

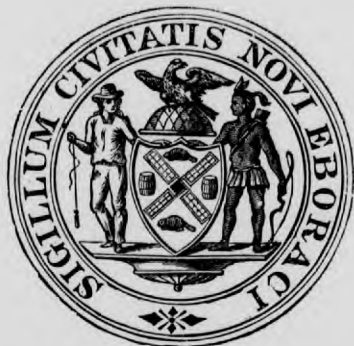
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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Report for the Quarter Ending December 31, 1886.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January, 1887.

Hon. ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor:

DEAR SIR—In pursuance of section 27, chapter 335, Laws of 1873, I have the honor to transmit the following report of the operations and transactions of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, for the three months ending December 31, 1886.

Yours, very respectfully,

HENRY H. PORTER, President.

Census Report for the Quarter ending December 31, 1886.

INSTITUTIONS.	Remaining Sept. 30, 1886.	Admitted.	Discharged.	Transferred.	Returned.	Died.	Eloped.	Adopted.	Pardoned.	Executed.	Remaining Dec. 31, 1886.
City Prisons	628	12,179	5,622	6,623	...	...	...	...	...	...	562
Bellevue Hospital	493	2,869	2,599	...	...	316	...	...	...	...	537
Workhouse Help	46	277	274	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	46
Ninety-ninth Street Hospital	11	182	75	89	...	20	...	...	...	...	9
Workhouse Help	5	9	8	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	5
Gouverneur Hospital	10	181	75	73	...	17	...	...	...	...	26
Workhouse Help	5	18	9	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	10
Charity and Maternity Hospitals	706	1,544	1,247	64	...	141	...	...	...	...	798
Workhouse Help	109	179	213	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75
Hospital for Nervous Diseases	34	40	24	13	...	2	...	...	...	...	35
Penitentiary	1,102	501	593	1	...	7	...	...	...	...	1,002
Alms-house	1,453	625	460	4	...	105	...	...	...	...	1,509
Workhouse Help	73	157	162	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	68
Blind Asylum	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	86
Incurable Hospital	102	13	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	107
Workhouse	1,431	5,653	5,443	1,886	1,814	39	16	...	...	...	1,514
Lunatic Asylum, B. I.	1,695	107	90	19	...	44	...	...	...	...	1,709
Workhouse Help	10	9	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Homeopathic Hospital—											
Patients	329	736	614	...	...	59	...	...	...	...	392
Insane Patients	150	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	150
Workhouse Help	66	145	130	11	...	1	...	...	...	...	69
Inebriate Asylum	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Insane Asylum, W. I.	1,695	144	74	18	...	51	5	...	...	...	1,691
Workhouse Help	31	78	80	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	28
Randall's Island Hospital—											
Children	304	146	123	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	320
Adults	116	135	111	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	125
Insane Patients	132	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	132
Epileptics	39	12	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40
Workhouse Help	79	210	166	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	100
Idiot Asylum	292	7	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	290
Infants' Hospital—											
Children	126	178	89	29	...	51	...	...	...	...	135
Adults	54	61	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60
Workhouse Help	74	141	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76
Branch Workhouse	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Workhouse Help	319	367	297	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	353
Branch Lunatic Asylum, H. I.	583	32	2	6	...	7	...	...	...	...	600
Workhouse Help	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hart's Island Hospital	217	77	46	3	...	16	...	...	...	...	227
Workhouse Help	13	17	16	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Randall's Island Farm	11	12	16	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Farmed Out Children	47	29	2	...	...	14	...	...	...	...	60
Colored Home and Hospital	201	143	65	...	...	28	...	...	...	...	251
New York Catholic Protectory	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Institution of Mercy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Nursery and Child's Hospital	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	12,879	27,275	18,863	8,905	1,814	949	29	...	...	...	13,222

Quarterly Report of General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President Department of Public Charities and Correction:

DEAR SIR—I hereby transmit for your consideration my report for the fourth quarter ending December 31, 1886:

Salaries	\$106,238 83
Supplies	227,222 55
Repairs	8,834 28
Transportation	3,255 71
Poor adult blind	1,482 00
Training school for nurses	300 00
New Morgue	4,228 20
New Building for Drug department	5,141 25
Donations to discharged prisoners	1,000 00
Total	\$357,702 82

Respectfully yours,

RUFUS S. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

OUT-DOOR POOR DEPARTMENT.

QUARTERLY REPORT FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1886.

Admissions to the different Institutions from Central Office.

ADULTS.

To Examining Physician	5,415
Charity Hospital (direct)	330
Infants	80
Alms-house	410
Workhouse	122
Colored Home	160
Total	6,517

CHILDREN.

To Infants' Hospital	178
Nursery Hospital	123
Total	301

Discharged—To parents or guardians 267 |

Interments in City Cemetery 432 |

Requisitions granted on complaint of abandonment 219 |

Number of families relieved with coal 561 |

Transportation has been afforded to eighty-five sick, insane and destitute persons to reach their homes, thereby preventing them becoming a charge on the county.

There have also been one hundred and sixty-one insane, sick and destitute persons committed as State paupers to the State Alms-house at Flatbush, there to be cared for or forwarded to their homes by the State Board of Charities, thus relieving this Department of their care and maintenance.

There have also been sent to their homes in Europe, from the Alms-house and Insane Asylums, nineteen alien paupers, thereby preventing them from becoming a permanent charge on this county.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent.

Quarterly Report of the Examining Physician.

OFFICE OF THE EXAMINING PHYSICIAN,
NEW YORK, January 6, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction:

SIRS—I hereby transmit for your consideration the report for the fourth quarter, ending December 31, 1886:

Number of applicants during October, 1886	1,754
“ “ November, 1886	1,927
“ “ December, 1886	1,965
Total	5,646

	OCTOBER.	NOVEMBER.	DECEMBER.	TOTAL.
Number of Patients assigned to—				
Bellevue Hospital	975	1,001	957	2,933
Charity Hospital	395	468	420	1,283
Homeopathic Hospital	194	279	283	756
Randall's Island Hospital	51	38	38	127
Epileptic and Paralytic Hospital	...	1	...	1
Emergency Hospital	4	3	1	8
Hart's Island Hospital	35	18	15	68
Bureau of Medical and Surgical Relief for Out-door Poor	39	52	118	209
Number of applicants rejected	39	52	118	209
Number of applicants refusing to go to Hospital	15	12	9	36
Number of applicants referred to Department of Emigration	7	2	3	12
Number of contagious cases referred to Department of Health	...	1	3	4
Total	1,754	1,927	1,965	5,646

Respectfully submitted,

THEO. PARKER, Examining Physician.

NEW YORK PENITENTIARY, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND,
January 3, 1887.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

DEAR SIR—Annexed I beg leave to submit to your Honorable Board my report for the quarter ending December 31, 1886, the number of prisoners received and discharged, the labor on which they have been employed, and the result accomplished during the quarter.

Very respectfully, yours, etc.,

LOUIS D. PILSBURY, Warden.

Blacksmiths—Made 4 pair iron stairs, 3 hand trucks, 94 double cot frames, 11 locks and keys, 4 hoes, 1 ice shoe, 9 fire tools, 3 slice bars, 1 iron grating, 2 feet square; 4 iron pulleys, 12 wheelbarrows ironed, 76 stonecutter's chisels, 156 steel points, 80 steel drills, 26 steel hammers, 132 feathers, 72 plugs, 2 pitching tools, 14 wedges, 1 sledge, 10 augers, 60 anchors, 15 poker, 12 leader hooks, 50 braces, 17 seat braces, 1 boat knee, 16 feet pipe railing, 162 bucket handles, 150 bucket straps, 150 standards, 720 rivets, 380 ears, 150 staples, 2 pair stairs altered; 18 bedsteads repaired; also all necessary repairs to carts, wagons, wheels, wheelbarrows, prison vans, ambulances, carriages, machinery, etc., etc.; and sharpened all steel tools used in quarry, stone shed and building gang.

Tinsmiths—Made 2,398 feet stove-pipe, 132 elbows, 908 cups, 200 tin saucers, 18 mess boxes, 100 chambers, 101 pails, 8 bake-pans, 1 60-gallon oil tank, 5 strainers, 101 dish-pans, 170 feet of leader, 24 spittoons, 6 shovels, 1 steamer, 2 colanders, 1 ice-box lined, 3 bread-pans, 105 dippers, 2 biscuit cutters, 3 sauce-pans, 107 dust-pans, 252 wash-basins, 1,000 mess-pans, 215 coal-hods, 4 boilers, 1 ash-can, 6 smoke jacks, 6 stencils, 3 galvanized tanks; also all necessary repairs to tinware belonging to the Institution.

Carpenters—Made 535 coffins, 173 buckets, 57 wheelbarrows, 2 stretcher poles, 6 flower-boxes, 1,500 bed blocks, 94 broom handles, 15 wash kits, 1 table, 2 double doors, 7 single doors, 4 oarlocks, 4 vegetable boxes, 12 checker boards, 72 settees, 103 pails, 142 snow shovels, 1 ice-box, 1 pair oars, 500 clothes pins; repaired 7 wagons, 5 trucks, 5 carts, 8 wheels, 5 ambulances, 15 tubs, 12 settees, 13 benches, 16 chairs, 1 table, 4 stools, 218 buckets, 21 pails, 48 barrels, 62 wash-kits, 27 shovels, 51 bedsteads; painted 1 ferryboat.

Broom and Brush-makers—Made 239 dozen brooms, 4 dozen wisk-brooms.

Shoemakers—Made 2,380 pairs men's and 1,940 pairs of women's shoes; repaired 1,191 pairs men's and 47 pairs women's shoes.

Tailors and Cot-makers—Made 339 pairs woolen pants, 311 vests, 432 caps, 232 pairs mittens, 115 jackets; repaired 218 jackets, 106 vests, 367 pairs pants, 586 cot-bottoms.

At the Sewing Room—The female prisoners have made 800 chemises, 958 towels, 1,068 pillow-cases, 100 night gowns, 240 bed ticks, 500 shrouds, 2,050 shirts, 200 aprons, 1,175 dresses, 325 sheets, 700 petticoats, 50 capes, 400 pairs mittens, 1,764 shoes bound, 2 tablecloths; repaired 2,772 shirts, 93 undershirts, 150 socks, 620 dresses, 493 chemises, 274 petticoats, 248 pillow-ticks; 51 stockings, 4 aprons, 3,044 pairs summer pants.

At the Stone Shed—The prisoners cut 245 feet door-steps, 164 feet stoop-coping, 170 feet roof-coping, 971 feet building-stone, 265 feet water table, 80 feet belt cornice, 31 feet window-jambs.

By prisoners employed at out-door labor, the roads and sea-wall have been kept in proper repairs; 1,806 tons of coal have been discharged from boats.

The average daily number of male prisoners during the quarter has been 881, employed as follows:

58	men	at Randall's Island, quarrying and doing general repairs.
117	"	stone cutting.
51	"	stone breaking.
151	"	quarrying and hauling out stone.
42	"	as blacksmiths.
30	"	as tinsmiths.
87	"	as shoemakers, broom, brush and cot makers.
55	"	as carpenters, painters, upholsterers and harness-makers.
54	"	as gardeners and cleaning buckets.
9	"	whitewashing.
9	"	cutting cloth for Store-house.
9	"	building wall at Engine-house.
18	"	turning manure.
11	"	plastering and painting at Charity Hospital.
15	"	repairing roads and sea-wall.
30	"	hauling stone to Engine-house.
20	"	continually sick in hospital.
15	"	detained in prison.
100	"	employed in and about prison.

The average daily number of female prisoners during the quarter has been 175, employed as follows:

Sewing room	90
Wash-house	30
Scrubbing, cleaning and domestic work	45
Continually sick in hospital	8
Disabled and locked in cells	2

OFFICE OF CITY PRISON, CORNER FRANKLIN AND CENTRE STREETS, (NEW YORK, January 6, 1887.)

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Subjoined your Honorable Board will please find statistical report of the City and District Prisons for the quarter ending December 31, 1886, together with labor report covering same period. The prisons are all in good condition.

Very respectfully,
JAMES FINN, Warden.

Statistical Report of City Prisons for Quarter ending December 31, 1886.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
FIRST DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining September 30, 1886	360	70	430
Received from October 1 to December 31, 1886	5,748	2,774	8,522
Total	6,108	2,844	8,952
Disposition.			
By Courts of General and Special Sessions—			
Sent to State Prison	213	....	213
" Penitentiary	424	71	495
" House of Refuge	55	7	62
" Elmira Reformatory	63	....	63
" Hudson River State Hospital for Insane at Poughkeepsie	3	2	5
" Workhouse	2,831	2,237	5,068
By Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction—			
Sent to Workhouse (Vagrants)	133	94	227
" Bellevue Hospital (Vagrants and Insane)	33	11	44
" Charity Hospital (Vagrants)	....	1	1
" Almshouse (Vagrants)	9	8	17
" Superintendent of Out-door Poor (Vagrants)	52	4	56
Discharged	1,976	349	2,325
Remaining December 31, 1886	316	60	376
Total	6,108	2,844	8,952
SECOND DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining September 30, 1886	49	23	72
Received from October 1 to December 31, 1886	1,847	767	2,614
Less number sent to City Prison	1,896	790	2,686
Total	945	489	1,434
Disposition.			
Sent to Workhouse (Vagrants)	66	24	90
" Bellevue Hospital (Vagrants)	20	24	44
" Superintendent of Out-door Poor (Vagrants)	17	3	20
Discharged	781	234	1,015
Remaining December 31, 1886	67	16	83
Total	951	301	1,252
THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining September 30, 1886	11	16	27
Received from October 1 to December 31, 1886	1,740	1,071	2,811
Less number sent to City Prison	1,751	1,087	2,838
Total	1,031	841	1,872
Disposition.			
Sent to Bellevue Hospital	43	19	62
Discharged	646	206	852
Remaining December 31, 1886	31	21	52
Total	720	246	966

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
FOURTH DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining September 30, 1886	44	17	61
Received from October 1 to December 31, 1886	1,480	420	1,900
Less number sent to City Prison	1,524	437	1,961
Total	725	254	979
Disposition.			
Sent to Workhouse (Vagrants)	17	3	20
" Bellevue Hospital	45	15	60
Discharged	713	148	861
Remaining December 31, 1886	24	17	41
Total	799	183	982
FIFTH DISTRICT PRISON.			
Remaining September 30, 1886	30	8	38
Received from October 1 to December 31, 1886	908	143	1,051
Less number sent to City Prison	938	151	1,089
Total	384	50	434
Disposition.			
Sent to Bellevue Hospital	43	33	76
Discharged	505	64	569
Remaining December 31, 1886	6	4	10
Total	554	101	655

CITY PRISON, NEW YORK, January 1, 1887.

The following improvements and repairs have been made at First, Third, Fourth and Fifth District Prisons, from October 1 to December 31, 1886, by prison labor and without expense to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, except the cost of the material:

FIRST DISTRICT PRISON.

Painting—5 storm houses, 11 windows, iron railings, partitions, 3 doors and casings and hall in boys' prison have been painted.

Mason work—Built a brick pillar in cellar and repaired 35 cell windows in male prison.

Plumbing—Repaired water and soil pipes and tanks.

Carpenter work—Built a storm house at female prison, 3 wooden doors, partitions and stairs.

THIRD DISTRICT PRISON.

Placed a new sink, 2 faucets and water and waste pipe in kitchen.

FOURTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Repaired stoves, etc.

FIFTH DISTRICT PRISON.

Repaired 7 hoppers in soil-pipes and placed 8 faucets in water pipes.

Admissions, Births, Discharges and Deaths in Charity Hospital, for Quarter ending December 31, 1886.

1886.	ADMISSIONS AND BIRTHS.						DISCHARGES.						DEATHS.					
	WHITE.		COLORED.		BIRTHS.		WHITE.		COLORED.		WHITE.		COLORED.		WHITE.		COLORED.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
October	273	163	2	14	14	466	187	279	266	156	3	1	436	180	256	20	14	34
November	344	184	2	17	17	564	218	346	266	201	1	1	468	164	304	25	12	38
December	302	178	2	13	18	514	206	308	269	134	4	1	408	165	243	39	30	69
Total	919	525	6	44	49	1,544	611	933	801	501	8	2	1,312	509	803	84	53	141

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

Admissions, Discharges and Deaths in Hospital for Nervous Diseases for Quarter ending December 31, 1886.

1886.	ADMISSIONS.						DISCHARGES.						DEATHS.					
	WHITE.		COLORED.		BIRTHS.		WHITE.		COLORED.		WHITE.		COLORED.		WHITE.		COLORED.	
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
October	17	..	..	..	17	8	9	10	..	..	10	4	6	2	..	..	2	2
November	13	..	..	..	13	5	8	17	..	..	17	10	7	..	..	..	..	..
December	10	..	..	..	10	4	6	10	..	..	10	5	5	..	..	..	..	..
Total	40	..	..	..	40	17	23	37	..	..	37	19	18	2	..	..	2	2

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

Labor Report for Quarter ending December 31, 1886.

Carpenters—Made 10 doors, 21 shelves, 6 pairs crutches, 1 coal-box and screen, 3 medicine stands, 6½ dozen clothes-rack hooks, 56 dozen swab sticks, 3 meat boxes, 103 feet weather-strips, 1 steam box, 7 towel rollers, 2 bread boxes, 50 feet library shelving, 1 gang-plank, 3 table tops, 6 chair bottoms, 4 medicine-stand tops, 5 window poles, 3 pairs window sashes, 2 water-closet seats, 12 blind fasteners, 2 mantel shelves, 4 head rests covers, 1 operating table, 3 dozen flower boxes, 5 partitions, 1 ladder, 6 straight edges, 3 bread boards, 4 grating covers, 5 window bars, 1 ironing board,

1 roof scuttle. Repaired 179 pairs window sashes, 36 pairs blinds, 8 doors, 3 wardrobes, 41 chairs, 90 stools, 6 head rests, 3 towel rollers, 20 feet flooring, 2 bedsteads, 117 sash cords, 10 ward screen covers, 9 locks, 14 pairs hinges, 6 bolts, 8 pairs hooks and staples, 2 gang-planks, 350 feet box board; repairs to Maternity Pavilion, put in 4 25-pound sash weights, 1 dozen 15-pound and 1 dozen 6-pound sash weights, repairs to launch.

Painters—Calculated and painted 37 rooms and 4 pavilions; painted 21 closets, 25 pairs window blinds, 53 windows, 71 doors, 11 coal scuttles, 25 clothes chests, 81 stools, 12 window guards, 500 bed shoes, 26 cans, painted and grained 14 medicine chests, 11 medicine boxes, 15 wardrobes, 63 chairs, 16 bureaus, 17 tables, 8 partitions; hall and stairway in central building calcimined and painted, 37 signs lettered, 14 floors stained, 172 panes of glass put in, and several miscellaneous articles painted.

Tinsmiths—Made 79 joints stovepipe, 6 galvanized iron whirligigs, 1 galvanized iron pitcher, 17 stovepipe elbows, 1 joint pipe, 1 small bath-tub, 2 3-gallon oil cans, 8 galvanized iron evaporating cans, 5 funnels, 2 douche cups, 8 coal scuttles, 1 10-quart kettle, 7 6-inch dampers, 2 3-quart teapots, 1 8-quart pail, 1 12-quart saucepan, 3 2-quart coffee-pots, 2 2½-gallon coffee-pots, 3 pudding pans, 2 wash basins, 6 12 by 12-inch tin boxes, 6 dust boxes, 1 pudding steamer, 1 4-quart teapot, 1 grater, 1 kettle cover, 1 galvanized iron saucepan, 10 galvanized iron pitchers, 1 fire blower, 1 slop-bucket, 1 5-gallon can, and marked and repaired a large quantity of miscellaneous tinware.

Plasterers—Built brick flue, repaired plastering of walls and ceilings in wards and halls, white-washed cellar and flues, and various small jobbing.

ROBERT ROBERTS, Warden.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
BELLEVUE HOSPITAL—WARDEN'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1887.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—The following is a report of the labor performed at this institution by unpaid help during the quarter ending December 31, 1886:

Mason work—Repairing ceilings in Wards, hallways and in Out-Door Poor Department.
Painting—Wards 12 and 14; complete, tower closets, hallways and Cook-house.
Carpenter work—Repairing 22 chairs, 40 bed-springs, 18 screens, 24 pairs blinds, windows, floors; making 48 pairs crutches, 1,000 feet shelving in new Clothes-room.

Very respectfully,

JAMES F. O'ROURKE, Warden.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
BELLEVUE HOSPITAL—GENERAL DRUG DEPARTMENT,
NEW YORK, January 10, 1887.

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I herewith submit a report on the business transacted by this Department during the last quarter of 1886.

The usual medical supplies have been furnished from stock on hand to the following institutions:

Bellevue Hospital, Charity Hospital, Almshouse, Insane Asylum, Ward's Island; Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island; Homoeopathic Hospital, Infant's Hospital, Randall's Island Hospital, Hart's Island Hospital, Gouverneur Hospital, Ninety-ninth Street Reception Hospital, City Prisons, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth District Prisons, Bureau of Out-Door Poor (Dispensary), at Bellevue Hospital; Dispensary of the Bureau of Out-Door Poor for the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards; Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island; Superintendent of Out-Door Poor, Photographic Department.

Number of regular bi-weekly requisitions received from each hospital, etc., 7.

Number of special requisitions received, 1,510.

During the same period the Manufacturing Department has turned out the various pharmaceutical and chemical preparations required to fill the requisitions, and the stock has been kept up to the average amount by new supplies.

The new building for the General Drug Department has been completed, so far as the contract required it, and the interior has been partly painted by the unpaid help employed by this Bureau.

It is hoped that the internal arrangements can be completed during the next few months.

Very respectfully,

CHARLES RICE, Chemist.

HART'S ISLAND HOSPITAL,
December 31, 1886.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following census and labor reports of this Institution, for the quarter ending this day.

Respectfully yours,

S. A. SMITT, Acting Medical Superintendent

	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
Remaining at last report.....	98	119	217	29	188
Admissions.....	23	49	77	14	63
	126	168	294	43	251
Died.....	7	9	16	..	16
Discharged.....	22	29	51	13	38
Remaining in Hospital December 31, 1886.....	97	130	227	30	197

The convalescent male patients were employed in keeping the wards in good order, delivering bread to the several wards, carrying coal, removing ashes, garbage, etc., from the wards.

The convalescent female patients were employed in making and repairing bedding and clothing as per annexed statement.

On September 2, 1886, there was received by transfer from Branch Lunatic Asylum 10 male workhouse help, and they have been employed as follows: 1 as blacksmith, 1 as blacksmith's helper, 1 as painter, 1 as steam-fitter, 1 in engine-room, 1 in store, 1 in office, 2 as carpenters, and 1 in filling kerosene lamps.

Statement showing the number and kind of Articles of Bedding and Clothing made and repaired by convalescent Female Patients in Hart's Island Hospital during quarter ending December 31, 1886:

Articles.	Made.	Repaired
Aprons.....	17	..
Bed-ticks.....	..	20
Chemises.....	..	367
Dresses.....	..	197
Jackets.....	..	28
Nightgowns.....	..	293
Overcoats.....	..	11
Petticoats.....	..	124
Pants.....	..	66
Pillow slips.....	..	226
Sheets.....	..	446
Shirts.....	124	317
Socks.....	87	..
Stockings.....	61	52
Spreads.....	..	55
Store bags.....	..	44
Totals.....	333	2,202

INFANTS' HOSPITAL, RANDALL'S ISLAND, January 1, 1887.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I respectfully submit to your Honorable Board the following labor report for the quarter ending December 31, 1886:

WORK DONE BY CARPENTERS.

Repairs to floors, windows, window-blinds; putting up new shelves in closets of wards; repairing small ferryboat; repairing carts, wheelbarrows, hydrant boxes; putting up storm door in piazza of Hospital, and such necessary repairs as were required.

WORK DONE BY PAINTERS.

Washing, calcimining, painting and varnishing Wards Nos. 3, 4, 6, 7 and 11; plastering Pavilions H and I; painting dining-room; hall rooms, bath-rooms and pantries of wards; staff dining-room and kitchen, also pantry. Put in 47 lights of glass throughout the several buildings.

WORK DONE BY TINSMITH.

Made tin boxes for medical staff kitchen to hold stores; repaired other kitchen and ward tinware.

BY ENGINEER AND HELP.

Relaid 350 feet of Croton water-pipe and 75 feet of sewer-pipe; repaired 38 steam coils; renewed two benches in gas works; repaired hydraulic pipe; replaced 35 feet of gas-pipe; put in 2 hot-water apparatus in the Quarantine Pavilions; also general repairs to plumbing work in several buildings.

BY LAUNDRESS AND HELP.

The number of pieces washed, 52,495.

GAS WORKS.

559,800 cubic feet of gas was manufactured to supply the Randall's Island and Infants' Hospitals and pavilions.

RANDALL'S ISLAND STABLE.

The horses were employed—
For Randall's Island Hospital.....246 days.
For Infants' Hospital.....147 days.
For Randall's Island Farm.....132 days.
For Randall's Island Improvement.....116 days.

Respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

HOMOEOPATHIC HOSPITAL, WARD'S ISLAND,
January 6, 1887.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President of Board of Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—Report for the quarter ending December 31, 1886, is herewith respectfully forwarded:

Quarterly Census.

PATIENTS.	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
Remaining September 30, 1886.....	243	86	329	81	248
Admissions.....	578	158	736	193	543
Total.....	821	244	1,065	274	791
Discharges.....	479	135	614	140	474
Deaths.....	42	11	59	20	39
Total.....	527	146	673	160	513
Remaining December 31, 1886.....	294	98	392	114	278

LABOR REPORT.

Carpenter work—New double doors for boiler-house, 195 square feet flooring put down in basement, 1 ladder for laundry use, 3 paper-files, 1 rack for ice-box, 1 7-foot platform for Surgical Ward, 1 book-case, 1 drop shelf, new top on kitchen table, 12 angle beads put in Ward F.

Repaired—Clothes-horses in Laundry, doorway to fire-escape, flooring in nurses' bath-room, flooring in Ward I, flooring in Workhouse dormitory, 6 windows, 2 wash-stands, 7 doors, 2 bread-boxes, 2 benches, 1 table, 2 wheelbarrows, 1 pantry, 18 stools, 24 chairs.

New sash-cord put in 55 windows.

Painted—17 bath-tubs, ward bath-room and closet, 2 double doors in main hall, portions of Wards A and E.

41 lights of glass put in window-sash.

Calculated—3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 22 rooms in Ward F, Staff dining-room, Wards G, H and I; walls of all passageways leading from Hospital.

Whitewashed—The entire cellar, bath-room, pantry and water-closet, Ward F.

Plastering—Chief's room, portions of Wards A, B, C, F, G and H, kitchen, cellar, chapel, butcher shop, Workhouse dormitory.

Re-laid a number of tiles in kitchen.

Repaired cement floor in cellar.

Engineer's Department—Repairing bath-room in Ward A, water-pipes on pantry sink, keys and door-knobs in Ward B, water-pipes in pantry and water-closet of Ward C repaired, urinal in Ward D, lock and water-closet traps in Ward E, water-closets, bathrooms, etc., in Insane Ward repaired several times, steam-coils in laundry drying-room and 1 wringer repaired, boiler and sink in kitchen repaired, steam-pipes in cellar repaired, 24 tin mess kettles repaired.

Linen room—Repaired 292 chemises, 372 sheets, 156 slips, 447 cotton shirts, 60 Canton chemises, 87 Canton drawers, 82 night-gowns, 134 bed spreads, 10 roller towels, 12 hand towels, 92 dresses, 184 bed-ticks, 27 denim jackets, 172 pants, 56 petticoats, 24 table-cloths, 15 pillow-ticks, 11 coats, 6 wrappers.

Respectfully submitted,

T. M. STRONG, Chief of Staff.

RANDALL'S ISLAND HOSPITAL,
January 1, 1887.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I respectfully submit to your Honorable Board the following report of labor performed at Randall's Island Hospital during the quarter ending December 31, 1886:

Carpenters—Made for 4 benches for Dead-house, 1 operating table for doctors, 1 clothes closet for doctor's room, 1 clothes closet for Chaplain, 2 washstands, 4 storm doors, 1 coal shed, 1 coal-box, 1 book case for office, 1 kindergarden table, 1 bureau for doctor's room. Repaired—175 sashes, and repairing sashes, 12 days putting on blind fasteners, 15 days repairing floors, doors; 4 days' work in Dead-house, 8 days putting up storm doors, 4 days' repairs on gallery sashes, N. & S. Hospital; 5 days putting on locks on doors and closets, 7 days repairing ward furniture, 15 days on new work in shop.

Tinsmith—Made 2 soup cans; 20 cupping cups, 2 trays, doctors'; 1 galvanized iron box for new water-closet, Pavilion D; 1 boiler, 1 sauce-pan, Steward; 1 coffee-pot, Brady; 1 coffee-pot, 12-quarts, for night nurses, 1 lantern for boat-house, 4 milk cans (2 gallons), 1 iron ash-box for Ward 4, 3 iron braces for doctors, 3 dinner pails for nurses, 2 coffee-pots, 50 pints each, for nurses' dining-room, 2 small dippers, 1 baking pan, 2 large baking pans, 1 (2-gallon) can for gas-house, 2 large covers for boilers, 2 tea kettles xxx tin, 1 fender for doctors' stove, zinc No. 10; 1 square box galvanized iron for Pavilion F, 1 large boiler xxx tin (10-gallon). Repaired—Boat-house, new chimney of galvanized iron; kitchen, new sink of galvanized iron No. 16; 3 sheets iron, 2 sheets of zinc

drug-store shelves and windows lined with zinc, 1 sheet of zinc; roof Pavilion C repaired and new gutter, 1 box of tin, etc.; stove and stove-pipes put up, 2,000 feet new stove-pipe, 24 sheets zinc; hot water stove and pipe connection put up, tank repaired, 1 sheet of zinc for Pavilion H; nurses' dining-room range repaired and put up, 1 sheet zinc; leader pipes repaired; repairing ice-box in kitchen, 1/2 sheet zinc; roof of cook-house repaired, roof of new flower house repaired, 2 parlor stoves repaired.

Painters—Painting and calcimining Wards 3, 4, 5, 8 and balconies of Children's Hospital; Wards 14, 15, 6, and hallways of Female Hospital; painting boys' play-room, Ward 1, painting and calcimining Pavilions B and C, 3 floors and hallways; painting, calcimining and graining Pavilion E; painting, calcimining and graining Pavilion F; painting 2 rooms for House Staff, roofs of Pavilion F and Male Hospital, 3 storm doors, 20 iron bedsteads, put in 201 lights of glass, painted roofs of ten buildings.

Plumbers—Done all work necessary in and around the several buildings.

Tailor Shop—Repaired 1,313 pairs pants, 642 jackets.

Idiot School Sewing Room—Made 31 dresses.

Epileptics' Sewing Room—Made 114 pairs suspenders, 18 dresses; repaired 90 dresses, 10 petticoats, 66 sheets, 3 chemises, 4 spreads, 22 aprons.

Laundry—The women employed in the Laundry have washed and made up for the use of the hospitals 53,544 pieces, have done the washing and ironing for the employés, also the washing required for the Branch Penitentiary.

Insane—The inmates of the Pavilion for Insane have taken good care of their Pavilion and dormitories, and the grounds around the same; they have also been employed in keeping the roads and walks clean and in good condition, and an average number of 16 of this class have been daily employed on the farm, planting, weeding, etc., etc.

Respectfully,

JAMES R. HEALY, Medical Superintendent.

WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, }
January 3, 1887. }

Report of Male Labor, Workhouse, B. I., for the Quarter ending December 31, 1886.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	Total Days' Work.	Number of Days Employed.	Average Number Days' Work.	OCCUPATION.
Department Steamboats.....	6,072	92	66	Firemen, Deck and Dockhands.
Bakery, Blackwell's Island.....	5,612	92	61	Bakers and Assistants.
Bakery, Extra Labor.....	650	26	25	Unloading and hoisting flour.
Almshouse, Blackwell's Island...	760	76	10	Tinsmiths, Blacksmiths, Coopers, etc.
General Store Keeper, Blackwell's Island.....	1,326	78	17	Clerks, Messengers and Laborers.
General Store Keeper, Extra Labor.....	374	34	11	Unloading barges and handling lumber.
Stables, Blackwell's Island.....	1,392	87	16	Drivers, Hostlers, etc.
Weavers.....	78	78	1	Making rag carpet for Department.
Carpenters.....	468	78	6	General repairs about building.
Lunatic Asylum Grounds.....	462	42	11	General repairs about grounds.
Lunatic Asylum Gang.....	988	76	13	Regular details Firemen, Machinists, etc.
Tin and Locksmiths.....	150	75	2	Repairing tinware, locks, etc.
Bread and Store-room.....	184	92	2	Cutting bread for inmates, keeping Store clean.
Painters.....	380	76	5	Painting and glazing about buildings.
Water-closets and Tiers.....	368	92	4	Keeping water-closets and tiers in order.
Office Help.....	736	92	8	Clerks and Messengers, etc.
Dining-rooms.....	552	92	6	Waiters and Dishwashers.
General Kitchen Help.....	3,220	92	35	Cooks and Assistants.
Road Gang.....	184	92	2	Keeping roads and walks in order.
Scrub Gang.....	2,432	76	32	Scrubbing and cleaning about building.
Bucket Gang.....	1,656	92	18	Keeping cell-buckets in order.
Barbers and Bath-rooms.....	644	92	7	Shaving, hair-cutting and caring for bath-room.
Engine-house.....	736	92	8	Steam-fitters, Firemen, etc.
Gas-house.....	736	92	8	Gas-men and Assistants.
Scullery.....	184	92	2	Clerk and Messenger.
Kitchen, Garden and Hot-house..	156	78	2	Keeping kitchen garden and hot-house in order.
General Garden and Labor Gang.	2,730	78	35	General labor about grounds.
Coal Yard Detail.....	156	78	2	Loading carts for Institutions.
Coal Gang.....	1,875	75	25	Unloading coal-boats, hoisting, trimming, etc.
Oven-house.....	92	92	1	Caring for inmates' unclean clothing.
Middle-house.....	184	92	2	General help.
Whitewashers.....	539	77	7	Whitewashing cells, halls, etc.
Dispensary Help.....	184	92	2	Druggist and Messenger.
Rowboat Crew.....	1,104	92	12	Pulling Workhouse rowboat to and from City.
Cot Riggers.....	532	76	7	Rigging and repairing cots.
Hall Runners.....	552	92	6	Messengers to Hall-keepers.
Hall Doormen.....	184	92	2	Watchmen stationed at principal doors.
Bellevue Hospital Gang.....	672	32	21	Trimming coal and other work.
Stone Yard Gang.....	5,775	77	75	Breaking stone for Department.
Quarry and Rope Gang.....	1,534	59	26	Hauling stone to shed, boats, etc.
Prison Improvements and Lunatic Asylum Repairs.....	675	75	9	Masons, Plasterers, etc., jobbing about buildings.
Harness Makers.....	156	52	3	Making and repairing harness at Penitentiary.
Shoemakers.....	2,128	76	28	Made. 500 pairs women's shoes. 302 " women's canvas slippers. 12 " men's shoes. 814 pairs. Repaired. 987 pairs shoes. Made. 25 strait jackets. 3 suits clothes. 2 overcoats. 30 articles. Pressed and Finished. 1,487 pairs men's pants. 30 men's jackets. 175 " vests. 262 " caps. 2 overcoats. 1,947 articles. Cleaned and Repaired for Inmates Going out. 310 suits clothes.
Tailor Shop Tailors.....	900	75	12	

Report of Female Labor at Workhouse, B. I., for the Quarter ending December 31, 1886.

WHERE EMPLOYED.	Total Days' Work.	Number of Days Employed.	Average Number of Days' Work.	OCCUPATION.
Sewing Room—				Made. 1,235 shirts. 1,025 chemises. 365 women's dresses. 322 petticoats. 200 bed ticks. 105 pillow ticks. 617 pillow cases. 1,324 sheets. 280 roller towels. 1,288 hand towels. 255 aprons. 400 night gowns. 250 pairs suspenders. 100 shrouds. Repaired. 4,377 women's dresses. 1,218 chemises. 324 petticoats. 72 pillow cases. 4,451 men's shirts. 193 jackets. 1,208 pairs pants. 193 men's caps. 41 sheets. 32 coats. 22 U. S. flags. 12,131 articles.
Sewing.....	6,764	76	89	7,766 articles.
Knitting.....	4,940	76	65	Knit. 864 pairs men's socks.
Repairing.....	4,560	76	60	Made. 1,466 pairs men's pants. 30 jackets. 660 men's caps. 175 men's vests. 157 pairs men's mitts. Repaired. 350 jackets (large). 816 pairs men's pants. 144 jackets (small). 1,310 articles.
Disabled.....	3,192	76	42	2,488 articles.
Tailoresses' Room—				Bound. 500 pairs women's shoes. 302 " canvas slippers.
Tailoresses.....	10,375	83	125	Washing and Ironing for Workhouse, City Prison, New York City Asylum for Insane, Attendants, Steamboats of Department, Twenty-sixth Street Dock Dormitory, etc.
Laundry—				
Washing.....	4,680	78	60	Waitresses and Dishwashers.
Ironing.....	858	78	11	In charge of Tiers.
Female Hall—				Scrubbing and Whitewashing.
Dining-rooms.....	920	92	10	Doorkeepers, Messengers, etc.
Tier Women.....	460	92	5	Cooks and General Help.
Scrubbers.....	4,400	88	50	Washers, Ironers and General Help.
Sundry Work.....	2,484	92	27	General Housework.
Steamboats.....	828	92	9	General Housework.
Almshouse Gang.....	3,120	78	40	General Housework.
Bakery.....	276	92	3	General Housework.
General Storekeeper.....	460	92	5	General Housework.
Assistant Storekeeper.....	184	92	2	General Housework.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. R. STOCKING, Superintendent.

WORKHOUSE, B. I., January 1, 1887.

Statement Showing How and Where the Number Remaining on Registers December 31, 1886, were Distributed.

INSTITUTIONS.	HELP.		INMATES.		TOTALS.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island.....	2	73	7	28	110
Bellevue Hospital, New York City.....	1	44	....	....	45
Out Door Poor, New York City.....	1	....	....	....	1
Twenty Sixth Street Dock, New York City...	....	1	....	....	1
Randall's Island Hospital, Randall's Island.....	48	50	....	....	98
Randall's Island Farm, Randall's Island.....	5	....	....	....	5
Hart's Island Hospital, Hart's Island.....	9	....	....	....	9
New York City Lunatic Asylum for Women, Blackwell's Island.....	9	....	....	8	17
Almshouse, Blackwell's Island.....	3	61	76	58	198
Infants' Hospital, Randall's Island.....	24	49	....	....	73
New York City Asylum for the Insane, Ward's Island.....	25	....	12	....	37
Branch Workhouse, Hart's Island.....	335	18	....	....	353
Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island.....	16	49	....	....	65
Workhouse, Blackwell's Island.....	816	626	40	32	1,514
Totals.....	1,294	971	135	126	2,526

Census Report, Workhouse, B. I., for the Quarter ending December 31, 1886.

	MALES.	FEMALES.	TOTAL.
Remaining at Workhouse, October 1, 1886.....	702	729	1,431
Admissions from October 1 to December 31, 1886.....	3,241	2,406	5,647
Returns from October 1 to December 31, 1886.....	729	1,085	1,814
Returns from Elopements from October 1 to December 31, 1886.....	4	2	6
Totals.....	4,676	4,222	8,898

	MALE.	FEMALE.	TOTAL.
Discharged from October 1 to December 31, 1886	2,988	2,455	5,443
Died at Workhouse from October 1 to December 31, 1886	16	8	24
Died at other institutions from October 1 to December 31, 1886	6	9	15
Eloped from Workhouse from October 1 to December 31, 1886	1	.....	1
Eloped from other institutions from October 1 to December 31, 1886	7	8	15
Transferred to other institutions from October 1 to December 31, 1886	802	1,084	1,886
Totals.....	3,820	3,564	7,384
Remaining at Workhouse, December 31, 1886.....	856	658	1,514
Remaining at other institutions, December 31, 1886	573	439	1,012
Remaining on Registers, December 31, 1886.....	1,429	1,097	2,526
Increase over last Quarterly Report.....	154 males.		
Decrease under last Quarterly Report		71 females.	
Total increase		83	

Respectfully submitted,
WM. R. STOCKING, Superintendent.

BRANCH WORKHOUSE, HART'S ISLAND, }
NEW YORK, January 1, 1887. }

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President Public Charities and Correction :

SIR—Following please find statement of the amount and description of mechanical and miscellaneous labor performed under my direction for the three months ended December 31 ult.; all of the labor specified therein having been done by prison help at Branch Workhouse :

FOR BRANCH WORKHOUSE.

Carpenters—Made 2 doors, 1 covered veranda 35 feet long, 3 feet 6 inches wide, 9 feet high, 2 water tanks of 400 gallons and 35 gallons capacity, respectively; 6 wheelbarrows, 1 barber's chair, 1 commode, 3 bread-boxes, 1 skid, 50 feet shelving, 125 feet fencing. Repaired 28 stools, 15 wheelbarrows, 4 bread boxes, 15 chairs, 6 pairs window blinds, 10 carts, 25 windows, 8 clothes-posts, 2 doors, 2 ladders, handles in 22 quarrying implements.

Blacksmiths—Made 18 S hooks, 18 tub-handles, 22 rivets, 18 bolts, 26 staples, 9 wall anchors, 14 braces, 60 coal-hod bails, 36 coal-hod ears, 1 spindle, 5 barrow wheel tires, 20 wedges, 32 feathers, 34 plugs, 1 riveter's tool, 4 pokers, 4 weed hooks, 10 stone chisels, 1 wrench, 1 stove damper, 1 pitching tool, 1 hasp, 1 door latch, 12 spikes, 20 nuts. Repaired 1 plow, 8 chains, 30 wheelbarrows, 80 ash forks, 4 ash tubs, 8 carts, 2 wagons, 8 pokers, 2 step-ladders, 4 cot frames, 1 barrel 15 shovels, 1 guard-boat, 3 paint-scrapers. Dressed and sharpened 2,734 quarrying implements. Put 26 sets shoes on horses.

Tinsmiths—Laid 150 square feet tin roofing. Made 15 coal-hods, 1 key, 2 20-gallon tin boilers, 1 5-gallon can, 6 feet 7 inches stove-pipe, 1 5-inch thimble, 19 3-pint tin cups. Put up 80 feet tin leader. Repaired 10 stoves, 43 pieces tin ware, 4 roofs, 2 tanks, 1 gong, 3 locks.

Painters—Painted 6 buildings outside, interior of 5 buildings, 5,400 square feet tin roofing, 18 coal hods, 4 wheelbarrows, 1 coal-box, 1 pump-house, 1 flower-stand, 1 tailor's table, 9 storm porches, 1 desk, 2 step-ladders. Whitewashed 1 outhouse, 2 rooms. Glazed 27 lights glass.

Shoemaker—Repaired 735 pairs men's and 36 pairs women's shoes.

Tailors—Repaired 676 jackets, 1,532 pairs pants, 243 caps, 330 pairs mitts.

Cotmaker—Repaired 190 canvas cot bottoms.

Female Workhouse Help—Made 35 aprons. Repaired 2,492 shirts, 1,039 undershirts, 1,182 pairs socks, 156 pillow-cases, 40 chemises, 21 dresses, 39 sheets, 28 pairs stockings. Washed and laundered 19,712 pieces clothing and bedding.

FOR HART'S ISLAND BAKERY.

Bakers made 149,395 pounds bread.

FOR CITY CEMETERY.

Excavated 4 renches, each 45 feet by 14 feet by 8 feet, and 1 trench 75 feet by 20 feet by 8 feet; interred 811 bodies; disinterred 24 bodies for re-interment in private cemeteries by friends.

FOR HART'S ISLAND HOSPITAL.

78 days' labor done.

FOR BRANCH LUNATIC ASYLUM.

210 days' labor done.

FOR NEW PAVILION.

1,007 days' labor done.

ISLAND IMPROVEMENT.

Discharged into the area of sunken land under water inclosed by the crib bulkhead, 40 scow-loads of ashes received from the Department of Street Cleaning.

Very respectfully,

LAWRENCE DUNPHY, Warden.

Return of Labor Performed by Inmates at Almshouse for Quarter ending December 31, 1886.

Carpenters—Day's work: Penitentiary 57½, green-house 121, Central Office 19, chapel 53, Twenty-sixth street dock 7½, fire-engine house 18, female dining-room 2, shed 1½, male cook-house 12, Warden's house 9, Incurable hospital 24½, Steward's house 20½, clothes yard 2, store-keeper's house 5½, female hospital 2, steamboats 4, blind shed 8½, storehouse 8, laundresses' room 1½. Made: 200 tags, 1 peg leg, 1 float, 1 sash, 4 sideboards, 18 boxes, 2 towel-rollers, 1 hat rack, 1 door, 1 inkstand, 1 skylight, 1 scaffold, 4 horses, 1 knife-box, 1 cutting board, 4 brackets, 2 dipper handles, 1 ladder, 1 floor, 1 ice-pick. Repaired: 1 table, 32 chairs, 1 step-ladder, 5 wash-stands, 1 clock case, 2 fences, 7 windows, 1 dipper, 9 wheelbarrows, 2 hand carts, 8 stools, 1 coal-box, 3 night chairs, 2 washboards, 20 pins, 1 bedstead, 1 meat box, 6 doors, 1 window-blind, 1 wagon, 1 closet, 1 floor, 1 foot-scraper. Put in: 53 sash cords; set and filed, 2 saws.

Blacksmiths and Machinists—New work: 12 bedsteads, 12 awning rings, 1 poker, 1 swivel, 304 bucket ears, 351 bolts, 1 grate shaker, 186 angle irons, 350 rivets, 80 van handles, 4 slice bars, 7 grate bars, 1 stove leg, 76 hooks, 26 shovel handles, 12 hinges, 300 spikes, 62 rivets and washers, 20 pipe-hooks, 10 handles, 1 tire, 1 ring, 1 boiler frame, 1 latch, 3 door knobs, 2 wheelbarrows, 3 hoes, 4 rakes. Repaired: 1 wagon, 157 bedsteads, 10 wheelbarrows, 31 bolts, 335 horseshoes, 3 cleavers, 31 slice bars, 4 grate bars, 35 locks, 12 scissors, 1 bar, 2 trucks, 1 stove ring, 5 dough-cutters, 17 rakes, 1 knife, 47 gas burners, 17 clocks, 4 stoves, 1 oar, 17 hooks, 20 hinges, 3 hoes, 1 tire, 1 axe, 10 pokers, 3 shovels, 2 hoops, 5 chisels, 1 spindle, 4 drills, 75 washers, 1 boat, 1 stove, 2 pickaxes, 2 crowbars, 1 bell, 1 range, 5 hammers, 1 coffee-drum, 1 door-knob, 100 meat pins.

Tinsmiths—Made: 1 damper, 96 elbows, 492 feet pipe, 5 chimney-tops, 1 door, 1 box, 3 blowers, 13 lamps, 1 coffee-pot, 1 tea-pot, 182 feet roofing, 1 screen, 174 feet gutter, 65 pans, 11 boilers, 58 feet leader, 4 garbage boxes, 2 funnels, 2 colanders, 4 dippers, 2 bread boxes, 36 pails, 24 shovels, 24 cups, 12 mess boxes, 3 cans. Repaired: 324 pieces tinware, 2 furnaces.

Coopers—Coopered: 133 barrels. Made: 131 pails, 3 tubs. Repaired: 175 barrels, 18 tubs, 50 pails.

Tailors—Made: 109 jackets, 96 vests, 275 pants, 85 caps. Repaired: 784 jackets, 189 vests, 1,561 pants, 232 caps.

Seamstresses and Knitters—Made: 490 pairs socks, 50 woolen caps, 200 blankets. Trimmed: 250 canton flannel chemises, 75 roller towels, 100 sheets, 400 shirts. Repaired: 663 dresses, 276 petticoats, 929 chemises, 1,025 shirts, 64 pillow cases, 868 pairs socks, 5 spreads, 768 sheets, 247 bed-ticks.

Brush and Mat Makers—Made: 72 mats, 288 scrubbing brushes.

Shoemakers—Repaired: 430 pairs shoes.

Washerwomen—Washed: 78,681 pieces.

Painters and Plasterers—General repairs.

Whitewashing—2 men whitewashing.

Respectfully submitted,

M. VOUGHT, Warden.

NEW YORK CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, WARD'S ISLAND, }
NEW YORK, January 3, 1887. }

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President, etc.:

DEAR SIR—I have the honor to forward herewith a statement of labor performed by inmates of this institution, during the quarter ending December 31, 1886.

Printing Bureau—For Purchasing Agent—765 specifications, 2,700 blanks, 1,000 note proposal blanks, 100 letter proposal blanks. For General Bookkeeper—1,000 weekly reports, 100 pamphlets, 28 pages, estimates, 1887; 1,000 postal cards heading, 500 circular letters, 1,000 extra diet blanks, 600 blanks. For Superintendent Out-door Poor—1,000 cards, 1,000 Randall's Island discharges, 1,000 certificates of insanity, 10,000 Bellevue Hospital passes, 1,000 Bellevue Hospital passes, cards; 2,000 Lunatic Asylum passes, 500 Insane Asylum passes, 4,000 City Prisons passes, 1,000 ex-physicians' blanks, 3,000 discharge blanks, 500 envelope headings, 1 ream letter headings. For Bellevue Hospital—2,000 bed cards, 1,000 notices of transfer, 2,000 history blanks, 2,000 property blanks. For General Drug Department—60,000 prescription blanks, 2,100 card tags, 500 pamphlets, 132 pages, hospital formulary. For City Prison—1,000 letter headings, 1,000 note headings, 2,000 discharge blanks. For Charity Hospital—200 programmes, 2,000 memorandums, 200 blanks, 475 postal cards. 3,000 labels, 1,000 letter envelopes, 2 boxes document envelopes. For Penitentiary—2,000 note headings. For Workhouse—1,000 letter headings, 1 box letter envelopes. For Storehouse—3,000 letter envelopes, 1,000 document envelopes, 1 ream note headings. For Almshouse—500 cards, receipts; 500 inventory blanks. For Lunatic Asylum—350 pamphlets, 26 pages, rules and regulations; 3,000 passes, blanks; 50 Supreme Court blanks, 100 return blanks, 100 admission blanks, 100 discharge blanks, 100 death blanks, 250 programmes, 2 boxes envelopes. For Homoeopathic Hospital—2,000 employees' passes, 2,000 discharge passes, 500 envelopes. For Insane Asylum—1,950 letter headings, 500 telephone blanks, 3,000 labor reports, 700 letter envelopes, 1,650 document envelopes, 1,200 requisition envelopes, 200 cards, units; 12 cards, no smoking; 2,000 employees' passes, 8,000 census blanks, 1,200 wash lists, 1,000 hospital cards, 1,000 medical certificates, 50 balance sheets, "Piano Fund." For Randall's Island—5,000 census reports, 2,000 letter headings, 500 note headings, 500 pay-order blanks, 1,000 admission blanks, 1,000 discharge blanks, 1,500 census blanks, 1,000 wash lists, 5,000 liquor orders, 50 monthly reports. For Hart's Island—1,000 note headings, 2,500 document envelopes, 3,000 letter envelopes, 4,000 wash lists, 175 pamphlets, 26 pages rules and regulations.

Washhouse—Patients' wash, 227,520 pieces. Attendants' wash, 12,092 pieces

Shoemaker—New work: made 13 pairs shoes, 7 pairs slippers. Repaired: 783 pairs shoes.

Tailor—New work: made 43 pairs pants, 18 vests, 9 jackets, 106 blouses trimmed. Repaired:

2,545 pairs pants, 375 vests, 1,494 jackets, 10 blouses.

Matmaker—Made 5 cushions, 23 baskets, 414 brooms, 99 mats, 2 caned chairs.

Plasterer—Scraped and whitewashed walls and ceilings of cellar in centre building; cemented floor of cellar; plastered ceiling in shoe shop and repaired plaster in ceilings of Wards 6 and 23; lathed and plastered bath-room; cut through brick walls for plumbing work; raised flag stones in cellar; put down deadening in kitchen; whitewashed throughout cellar walls and ceilings, and general repairs throughout building.

Plumber—Made connections to sewers; took out old sewer and waste-pipes; erected water-closet, and other general repairs.

Painter—Painted walls and ceiling in Ward 5; general painting work in wards and centre building; painted railings in front and back of building; painted 175 bedsteads, varnishing floors, cleaning, varnishing and polishing furniture, painting and graining furniture, painting and lettering 6 transit boxes for vegetables, and oiling and varnishing new woodwork; glazing throughout building.

Carpenter—New work: 2 benches, 1 top for writing-table, 1 case for envelopes, 3 medicine trays, 7 handbarrows, 2 ladders, 16 feet long, 2 dozen frames for fancy baskets, 4 water-closet seats, 8 dozen feet for fancy baskets, 5 transit boxes for vegetables, 4 tail-boards for coal carts, boxes for steam traps, shelving, rims on bath-tubs, 4 screen frames, flooring in wash-house, 15 by 10 feet; bookshelf, flower-boxes, erected shed, platform in wash-house, 15 by 4 feet. Repairs—49 settees, 8 carts, 26 chairs, 55 wheelbarrows, 6 boxes, 2 tables, 8 dozen mop handles, 12 handbarrows, 4 night commodes, flooring in wards, general repairs to locks, window-bars, doors, sash cords, towel racks, stands, window-blinds, etc., etc. Work in Ward 5 finished, and Ward 18 begun.

Tinsmith—Milk cans made and general repairs to tinware throughout institution.

Out-door Improvements—Grading, making and repairing roads and sidewalks; carting produce from farm to Homoeopathic Hospital and Insane Asylum; removing ashes for reclaiming purposes; unloading coal and ice from barges; housing ice; removing subsoil from round old sewer and waste-pipes, and filling in with ashes and good earth the soil thus removed; carting coal from coal dock to Homoeopathic Hospital and Insane Asylum; carting goods from steamboat dock; removing snow from roads, etc., and other general work about farm, stable, kitchen, etc., etc.

Very respectfully,

A. TRAUTMAN, Medical Superintendent.

LUNATIC ASYLUM, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

Labor Reports for Quarter ending December 31, 1886.

SEWING, ETC., REPORT.

ARTICLES.	LUNATIC ASYLUM.	OTHER INSTITUTIONS.	TOTALS.
Bed-ticks.....	300	512	812
Pillow-ticks.....	200	425	625
Sheets.....	200	1,300	1,500
Pillow-cases.....	300	1,160	1,460
Spreads.....	100	.....	100
Roller-towels.....	400	206	606
Hand-towels.....	100	400	500
Muslin chemises.....	450	212	662
Canton flannel chemises.....	850	.....	850
Canton flannel drawers.....	850	100	950
Calico dresses.....	400	474	874
Petticoats.....	250	349	599
Men's shirts.....	.....	1,200	1,200
Ticking dresses.....	.....	112	112
Ticking aprons.....	.....	50	50
Blue flannel shirts.....	.....	100	100
Red flannel shirts.....	100	.....	100
Red flannel drawers.....	100	.....	100
Night-gowns.....	.....	24	24
Men's suspenders (pairs).....	.....	500	500
Children's aprons.....	.....	200	200
Attendants' aprons.....	100	.....	100
Attendants' caps.....	300	.....	300
Attendants' Seersucker dresses.....	16	.....	16
Stockings, (pairs).....	482	.....	482
Scrub brushes (made).....	590	.....	590
Door mats.....	29	.....	29

Engineer—Putting in 30 feet ¾-inch gas pipe in Hall 1, also 25 feet ¾-inch gas pipe in Hall 6; repairing roof of Main Building; repairing 3 sinks in Lodge; putting in 4 new radiators in Old Retreat, also putting in 50 feet 1-inch pipe and 50 feet ¾-inch pipe, also valves and fittings; taking out and repairing 8 radiators in New Retreat; connecting new hot-water tank in Pavilion G, also removing water-closet, sink and bath-tub, and re-setting same with new fittings; repairing 15 stoves; also all incidental repairs to gas, steam, etc., in Pavilions, Lodge, Retreat and Main Building of the Institution.

Carpenter—Trimming windows and doors of Lodge, also in Halls 2, 4 and 6, also putting doors and fire-escape stairs; trimming around wasstand and tub in Assistant Medical Superintendent's room; building and trimming 4 new closets in Hall 2, also in Hall 3; putting in 3

new doors in Hall 1; making one new book-case for Medical Superintendent; making two new wardrobes for the Institution; making two new rooms in Male Dormitory; wainscoting around bath-tub in Cottage, also trimming sink and repairing windows and doors of same; new water-closet set in Pavilion H; wainscoting water-closet and sink in Pavilion G; repairing floor of bath-room in Pavilion E, also in Pavilion D; repairing 27 settees and 35 chairs; making 20 picture frames; setting desks in Steward's office; also all incidental repairs to Pavilions, Lodge, Retreat and Main Building of the Institution.

Painting—In Halls 1, 2 and 3, all the woodwork of the new rooms; two new closets Hall 2; two new closets in Hall 3; Retreat 2 North and Retreat 2 South; partition in Old Retreat kitchen; Matron's Room; 45 iron bedsteads; 20 picture frames for the Halls; entire outside of Doctor's Cottage, 2 coats; also painting and touching inside of Cottage throughout.

Glazing—Put in 1,075 panes of glass throughout the Institution.

Plastering, etc.—Patching ceiling and side walls of Halls 1, 6 and 8; patching ceiling of upper floor of cupolo; patching and whitewashing ceiling of Matron's Room; whitewashing Male Help Dormitory in cupolo; patching store ceiling, also whitewashing the same; patching and whitewashing the different halls of Lodge; plastering ceiling and sidewalls up-stairs and down-stairs of Old Retreat; plastering ceilings of rooms belonging to Men's Dormitory.

E. C. DENT, Medical Superintendent.

BRANCH LUNATIC ASYLUM, December 31, 1886.

Hon. H. H. PORTER, President, Department Public Charities and Correction:

SIR—I have the honor to submit to your Honorable Board the following report for quarter ending this date.

Very respectfully,

ANDREW EGAN, Medical Superintendent.
Per SMITH.

Summary of Census.

	MEN.	WOMEN.	TOTAL.	NATIVE.	FOREIGN.
Remaining September 30, 1886.....	49	534	583	78	505
Received by transfer from Ward's Island.....	14	..	14	5	9
“ “ Blackwell's Island.....	..	18	18	5	13
Total.....	63	552	615	88	527
Died during the quarter.....	..	7	7	1	6
Returned to Ward's Island.....	3	..	3	1	2
“ “ Blackwell's Island.....	..	3	3	..	3
Discharged to care of friends.....	..	2	2	..	2
Remaining in the Institution.....	60	540	600	86	514
Total.....	63	552	615	88	527

Showing an increase of 17 patients.

LABOR REPORT.

The male patients have been employed as follows: 17 in the kitchen, 1 as carpenter, 1 as painter, 3 to assist the Engineer, 2 in the laundry (at work too laborious for female patients), and 36 at out-door labor. The latter have built a new roadway across the island; have almost completed the grading around the new pavilion; have reclaimed about an acre of land at the lower end of the grounds for cultivation during the coming year; have opened and filled in trenches for the laying of pipes, and have been further engaged in transplanting trees, shoveling snow, screening coal and supplying the same to pavilions and hospital wards; in removing ashes and garbage and in conveying clothing to and from the laundry.

Of the female patients an average number of 190 have been engaged at housework and in sewing and knitting, as per appended list, 9 have been employed in scrubbing, daily, the offices, dining-room, male employees' apartments and the hospital wards; 3 as cook, chambermaid and waitress for the assistant physicians, and 27 in the laundry. The number of pieces washed and ironed have amounted to 51,503 for the asylum, 14,760 for Hart's Island Hospital, and 3,931 for the medical staff at Insane Asylum, Ward's Island; in all 70,194 articles.

The Carpenter, with his assistants, has been employed in making and putting up storm doors; has partitioned a room in the kitchen for men's clothing; has repaired the outside base of Pavilions D and E, and has kept in good order the woodwork and all the furniture of both institutions.

The Engineer and his fireman and assistants have been employed in laying steam and hot-water pipes to Pavilions D and E for the purpose of increasing the supply; in keeping hot and cold water tanks and their connections in repair; in repairing sinks and bath tubs; in keeping the sewers free from obstruction; in making and fitting keys and repairing locks, and in cleaning and overhauling, at intervals, the large and small boilers.

The Blacksmith has repaired stoves, stove-guards, coal scuttles, hand-carts, wheelbarrows, tools, etc.

The Tinsmith has repaired stove-pipes, cans, kettles, tea and coffee pots, mess boxes and kitchen utensils generally, and has kept in repair the tin roofs, gutters and leaders of both institutions.

The Painter and his assistants have painted the Engineer's apartments, the first story of Pavilion 2; the kitchen and bath-room of Medical Superintendent's house; the wainscot, walls and steam pipes in the kitchen; the bath tubs, wash tubs and steam pipes in the laundry, and storm doors for all the pavilions; besides attending to the paint repairs, and the putting in of window glass where required, throughout the institutions.

The Plasterer has been engaged in making and repairing asphalt walks.

Quarterly Sewing Report, Branch Lunatic Asylum, December 31, 1886.

ARTICLES.	FOR BRANCH LUNATIC ASYLUM.		FOR INSANE ASYLUM, W. I.	
	MADE.	REPAIRED.	MADE.	REPAIRED.
Aprons.....	54	121	....	69
Blankets.....	....	81	....	24
Bed-ticks.....	....	2,502	....	....
Chemises.....	453	3,946	....	....
Drawers.....	271	2,980	....	....
Dresses.....	266	5,246	....	....
Hats.....	..	353	....	....
Hoods.....	....	1,384	....	....
Nightgowns.....	....	283	....	....
Petticoats.....	153	2,654	....	....
Pillow-cases.....	....	1,259	....	89
Pillow-ticks.....	....	1,730	....	....
Spreads.....	....	438	....	7
Sheets.....	....	1,515	....	369
Shirts.....	....	54	....	1,587
Socks.....	17	311	....	5,871
Stockings.....	20	2,795	....	....
Table-cloths.....	12	8	....	....
Towels.....	105	49	....	141
Total.....	1,351	27,709	....	8,157

BAKERY, January 3, 1887.

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President Board of Charities and Correction:

SIR—I have the honor to submit the following report of labor performed by the inmates of this Department for the quarter ending December 31, 1886:

Number of barrels of flour baked into bread..... 5,841

“ “ distributed to institutions..... 970

Total..... 6,811

Number of pounds of bread baked and distributed to the various institutions during the month of October..... 471,772

Number of pounds of bread baked and distributed to the various institutions during the month of November..... 474,546

Number of pounds of bread baked and distributed to the various institutions during the month of December..... 534,972

Total..... 1,481,284

Distribution of labor as follows:

Manufacturing of bread..... 20 men

Mixing doughs and setting sponges..... 15 “

Laboring work..... 32 “

Total..... 65 “

Respectfully,

A. CHANCELLOR, Master Baker.

BAKERY, January 3, 1887.

Hon. HENRY H. PORTER, President Board of Charities and Correction:

SIR—The Annual report of the Bakery is herewith presented. I would state that the building is in good order, also the 6 ovens with the exception of a few repairs required occasionally. 22,577 barrels of flour were baked into bread the last year, and 2,802 barrels of flour distributed to the Hart's Island bakery and the various institutions, from the bakery.

Number of pounds of bread baked and distributed in the month of—

January.....	519,381
February.....	477,417
March.....	503,029
April.....	473,841
May.....	447,879
June.....	449,866
July.....	444,284
August.....	428,421
September.....	453,423
October.....	471,772
November.....	474,546
December.....	534,972

Total..... 5,678,831

Respectfully,

A. CHANCELLOR, Master Baker.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

At a meeting of the Board of Docks, held January 19, 1887.

Present—Commissioners Matthews and Koch.

Absent—Commissioner Stark.

Commissioner Koch was elected President pro tem.

The minutes of the meeting held January 12, 1887, were read and approved.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief respecting the condition of and repairs required to Pier 49, East river, was,

On motion, laid on the table, and the President pro tem. authorized to request George Briggs, the President of the New York Floating Dry Dock Company, to call on the Commissioners on Thursday, January 27th instant.

The report of the Engineer-in-Chief on Secretary's Order No. 6136, respecting the application of the Glen Cove Manufacturing Company, for permission to build a pier in front of the bulkhead between Gouverneur and Jackson streets, East river, was,

On motion, referred to Commissioner Koch to examine and report.

The following communications were received, read, and

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, action being taken where necessary, as stated, to wit:

From Counsel to the Corporation:

1st. Acknowledging receipt of form of contract for removing part of Pier foot of West Thirty-fourth street, North river, and building a new wooden Pier thereat.

2d. Requesting surveys showing the north and south lines of Pier, new 36, North river, to be used in the suit of Lowerre and others vs. The Mayor, etc. The Engineer-in-Chief directed to make surveys as requested.

3d. Requesting information respecting the suit of the Mayor vs. The New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company. The President pro tem. authorized to furnish the information desired.

From Civil Service Supervisory and Examining Board:

1st. Transmitting names of persons eligible for appointment as Steam Engineers.

2d. Reporting that Henry C. Freeman, Clerk to the Engineer-in-Chief, had passed a satisfactory examination and is eligible for promotion.

From New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company—Reporting that a canal boat is sunk in the slip between Piers 51 and 51½, East river. The President pro tem. authorized to notify Dock Master Eugene McCarthy, to report to the Board the name of said canal boat and also the name and address of the agent, owner or consignee.

From Pennsylvania Railroad Company—Agreeing to the terms and conditions of resolution adopted January 12, 1887.

From Old Colony Steamboat Company—Agreeing to the terms and conditions of resolution adopted January 12, 1887.

From New York Lumber Trade Association—Requesting an interview respecting the construction of sheds and buildings on bulkheads. The President pro tem. authorized to request them to call on the Commissioners on Thursday, January 27, 1887, at 12 o'clock M.

From Providence and Stonington Steamship Company—In reference to agreeing to the terms and conditions of resolution adopted January 12, 1887. The President pro tem. authorized to notify the said steamship company that the time to agree to said resolution has been extended to January 23, 1887.

From the New York, Lake Erie and Western Railroad Company—Agreeing to the terms and conditions of resolution adopted January 7, 1887.

From Engineer-in-Chief:

1st. Reporting assignment of employees to special duty.

2d. Reporting the amount of work done during the week ending January 15, 1887.

3d. Reporting that he had taken possession of all property of the Department, late under the charge of William Shedlock, as Superintendent of Machinery.

4th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6144, that he had replaced fender-pile broken at bulkhead foot of Seventeenth street, East river, at a cost of \$11.12. The Treasurer authorized to make out bill for \$5.56 and collect the said amount from the New York Lighterage Company.

5th. Report on Secretary's Orders Nos. 5136 and 6048, in reference to replacing fender-piles at bulkhead foot of Seventeenth street, East river.

6th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6126, that he had cleaned silt basins on new made land in front of Pier, new 36, North river.

7th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6140, that he had repaired bulkhead platform foot of Sixty-first street, East river.

8th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6141, that he had placed a second-hand iron cleat on backing-log on bulkhead south of Pier, new 38, North river.

9th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 6142, that he had repaired the deck of Pier 7, East river.

10th. Report on Secretary's Order No. 3937, that he had superintended the erection of a crib bulkhead south of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street, east side of Harlem river.

From John M. Smith, Dock Master:

1st. Recommending that the scuppers in backing-pieces along the new bulkhead be cleared.

out so as the water can run off the bulkheads. The action of Commissioner Matthews in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to do said work at once, was approved.

2d. Recommending that spring-pile on the south side of Pier, new 43, North river, be refastened. The action of Commissioner Matthews in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report, was approved.

3d. Recommending that the Pier, foot of West Eleventh street, North river, and the bulkhead south be cleaned; also, recommending that the snow be removed from the new made land in front of Ferry-house foot of Christopher street, North river. The action of Commissioner Matthews in requesting the Department of Street Cleaning to clean the premises, was approved.

From Anthony Hartman, Dock Master—Reporting that dredging is needed at south side of Pier adjoining bulkhead foot of Sixty-second street, East river. The action of Commissioner Matthews in directing the Engineer-in-Chief to examine and report, was approved.

A communication from Simon Stevens, attorney, in reference to postponing the time for closing the contracts made with S. Charles Welsh, as sole surviving executor of the estate of George W. Welsh, deceased, for the purchase by the City of seventy-five feet of bulkhead, or wharf property, on West street, next north of Harrison street, North river, was received, read, and

On motion, ordered to be placed on file, and the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the time for closing the contract made with the executor of the estate of George W. Welsh, deceased, party of the first part, with the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, acting by the Department of Docks, party of the second part, dated December 17, 1886, for the sale of seventy-five feet of the bulkhead on West street, next north of Harrison street, in the City of New York, be and the same is hereby extended and postponed to March 15, 1887.

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, submitted the monthly balance sheet for December, 1886, which was received, and the President pro tem. authorized to transmit the same to the Comptroller of the City.

The communication from A. C. Chapin, Attorney Screw Dock Company, respecting the sale to the City of Pier 39, East river, and bulkhead adjoining, was,

On motion, referred to Commissioners Koch and Matthews.

On motion, the amendments offered to the By-laws were laid on the table for further consideration.

The following requisitions were read, and,

On motion, approved:

Register No.

5880. For services of dredge, etc., Eighteenth street, East river. Estimated cost, \$300 00

5881. For 24 iron crow-bars. " 24 00

5882. For test of iron. " 12 00

5883. For services of dredge, etc., East One Hundred and Fourteenth street, Harlem river. " 500 00

5884. For 34 yellow pine or cypress piles, each. " 30 00

5885. For 2,000 forms K and 1,000 forms L. " 18 00

5886. For draughtsmen's supplies. " 37 70

Requisition No.

304. For 1 lot of soap. " "

305. For cleaner's supplies. " "

The Treasurer, Commissioner Matthews, presented his report of receipts for the week ending January 18, 1887, amounting to \$2,388.49, which was received and ordered to be spread in full on the minutes, as follows:

DATE.	FROM WHOM.	FOR WHAT.	AMOUNT.	TOTAL.	DATE DEPOSITED.
1887.					1887.
Jan. 18	Chas. H. Thompson.....	Wharfage District No. 1.....	\$109 88		
" 18	John J. Simpson.....	" 2.....	148 83		
" 18	Edward Abeel.....	" 3.....	520 58		
" 18	John M. Smith.....	" 4.....	410 72		
" 18	Eugene McCarthy.....	" 5.....	108 35		
" 18	Patrick Curley.....	" 6.....	262 80		
" 18	Chas. P. Blake.....	" 7.....	85 62		
" 18	Patrick J. Brady.....	" 8.....	96 15		
" 18	Anthony Hartman.....	" 9.....	50 62		
" 18	Joseph B. Erwin.....	" 10.....	415 62		
" 18	John Callan.....	" 11.....	89 38		
" 18	Joseph F. Sharkey.....	" 12.....	90 94		
				\$2,388 49	Jan. 18.
				\$2,388 49	

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES MATTHEWS, Treasurer.

On motion, the Board adjourned.

B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the name of Henry Phillip, recently superseded as Commissioner of Deeds by William A. Condon, be corrected so as to read Henry Phillips. Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 6, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby given to the Trustees of the Church of the Strangers in the City of New York, located on Mercer street, between Clinton and Waverley places, to place an ornamental lamp on the unused public lamp-post at the northwest corner of Broadway and Clinton place, and to have the same lighted, the work to be done and gas furnished at the expense of the said religious corporation, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 11, 1887.

Approved by the Acting Mayor, January 17, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Cody & Salisbury, managers of "Buffalo Bill's Wild West," to drive through the streets of this City two advertising vans, each to be drawn by two horses; such permission to continue only for a period of forty days.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 18, 1887.

Approved by the Acting Mayor, January 20, 1887.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw his warrant in favor of P. W. Latham for the sum of two hundred and seventy-five dollars, for engrossing and binding the memorial resolutions passed by the Common Council on the death of Ex-Governor Horatio Seymour and furnishing engraved glass case for the same, and take the amount from the appropriation for "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 18, 1887.

Approved by the Mayor, January 22, 1887.

Resolved, That the name of James E. McEachen, recently reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be corrected so as to read "James C. McEachen."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 18, 1887.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the American Water Color Society to suspend a net-work banner across Twenty-third street, from the building of the Academy of Design to the building of the Young Men's Christian Association, west of Fourth avenue, the work to be done at its own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the month of February, 1887.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 11, 1887.

Approved by the Mayor, January 22, 1887.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY

OF THE

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,

CENTRAL PARK, NEW YORK.

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

ABSTRACT OF REGISTERS FROM SELF-RECORDING INSTRUMENTS,

For the week ending January 22, 1887.

Barometer.

DATE.	JANUARY.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN FOR THE DAY.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.	
		Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.	Reduced to Freezing.	Time.
Sunday,	16	29.898	29.900	29.882	29.893	29.954	10 A.M.	29.784	0 A.M.
Monday,	17	29.510	29.298	29.350	29.386	29.822	0 A.M.	29.262	4 P.M.
Tuesday,	18	29.538	29.590	30.000	29.709	30.056	12 P.M.	29.406	0 A.M.
Wednesday,	19	30.100	29.906	29.910	29.972	30.104	9 A.M.	29.892	4 P.M.
Thursday,	20	29.968	29.710	29.668	29.782	29.968	7 A.M.	29.658	12 P.M.
Friday,	21	29.848	30.042	30.314	30.068	30.362	12 P.M.	29.658	0 A.M.
Saturday,	22	30.398	30.212	30.100	30.236	30.406	2 A.M.	30.058	12 P.M.

Mean for the week..... 29.864 inches.

Maximum " at 2 A.M., January 22d..... 30.406 "

Minimum " at 4 P.M., January 17th..... 29.262 "

Range " 1.144 "

Thermometers.

DATE.	JANUARY.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	MEAN.	MAXIMUM.		MINIMUM.		MAXIMUM.
		Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	Dry Bulb.	Wet Bulb.	In Sun.
Sunday,	16	24	22	31	29	36	31	30.3	27.3	37
Monday,	17	38	35	40	35	33	28	37.0	32.6	42
Tuesday,	18	22	20	18	15	7	5	15.6	13.3	27
Wednesday,	19	7	4	22	18	24	21	17.6	14.3	25
Thursday,	20	26	24	38	35	38	35	34.0	31.3	40
Friday,	21	41	39	45	39	32	31	39.3	36.3	47
Saturday,	22	28	28	34	32	36	35	32.6	31.6	40

Mean for the week..... 29.5 degrees.

Maximum for the week, at 11 A.M., 21st..... 47. " at 10 A.M., 21st..... 41. "

Minimum " at 9 A.M., 19th..... 4. " at 2 A.M., 19th..... 2. "

Range " 43. " 39. "

Wind.

DATE.	JANUARY.	DIRECTION.			VELOCITY IN MILES.			FORCE IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT.		
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.
Sunday,	16....	NNW	WNW	SE	56	43	36	135	0	0
Monday,	17....	NE	E	W	47	29	79	155	0	0
Tuesday,	18....	WNW	NW	NW	160	122	120	402	1/2	4 1/2
Wednesday,	19....	W	SW	WSW	144	90	67	293	1	3 1/2
Thursday,	20....	NNE	SSE	SSW	36	46	53	135	0	0
Friday,	21....	WSW	NW	NNE	89	93	60	242	0	1/2
Saturday,	22....	NNE	NNE	NNE	39	26	4	69	0	0

Distance traveled during the week..... 1,436 miles.

Maximum force " 16 1/2 pounds.

DATE.	JANUARY.	Hygrometer.			Clouds.			Rain and Snow. Ozone.		
		FORCE OF VAPOR.	RELATIVE HUMIDITY.		CLEAR, O.	OVERCAST, 10.		DEPTH OF RAIN AND SNOW IN INCHES.		
		7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.	Time of Beginning.	Time of Ending.	Duration.
										H. M.
Sunday,	16	.095	.137	.116	74	79	55	0	2 Cir.	10
Monday,	17	.165	.139	.096	72	55	51	10	10	10
Tuesday,	18	.085	.052	.032	72	52	54	0	4 Cu.	0
Wedn'day,	19	.018	.053	.079	31	45	61	2 Cir.	10	0
Thursday,	20	.106	.165	.165	75	72	72	0	10	10
Friday,	21	.212	.160	.162	82	53	89	2 Cir.	4 Cir.	0
Saturday,	22	.153	.155	.191	100	79	90	10	10	10

Total amount of water for the week..... 0.27 inch.

Duration for the week..... 0 day, 16 hours, 00 minutes.

Depth of snow..... 1/8 inch.

DANIEL DRAPER, PH.D., Director.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending January 15, 1887:

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.

People ex rel. Nicholas F. Keyes vs. Stephen B. French, John McClave, Fitz John Porter and John R. Voorhis, composing the Board of Commissioners of the Police Department of the City of New York—Certiorari to review removal of relator, a policeman, from the force, December 7, 1886.

Francis Bunner—For excess of assessment paid for Twentieth street paving, between Third avenue and East river, on Ward No. 5000, \$112.71.

Sophia Graeffe—For excess of assessment paid for Twentieth street paving, between Third avenue and East river, on Ward No. 4799, \$113.

Conrad Muller—For excess of assessment paid for Twentieth street paving, between Third avenue and East river, on Ward No. 4989, \$84.94.

Louisa F. Snow—For excess of assessment paid for Twentieth street paving, between Third avenue and East river, on Ward No. 4999, \$105.75.

Blanch E. Sayre—For excess of assessment paid for Twentieth street paving, between Third avenue and East river, on Ward No. 4998, \$118.30.

Thomas Lennon, as administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of Joseph E. Lennon, deceased—Balance due under contract of September 16, 1880, for alterations and repairs to quarters of Engine Co. No. 3, at No. 417 West Seventeenth street, \$340.

Elise Bayot vs. George A. McDermott, Superintendent of Incumbrances—To restrain interference with show-window in front of premises No. 103 East Fourteenth street.

Mary H. Sayre—For excess of assessment paid for Manhattan street regulating, etc., Twelfth to St. Nicholas avenue, on Ward Nos. 1 and 2, Block No. 1053, \$227.35.

Howard W. Coates, executor, etc., of the estate of George H. Peck, deceased—For excess of assessment paid for Manhattan street regulating, etc., Twelfth to St. Nicholas avenue, on Ward Nos. 56 and 57, Block 1052, \$886.35.

Thomas Knipe—Summons only served.

Henry W. Clark, as sole surviving executor of the last will and testament of William H. Ketteltas—To recover back excess of assessment paid for Eighty-second street regulating, grading, etc., between Eighth avenue and Boulevard, on Ward Nos. 38½ and 39, Block 124.

In re petition of Mary Miller—To vacate an assessment for sewers in Third avenue and in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, etc.

In re petition of Mary E. Thurber—To vacate an assessment for sewers in Third avenue and in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, etc.

In re petition of William J. Broderick—To vacate an assessment for sewers in Third avenue and in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-fourth streets, etc.

In re petition of Henry Cramer—To vacate an assessment for regulating, paving, etc., Fourth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-fifth streets.

In re petition of Henry Spratley et al., executor, etc.—To vacate an assessment for sewer in One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, with branch in Alexander avenue.

In re petition of Philip Ebling and William Ebling—To vacate an assessment for regulating, gutter, curb and flagging in Ninth avenue, from Eighty-first to One Hundred and Tenth street.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Elizabeth Jones—To recover back excess of assessment paid for regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Manhattan street, from St. Nicholas to Twelfth avenue, on Ward Nos. 14, 18, 19, in Block 1286, \$646.40.

George W. McLean, as Receiver of Taxes in the City of New York vs. Elizabeth O. Coffin—To recover personal tax assessed for year 1880 on Chatham Bank shares, \$75.90.

Philip Hoffman—To recover back excess of assessment paid for regulating, grading curb, gutter, and flagging Manhattan street, from St. Nicholas to Twelfth avenue, on Ward No. 7, Block 1053, \$330.75.

George Boucsein and Philip Hoffman, as executors under the last will and testament of Andrew Bouscein, deceased—To recover back excess of assessment paid for regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Manhattan street, from St. Nicholas to Twelfth avenues, on Ward No. 8, Block 1053, \$330.75.

SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

Peo. ex rel. Jose M. Ferrer, executor, etc., vs. Tax Commissioners—General Term judgment entered in favor of relator canceling assessment for year 1886.

Andrew Stauff—Order entered discontinuing action without costs, by consent.

James Brady—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$1,165.20, after trial before Ingraham, J.

Ellen Siebert—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$5,469.29, after trial before Barrett, J., and jury.

Peo. John Nugent vs. Police Commissioners—Order entered dismissing appeal unless same is submitted by January 14.

Matter estate Ellen Conway—Petition withdrawn and proceedings abandoned by consent.

Peo. ex rel. Edward G. Ames vs. Joseph Koch et al., Dock Commissioners—General Term order entered reversing proceedings of Commissioners.

August Rosenfeld—Order entered discontinuing action without costs; \$10 to be deducted from any judgment recovered by plaintiff by consent.

In re Lemuel B. Clark and another—St. Nicholas avenue sewers, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets—Order entered vacating assessment pursuant to decision in re Female Academy of Sacred Heart.

In re Susan A. King—St. Nicholas avenue sewers, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets—Order entered vacating assessment pursuant to decision in re Female Academy of Sacred Heart.

Charles E. Miller—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$1,080.57 upon offer.

Matter Ruth Ann Wallace—Various sales, proceeding discontinued matter having been settled by consent.

In re Lavinia S. Hawley—Boulevard sewers, One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Fifty-seventh streets—Order entered vacating assessment pursuant to decision in re Blodgett.

In re Thomas Auld—One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street regulating and grading—Order entered reducing assessment.

John Morgan—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for verdict \$225.90, after trial before Williams J. and Jury.

George W. McLean, as Receiver, etc., vs. The One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Street Railroad Company—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$471.32 by default.

George W. McLean as Receiver, etc., vs. The Third Avenue Railroad Company—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$34,551.25 by default.

George W. McLean as Receiver, etc., vs. The Third Avenue Railroad Company—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$3,374.88 by default.

Young Men's Christian Association vs. Tax Commissioners—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff perpetually enjoining defendants from enforcing the tax, etc.

People ex rel. John T. Lockman vs. James A. Flack, County Clerk—General Term order of affirmance entered.

In re Manhattan Railway Company, One Hundred and Tenth street tree planting—Order entered vacating assessment pursuant to decision in re Robbins.

George L. Prentiss, St. Nicholas avenue sewers, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-second street—Order entered vacating assessment pursuant to decision in re Trustees Female Academy Sacred Heart.

In re George W. Carleton, St. Nicholas avenue sewers, One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Thirty-second streets—Order entered vacating assessment, pursuant to decision in re Trustees Female Academy Sacred Heart.

In re James Wilcox et al., One Hundred and Tenth street regulating, etc.—Order entered vacating assessment pursuant to decision in re Manhattan Railway Company.

In re Michael H. Cashman, St. Nicholas avenue sewers—Order entered vacating assessment pursuant to decision in re Trustees Female Academy Sacred Heart.

In re Ann Buckley, St. Nicholas avenue sewers—Order entered vacating assessment pursuant to decision in re Trustees Female Academy of Sacred Heart.

In re George Stone, St. Nicholas avenue sewers—Order entered vacating assessment pursuant to decision in re Trustees Female Academy Sacred Heart.

John C. McCarthy et al., executors—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$147.10 without trial; letter to Comptroller.

Thomas Loughran—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$2,494.98 without trial; letter to Comptroller.

In re John P. Hunt, One Hundred and Sixteenth street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Charles Devlin—1. Seventh avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets; 2. Sixth avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Forty-seventh and Two Hundred and Ninety-second street; 3. Sixth avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Twenty-fifth streets; 4. One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street sewer, between Sixth and Eighth avenues; 5. Manhattan street sewer, Twelfth avenue and St. Nicholas avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs.

In re John Simon, sewer in Second avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Benjamin H. Hinton, sewer in Manhattan street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re John Townshend, sewers in Eighty-fourth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re John Townshend, sewers in Seventy-fourth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Mary J. Munson et al., sewers in One Hundred and Fifth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Sarah J. Pierson, sewers in One Hundred and Fifteenth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re John Townshend, curb, etc., Second avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Joseph McL. Stryker, curb Eleventh avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Charles B. Wood, curb, etc., One Hundred and Ninth street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re James McMahon, Seventieth street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Thomas Pearson, Seventy-fifth street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Bridget O'Brien, Seventy-fifth street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Benjamin Douglas, Seventy-sixth street regulating, etc.—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re John Townshend, regulating, etc., Second avenue, and Eighty-fourth street—Order entered dismissing petition, without costs by consent.

In re John Townshend, Second avenue opening—Order entered dismissing petition with costs by consent.

In re John Townshend, opening Avenue B and Parks—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re Mary J. Jones, sale for opening Lexington avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re John Townshend, Fourth avenue crosswalk—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

In re John Livingston, administrator, paving Macdougall street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs by consent.

David C. Carleton vs. Thomas Darcy and The Mayor, etc.—Judgment of affirmance entered in favor of the City and for \$92.90 costs, etc.

The Mayor, etc., vs. David C. Carleton and David Allen—General Term judgment of affirmance entered in favor of the City and for \$62.10 costs, etc.

David C. Carleton vs. George H. Dean and The Mayor, etc.—General Term judgment of affirmance entered in favor of City and for \$62.10 costs, etc.

The Mayor, etc., vs. David C. Carleton—General Term judgment of affirmance entered in favor of the City and for \$62.10 costs, etc.

In re James V. Brown, Third avenue sewer, etc.—Order entered reducing the assessment pursuant to decision in re Merriam.

In re James V. Brown, Third avenue sewer, etc.—Order entered reducing the assessment pursuant to decision in re Merriam.

In re Mary J. McKee, St. Nicholas avenue sewers, One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street—Order entered vacating the assessment pursuant to decision in re Trustees Female Academy Sacred Heart.

In re Frederick A. DuBois, St. Nicholas avenue sewers, One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street—Order entered vacating the assessment pursuant to decision in re Trustees Female Academy Sacred Heart.

In re Harkness Boyd, St. Nicholas avenue sewer, One Hundred and Thirty-second to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street—Order entered vacating the assessment pursuant to decision in re Trustees Female Academy Sacred Heart.

In re N. Y. Loan and Improvement Company, Bloomingdale road opening—Order entered substituting Davies, Cole & Rapallo as attorneys for petitioner by consent.

In re Josiah M. Fiske, Bloomingdale road opening—Order entered substituting Davies, Cole & Rapallo as attorneys for petitioner by consent.

David H. Knapp—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$1,591.20, without trial; letter to Comptroller.

Annabella McCool Kaughan—Judgment entered in favor of the plaintiff for \$114.92, without trial; letter to Comptroller.

In re Edward A. Sothern, regulating, etc., Seventy-third street—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion before Lawrence, J.

In re Louis Wettlaufer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion before Lawrence, J.

In re J. C. and K. M. Vanden Heuvel—Sewers in Ninety-sixth street and Ninth avenue—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion before Lawrence, J.

In re Solomon Mehrbach, One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewer—Order entered dismissing petition without costs upon motion before Lawrence, J.

John J. Lennon—Order entered discontinuing action as against The Mayor, etc., without costs by consent.

In re Martin Newman, Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer—Order entered reducing the assessment pursuant to decision in re Merriam.

John Bernstein, executor—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$689.12, without trial; letter to Comptroller.

Jacob Cohen—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$1,137.77, without trial; letter to Comptroller.

James Brady—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$13,091.71, after trial before Referee.

Ellingham N. Lawrence et al.—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$72, without trial, upon offer.

SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Alexander B. Crane—Argued before Patterson J.; briefs to be submitted by 17th; George L. Sterling for the City.

Ann Elliott DeMontsaulnin—Tried before Patterson, J.; decision reserved; D. J. Dean and G. L. Sterling for the City.

Matter of New Parks—Hearing proceeded and adjourned till January 31, at 2 P. M.; Franklin Bartlett for the City.

The Mayor, etc., vs. Daniel D. Wylie—Argued at General Term; decision reserved; J. J. Townsend for the City.

Matter New York and Harlem Railroad Company—Hearing proceeded and adjourned to January 15, at 12 P. M.; D. J. Dean for the City.

Jeremiah H. Bryon—Trial went on five days before Truax, J., and Jury; verdict for plaintiff for \$17,390.05, with interest and five per cent extra allowance; F. M. Scott and G. L. Sterling for the City.

The Mayor, etc., vs. William A. Butler—Reference proceeded and adjourned to January 27, at 2 P. M.

The Mayor, etc., vs. Third Avenue Railroad Company—Tried before Beach, J., and Jury; verdict for the City for \$42,760.02; J. J. Townsend, Jr., for the City.

In re Edward A. Sothern, regulating, etc., Seventy-third street—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Louis Wettlaufer, Fifth street paving—Motion to dismiss petition made before Lawrence, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re J. C. and K. M. Vanden Heuvel, sewers in Ninety-sixth street and Ninth avenue—Motion made before Lawrence, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

In re Solomon Mehrbach, One Hundred and Sixth street outlet sewers—Motion made before Lawrence, J.; motion granted; G. L. Sterling for the City.

Peo. ex rel. John Nugent vs. Board of Police—Appeal argued at General Term; decision reserved; J. J. Townsend for the Police Board.

Matter New York and Harlem Railroad Company (land at dep't)—Hearing proceeded; submitted briefs; adjourned one week; D. J. Dean for the City.

John Gillon vs. Everett P. Wheeler and others, Civil Service Commissioners—Demurrer argued before Ehrlich, J.; submitted; M. Carmalt for the City.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

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

In pursuance of the ordinance, approved April 30, 1877, and amended June 1, 1877, entitled, "An ordinance to prevent the danger of hydrophobia to any of the inhabitants of the City of New York," notice is hereby given that all Dogs found at large in the City of New York on and after January 1, contrary to such ordinance, will be seized and disposed of as provided therein.

The Dog Pound at the foot of Sixteenth street, East river, is hereby designated as the place where dogs so captured must be delivered to the Keeper thereof. The Pound will be open from eight o'clock A. M. until five o'clock P. M. daily, Sundays excepted, on and after the first day of January, 1886.

WM. R. GRACE,
Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

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

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

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

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

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

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8:30 A. M. to 5:30 P. M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 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'OECH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

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

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

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

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10:30 A. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, RICHARD J. SULLIVAN, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

CITY COURT.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10 1/2 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.

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, First District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
First District—Tombs, Centre street.
Second District—Jefferson Market.
Third District—No. 60 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.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
155 & 157 MERCER STREET,
NEW YORK, May 12, 1885.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.
By order of
HENRY D. PURROY, President.
RICHARD CROKER,
ELWARD SMITH,
Commissioners.
CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

ARMORY BOARD.

ARMORY BOARD—CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, January 28, 1887.

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

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PAVING the sidewalk and Curbing and Guttering the streets around the Armory Building, at Ninth avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, County and City of New York, will be received by the Armory Board at the office of the Mayor, City Hall, until 3 o'clock P. M. of 9th February, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Board.

Any person making an estimate for the above work shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the President of said Armory Board, indorsed, "Estimate for Paving, Curbing and Guttering Work of the Armory Building, at Ninth avenue, Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets," and also with the name of the person or persons presenting the same, and the date of its presentation. Any bidder for this contract must be known to be 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 sum of \$2,500.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the estimate, and shall not at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all estimates not deemed beneficial to or for the public interest.

Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the architect, at his office, No. 239 Broadway, New York.

MICHAEL COLEMAN, Secretary.
BRIG. GEN. J. NEWTON,
BRIG. GEN. LOUIS FITZGERALD,
COL. EMMONS CLARK,
Commissioners.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY SECTION.

SUPREME COURT—SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

In the matter of the petition of Hubert O. Thompson, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THIS PROCEEDING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FIRST separate report of the above-mentioned Commissioners of Appraisal appointed herein, on October 11, 1884, which report was filed on January 14, 1885, in the office of the Clerk of Westchester County, at the Court-house, in the village of White Plains, in said County, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a Special Term thereof, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on February 26, 1887, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated New York, January 27, 1887.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation.

MANHATTAN ISLAND SECTION.

Notice of application for confirmation of the report of Commissioners of Appraisal, Manhattan Island Section, dated December 3, 1885, as to Parcels Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15).

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT is my intention to make application before Honorable Joseph F. Barnard, at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on the 26th day of February, 1887, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, to confirm the report as to Parcels Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15), of the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed in the above matter, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, which said report was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, on the 27th day of January, 1887, and a copy of which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the same day.

Dated New York, January 27, 1887.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, January 27, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT three horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Tuesday, February 8, 1887, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, January 20, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT two horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, on Tuesday, the 1st day of February, 1887, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the stables of Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.

By order of the Board.

WM. H. KIPP,
Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK 1886.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING,
NEW YORK.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuations of Real and Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1887, will be open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1887, until the first day of May, 1887.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the relief provided by law.

Applications for correction of assessed valuations on personal estate must be made by the person assessed, to the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M., at this office, during the same period.

MICHAEL COLEMAN,
EDWARD C. DONNELLY,
THOMAS L. FEITNER,
Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, January 25, 1887.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR DOING THE work and furnishing the materials called for in the approved form of contract now on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners for the construction of Section 15 of the New Croton Aqueduct, being the New Gate-house at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street in the City of New York, will be received at this office until FRIDAY, the 11th day of FEBRUARY, 1887, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for doing said work and furnishing said materials will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

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

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
No. 209 STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, January 12, 1887.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION of Shaft No. 15½, situated on Section No. 7 of the New Croton Aqueduct, will be received at this office until the 24th day of February, 1887, at 2 o'clock P. M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened and read by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as practicable.

The work to be done for which bids are now invited consists in doing all labor, furnishing all materials, tools, plant and appliances necessary for excavating, curbing, draining, maintaining, working, building all masonry, and refilling said Shaft No. 15½, and for the handling of materials or for other operations which are to take place in connection with the said Shaft.

Each bid must be enclosed in a sealed envelope, endorsed with the name of the person making the same, and must state the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and the names of all persons interested with them therein; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making any bid for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Aqueduct Commission, or of the Common Council, no Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, or any person in the employ of the Aqueduct Commissioners is directly or indirectly interested in the bid, or in the work to which it relates, or in the profits thereof.

Each bid must be verified by the oath of the party making the same, and must be accompanied by a certified check upon a National or State Bank of the City of New York for an amount not less than five per cent. of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the work. Such check must not be enclosed with the bid, but must be delivered to the Aqueduct Commissioners or their Secretary for delivery to the Comptroller.

The amount of security required on the contract for the construction of said shaft is three thousand dollars, and the sureties must be householders or resident freeholders of the City of New York, or approved surety companies incorporated under the Laws of this State, and their names and residences must be stated in the bid.

The Aqueduct Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids if they deem it for the best interest of the City so to do.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due February 1, 1887, will be paid on that day by the Comptroller, at his office in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street.

The Transfer Books will be closed from January 17, to February 1, 1887.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, January 13, 1887.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1653 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ELEVEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE TONS OF WHITE ASH COAL.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING eleven hundred and eighty-five (1,185) tons White Ash Coal, as required, during the year 1887, and in accordance with the specifications, 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 Saturday, the 5th of February, 1887. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for 1,185 Tons White Ash Coal," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of three thousand (\$3,000) 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 oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State 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 and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

Dated New York, January 25, 1887.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 13, 1887.

PROPOSALS FOR 2,000 TONS OF FRESH MINED WHITE ASH STOVE COAL FOR THE OUT-DOOR POOR.

PROPOSALS, SEALED AND INDORSED AS above, will be received by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Saturday, February 5, 1887, at which time they will be publicly opened and read by the President of said Board, for 2,000 tons Fresh Mined White Ash Stove Coal, of the best quality; each ton to consist of two thousand pounds; to be well screened, and delivered in such quantities and in such parts of the city as may be required in specifications, and ordered from time to time, south of Eighty-fourth street, to be subject to such inspection as the Commissioners may direct, and to meet the approval as to the quality, quantity, time and manner of delivery in every respect.

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

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded under that proposal, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties in four thousand (\$4,000) dollars each, for its faithful performance; which consent must be verified by the justification of each of the persons signing the same for double the amount of surety required. The adequacy and sufficiency of such security to be approved by the Comptroller.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State 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 estimates can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids if deemed for the best interests of the city, and no proposal will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Blank forms of proposals and specifications, which are to be strictly complied with, can be obtained on application at the office of the Department, and all information furnished.

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

NEW YORK, January 25, 1887.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, CROCKERY, DRY GOODS, LUMBER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.
9,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, January 27, 1887.
1,000 pounds Cheese.
1,000 pounds Dried Apples.
1,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted.
500 pounds Macaroni.
300 bushels Beans.
200 bushels Rye.
1,000 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.
100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
667 barrels good, sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.
50 barrels prime Red Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.
100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.
100 barrels prime Russia Turnips, 135 pounds net per barrel.
100 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.
50 prime City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
30 prime City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.
40 dozen Canned Lima Beans.
50 dozen Canned Tomatoes.
20 dozen Chow Chow.
12 dozen Extract Vanilla.
2,770 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
100 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.
100 bags Fine Meal, 100 pounds net each.
161 bales prime quality long bright Rye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds. Weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
100 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare and weight same as on straw.
48 dozen first quality Potash.

DRY GOODS.
124 dozen Undershirts.
200 Pucks Pins.
50 pounds Ball Lamp Wick.

HAIRWARE, WOODEN WARE, ETC.
12 dozen R. R. Lanterns.
72 quires Sand Paper, 6 No. 0, 18 No. 1½, 36 No. 2, 12 No. 2½.
6 dozen each Carving Knives and Forks.
144 dozen Knives and Forks.
6 dozen Shoe R-sps.
5 dozen Sand Stones.
12 dozen F. B. Files, 14 in.
12 dozen W. W. Brushes.
12 dozen L. B. Brushes.
100 gross Clothes Pins.
4 Universal Clothes Wringers, No. 22.
1 gross first quality Axle Pulleys, 1¼ in.
7 gross first quality Wood Screws, 5 2-in., No. 18, 2 1-in., No. 9.
100 pounds first quality Cut Nails, 400 12d, 100 10d, 100 8d.

IRON.
950 feet refined round Iron, ¾ inch.
450 feet refined Iron, ½ by 2¼ inches.

BRICK.
5,000 first quality Hard North River Brick.
11 barrels first quality Rosendale Cement.

PAINTS AND OILS.
25 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil, 150° test.
1,000 pounds first quality Red Lead, 10 50s, 20 25s.
20 pounds first quality English Vermillion, "dry."

LUMBER.
550 square feet, first quality, thoroughly seasoned, clear White Pine Ceiling Boards, ½ by 3 inches by 16 feet, tongued and grooved and beaded, dressed one side.
1,200 first quality clear kiln dried Ceiling Boards, ¾ in. x 4 in. x 13 feet, dressed, tongued and grooved and beaded.
200 good sound Spruce Furring Strips, 1¼ in. x 2 in.
50 good sound Hemlock Strips, 2 in. x 2½ in.
2,000 square feet first quality clear, thoroughly seasoned cone or vertical grained Yellow Georgia Pine Flooring, 1¼ in. x 3½ in., tongued and grooved, dressed one side.
100 good sound Chestnut Sleepers, 5 to 6 in. x 12 ft.
50 first quality White Pine Ceiling Boards, 1¼ in. x 4½ in. x 15 feet, tongued and grooved and beaded, dressed one side.
1,000 feet Chestnut Moulding, "sample."
80 pieces good sound Spruce, 3 in. x 7 in. x 20 ft.
15 pieces good sound Spruce, 3 in. x 4 in. x 13 ft.
4,300 square feet first quality, clear, thoroughly seasoned, cone or vertical grained Yellow Georgia Pine Flooring, 1¼ in. x 3½ in., tongued and grooved, dressed one side.
550 square feet first quality extra clear thoroughly seasoned White Pine, 2 in. x 16 in., dressed two sides.
300 square feet first quality Merchantable White Pine, 1¼ in. x 12 in., dressed one side.
200 square feet first quality Merchantable White Pine, ¾ in. x 14 in., dressed one side.
200 square feet first quality clear White Pine, ¾ in. x 3½ in., dressed one side.
100 pieces clear White Pine, 1 in. x 9½ in. x 13 ft., tongued and grooved, dressed one side.
32 pairs Window Sash, clear white pine, 1¼ in., 12 lights to pair 9 in. x 11 in., single French glass.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, January 28, 1887. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Lumber, etc.," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient

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

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 readvertised and relet as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, January 17, 1887.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, January 24, 1887.

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Ward 2, Bellevue Hospital—Unknown man; aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark brown hair; blue eyes. Had on brown coat, black vest, brown mixed pants, blue hickory shirt, blue check jumper, white knit undershirt, white cotton socks, laced shoes, felt hat.

Unknown man, from One Hundred and Fifteenth street and Fourth avenue; aged about 45 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair; dark brown moustache mixed with gray. Had on black coat and vest, gray striped pants, white shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, white socks, gaiters, black derby hat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Nora Bolen; committed January 16, 1887.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—John Nolan; aged 44 years; 5 feet 7½ inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on when admitted dark mixed coat, light check pants, gaiters, black felt hat.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Amelia Long; aged 43 years; blue eyes; light brown hair. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

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

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

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from No. 22 Cherry street—Unknown woman, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; dark hair mixed with gray; gray eyes. Had on brown dress and waist, white chemise, brown socks, no shoes.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Annie King, aged 70 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted brown dress, gray shawl, black felt hat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Duncan, aged 36 years; committed November 5, 1886.

Mary Tracey, aged 40 years; committed December 11, 1886.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Ernestina Johnston, aged 65 years; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted calico dress, white petticoat, shawl. At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—William Hogan, aged 65 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted dark overcoat, dark gray vest, dark mixed pants, gaiters, black Derby hat.

Henry Cooper, aged 53 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted blue flannel coat, black vest, and pants, gaiters, black Derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 240.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING A PART OF THE PIER AT THE FOOT OF WEST THIRTY-FOURTH STREET, NORTH RIVER, AND FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A NEW WOODEN PIER AT THE FOOT OF SAID STREET, AND REPAIRING THE REMAINING PART OF THE EXISTING PIER FOR USE AS AN APPROACH TO THE NEW PIER.

ESTIMATES FOR REMOVING A PART OF the Pier at the foot of West Thirty-fourth street, North river, and for preparing for and building a new wooden pier at the foot of said street, and repairing the remaining part of the existing pier for use as an approach to the new pier, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Department of Docks, at the office of said Department, on Pier "A," Battery place, North river, in the City of New York, until 12 o'clock M. of

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1887.

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

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

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

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work is as follows:

Class 1. Dredging around Crib, about 14,000 cu. yards
Class 2. Crib Dredging, about 8,400 "

(a) NEW PIER.

	Feet B.M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 8" x 16".....	555
" " " 8" x 15".....	1,160
" " " 12" x 14".....	23,198
" " " 7" x 14".....	490
" " " 12" x 12".....	153,612
" " " 10" x 12".....	3,620
" " " 8" x 12".....	1,324
" " " 7" x 12".....	2,917
" " " 6" x 12".....	6,480
" " " 10" x 10".....	867
" " " 8" x 10".....	87
" " " 5" x 10".....	23,221
" " " 8" x 8".....	9,467
" " " 5" x 8".....	1,185
" " " 5" plank.....	19,314
" " " 4" plank.....	92,208
Total.....	339,735

2. White Pine, Yellow Pine or Spruce Timber, 2" x 4", 4,732 feet B. M. measured in the work.

	Feet B.M., measured in the work.
3. Spruce Timber, 4" plank.....	34,722
" " " 3" ".....	48,891
Total.....	83,613

4. White Oak Timber, 8" x 12", 8,512 feet B. M., measured in the work.

NOTE.—The above quantities of timber are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

5. Yellow Pine, White Pine or Cypress Piles, 75 feet to 85 feet long, to average about 80 feet long..... 658 |

6. White Oak Fender Piles, about 55 feet long..... 14 |

7. ¾" x 28", ¾" x 26", ¾" x 24", ¾" x 22", ¾" x 20", ¾" x 18", ¾" x 16", ¾" x 14", ¾" x 12", ¾" x 10", ¾" x 8", ¾" x 6", ¾" x 4", ¾" x 3", ¾" x 2", ¾" x 1", ¾" x ½", ¾" x ¼", ¾" x ⅛", ¾" x ⅙", ¾" x ⅓", ¾" x ⅔", ¾" x 1", ¾" x 1½", ¾" x 2", ¾" x 3", ¾" x 4", ¾" x 5", ¾" x 6", ¾" x 8", ¾" x 10", ¾" x 12", ¾" x 14", ¾" x 16", ¾" x 18", ¾" x 20", ¾" x 22", ¾" x 24", ¾" x 26", ¾" x 28", ¾" x 30", ¾" x 32", ¾" x 34", ¾" x 36", ¾" x 38", ¾" x 40", ¾" x 42", ¾" x 44", ¾" x 46", ¾" x 48", ¾" x 50", ¾" x 52", ¾" x 54", ¾" x 56", ¾" x 58", ¾" x 60", ¾" x 62", ¾" x 64", ¾" x 66", ¾" x 68", ¾" x 70", ¾" x 72", ¾" x 74", ¾" x 76", ¾" x 78", ¾" x 80", ¾" x 82", ¾" x 84", ¾" x 86", ¾" x 88", ¾" x 90", ¾" x 92", ¾" x 94", ¾" x 96", ¾" x 98", ¾" x 100", ¾" x 102", ¾" x 104", ¾" x 106", ¾" x 108", ¾" x 110", ¾" x 112", ¾" x 114", ¾" x 116", ¾" x 118", ¾" x 120", ¾" x 122", ¾" x 124", ¾" x 126", ¾" x 128", ¾" x 130", ¾" x 132", ¾" x 134", ¾" x 136", ¾" x 138", ¾" x 140", ¾" x 142", ¾" x 144", ¾" x 146", ¾" 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8. Boiler-plate Armatures, about..... 11,830 |

9. 2", 1½", 1¼", 1⅓", 1⅔", 1½", 1", ¾", ½", ¼", ⅛", 1", 1½", 2", 2½", 3", 3½", 4", 4½", 5", 5½", 6", 6½", 7", 7½", 8", 8½", 9", 9½", 10", 10½", 11", 11½", 12", 12½", 13", 13½", 14", 14½", 15", 15½", 16", 16½", 17", 17½", 18", 18½", 19", 19½", 20", 20½", 21", 21½", 22", 22½", 23", 23½", 24", 24½", 25", 25½", 26", 26½", 27", 27½", 28", 28½", 29", 29½", 30", 30½", 31", 31½", 32", 32½", 33", 33½", 34", 34½", 35", 35½", 36", 36½", 37", 37½", 38", 38½", 39", 39½", 40", 40½", 41", 41½", 42", 42½", 43", 43½", 44", 44½", 45", 45½", 46", 46½", 47", 47½", 48", 48½", 49", 49½", 50", 50½", 51", 51½", 52", 52½", 53", 53½", 54", 54½", 55", 55½", 56", 56½", 57", 57½", 58", 58½", 59", 59½", 60", 60½", 61", 61½", 62", 62½", 63", 63½", 64", 64½", 65", 65½", 66", 66½", 67", 67½", 68", 68½", 69", 69½", 70", 70½", 71", 71½", 72", 72½", 73", 73½", 74", 74½", 75", 75½", 76", 76½", 77", 77½", 78", 78½", 79", 79½", 80", 80½", 81", 81½", 82", 82½", 83", 83½", 84", 84½", 85", 85½", 86", 86½", 87", 87½", 88", 88½", 89", 89½", 90", 90½", 91", 91½", 92", 92½", 93", 93½", 94", 94½", 95", 95½", 96", 96½", 97", 97½", 98", 98½", 99", 99½, 1,000

10. Cast-iron Washers for 1½", 1½", 1", ¾", ½", ¼", 1", 1½", 2", 2½", 3", 3½", 4", 4½", 5", 5½", 6", 6½", 7", 7½", 8", 8½", 9", 9½", 10", 10½", 11", 11½, 12", 12½, 13", 13½, 14", 14½, 15", 15½, 16", 16½, 17", 17½, 18", 18½, 19", 19½, 20", 20½, 21", 21½, 22", 22½, 23", 23½, 24", 24½, 25", 25½, 26", 26½, 27", 27½, 28", 28½, 29", 29½, 30", 30½, 31", 31½, 32", 32½, 33", 33½, 34", 34½, 35", 35½, 36", 36½, 37", 37½, 38", 38½, 39", 39½, 40", 40½, 41", 41½, 42", 42½, 43", 43½, 44", 44½, 45", 45½, 46", 46½, 47", 47½, 48", 48½, 49", 49½, 50", 50½, 51", 51½, 52", 52½, 53", 53½, 54", 54½, 55", 55½, 56", 56½, 57", 57½, 58", 58½, 59", 59½, 60", 60½, 61", 61½, 62", 62½, 63", 63½, 64", 64½, 65", 65½, 66", 66½, 67", 67½, 68", 68½, 69", 69½, 70", 70½, 71", 71½, 72", 72½, 73", 73½, 74", 74½, 75", 75½, 76", 76½, 77", 77½, 78", 78½, 79", 79½, 80", 80½, 81", 81½, 82", 82½, 83", 83½, 84", 84½, 85", 85½, 86", 86½, 87", 87½, 88", 88½, 89", 89½, 90", 90½, 91", 91½, 92", 92½, 93", 93½, 94", 94½, 95", 95½, 96", 96½, 97", 97½, 98", 98½, 99", 99½, 1,000

11. Wrought-iron Strap, Bolts and Washers, about..... 1,017 |

12. Cast-iron Mooring Posts, about..... 14,380 |

13. Iron Wire Rope, 1 inch in diameter, about 23 lineal feet.

14. Materials for painting and oiling or tarring.

15. Labor of removing so much of the old pier at the foot of West Thirty-fourth street, N. R., as is to be removed under this contract and of removing all the old material from the premises.

16. Labor of every description for about 27,780 square feet of new pier.

(b) REPAIRS TO INNER END OF OLD PIER.

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

List 2103, No. 1. Regulating and grading and setting curbs-stones in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from the west line of Avenue St. Nicholas to the east line of Boulevard.

List 2250, No. 2. Laying a crosswalk across the roadway of Washington avenue at each of the intersections of East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, East One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, East One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street, East One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, East One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, and across the roadway of each of the above-mentioned streets at its intersection with Washington avenue.

List 2261, No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones, flagging the sidewalks four feet wide and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Forty-first street, between the westerly curb-line of North Third avenue and the easterly curb-line of Rider avenue.

List 2263, No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter-stones, flagging the sidewalks four feet wide and laying crosswalks in One Hundred and Forty-second street, between the westerly curb-line of North Third avenue and the easterly curb-line of Rider avenue.

List 2264, No. 5. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Brook and Robbins avenues.

List 2275, No. 6. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 2288, No. 7. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging a space four feet wide, where not already done, in Ninety-fourth street, from Second to Third avenue.

List 2289, No. 8. Regulating, grading, setting curbs-stones and flagging Madison avenue, from north curb of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street to north line of One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, commencing on northwest corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Madison avenue.

List 2302, No. 9. Sewer in Eighty-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 2304, No. 10. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging Ninety-first street, from Third to Fourth avenues.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. To the extent of one-half the block at each intersection of Washington avenue, and East One Hundred and Sixty-sixth, One Hundred and Sixty-seventh, One Hundred and Sixty-eighth, One Hundred and Sixty-ninth, One Hundred and Seventy-second, One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fifth streets.

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

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-second street, from North Third avenue to Rider avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Brook and Robbins avenues; also property bounded by St. Ann's avenue and Robbins avenue, Westchester avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street (including north side of Robbins avenue), and both sides of Cypress avenue, extending southerly 350 feet southerly from One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

No. 6. Both sides of One Hundred and Third street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 7. Both sides of Ninety-fourth street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 8. Both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 9. Both sides of Eighty-fifth street between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 10. Both sides of Ninety-first street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11 1/2 City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 31st day of January, 1887.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
NO. 11 1/2 CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, December 30, 1886.

SUPREME COURT.

In the Matter of the Application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of a certain street or avenue known as TINTON AVENUE, although not yet named by proper authority, commencing at Kelly street, and running to its intersection with the south line of Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first class street or road by said Department.

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

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

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

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly side of Westchester avenue and the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Tinton avenue and Union avenue; southerly by the northerly side of Kelly street and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Tinton avenue and Wales avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions

of chapter six hundred and four of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four and the laws amendatory thereof; or of chapter four hundred and ten of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, as such area is shown upon our benefit map, deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, January 19, 1887.
G. M. SPEIR, JR.,
JNO. O'BRYNE,
JOHN T. BOYD,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of Kelly street, although not yet named by proper authority, commencing at Wales avenue and running to its intersection with the west line of Prospect avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street, (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 12th day of March, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 12th day of March, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 3 o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 12th day of March, 1887.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Kelly street and Dawson street; easterly by the westerly side of Prospect avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Kelly street and Beck street, and westerly by the westerly side of Wales avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter six hundred and four of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter four hundred and ten of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of April, 1887, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, January 19, 1887.
G. M. SPEIR, JR.,
JNO. O'BRYNE,
JOHN T. BOYD,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of a certain street or avenue known as WALES AVENUE, although not yet named by proper authority, commencing at Kelly street and running to its intersection with the south line of Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street, (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 12th day of March, 1887, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 12th day of March, 1887, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at three o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 12th day of March, 1887.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together, are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly side of Westchester avenue; westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Wales avenue and Robbins and Westchester avenues; southerly by the northerly side of Kelly street and the northerly side of Dawson street, and easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Wales avenue and Tinton avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks pursuant to the provisions of chapter six hundred and four of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter four hundred and ten of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited aforesaid.

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

Dated, New York, January 19, 1887.
G. M. SPEIR, JR.,
JNO. O'BRYNE,
JOHN T. BOYD,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Council to the Corporation of the City of New York to make application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal, under chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in Poughkeepsie, Dutchess County, on the twenty-sixth day of February, 1887, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

The object of such application is to obtain an order of Court appointing three disinterested and competent freeholders, of whom two shall reside in the County of Westchester, and one in the City and County of New York, as Commissioners of Appraisal to ascertain and appraise the compensation to be made to the owners and all persons interested in the real estate hereinafter described, as proposed to be taken or affected for the purposes indicated in chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883.

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid is located in part in the town of Mount Pleasant, Westchester County, and in part in the town of Greenburgh, Westchester County, and is laid out and indicated on maps filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County, in White Plains, Westchester County, as follows:

First—Upon a map filed in said Register's office on the 2d day of December, 1886, and bearing the following certificate, to wit:

We, the Commissioners appointed to carry out the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps prepared in accordance with the provisions of said act for amending proceedings and including other property in the manner shown and described upon the plan adopted by us on the 12th day of November, 1886, as follows:

FINAL PLAN SHEET No. 9 A.

THE AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

For the more efficient carrying out of the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York, we, the Commissioners appointed to carry out the provisions of said chapter of said laws, do hereby approve and adopt this plan for the construction of a new aqueduct upon the line adopted and filed by us on the 7th day of May 1884, and as shown upon the property maps adopted by us on the 9th day of July 1884, and filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester upon the 28th day of August 1884; this plan being for a modification of the plans hitherto adopted, by including other property to be taken in fee as shown upon this plan and designated herein as Parcels Nos. 712 A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J and K; and Nos. 715 1/2, 716 1/2 and 718 1/2; and we direct this plan to be filed as "Final Plan Sheet No. 9 A."

And we do further certify that said six similar maps have been adopted by us in the manner prescribed in said act this 16th day of November, 1886.

JAMES C. SPENCER,
WILLIAM DOWD,
C. C. BALDWIN,
OLIVER W. BARNES,
E. L. RIDGWAY,
JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works,
HAMILTON FISH, JR.,

Commissioners.

And of which the following is a statement of the external boundaries, by courses and distances, within which are included all real estate and easements to be taken or affected in the acquisition in fee of additional lands at Shaft Site 8, in the town of Mount Pleasant, Westchester County.

All those pieces or parcels of land situate in the town of Mount Pleasant, Westchester County, which are included within the following boundaries:

Beginning at a point upon the lands of George Hart on the westerly line of the present highway, known as the "Sleepy Hollow Road," which point is distant upon a course of south 22° 37' west 495 feet from the middle of the Pocantico river, and is now marked by a stake bearing the letters "A. C.," and running thence (1) north 22° 37' east across the lands of said Hart and the lands of the estate of William H. Aspinwall, deceased, 1,075 1/2 feet to a point in the aforesaid Sleepy Hollow Road, which point is distant upon said course 16 feet from the westerly line of said Sleepy Hollow Road; thence (2) north 75° 52' east across said road and across the lands of Susan N. Leggett 305 feet to the westerly line of the lands heretofore taken by the City of New York, and designated Parcel 716 upon the map filed in the office of the Register of the County of Westchester on the 28th day of August, 1884; thence (3) along said westerly line of said lands south 22° 37' west 830 feet; thence (4) north 44° 04' west across the lands of William W. Carson 38 1/2 feet to the easterly line of the said Sleepy Hollow road; thence (5) along the said easterly line of said road the following courses and distances, viz.: South 53° 58' west 72 feet; south 4° 14' 30" west 149 1/2 feet; south 46° 17' 30" west 87 1/2 feet; south 36° 41' west 171 1/2 feet; thence (6) north 50° 44' west across said road 34 feet to the place of beginning, including within said boundaries Parcels Nos. 712 A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J and K, and containing 51 1/2 acres, more or less.

Beginning at a point upon the easterly line of the lands heretofore taken for the said New Croton Aqueduct, said lands being designated "Parcel No. 712" on the map filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County on the 28th day of August, 1884, and which point is now marked by a stake bearing the letters "A. C." and running thence (1) along said easterly line north 22° 37' east and along the lands of William W. Carson and of Susan N. Leggett 1,258 feet; thence (2) along a stone wall across the lands of said Susan N. Leggett south 42° 04' east 166 feet; thence (3) across the lands of said Susan N. Leggett and William W. Carson, parallel to the aforesaid easterly line, and distant 150 feet therefrom, south 22° 37' west 942 feet; thence (4) across the lands of said Carson south 54° 04' 45" west 287 1/2 feet to the place of beginning, including within said boundaries the parcels numbered 715 1/2, 716 1/2 and 718 1/2, and containing 3,880 acres, more or less.

All of which lands are to be taken in fee simple. Second—Upon a map filed in the office of the said Register on the 29th day of December, 1886, and bearing the following certificate, to wit:

We, the Commissioners appointed to carry out the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, do hereby certify that this is one of the six similar maps prepared in accordance with the provisions of said act for amending proceedings and including other property in the manner shown and described upon the plan adopted by us on the 12th day of November, 1886, as follows:

FINAL PLAN SHEET No. 3 A.

For the more efficient carrying out of the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883 of the State of New York, we, the Commissioners appointed to carry out the provisions of said chapter of said laws, do hereby approve and adopt the plan this day submitted to us by the Chief Engineer, for amending the proceedings heretofore taken and to acquire the fee simple in lieu of the easement heretofore acquired upon Parcel No. 299 and part of Parcel 300 in the town of Greenburgh, County of Westchester, as the same are shown upon the maps filed in the office of the Register of said County on the 28th day of August 1884; and to acquire the fee simple in certain additional lands adjoining the aforesaid parcels, all as shown upon said plan, and designated Parcels 299, 299 1/2, 300 A, 300 1/2, and 300 3/4; and we direct said plan to be filed as "Final Plan Sheet 3 A."

And we do further certify that said six similar maps have been adopted by us in the manner prescribed in said act this 16th day of November, 1886.

JAMES C. SPENCER,
WILLIAM DOWD,
C. C. BALDWIN,
OLIVER W. BARNES,
E. L. RIDGWAY,
JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works,
HAMILTON FISH, JR.,

NEW YORK, November 16, 1886.

And of which the following is a statement of the external boundaries, by courses and distances, within which are included all real estate and easements intended to be taken or affected in acquiring the fee simple of certain lands for Shaft Site 15 1/2, Town of Greenburgh, Westchester County.

All those pieces or parcels of land situate in the Town of Greenburgh, Westchester County, which are included within the following boundaries:

Beginning at a point, now marked by a stake bearing the letters "A. C.," upon the northerly line of the highway known as the Ravensdale road or Jackson avenue, where said line is intersected by the westerly line of the survey of the New Croton Aqueduct route, and distant at a right angle 33 feet from the centre line of said survey as the same is shown upon the map filed in the office of the Register of Westchester County, on the 28th day of August, 1884; and running thence (1) north 27° 12' east 620 1/2 feet; thence (2) south 62° 48' east 328 1/2 feet, crossing the aforesaid centre line at a right angle 58 1/2 feet distant northeasterly from Monument No. 76 on said centre line; thence (3) south 2° 55' 20" east 58 1/2 feet; thence (4) south 2° 55' east 275 feet; thence (5) south 87° 5' west 283 1/2 feet; thence (6) north 62° 48' west 184 1/2 feet to the easterly line of the aforesaid survey; thence (7) along said easterly line south 27° 12' west 209 1/2 feet; thence (8) north 48° 21' west 68 1/2 feet to the place of beginning; containing 4 3/10 acres, more or less.

All of which lands are to be taken in fee simple.

Dated New York, January 15, 1886.
E. HENRY LACOMBE,
Counsel to the Corporation.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of LINCOLN AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority), from Southern Boulevard to the United States Channel line of the Harlem river, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

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

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

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

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz.: Northerly by the southerly side of the Southern Boulevard; westerly by the centre line of the block between Lincoln avenue and North Third avenue; southerly by the bulkhead line of the Harlem river and easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Lincoln avenue and Alexander avenue; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened, and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter six hundred and four of the Laws of eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and the Laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter four hundred and ten of the Laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-two, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

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

Dated New York, January 4, 1887.
NATHL. JARVIS,
CHARLES REILLY,
CHAS. W. WELSH,
Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

JURORS.

NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

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

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

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

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,
Commissioner of Jurors.

THE CITY RECORD.

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