

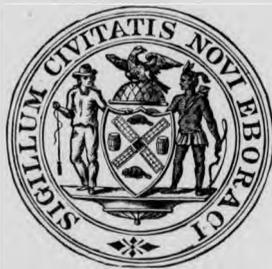
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AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Stated Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Wednesday, February 17, 1886, at 3 o'clock, P. M.

Commissioners present—The Mayor, Comptroller, Commissioner of Public Works; Commissioners Spencer, Dowd and Baldwin.

Also Chief Engineer Church; and Chief Engineer Birdsall and Consulting Engineer Adams, of the Department of Public Works.

The minutes of stated meeting of February 10, were read and approved.

The Committee of Finance and Audit reported their examination and audit of bills included in Vouchers 1477 to 1499; and on motion of Commissioner Dowd, the said vouchers were approved by the Commissioners and ordered certified to the Comptroller for payment.

Commissioner Spencer, as Chairman of the Committee on Construction, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That that part of the New Croton Aqueduct, from the easterly side of the Harlem river, commencing at about Station 1490+63 of the survey of the route of said Aqueduct, and extending across and beneath the Harlem river to Tenth avenue; thence southwardly to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street; comprising Sections 12, 13 and 14 of said Aqueduct; and also the extension of said Aqueduct from One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street southwardly to the Central Park, either by conduit or pipe-line, is hereby designated "Engineering Division No. 7," and the Chief-Engineer is directed to place the work upon said division in charge of Division Engineer, Edward Wegman, Jr., who has been doing the preliminary work upon said division, in pursuance of the recommendation of the Chief Engineer, approved by the Commissioners, December 3, 1884.

The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Under date of 13th instant, the Comptroller gave notice of the issue of warrants not certified by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and appertaining to the work of the Commissioners of Appraisal, viz.:

City and County of New York—	
Award for land in Twenty fourth Ward	\$10,250 42
Expenses	200 00
Westchester County—	
Rent and expenses	653 79
	\$11,104 21

—which notice was ordered placed upon file, and entered upon the books of this Commission.

The Secretary presented a communication from the Commissioners of Accounts in relation to accidents upon the work of the New Aqueduct, which was read, and the Secretary instructed in relation thereto.

The Chief Engineer made report, dated February 17, upon the condition of the various shafts and appliances thereat, for the safe performance of the work and protection of the workmen, and of orders given by him to improve the same. The report was read and ordered placed upon file.

Commissioner Spencer then called up the matter of the masonry lining of the New Aqueduct, laid over from previous meetings.

The Comptroller stated that, by the terms of the contracts, the Chief Engineer now has power to determine where masonry lining is required, and to order it to be done and he therefore moved that the Chief Engineer be instructed to order masonry lining in the New Aqueduct only where the progress of the work develops material or conditions which, in the opinion of said Engineer, renders such lining essential for the safety or efficiency of the Aqueduct.

Commissioner Spencer then offered, as an amendment to the motion of the Comptroller, "that the Chief Engineer be and he is hereby directed to order the New Aqueduct to be lined with masonry throughout its entire length."

Upon the amendment the vote was, in the affirmative, Commissioner of Public Works, Commissioners Spencer, Dowd and Baldwin; in the negative, the Mayor, and the Comptroller.

Commissioner Spencer then called up the matter of changes in the methods of timbering in the Aqueduct tunnels, and allowance asked by the contractors for certain excavations, which had also been laid over from former meetings.

An opinion upon these matters, asked by the Chief Engineer from the Counsel to the Corporation, was read, from which it appeared that no formal action by the Commissioners was required.

Therefore, the Chief Engineer was instructed to be governed by said opinion and the Secretary directed to place it upon the files of the Commission.

The Commissioners then went into Executive Council.

Upon resuming the open session, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Construction is hereby authorized and empowered to detail from the engineer corps of this Commission, an Engineer to be known as Special Assistant Engineer, detailed to furnish information and evidence to the Counsel to the Corporation and other counsel representing the City before the several Commissioners of Appraisal in the matter of the adjustment of claims for lands and easements required for the New Croton Aqueduct, and for damages arising from or incident to its construction; and the said Committee on Construction is hereby requested to prepare and submit to the Commissioners, for their approval, such amendment of the by-laws as this special detail may render necessary.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JAMES W. McCULLOH, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York do ordain as follows:

Section 1. All power and authority possessed or exercised by or vested in the "Bureau of Permits" on the 29th day of January, 1886, in granting or issuing permits or licenses for dogs, gutter-bridges or hoistways, and all power and authority possessed or exercised by or vested in the Mayor of said city on said day to grant or issue licenses, except in cases where, by the statute of this State, such licenses are required to be granted or issued by the said Mayor, are hereby vested in a bureau of licenses. The said bureau of licenses shall consist of the First Marshal, appointed under article III., chapter I. of the Revised Ordinances, and such clerks and subordinates as may be necessary for the discharge of the duties of said bureau, and be appointed as hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. Said clerks and subordinates shall be appointed by and shall be removable at the pleasure of the said Mayor, and subject to the appropriation for said bureau shall respectively, receive such compensation as shall, from time to time, be fixed and established by said Mayor.

Sec. 3. The power and authority hereby vested in the said Bureau of Licenses shall be exercised by them subject to the control and direction of the said Mayor.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, February 2, 1886.

Resolved, That a lamp-post be erected and street-lamp lighted in front of No. 80 Greenwich street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, February 9, 1886.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to cause to be removed the fire-hydrant now in front of No. 912 Seventh avenue, and have the same placed at the centre-line of the block on Seventh avenue, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 2, 1886.
Approved by the Mayor, February 9, 1886.

Resignation of Francis J. Gallagher as a Commissioner of Deeds.

Resolved, That Eugene Van Schaik be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Francis J. Gallagher, resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 9, 1886.

Resolved, That Saturday, the twenty-seventh day of February, A. D. 1886, at twelve o'clock, M., and the chamber of the Board of Aldermen, be and are hereby designated as the time and place when and where the application of "The Broome and Delancey Street Cross-town Railroad Company" to the Common Council of the City of New York for its consent and permission for the construction, maintenance and operation of the street surface railroad proposed to be constructed by the said company as mentioned in their petition for such consent will be first considered, and that public notice be given by the Clerk of this Board, by publishing the same daily for fourteen days, excluding Sundays, in two daily newspapers published in this city, to be designated therefor by his Honor the Mayor according to the provisions of chapter 252 of the Laws of 1884, such advertising to be at the expense of the petitioner.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, February 11, 1886, and the "New York Times" and the "New York Sun" were designated as the newspapers referred to in the resolution.

Whereas, The Legislative printing of the State has been taken from the legally appointed contractors by the majority in the Legislature, and given to a firm that were not the lowest bidders and who also discriminate against the union printers of this State; and,

Whereas, In doing so the aforesaid majority have been guilty of a high-handed, illegal and arbitrary act; be it

Resolved, That in the name of the people of this city we denounce the same and call upon our representatives in the Legislature to take immediate steps to bring about a reconsideration of the action of the majority, with a view to having the legislative printing awarded to some firm which does not discriminate against the organized workmen of this State; and be it further

Resolved, That a printed copy of the foregoing preamble and resolution be duly authenticated by the signature of the Clerk of the Board and transmitted to each member of the State Legislature representing constituencies in this city.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, January 26, 1886.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, February 15, 1886, without his approval or objections thereto; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to continue the present connections with the several institutions under their charge, during the year 1886, by telephone, without advertising the same for public competition, and contracting therefor, pursuant to the provisions of section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, February 15, 1886.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Veteran Firemen's Association of the City of New York to place and keep two lamps inside the stoop-line in front of the headquarters of the Association, No. 53 East Tenth street, the work to be done and gas supplied at the expense of the Association, 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, February 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, February 16, 1886.

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

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, February 16, 1886.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby authorized and directed to lay water-mains in Thirty-first street, between First and Second avenues, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 9, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, February 16, 1886.

Whereas, Horatio Seymour, formerly Governor of the State of New York, died at Utica on Friday, the 12th instant, in the seventy-fifth year of his age; and

Whereas, The death of our illustrious fellow-citizen imposes upon this Common Council the duty of testifying to the high estimation in which he was held by the people of the city; be it therefore

Resolved, That the death of Horatio Seymour is deplored by this Common Council. The public has already manifested a just sense of the magnitude of the loss it has sustained. He possessed the power and the wisdom that coupled science with the daily avocations of men; the philosophy that encompassed mankind; the religion that excluded none from its peaceful fold. He was tireless in the pursuit of truth; humble in the practice of every virtue, and stern and unyielding in the dispensation of their inexorable laws, sensitive and tender as a child, yet his simplicity of manner and purity of heart made him the censor of every human vice. He was a mentor to the novice in public life; a guide to the most experienced in the affairs of state, a counsellor to the most wise; a shining example to the most upright and conscientious. A philosopher, a statesman, a sage, the characteristics of them all were so blended in him that he was the most versatile and brilliant public man of the age in which he lived. His death is an irreparable loss to his country, and particularly so to the great Democratic party, that in the gravest emergencies was guided and controlled by his counsel and advice, and of which he was an acknowledged leader.

Resolved, That in the general gloom and poignant grief for the death of Horatio Seymour, his surviving family should not be overlooked, and we hereby tender to them in their sore bereavement our most sincere commiseration.

Resolved, That the foregoing preamble and resolutions be entered at length in the minutes, and that a copy thereof be suitably engrossed, be verified by the corporate seal of the city, attested by the Clerk of the Common Council, and transmitted to the family of the illustrious deceased, as a slight testimony of the love and affection of the people and government of this city for his memory.

Resolved, That, as an additional mark of our respect for the memory of Horatio Seymour, this Board do now adjourn.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, February 16, 1886.

Approved by the Mayor, February 16, 1886.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 1, 1886.

I hereby certify that I have this day increased the salary of Albert L. Scott, Clerk in the Mayor's Office, from \$2,000 to \$2,500.

WM. R. GRACE,
Mayor.

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, and on and after the first day of January, 1886.

WM. R. GRACE,
Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
THE MAYOR, President; JAMES W. McCULLOUGH, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer.

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 32 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner; WILLIAM V. 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.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEVENSON TOWLE, 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. BARCOCK, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KESE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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. McLEAS, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDEBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.
No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Seats Zeigler 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. 100 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, Chief; WILLIAM H. KIPP, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 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. 135 and 157 Mercer street.
HENRY D. PUKROY, President; CARL JUSSSEN, 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. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'OECH, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

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

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, 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.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOSEPH KOCH, President; E. W. ELLISON, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows; from September 15 to June 15, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 15 to September 15, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 3 P. M.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

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

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Advisory Board; CHARLES H. WOODMAN, 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.

Corner Bond street and Bowers, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; JOHN K. PERLEY, 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; BENARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

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

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 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 JOHN M. COMAN, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

CORONERS OFFICE.

Nos. 12 and 13 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EIDMAN, JOHN R. NUGENT, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M. to 4 P. M.
NOAH DAVIS, Presiding Justice, JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.
General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, JR., Clerk.

Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10, THOMAS J. DUNN, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, FREDERICK C. LANE, Clerk.
Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14, FRANCIS S. McAVOY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13, JOHN VON GLAHE, 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. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 32, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Part I, Room No. 34.
Part II, Room No. 35.
Part III, Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M. to 4 P. 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.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, JR., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No. 32 Chambers street. Parts I and II. Court opens at 10 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.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third, and Fifth Wards southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

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

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest corner Sixth and West Tenth streets. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily, excepting holidays.
ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh, and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
JOHN H. MCCARTHY, Justice.

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

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

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

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
HENRY P. MCGOWN, Justice.
Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9 1/2 A. M.

Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.
Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.
ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.

Eleventh District—No. 919 Eighth avenue; Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of 62d street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LEO C. DESSAR, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY.
GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.
Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.

First District—Tombs, Centre street.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

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

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

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

PUBLIC POUND.

NEW YORK, February 24, 1886.
ROAN HORSE, THREE WHITE FEET, STAR on forehead, sixteen hands high, to be sold from the Public Pound, Ninety-third street and Second avenue, on Saturday, February 27, at 4 P. M.

DAVID McMAHON,
First and Second avenue.
Ninety-third street and Second avenue.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 1695, No. 1. Sewer in Fifth avenue, east side, between Fifty-fifth and Fifty-ninth streets.

The limits embraced by such assessment includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within the following area: No. 1. Both sides of Fifth avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-ninth street, and blocks bounded by Fifty-fourth and Fifty-ninth streets, Fifth and Sixth avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessment, 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 list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 26th day of March, ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS.
No. 11 1/2 City Hall,
NEW YORK, February 17, 1886.

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

List 2005, No. 1. Regulating and grading Ninth avenue (now St. Nicholas place), from the centre line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street to the south line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.

List 2197, No. 2. Sewers in West End avenue (formerly Eleventh avenue), from Twenty-seventh and Eighty-ninth streets, and in Eighth street, between Boulevard and Riverside avenue.

List 2208, No. 3. Extension of sewer at foot of Forty-seventh street and East river.

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 Ninth avenue (now St. Nicholas place), from One Hundred and Fiftieth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the following streets.

No. 2. Both sides of West End avenue (formerly Eleventh avenue), from Seventy-sixth to Eighty-ninth streets, Boulevard and West End avenue;

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 8th day of March, 1886.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 11 1/2 City Hall, New York, February 5, 1886.

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

- List 2154, No. 1. Sewer in New Avenue (between Eighth and Ninth avenues), between One Hundredth and One Hundred and Fourteenth streets, West End and Tenth avenues. List 2158, No. 2. Sewer in West End avenue (formerly Eleventh avenue), between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, and in Sixty-fifth street, between West End and Tenth avenues. List 2159, No. 3. Sewer in Eighty-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues. List 2275, No. 4. Sewer in Fourth avenue, east side, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets. List 2299, No. 5. Sewer in One Hundred and Fourth street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

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 New Avenue, between One Hundredth and One Hundred and Fourth streets; also blocks bounded by One Hundredth and One Hundred and Fourth streets, and by One Hundred and Fourth and Tenth streets, and by One Hundred and Fourth and Tenth streets, and by One Hundred and Fourth and Tenth streets, and by One Hundred and Fourth and Tenth streets. No. 2. Both sides of West End Avenue, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, and both sides Sixty-fifth street, between West End and Tenth avenues. No. 3. Both sides of Eighty-ninth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues. No. 4. East side of Fourth Avenue, between Fifty-seventh and Fifty-eighth streets. No. 5. Both sides of One Hundred and Fourth street, between Boulevard and Tenth Avenue, also west side of Tenth Avenue, from One Hundred and Fourth to One Hundred and Fifth street, and south side of One Hundred and Fifth street, extending one hundred and seventy-five feet westerly from Tenth Avenue.

All persons who are interested in 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 2d day of March, 1886.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 11 1/2 City Hall, New York, January 30, 1886.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, STAATS ZETTING BUILDING, New York.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 87 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 1885, will be open for examination and objection on the first and second Monday of January, 1886, until the first day of May, 1886.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Chief Engineer 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 Commissioner, 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.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, New York, February 26, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder printed thereon, will be received at this office, until Thursday, March 12, 1886, at 12 o'clock p. m., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for

FURNISHING THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, WITH THREE THOUSAND (3,000) GROSS TONS OF BRICKS, AND A QUANTITY OF EGG SHELL AND LEHIGH AND WILKESBARE COMPANY'S BEST WILKESBARE COAL.

Bidders for the above contracts must be regularly engaged in the business and well prepared for furnishing the materials they propose for; and no contract will be made with any bidder who is not prepared to furnish satisfactory evidence to that effect.

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if no other person is so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof, or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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

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

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, New York, February 24, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, March 9, 1886, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read, for

NO. 1. LAYING WATER MAINS IN NINTH, EIGHTH, ST. NICHOLAS, MADISON AND NEW AVENUES, AND IN ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH, AND FORTY-SEVENTH, EIGHTY-SEVENTH, SEVENTY-SECOND AND SEVENTEENTH STREETS.

NO. 2. LAYING WATER MAINS IN FAIRMOUNT, COLUMBIA, TREMONT, PROSPECT AND RIVERDALE AVENUES AND IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD.

Bidders for the above contracts must be regularly engaged in the business and well prepared for furnishing the materials they propose for; and no contract will be made with any bidder who is not prepared to furnish satisfactory evidence to that effect.

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if no other person is so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. That no member of the Common Council, head of a department, chief of a bureau, deputy thereof or clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested in the estimate or in the work to which it relates or in the profits thereof.

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

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Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at the office of the Chief Engineer, Room 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, New York, January 26, 1886.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE CHIEF ENGINEER OF THE CROTON Aqueduct reports to me to-day that during the past twenty days the water in the city reservoirs has gone down three feet three inches, equal to 98,000,000 gallons, showing that this amount of water was used and wasted over and above the supply received through the Croton Aqueduct and the Brooklyn conduit. The Department has no means to stop this enormous waste, which is caused by consumers keeping faucets open day and night to prevent freezing in the service-pipes, and can only make this most urgent appeal to them to stop it, and notify them that unless it is stopped the pressures in the water-mains will be so much reduced that in a few days the water will not rise to the basements and cellars in thousands of buildings.

Respectfully, ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET, New York, January 26, 1886.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN H. HARRIOT, Property Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

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 1853 to 1885, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grantors, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents and Sheriff's sales, in folios, full bound, price \$100 00 The same in 25 volumes, full bound, price \$100 00 Complete sets, sold, yearly for binding, price \$15 00 Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price \$15 00 Orders should be addressed to Mr. Stephen Angell, Room 23, Stewart Building.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEPARATE SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE received by the Board of School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, on Monday, March 2, 1886, until 4 o'clock p. m. on said day, for the steam-heating apparatus required for Grammar School Building No. 83, on East One Hundred and Tenth street, near Third Avenue, and place of business on said proposal.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals, and all necessary information may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 146 Grand street, Room No. 12, on West One Hundred and Tenth Avenue.

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, place of residence and place of business on said proposal. Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

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

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

GEORGE DEBEVOISE, ANDREW L. SOULARD, JOHN W. LAMON, DAVID H. KNAPP, ROBERT E. STEEL, School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, February 20, 1886.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, until Monday, March 2, 1886, until 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, for the furniture required for the addition to Grammar School Building No. 83, on East One Hundred and Tenth Avenue, and place of business on said proposal.

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

The party submitting a proposal, and the parties proposing to become sureties, must each write his name, place of residence and place of business on said proposal. Two responsible and approved sureties, residents of this city, are required in all cases.

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Dated, New York, February 15, 1886.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET, New York, February 18, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING A second size Clapp & Jones steam fire-engine, with drop tube boiler, will be received by the Board of Commissioners of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, March 3, 1886, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the style and construction of the engine and time of delivery, bidders are referred to the specifications which form part of these proposals.

The engine to be delivered to the Fire Department in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and to replace, at the expense of the contractor, such parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship. Said engine shall have a full and complete trial of its working powers at New York, under the superintendence of a competent engineer.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall be liquidated, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any

and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and address of the contractor, the several matters making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is 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 same, 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 of 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, upon its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of two thousand two hundred (2,200) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred and ten dollars (\$110), to be deposited in 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, and no contract will be made with any bidder who shall neglect or refuse, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and be 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 award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

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

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET, New York, February 18, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SIX four-wheeled hose tenders, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, March 4, 1886, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the style and construction of the tenders and time of delivery, bidders are referred to the specifications which form part of these proposals.

The tenders are to be delivered to the Fire Department in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and to replace, at the expense of the contractor, such parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall be liquidated, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is 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 of 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, upon its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of three thousand

dollars (\$3,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same...

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York...

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

The form of the agreement, with specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen, and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 18, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TWO Hayes' Extension Ladder Trucks, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department...

The trucks are to be delivered to the Fire Department in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character...

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named...

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same...

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York...

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred and ten dollars (\$100)...

The form of the agreement with specifications and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder neglects or refuses to execute the same...

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...

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

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

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 AND 157 MERCER STREET, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 15, 1886.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING A Third Size Silsby Steam Fire-engine will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department...

The engine to be delivered to the Fire Department in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character...

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

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named...

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same...

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York...

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred and ten dollars (\$100)...

The form of the agreement with specifications and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

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

HEADQUARTERS, FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 155 AND 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, EDWARD SMITH, Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 24, 1886.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF THE Common Council, in relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York...

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Roosevelt street—Unknown man, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair; clean shaved. 6 Hat on blue flannel coat, dark striped pants and vest, blue check calico shirt, blue woolen undershirt and drawers, red socks, laced shoes.

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from foot of Forty-fifth street, North river, aged about 20 years; 5 feet 8 inches high. Had on black diagonal sack coat and vest, dark gray mixed pants, blue flannel shirt, white knit undershirt and drawers, red socks, garters.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—John Mack, aged 27 years; committed November 21, 1885. William Graham; aged 31 years; committed February 10, 1886.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Edward Flanagan, aged 50 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black sack coat, dark mixed pants, blue check jumper, gaiters, black derby hat.

Henry Thompson, colored, aged 27 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; black eyes and hair. Had on when admitted dark overcoat, black sack coat and vest, light striped pants, boots, black derby hat.

Margaret Meyer, aged 32 years; 5 feet 1 inch high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black and white check shirt, blue striped calico skirt, black sack coat, rubber collar, laced shoes, black hat.

Charles Frost, aged 62 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat, gray vest, brown check pants, laced shoes, white derby hat.

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, FEBRUARY 19, 1886.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION, for account of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, at their office, No. 66 Third Avenue, on Thursday, March 4, 1886, at 11 o'clock A. M., the following articles, viz.:

- 13,000 pounds Mixed Rags. 10,000 pounds Scrap Iron. 500 pounds Old Copper. 175 Spun Iron Barrels. 50 Iron-bound Barrels. 500 barrels Saw (broken). 1,250 Barrels Bones. 250 barrels Coal Tar.

to be delivered at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street, and to be paid for as follows:

Twenty-five per cent estimated value to be paid on day of sale, and the remainder on delivery.

R. E. CLEARY, Storekeeper.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, FEBRUARY 16, 1886.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF THE Common Council, in relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York...

At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Chambers street Hospital—Unknown man, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair, mixed with gray, blue eyes, dark moustache, no clothing.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Ann Brown, aged 55 years; committed November 25, 1885. John Lynch, aged 58 years; committed December 18, 1885.

Henry Wortenberg, aged 55 years; committed November 24, 1885. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS, ROOM 107, STEWART BUILDING, CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY, NEW YORK, JUNE 1, 1885.

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 need information with respect to the same...

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

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 any service which he withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner of Jurors.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of chapter 496 of the Laws of 1885, to acquire title to the additional lands required for Riverside Park, as defined, laid out and established by said act.

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 496 of the Laws of 1885, and of all other statutes in such cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the twenty-sixth day of March, 1886, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above entitled matter.

The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended, is the acquisition of title, in the name and behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to the additional lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, required for Riverside Park, as laid out and established by chapter 496 of the Laws of 1885, passed June 12, 1885, being the following-described lot, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the western line of Twelfth avenue, distant 20 1/2 feet southerly from the intersection of the western line of Twelfth avenue and the western prolongation of the northern line of Eighty-sixth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Twelfth avenue for 221 1/2 feet to the southern line of Eighty-seventh street;

2d. Thence northerly along the southern line of Eighty-seventh street for 34 1/2 feet;

3d. Thence southwesterly on the arc of a circle whose centre lies northeasterly of the last described course, and whose radius, drawn through the western extremity of the preceding course, forms an angle of 87° 01' 45" southwardly with said course and is 2,067 feet for 54 1/2 feet;

4th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 75 1/2 feet to the northern line of Twelfth avenue;

5th. Thence curving to the right southwesterly on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 6,933 feet, for 93 1/2 feet, to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Twelfth avenue with the northern line of Eighty-seventh street.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Twelfth avenue for 724 feet to the southern line of Nineteenth street;

2d. Thence northerly along the southern line of Nineteenth street for 49 1/2 feet;

3d. Thence southwesterly on the arc of a circle whose centre lies southerly of the last described course, and whose radius, drawn through the western extremity of the preceding course, forms an angle of 77° 02' 20" southwardly of the said course, and is 2,977 feet, for 72 1/2 feet to the northern line of Eighty-seventh street;

4th. Thence southwesterly on the northern line of Eighty-seventh street for 41 1/2 feet, to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Twelfth avenue with the northern line of Nineteenth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Twelfth avenue for 154 1/2 feet;

2d. Thence deflecting to the left 80° 02' 44" northwesterly for 6 1/2 feet;

3d. Thence deflecting to the left 90° southwesterly for 71 1/2 feet;

4th. Thence curving to the left southwesterly on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, and whose radius is 2,977 feet, for 84 1/2 feet to the northern line of Nineteenth street;

5th. Thence southwesterly along the northern line of Nineteenth street for 31 1/2 feet, to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the western line of Twelfth avenue, distant 292 1/2 feet southerly from the southern line of One Hundred and Fourth street, measured at right angles to the same.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Twelfth avenue for 72 1/2 feet;

2d. Thence deflecting to the left 12° 10' 14" northerly for 25 1/2 feet;

3d. Thence deflecting to the left 174° 25' 46" southerly for 24 1/2 feet, to the northern line of Twelfth avenue;

4th. Thence curving to the right southerly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 10,033 feet, for 208 1/2 feet, to the point of beginning.

Beginning at a point in the western line of Twelfth avenue, distant 412 1/2 feet southerly from the southern line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, measured at right angles to the same.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Twelfth avenue for 150 1/2 feet;

2d. Thence deflecting to the left 9° 56' 20" northerly for 254 1/2 feet, to the southern line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street;

3d. Thence northwesterly along the southern line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street for 24 1/2 feet;

4th. Thence deflecting to the left 98° 26' 30" southwesterly for 412 1/2 feet to a point of curve;

5th. Thence curving to the right southwesterly, on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course whose radius is 3,033 feet, for 4 1/2 feet, to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Twelfth avenue with the northern line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the western line of Twelfth avenue for 83 1/2 feet;

2d. Thence deflecting to the right 7° 56' 20" northerly for 155 1/2 feet;

3d. Thence southwesterly, on the arc of a circle whose centre lies easterly of the last described course, and whose radius, drawn through the northern extremity of the preceding course, forms an angle of 84° 51' 34" southwardly of the said course, and is 1,967 feet, for 406 1/2 feet to a point of tangency;

4th. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 52 1/2 feet to the northern line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street;

5th. Thence southwesterly along the northern line of One Hundred and Twenty-second street for 25 1/2 feet, to the point of beginning.

Beginning at the intersection of the western line of Twelfth avenue with the southern line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street.

1st. Thence northerly along the southern line of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street for 52 1/2 feet;

2d. Thence deflecting to the left 82° 00' 30" southwesterly for 52 1/2 feet;

3d. Thence deflecting to the right 0° 41' 19" southwesterly for 162 1/2 feet;

4th. Thence deflecting to the left 2° 28' 21" southwesterly for 502 1/2 feet, to the western line of Twelfth avenue;

5th. Thence northerly along the western line of Twelfth avenue for 72 1/2 feet, to the point of beginning.

Dated, New York, February 18, 1886.

E. HENRY LACOMBE, Counsel to the Corporation, 2 Tryon Row, New York City