 dumpers at sea.....	13,350
15 deck scows at Gowanus.....	5,905
11 deck scows at Newtown creek.....	4,399
4 deck scows at Harlem.....	1,410
1 deck scow at Fort Lee.....	407
1 deck scow at Staten Island.....	452
Total.....	25,983

Appointments.

Keran Coughlin, Laborer, Twenty-second Precinct.
Patrick Lally, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
William Carroll, Hired Cart, Sixteenth Precinct.
Charles R. Geddes, Department Cart Driver.
Michael Murray, Laborer, Twentieth Precinct.
James Hemp, Scowman, Scow No. 42.
John Cullen, Laborer, Eighteenth Precinct.
John Welsh, Department Cart Driver.
Patrick McKenna, Department Cart Driver.
Rhinehold Buge, Department Cart Driver.
Thomas Murphy, Department Cart Driver.
W. H. Burns, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
Herman Spatz, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
John Casey, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
Michael Halian, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
Thomas Fitzpatrick, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
Christopher Lestrangle, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.

Died.

John Broderick, Laborer, Twenty-sixth Precinct.

Removals.

Michael Burke, Laborer, Sixteenth Precinct.
John Gibbins, Laborer, Eighteenth Precinct.
Thomas Seward, Laborer, Eighteenth Precinct.
Peter Loran, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
Frank McNally, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
Patrick McGuire, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
John Slansby, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
D. Welch, Laborer, Twenty-first Precinct.
Patrick McManus, Laborer, Twenty-second Precinct.
John Cahill, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
James Healy, Laborer, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
Ed. Lynch, Hired Cart, Twenty-fifth Precinct.
M. Lyons, Laborer, Twenty-seventh Precinct.
F. McQuade, Laborer, Thirtieth Precinct.
Theo. Williams, Special Laborer.
James Brady, Department Cart Driver.
R. Dobson, Department Cart Driver.
Michael Duffy, Department Cart Driver.
Thomas Tracey, Department Cart Driver.
Matthew Hickey, Department Cart Driver.
John Lynch, Department Cart Driver.
Thomas Lynch, Department Cart Driver.
P. Lyons, Department Cart Driver.
J. Wickham, Department Cart Driver.
William Quince, Department Cart Driver.
S. White, Department Cart Driver.
P. Waters, Department Cart Driver.

Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning," for the year 1888:

Schedule No. 41—	
American District Telegraph Co.....	\$9 67
Connolly, John E.....	725 55
Canale, Ignatius.....	417 00
Coates, John R.....	153 00
Dailey, John D.....	305 00
Drammond, M. J.....	148 42
Early, John & Co.....	12 00
Fay, Michael.....	560 00
Gutta Percha and Rubber Mfg. Co.....	90 00
Hopkins & Russell.....	70 85
Kelly Bros.....	97 00
Moran, Michael.....	686 50
Sullivan, John W.....	881 39
Short, W. G. & Co.....	24 25
Thos. P. Tone.....	10 01
White & Co.....	97 99
Total.....	\$4,488 63

Schedule No. 42—	
Falkenbrenner, C. P.....	\$45 00
Moran, Michael.....	653 00
Platt & Washburn Refining Co.....	13 00
Ross & Sandford.....	350 00
Total.....	\$1,061 00

Pay Rolls

—audited and transmitted to Finance Department for payment, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning," for the year 1888:

Schedule No. 42—	
Wages of laborers, cartmen, etc., for half month ending May 15, 1888.....	\$23,199 69

Moneys Received

—and transmitted to the City Chamberlain:	
Trimming scows.....	\$335 39

Very respectfully,

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 22d day of May, 1888.

Present—Commissioners French, McClave, Voorhis and MacLean.

Certain proposed resolutions, changing boundaries of certain election districts and increasing the number, were ordered to be published for ten days in the CITY RECORD, as follows:

Whereas, By section 1847 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882 (New York Consolidation Act), it is provided that the Board of Police may, on or before the fifth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two, and in each second year thereafter, divide such election districts and such only as by the registration of voters of the two preceding years shall be found to have had an average registration of more than four hundred voters; therefore

Resolved, That the following-named election districts, in the several assembly districts named, be divided, as hereinafter described, viz.:

The Fourteenth Election District of the Third Assembly District.
The Twentieth Election District of the Fourth Assembly District.
The Seventh and Twentieth Election Districts of the Tenth Assembly District.
The Twelfth Election District of the Fifteenth Assembly District.
The Twenty-second Election District of the Sixteenth Assembly District.
The Twenty-eighth Election District of the Eighteenth Assembly District.
The Thirteenth, Seventeenth, Eighteenth, Twenty-third, Twenty-fourth, Twenty-fifth, Twenty-seventh, Twenty-ninth, Thirty-third, Thirty-fourth and Thirty-seventh Election Districts of the Nineteenth Assembly District.

tion thereof, bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Eighth street, Second avenue, East One Hundred and Seventh street and Third avenue, shall be known and designated as the Seventy-fourth Election District.

The Forty-third Election District of the Twenty-third Assembly District shall be divided as follows: So much of said district as is bounded by and lies within East One Hundred and Second street, East river, East Ninety-ninth street and Third avenue shall retain the original number and be known as the Forty-third Election District, and the remaining portion thereof, bounded by and lying within East One Hundred and Third street, Second avenue, East One Hundred and Fourth street, East river, East One Hundred and Second street and Third avenue, shall be known and designated as the Seventy-fifth Election District.

Adjourned.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps lighted in Ninety-seventh street, from the Boulevard to the Riverside Drive, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 14, 1888.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 14, 1888.

Resolved, That the vacant lots in block bounded by One Hundred and Seventh and One Hundred and Eighth streets, Tenth avenue to Boulevard, be fenced in, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 14, 1888.

Resolved, That One Hundred and Tenth street, from First avenue to Pleasant avenue, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set and the sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 14, 1888.

Resolved, That Park avenue be numbered and renumbered, from Thirty-second street to the Harlem river, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 14, 1888.

Resolved, That the sidewalk on the north side of Sixty-fifth street, between the Eighth and Ninth avenues, be flagged full width, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 14, 1888.

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues, be paved with granite-block pavement, except that a crosswalk of three courses of blue stone be laid at or near the intersection of said avenues, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 14, 1888.

Resolved, That the roadways of St. Nicholas avenue, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to its intersection with Tenth avenue and Kingsbridge road, from its intersection with Tenth avenue to One Hundred and Ninetieth street, be paved with Macadam pavement, with Telford foundation, "except that the gutters be paved four feet wide with trap-block pavement, and that the space included between the lines of the gutters nearest the centre of the roadway and the crosswalks at the intersecting streets be also paved with trap-block pavement," and that crosswalks be laid on the east and west sides thereof at the intersecting streets, where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, May 14, 1888.

Be it ordained, by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, in Common Council convened:

That section 5 of article II. of chapter 2 of the Revised Ordinances of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, be amended so as to read as follows: "Sec. 5. He shall, without delay, deliver to the Mayor all ordinances and resolutions under his charge which are required by law to be approved by the Mayor, with all papers on which the same were founded. The Clerk shall not deliver to the Mayor any resolution which is a request addressed to the Governor, Legislature, or any other body, or to any head of a department or other federal, state or principal officer for action on the request of the Board of Aldermen, but he shall, without delay, deliver a copy of all such resolutions to the official or Board of whom the request is made by the Board of Aldermen. No resolution which refuses the prayer of any petition shall be delivered to the Mayor, but all such resolutions shall be filed.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1888.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 16, 1888, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, May 31, 1888.

Whereas, It is provided in and by section 12 of chapter 718 of the Laws of 1887, entitled "An Act to provide for the recording and indexing of conveyances and instruments relating to land in the City of New York according to limited areas," as amended by chapter 321 of the Laws of 1888, that if it shall be determined by the Mayor of said city and the Register of the City and County of New York that said act cannot go into operation at the time designated therefor by the said Mayor, under the provisions of the first-mentioned act, by reason of the non-completion of the map or indices referred to in said act, or for any other reason, thereupon the said Mayor, by notice published in the CITY RECORD in said City of New York for thirty days prior to the expiration of the time designated by said Mayor, may further extend the time for said act to go into operation and for the books, maps and indices in said act referred to to be completed to a date not later than the first day of July, 1889, and that said act upon such publication shall thereupon

go into operation in said Register's Office at the time so to be designated by said Mayor; and Whereas, The said Mayor and Register have determined that said act cannot go into operation at the extended time designated by said Mayor, therefore, by reason of the non-completion of said map and indices, and for other reasons:

Now, therefore, I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, do hereby give notice that I have extended and do hereby extend the time for said act to go into operation, and for said maps and indices to be completed, to the first day of July, 1889, which is hereby designated by me as the date upon which the said act shall go into operation in said Register's Office.

ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 10, 1888.

I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 10 of the Laws of 1888, do hereby designate the Sun, Herald, Times, World, Star, Tribune, Journal, Press, Evening Post, Commercial Ad-

vertiser, Graphic, Telegram, Evening Sun, Evening World, Mail and Express, Staats Zeitung, New Yorker Zeitung and Daily News as the newspapers in which the advertisements provided for in said act may be printed.

(Signed), ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.

EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT.

DISTRICT COURT IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK
FOR THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT,
S. W. COR. 7TH AVE. AND 22D ST.,
June 1, 1888.

Hon. THOMAS COSTIGAN,
Supervisor of the City Record:

DEAR SIR—Please take notice that I have this day appointed Joseph C. Fredericks as Janitor in the Eighth Judicial District Court, in place of Thomas Kenny, removed.

Yours, respectfully,

JOHN JEROMELOMAN,
Justice Eighth Judicial District Court.

CITY COURT—TRIAL TERM, PART I.

In view of the alterations going on in the old City Hall, the April term of Part I. of the City Court will be held in room known as Part III. of the Superior Court in the New Court-house.

By order of the Court.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor City Record:

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

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

Yours respectfully,

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor:

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

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

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

Very respectfully,

LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.
Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. FITZ SHERRMAN, JAMES DALY.

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

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE H. FORSTER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.
City Library.
No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
D. N. CARVALHO, 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 Incubrances.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN RICHARDSON, Superintendent.
Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.
MARTIN J. KEENE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.
No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THEODORE W. MYERS, 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. KEENE, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.
GRAHAM MCADAM, Chief Clerk.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building.
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

Nos. 27, 29 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 12 P. M.
HENRY R. BECKMAN, 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 12 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'ORCH, Superintendent of Buildings.
Attorney to Department.
WM. L. FINDLEY.
Fire Alarm Telegraph.
J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.
Central Office open at all hours.
Repair Shops
Nos. 128 and 130 West Third Street.
JOHN CASTLES, Foreman-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Hospital Stables.
Ninety-ninth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.
JOSEPH SHEA, Foreman-in-Charge.
Open at all hours.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.
Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
J. HAMPTON ROSS, 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. KAMBLE, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M., daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to June 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.
49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEAROLD, Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HOKNER, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.
Cooper Union.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

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

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

BOARD OF EXCISE
No. 64 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. SEYMOUR, 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.
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; JAMES MCCABE, 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 M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EDWARDS, 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 BUREN, 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. 12, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, ———, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, 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. LARROMER, 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.
Term, first Monday each month.
JOHN STARKES, 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; MICHAEL T. DALY, 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 B. DEANE, 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—Eleventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice.

Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No. 14 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.
SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice.

Seventh District—Nineteenth and Twenty-second Wards, No. 131 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock, excepting Sundays and legal holidays; and continues to the close of business.
AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.

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

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

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.

Eleventh District—No. 918 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.
THOMAS E. MURRAY, 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.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 65 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.

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
The Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 9, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boots, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wine, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, bonnets, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.
JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 145 Grand street, on Wednesday, June 6, 1888, at 8 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.
By order of the Chairman.
ARTHUR McMULLIN, Secretary.

Dated New York, May 31, 1888.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR INCREASED FACILITIES TO THE WASH-HOUSE, ETC., EMBRACING BOILER-HOUSE, LAUNDRY AND PRINTING OFFICE, NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR INSANE, WARD'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third avenue, New York, until 3 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, June 6, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Increased Facilities to the Wash-house, etc., New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; and 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 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 will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons for whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be in and to the satisfaction of the Controller of the City of New York, and shall be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or 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 FIVE PER CENTUM OF THE AMOUNT OF SECURITY REQUIRED FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THE CONTRACT. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded.

If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to 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 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.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract. BIDDERS ARE INFORMED THAT NO DEVIATION FROM THE SPECIFICATIONS WILL BE ALLOWED, UNLESS UNDER THE WRITTEN INSTRUCTIONS OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, where the plans will be on exhibition for the information of bidders.

Dated New York, May 24, 1888.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN THE ERECTION OF A BUILDING FOR THE ACCOMMODATION OF ATTENDANTS, AND WORKSHOPS FOR THE INSANE, NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM, WARD'S ISLAND, N. Y.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 3 o'clock A. M. of Wednesday, June 6, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Materials and Work Required in the Erection of a Building for the Accommodation of Attendants, and Workshops for the Insane, New York City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWELVE THOUSAND (\$12,000) dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by 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 will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons for whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be in and to the satisfaction of the Controller of the City of New York, and shall be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or 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 FIVE PER CENTUM OF THE AMOUNT OF SECURITY REQUIRED FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THE CONTRACT. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded.

If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to 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 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.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

BIDDERS ARE INFORMED THAT NO DEVIATION FROM THE SPECIFICATIONS WILL BE ALLOWED, UNLESS UNDER THE WRITTEN INSTRUCTIONS OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, where the plans will be on exhibition for the information of bidders.

Dated New York, May 24, 1888.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED IN THE ERECTION OF A BUILDING FOR THE ACCOMMODATION OF ATTENDANTS, LUNATIC ASYLUM, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications

and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A.M. of Wednesday, June 6, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Building for Attendants, etc., Lunatic Asylum, B. I." and with his or her name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or her bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oaths, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall be ascertained by the Controller, and his acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or 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 FIVE PER CENTUM OF THE AMOUNT OF SECURITY REQUIRED FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THE CONTRACT. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of his deposit will 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 provide such proper security as has been heretofore stated to be required, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, 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 instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

The form of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, where the plans will be on exhibition for the information of bidders.

Dated New York, May 24, 1888.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLYING AND LAYING CAST-IRON PIPES, HYDRANTS, GATES, ETC., SUPPLYING AND LAYING SEWER PIPES AND SUB-IRRIGATION TILES, CONSTRUCTING MANHOLES AND SEWAGE TANKS, SUPPLYING AND SETTING UP STEAM PUMPS, WELLS, CONNECTIONS, ETC., AT CENTRAL ISLIP, LONG ISLAND, N. Y.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A.M. of Wednesday, June 6, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Supplying and

Laying Cast-iron Pipes, etc., at Central Islip, Long Island, N. Y.," and with his or her name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or her bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of NINE THOUSAND (\$9,000) dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oaths, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall be ascertained by the Controller, and his acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or 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 FIVE PER CENTUM OF THE AMOUNT OF SECURITY REQUIRED FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THE CONTRACT. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of his deposit will 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 provide such proper security as has been heretofore stated to be required, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

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

The form of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, where the plans will be on exhibition for the information of bidders.

Dated New York, May 24, 1888.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR THE PURCHASE OF A PROPELLER STEAM LAUNCH.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A.M. of Wednesday, June 6, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for the Purchase of a Propeller Steam Launch," and with his or her name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded

will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or her bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) dollars.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oaths, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or 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 FIVE PER CENTUM OF THE AMOUNT OF SECURITY REQUIRED FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THE CONTRACT. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of his deposit will 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 provide such proper security as has been heretofore stated to be required, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, 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 INSTRUCTIONS OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

The form of agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department, where the plans will be on exhibition for the information of bidders.

Dated New York, May 24, 1888.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President,
HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.
10,000 pounds Dairy Butter: sample on exhibition, Friday, June 1, 1888.
1,500 barrels Crackers.
1,000 pounds Cocoa.
10,000 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
6,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
40 dozen Canned Peas.
4,000 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
30 pieces Bacon, prime, City Cured, to average about 6 pounds each.
40 Hams, prime quality, City Cured, to average about 14 pounds each.
80 Tongues, prime quality, City Cured, to average about 6 pounds each.
614 barrels good sound White Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.
50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, to weigh 100 pounds net per barrel.
200 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.
1,600 pounds prime good sized Cabbage.
100 barrels prime Medium sized Onions, to weigh 100 pounds net per barrel.
100 barrels prime Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed 3 pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
1,000 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.

CROCKERY.
2 gross Mule Urinals.
10 gross Dinner Plates.
5 gross Cups.

DRY GOODS.
4,500 yards Blue Denim.
2,000 yards White Flannel.
200 yards Table Linen.
800 yards Huck Toweling.
40 dozen White Spool Cotton, O. N. T., No. 50.

HARDWARE, IRON, TIN, ETC.
6 dozen Sand Stones.
25 stones Bright Broom Wire, No. 18.
5 boxes first quality IXRX, 14 x 20.

4 boxes first quality Charcoal Tin, 14 x 20.
4 boxes first quality Roofing Tin.
5 bundles first quality R. G. Iron, No. 24, 24 x 34.
5 bundles first quality R. G. Iron, No. 24, 26 x 34.
20 pieces first quality Black Iron, 2 x 16.
200 pounds first quality Sail Twine.
30 dozen Bath Bricks.
25 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil, 150° test.

LEATHER AND FINDINGS.
250 sides Waxed Kip Leather, prime quality, to average about 17 feet.
250 sides Waxed Upper Leather, prime quality, to average about 17 feet.
100 bunches Leather Shoe Laces.
200 pounds Shoe Tacks, first quality, 2 oz.

LUMBER.
2,500 square feet Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, first quality, clear, thoroughly seasoned, edged or vertical grained, tongued, grooved and dressed one side, 3 1/2" x 14".
2,500 superficial feet Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, first quality, clear, thoroughly seasoned, edged or vertical grained, tongued, grooved and dressed one side, 3" x 14".
50 pieces Spruce, first quality, 2 x 16.
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 Saturday, June 2, 1888. 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, etc.," with his or her 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 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 her bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent of the ESTIMATED amount of the contract.

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

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall 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 re-advertised 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 exhibited 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 write out the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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

Dated New York, May 24, 1888.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, May 23, 1888.

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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Julius Burn,
aged 46 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair
and eyes. Had on when admitted dark coat, vest and
pants, colored shirt, shoes, derby hat.

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from No. 81 Mulberry
street—Unknown woman, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 3
inches high; dark brown hair mixed with gray, blue
eyes. Had on dark coat, black jersey, blue striped
calico waist, brown skirt, gray stockings, buttoned
gaiters.

Unknown man, from Pier 35, East river; aged about
40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair. Had on dark
pea jacket, dark vest and pants, blue striped hickory
shirt, gray knickerbockers, white muslin drawers, gray
socks, brown shoes.

Unknown man, from Battery Park; aged about 23
years; 5 feet 6 inches high; light brown hair; gray
eyes. Had on brown diagonal coat, gray-mixed vest
and pants, red and blue striped calico shirt, black and
gray barred socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Perry street; aged about
25 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair; gray
eyes. Had on black diagonal coat, dark vest and pants,
white shirt, white cotton socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Twenty-sixth street, East
river; aged about 20 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; hair
washed off head; iron-gray whiskers and moustache.
Had on dark ribbed overcoat, dark vest and pants, white
knit undershirt and drawers, white cotton socks, gaiters.

Unknown man, from foot of Eighty-fourth street, East
river; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; hair
washed off head; gray moustache and imperial. Had on
white shirt, white knit undershirt, dark striped vest and
pants, red stockings, gaiters.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Catharine
Toner, aged 45 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes
and hair. Had on when admitted black merino cloak,
skirt and waist, laced shoes, black woolen hood.

John Church, aged 57 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray
eyes and hair. Had on when admitted dark coat, brown
vest, gray pants, laced shoes, brown cap.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.
By order,
G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

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No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, May 23, 1888.

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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 Com-
missioners of Public Charities and Correction report as
follows:

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from No. 27 Bowery
Unknown man, aged about 20 years; 5 feet 5 inches
high; dark hair, gray eyes. Had on black diagonal
coat, dark pants and vest, white shirt, red flannel un-
dershirt and drawers, white socks, gaiters; anchor and
letters G. B. tattooed on arm.

Unknown man, from foot of Clarkson street, aged about
40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; hair washed off head;
dark whiskers. Had on check jumper, brown cardigan
jacket, white knit undershirt and drawers, gray socks,
gaiters.

Unknown man, from Fourth Precinct Station-house,
aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair,
blue eyes, sandy chin beard. Had on black overcoat,
dark vest, brown pants, cloth shoes, gaiters.

At Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Frank Hoffman,
aged 36 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair and
eyes. Had on when received black coat, gray pants,
blue overalls, black vest, brown cardigan jacket, brown
socks, derby hat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Bowen,
aged 20 years. Committed March 6, 1888.
Louis Brown, aged 31 years. Committed February
23, 1888.

Mary Nelson, aged 31 years. Committed May 2, 1888.
Thomas Leahy, aged 65 years. Committed March 8,
1888.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Brady,
aged 27 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; blue eyes, brown
hair. Had on when admitted gray coat, brown pants
and vest, laced gaiters, black derby hat.

Nicholas Zerke, aged 53 years; 5 feet 7 inches high;
blue eyes, black hair. Had on when admitted black
coat and vest, gray striped pants, laced shoes, black
derby hat.

George Corless, aged 47 years; 5 feet 6 inches high;
brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black
coat, pants and vest, blucher shoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.
By order
G. F. BRITTON,
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 com-
pleted and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assess-
ors, for examination by all persons interested, viz:

List 2631, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbs-
tones and flagging One Hundred and Forty-seventh
street, from Eighth avenue to the first new avenue west.
List 2632, No. 2. Paving Eighty-fourth street, from
Eighth to Ninth avenue, with granite-blocks.

List 2640, No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-
fifth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with trap-
blocks.

List 2644, No. 4. Regulating, grading, curbing and
flagging in One Hundred and Thirtieth street, from
Eighth to Ninth avenue.

List 2653, No. 5. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-
fourth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with trap-
blocks.

List 2665, No. 6. Paving Manhattan avenue, between
One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Sixth
streets, with granite-blocks.

List 2666, No. 7. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-
seventh street, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue, with
granite-blocks.

List 2670, No. 8. Paving Eighty-first street, from Ave-
nue A to Avenue B, with trap-blocks.

List 2671, No. 9. Paving Ninety-fourth street, from
Ninth to Tenth avenue, with granite-blocks.

List 2670, No. 10. Fencing vacant lots on the block
bounded by One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred
and Eleventh streets, Seventh and Eighth avenues.

List 2681, No. 11. Regulating, grading, curbing and
flagging in Fort George avenue, from Tenth to Eleventh
avenue.

List 2685, No. 12. Regulating, grading, curbing and
flagging in Ninety-first street, from Eighth to Ninth
avenue.

List 2686, No. 13. Flagging on south side of One Hun-
dred and Thirty-fifth street, from Eighth to St. Nicholas
avenue.

List 2687, No. 14. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-sixth and One Hundred and
Thirty-seventh streets, Fifth and Sixth avenues.

List 2688, No. 15. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2689, No. 16. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2690, No. 17. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2691, No. 18. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2692, No. 19. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2693, No. 20. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2694, No. 21. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2695, No. 22. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2696, No. 23. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2697, No. 24. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2698, No. 25. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2699, No. 26. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2700, No. 27. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2701, No. 28. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2702, No. 29. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2703, No. 30. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2704, No. 31. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2705, No. 32. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2706, No. 33. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2707, No. 34. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2708, No. 35. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2709, No. 36. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2710, No. 37. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2711, No. 38. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

List 2712, No. 39. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded
by One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred
and Thirty-third streets, Tenth avenue and Broadway.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees for the Seventh Ward, at the
Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Friday, June 15, 1888, for
Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Building
No. 31; also Sanitary Alterations, etc., in Grammar
School Building No. 12; also for Heating Apparatus
Alterations, etc., in Grammar School Building No. 31.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 29, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees of the First Ward, at the Hall
of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until
Thursday, June 14, and until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on said day,
for Repairs, Alterations, etc., to be made at Grammar
School Building No. 29.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 1, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees of the Fifth Ward, at the Hall
of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until
Thursday, June 14, and until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on said
day, for Heating Apparatus Alterations, etc., to be
made in Grammar School Building No. 44 and Primary
School Building No. 11.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 1, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees for the Tenth Ward, at the
Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 13, 1888,
for Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School
Buildings Nos. 7, 20, 42 and Primary School Building
No. 1.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 1, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees for the Tenth Ward, at the
Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, June 13, 1888,
for Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School
Buildings Nos. 20, 42 and Primary School Building
No. 1; also for New Furniture for Grammar School
Building No. 42.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

Dated New York, June 1, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees of the Fifth Ward, at the Hall
of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until Thursday, June 14, and until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on said
day, for Repairs, Alterations, etc., in Grammar School
Building No. 44 and Primary School Building No. 11;
also for New Furniture in Grammar School Building No. 44.

until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on the same day, for Heating
Apparatus, Repairs, etc., in Grammar School Buildings
Nos. 11, 45, 55 and 58.

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

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 29, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees for the Thirteenth Ward, at the
Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, June 7, 1888, for
Heating Apparatus, Alterations, etc., in Grammar School
Building No. 4.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 25, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees for the Twenty-first Ward, at the
Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until Wednesday, June 6, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., for
Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School No. 14.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 24, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, at the
Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on Tuesday, June 5, 1888,
for Heating Apparatus, Alterations, etc., in Grammar
School Building No. 48.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 23, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, at
the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until Monday, June 4, and until 9 o'clock A. M., on said
day, for the Erection of a New School Building on the
northeast corner of Seventy-seventh street and
Tenth avenue.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 22, 1888.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY
the School Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward, at the
Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street,
until Monday, June 4, 1888, and until 9:30 o'clock A. M., on said day,
for Repairs, Alterations, etc., at Grammar School Buildings
Nos. 21 and 30; also for New Furniture, etc., for
Grammar School Building No. 21.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blank pro-
posals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of
School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, third floor.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this

office until 12 o'clock m., Friday, June 8, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

NO. 1. FOR FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOP-CKOCKS, HYDRANTS, WOODEN HYDRANT BOXES AND CAST-IRON STOP-CKOCK BOXES.

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 thereon.

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 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 Commissioner of Public Works, for the sum 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 deposited with 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 at Room 10, No. 31 Chambers Street.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder inclosed thereon, also the number of the work as in the list hereunder, will be received at the office until 12 o'clock m., Friday, June 8, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

NO. 1. FOR REGULATING AND SETTING AND RESETTING CURB-STONES IN SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET between Eighth and Ninth avenues, laying flagging on the sidewalk of said street and paving the roadway thereof with granite-block pavement.

NO. 2. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF EIGHTY-SECOND STREET, from First avenue to Avenue A.

NO. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF NINETY-FOURTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

NO. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF HUNDRED AND FOURTH STREET, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

NO. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE ROADWAY OF MANHATTAN AVENUE, from One Hundred and Sixteenth street to its termination at St. Nicholas avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-third and One Hundred and Twenty-fourth streets.

NO. 6. FOR FLAGGING SIDEWALK ON BLOCK BOUNDED BY CENTRE, WHITE, ELM AND FRANKLIN STREETS.

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 thereon.

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 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 deposited with 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.

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JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 24, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A petition of the property-owners, with map and plan for changing the grade of "Eighty-fourth street, from Avenue B to the East river," is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned, at his office, on or before the first day of June, 1888.

The maps showing the present and proposed grades can be seen at Room 7, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING A SCALE OF WATER RENTS AND RULES GOVERNING THE USE OF WATER, FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BY ORDER OF JOHN NEWTON, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

UNDER CHAPTER 410, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 AND 353, and as amended by chapter 559, Laws 1887, as follows:

"The commissioner of public works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law, and which shall be apportioned to different classes of buildings in said city in reference to their dimensions, values, exposure to fires, ordinary uses for dwellings, stores, shops, private stables and other common purposes, number of families or occupants, or consumption of water, as near as may be practicable, and modify, alter, amend and increase such scale from time to time, and extend it to other descriptions of buildings and establishments. All extra charges for water shall be deemed to be included in the regular rents, and shall become a charge and lien upon the buildings upon which they are respectively imposed, and if not paid shall be returned as arrears to the clerk of arrears. Such regular rents, including the extra charges above mentioned, shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water. Such rents, including the extra charges aforesaid, shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as herein provided, but no charge whatever shall be made against any building in which a water-meter may have been, or shall be placed, as provided in this act. In all such cases the charge for water shall be determined only by the quantity of water actually used as shown by said meters.

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit:

Croton Water Rates for Buildings from 16 to 50 feet, all others not specified subject to Special Rates.

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under.	\$4 00	\$5 00	\$6 00	\$7 00	\$8 00
16 to 18 feet....	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
18 to 20 feet....	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
20 to 22½ feet....	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
22½ to 25 feet....	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
25 to 30 feet....	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
30 to 37½ feet....	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
37½ to 50 feet....	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00

The rent of all tenements which shall exceed in width fifty feet shall be the subject of special contract with the Commissioner of Public Works.

The apportionment of the regular rents upon dwellings-houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family, one dollar per year shall be charged.

METERS will be placed on all houses where waste of water is found, and they will be charged at rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

The extra and miscellaneous rates shall be as follows to wit:

BAKERIES.—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, three dollars per annum.

BARBER SHOPS shall be charged from five to twenty dollars per annum each in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works; and for each additional charge, five dollars per annum shall be made for each bath tub therein.

BATHING TUBS in private houses, beyond one, shall be charged at three dollars per annum each, and five dollars per annum each in public houses, boarding-houses, and bathing establishments. Combination stationary wash-tubs, having a movable division in the centre and capable of use for bathing, shall be charged the same as bathing tubs.

BUILDING PURPOSES.—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone-work—to be measured as brick-tens—cents per thousand. For plastering, forty cents per hundred yards.

COWS.—For each and every cow, one dollar per annum.

DINING SALOONS shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

FISH STANDS (retail) shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows: HORSES, PRIVATE.—For two horses there shall be charged six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, two dollars.

HORSES, LIVERY.—For each horse up to and not exceeding thirty in number, one dollar and fifty cents each per annum; and for each additional horse, one dollar.

HORSES, OMNIBUS AND CART.—For each horse, one dollar per annum.

HORSE TROUGHS.—For each trough, and for each half barrel or tub on sidewalk or street, twenty dollars per annum; each trough is to be fitted with a proper ball-cock to prevent waste.

HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES shall, in addition to the regular rate for private families, be charged for each lodging room, at the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

LAUNDRIES shall be charged from eight to twenty dollars per annum, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

LIQUOR OR LAGER BEER SALOONS shall be charged an annual rate of ten dollars each. An additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each tap or wash-bow.

PHOTOGRAPH LARBERS shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

PRINTING OFFICES, when not metered, shall be charged at such rates as may be determined by the Commissioner of Public Works.

SODA, MINERAL WATER AND ROOT BEER FOUNTAINS shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

STEAM ENGINES, where not metered, shall be charged by the horse-power, as follows: For each horse-power up to and not exceeding ten, the sum of ten dollars per annum; for each exceeding ten, and not over fifteen, the sum of seven dollars and fifty cents each; and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of five dollars.

WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS.—To each building on a lot with a water-closet, having sewer connection, is allowed without charge; each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated. All closets connected in any manner with sewer shall be charged two dollars per annum for each closet, whether in a building or on any other portion of the premises.

URINALS shall be charged two dollars per annum each, through any form of the so-called single or double valves, hopper-cocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each per year, twenty dollars.

For any pan cock, or any of the forms of valve, plunger, or other water-closet not before mentioned, supplied with water as above described, per year, ten dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from the ordinary style of cistern filled with ball-cock, and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, so that overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of waste-preventing cisterns, that are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, which are so constructed that not more than three gallons of water can be drawn at each lift of the handle, or depression of the seat, if such cisterns are provided with an overflow pipe, such overflow pipe must not connect with the water-closet, but be carried like a safe-waste, as provided by the Board of Health regulations, per year, two dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

Under the provisions of section 352, Consolidated Act 1882, water-meters, of approved pattern, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings. It is in this act, Laws of 1882, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied as now provided by law."

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large supply of water will be fitted with a meter.

Water measured by meter, ten cents per one hundred cubic feet.

Rate Without Meters.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
75	05	11 25
100	05	15 00
125	05	18 75
150	05	22 50
200	05	30 00
250	04½	33 75
300	04	37 50
350	03½	41 25
400	03½	45 00
500	03½	56 25
600	03½	67 50
700	03½	78 75
800	03½	89 00
900	03½	99 25
1,000	03½	109 50
1,500	03	164 25
2,000	02½	219 00
2,500	02½	273 75
3,000	02½	328 50
4,000	02½	437 50
5,000	02½	546 50
6,000	02	655 00
7,000	02	763 50
8,000	02	872 00
9,000	02	980 50
10,000	02	1,089 00

The rate charged for steam-vessels taking water daily or belonging to daily lines, is one-half cent per ton (Custom House measurement) for each time they take water.

Steamers taking water other than daily, one cent per ton (Custom House measurement).

Water supplied to sailing vessels and put on board, twenty-five cents per hundred gallons.

All matters not hereinbefore embraced are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Public Works.

HYDRANTS, HOSE, TROUGHS, FOUNTAINS, ETC., ETC.

No owner or tenant will be allowed to supply water to another person or persons.

All persons taking water from the City must keep their own service-pipes, street taps, and all fixtures connected therewith, in good repair, protected from frost, at their own risk and expense, and shall prevent all waste of water.

The use of hose to wash coaches, omnibuses, wagons, railway cars or other vehicles or horses, cannot be permitted.

No horse-troughs or horse-watering fixtures will be permitted in the street or on the sidewalk, except upon a license or permit taken out for that purpose. All licenses or permits must be annually renewed on the first of May. Such fixtures must be kept in good order and the water not allowed to drip or waste by overrunning the sidewalk or street, or to become dangerous in winter by freezing in and about such troughs or fixtures.

No hydrant will be permitted on the sidewalk or in the front area, and any hydrant standing in a yard or alley, attached to any dwelling or building, must not be left running when not in actual use, and if the drip or waste from such hydrant freezes and becomes dangerous in winter, the supply will be shut off in addition to the penalty of five dollars imposed.

Taps at wash-basins, water-closets, baths and urinals must not be left running, under the penalty of five dollars for each offense, which will be strictly enforced.

Fountains or jets in hotels, porter-houses, eating-salons, confectioneries or other buildings are strictly prohibited.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, house-fronts, yards, court-yards, gardens, and about stables, is prohibited. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the police or inspectors of this department may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

Opening fire-hydrants to fill hand sprinklers or other vessels will not be allowed.

The penalty for a violation of any of the preceding rules and regulations will be five dollars for each offense, and if not paid when imposed will become a lien on the premises in like manner as all other charges for unpaid water rates.

By order,

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 21, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 559, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 321 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

1st. All extra charges for water incurred from and after June 9, 1887, shall be treated, collected and returned in arrears in the same manner as regular rents have heretofore been treated.

2d. In every building where a water meter or meters are now, or shall hereafter be in use, the charge for water by meter measurement shall be the only charge against such building, or such part thereof as is supplied through meter.

3d. The returns of arrears of water rents, including the year 1887, shall be made as heretofore on the confirmation of the tax levy by the Board of Assessors, and shall include all charges and penalties of every nature.

4th. A penalty of five dollars (§5) is hereby established, and will be imposed in each and every case where the rules and regulations of the Department prohibiting the use of water through hose, or in any other wasteful manner, are violated, and such penalties will be entered on the books of the Bureau against the respective buildings or property, and, if not collected, will become a lien on the premises in like manner as other charges for water.

5th. Charges for so-called extra water rents of every nature, imposed or received prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled of record on the books of the Department.

D. LOWBER SMITH,
Deputy and Acting 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 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.

Notice 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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 & 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET.

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,

HENRY D. PURROY, President.

RICHARD CROKER, Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

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