

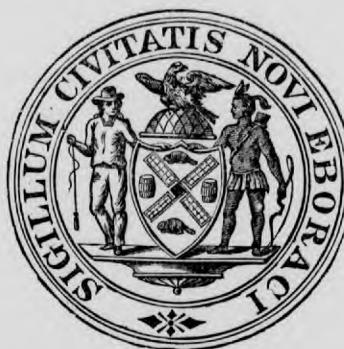
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### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### STATED MEETING.

#### BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

TUESDAY, January 18, 1887, 1 o'clock P. M.

##### PRESENT :

Hon. Henry R. Beekman, President ;

##### ALDERMEN

Charles Bennett,  
Alfred R. Conkling,  
James J. Corcoran,  
James A. Cowie,  
Daniel E. Dowling,  
Hugh F. Farrell,  
William Ficke,

James E. Fitzgerald,  
Cornelius Flynn,  
Christian Goetz,  
Philip Holland,  
Jacob M. Long,  
Gustav Menninger,

Joseph Murray,  
John Quinn,  
Charles P. Sandford,  
Matthew Smith,  
William Tait,  
James T. Van Rensselaer,  
William H. Walker.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

##### PETITIONS.

By the President (by request)—

Petition of Mrs. J. M. Lamadrid, on behalf of the St. Andrew's Coffee Stands, asking permission to erect booths in several places in the streets of the City, for the purpose of supplying meals at one cent each to the poor.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

##### REPORTS.

(G. O. 5.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of authorizing the construction of a stairway up the declivity in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between New avenue and St. Nicholas place, respectfully

##### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed improvement to be necessary, in order to afford a much needed facility for reaching the station of the elevated railway at Eighth avenue by residents on the heights west of Eighth avenue. The appropriate appropriation, from which to pay the expense, is "Roads, Streets and Avenues, Unpaved—Maintenance and Sprinkling, 1887," and the resolution has been amended accordingly. They therefore recommend that the said resolution, as so amended, be adopted.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to construct a stairway from the bottom to the top of the hill in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue and St. Nicholas place; such stairway to be not less than twelve feet nor more than twenty feet wide, and to be used by residents of the vicinity and others as a means of access to and from the elevated railway station at Eighth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; that the amount of money, not to exceed eight hundred dollars, be taken from the appropriation for "Roads, Streets and Avenues, Unpaved—Maintenance and Sprinkling," for 1887.

JOSEPH MURRAY, Committee  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, on  
ALFRED R. CONKLING, Public Works.

Alderman Van Rensselaer offered the following as an amendment:

Insert after the word "Resolved" the following: "That the resolution permitting James F. Cavanagh to construct a stairway from the bottom to the top of the hill in One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, between the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue and St. Nicholas place, which was approved by the Mayor November 24, 1886, be and the same is hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

Alderman Van Rensselaer then moved that the report of the Committee, as amended, be recommended to the Committee.

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

Which was decided in the negative on a division called by Alderman Menninger, as follows:

Affirmative—Aldermen Conkling, Sandford, and Van Rensselaer—3.

Negative—The President, Aldermen Corcoran, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Menninger, Murray, Quinn, Smith, Tait, and Walker—16.

The report was then laid over.

(G. O. 6.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of regulating, grading, etc., Ninetieth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, respectfully

##### REPORT :

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

Resolved, That Ninetieth street, between First avenue and Avenue A, be regulated and graded, the curb-stones be set and the sidewalks be flagged a space four feet in width through the centre thereof, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, Committee  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, on  
ALFRED R. CONKLING, Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 7.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom were referred the annexed resolution and ordinance in favor of paving One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Seventh avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, with granite blocks, respectfully

##### REPORT :

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

Resolved, That the carriage-way of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from the westerly intersection of Seventh avenue to the easterly intersection of Avenue St. Nicholas, be paved with granite-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid where not already laid, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

JOSEPH MURRAY, Committee  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, on  
ALFRED R. CONKLING, Public Works.

Which was laid over.

(G. O. 8.)

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of laying cross walks across Canal street, connecting South Fifth avenue and West Broadway, respectfully

##### REPORT :

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

Resolved, That crosswalks of two courses blue stone be laid across Canal street, within the lines of the sidewalks of South Fifth avenue on the north, and West Broadway on the south, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation for "Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."

JOSEPH MURRAY, Committee  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, on  
ALFRED R. CONKLING, Public Works.

Which was laid over.

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting H. Von Minden to keep a watering-trough at No. 24 Avenue A, respectfully

##### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they believe the proposed watering-trough would be a very great accommodation to persons doing business in the vicinity, particularly those who own or use horses. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Henry Von Minden to place and keep a watering-trough, on the sidewalk, near the curb, in front of No. 24 Avenue A, near northeast corner of Second street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

JOSEPH MURRAY, Committee  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, on  
ALFRED R. CONKLING, Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

The Committee on Public Works, to whom was referred the annexed resolution in favor of permitting Albert Power to extend vault beyond the curb-line in front of Nos. 250 and 252 Mercer street, respectfully

##### REPORT :

That, having examined the subject, they can see no objection to granting the desired permission, as it is usual to do so in similar cases. The interests of the public have been cared for, by providing that the usual fee shall be paid, the work be performed in a durable manner, and a stipulation is contained in the resolution by which the grantee is bound to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may be caused by the extension of the vault. They therefore recommend that the said resolution be adopted.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Albert Power to extend the vault in front of the premises Nos. 250 and 252 Mercer street, one foot and five inches beyond the curb-line, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the work be done in a durable and substantial manner, and that the said Albert Power shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works to save the City harmless from any loss or damage that may occur in consequence of the building or extension of said vault, during the progress or subsequent to the completion thereof, the work to be done at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

JOSEPH MURRAY, Committee  
GUSTAV MENNINGER, on  
ALFRED R. CONKLING, Public Works.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree to accept the report and adopt the resolution.

Which was decided in the affirmative.

##### MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS.

By Alderman Quinn—

Resolved, That One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, from the east line of first new avenue west of Eighth avenue to the west line of the first new avenue west of Eighth avenue, be regulated, graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide through the centre thereof, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

By the President—

Resolved, That to enable the Commissioner of Public Works to carry out with the least possible delay certain alterations and improvements in the room of the First District Police Court, which are necessary to the proper ventilation of the court-room, the said Commissioner is hereby authorized to make such alterations and improvements without advertisement and public letting, as required by section 64 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the cost of said work not to exceed the sum of six thousand dollars, and to be charged to the appropriation "Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs," for 1887.

Which was referred to the Committee on County Affairs.

By Alderman Conkling—

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid across Broadway, on a line parallel to and within the lines of the sidewalk, on the south side of Waverley place, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation "For Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."

Which was referred to the Committee on Streets.

By the same—

Resolved, That the attention of the Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York be and is hereby called to the fact that the New York Steam Company, otherwise known as the Steam Heating Company, does not properly replace the pavement in the streets where the mains or pipes of the said company have been laid, e. g., in Fifty-fourth and Fifty-seventh streets, and that the aforesaid Commissioner be requested to compel the said company to fulfill the clause and conditions of its grant.

Alderman Conkling moved the adoption of the resolution.

Alderman Menninger moved to refer to the Committee on Street Pavements.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

By the same—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Trustees of the Church of the Strangers, in Mercer street, between Clinton and Waverley places, to substitute an illuminated sign, containing the name of the church, not more than four feet in diameter, in place of the plain glass globe now on the sidewalk in front of the church; the work to be done and gas supplied at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

## By the President—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Cody & Salsbury, 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.

Alderman Murray moved to refer to the Committee on Streets.

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

Which was decided in the negative.

Alderman Farrell moved the adoption of the resolution.

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

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Conkling, Corcoran, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Menninger, Quinn, Sandford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—14.

Negative—Alderman Murray—1.

## By Alderman Dowling—

Resolved, That a crosswalk of two courses of blue stone be laid diagonally across the square formed by the junction of Canal, Essex and Rutgers streets, the said crosswalk to be laid from the northwest corner of Rutgers to the northeast corner of Essex street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, the expense to be paid from the appropriation "For Repairs and Renewals of Pavements and Regrading."

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Pavements.

## By Alderman Farrell—

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

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

(G. O. 9.)

## By the same—

Resolved, That the resolutions passed by the Board of Aldermen, on the occasion of the presentation of the Freedom of the City to M. Bartholdi, be engrossed, mounted on a scroll, enclosed in a suitable box, and transmitted to M. Bartholdi ; the expense thereof not to exceed the sum of two hundred dollars, and to be charged to the appropriation made for that purpose ; the work to be done under the direction of a special committee of three, to be appointed by the President.

Which was laid over.

## By the same—

Resolved, That the roadway of Thirty-seventh street, from a point about one hundred and nine feet east of First avenue to the bulkhead-line of the East river, be paved with granite-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

## By Alderman Long—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Mount Morris Electric Light Company, subject to the powers of the Subway Commission, to run electrical conductors through the streets, avenues and public places, for the purpose of furnishing electric light and power in that section of the city north of One Hundred and Tenth street, the said company to pay such rental as may be fixed by the Subway Commission for the use of the Subway when completed.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law Department.

## By Alderman Mooney—

Resolved, That St. Ann's avenue, between the northerly curb-line of the Southern Boulevard and the southerly curb-line of Clifton street, in the Twenty-third Ward, be regulated and graded, that the sidewalks on said avenue, between said limits, be flagged a space four feet wide where not heretofore flagged, and that the curb and gutter stones be set and crosswalks laid, where not heretofore set and laid within said limits, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lands, Places and Park Department.

## By the same—

Resolved, That the carriageway of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from the crosswalk at or near the easterly intersection of Alexander avenue to the crosswalk at or near the westerly intersection of Willis avenue, be paved with Belgian or trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks ; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lands, Places and Park Department.

## By the same—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Chestnut street, from Boston to Tremont avenue, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

## By the same—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Broadway, from Riverdale avenue to Church street, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

## By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps placed thereon and lighted in Tinton avenue, from Westchester avenue to One Hundred and Sixty-first street, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

## By the same—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, two lamp-posts erected and lamps placed thereon and lighted, one on the northwest, and one on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Railroad avenue, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

## By the same—

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Arthur avenue, from One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street to Kingsbridge road, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act.

Which was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

## By Alderman Murray—

Resolved, That the Commission for Lighting the City be and is hereby requested to cause an electric light to be placed on the southwest corner of Avenue A and Twenty-fourth street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

## By Alderman Van Rensselaer—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to E. J. Denning & Co. to place three lamp-posts, for electric lights, on the sidewalk, near the curb, on the north side of Ninth street, between Broadway and Fourth avenue, the work to be done and lamps lighted at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

## By Alderman Smith—

Resolved, That gas-mains be laid, lamp-posts erected and street-lamps be placed thereon and lighted in Sixty-fourth street, from First avenue to Avenue A, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Which was referred to the Committee on Lamps and Gas.

## By Alderman Tait—

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Francis L. Weiss to erect and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 342 Stanton street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works ; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Alderman Menninger moved the adoption of the resolution.

Alderman Conkling moved to refer to the Committee on Public Works.

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

Which was decided in the negative on a division called by Alderman Conkling, as follows :

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Goetz, Long, Sandford, and Van Rensselaer—7.

Negative—Aldermen Bennett, Corcoran, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Holland, Menninger, Murray, Quinn, Smith, Tait, and Walker—14.

The President put the question whether the Board would agree with the motion of Alderman Menninger to adopt.

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

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Corcoran, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Holland, Long, Menninger, Murray, Quinn, Smith, Tait, and Walker—16.

Negative—Aldermen Conkling, Cowie, Goetz, Sandford, and Van Rensselaer—5.

## By Alderman Quinn—

Whereas, It is alleged that annoyance, and occasionally injury, is inflicted upon employees of the several departments of the City government by reason of delay in paying them their wages or compensation when due, and also that the faith and credit of the City is questioned, and not infrequently loss is suffered by reason of the claimants for pay for work done or supplies furnished, discounting the delays in payment of their bills and charging the amount of such discount against the Corporation in the shape of enhanced cost for such work or supply ; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Committee on County Affairs be and is hereby instructed to inquire into the methods now in vogue in the several departments of this City government of passing upon the claims of their employees for wages or salaries, and in adjusting the cost of work done and supplies furnished for the City, and to report to this Board, as soon as possible, the results of such inquiry, together with such suggestions or recommendations as the Committee may deem of interest or advantage to the City and its claimants, with a view to the abatement of the evils if found to exist.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

## By the President—

Resolved, That Arthur E. Wood and J. Arthur Barratt be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Conkling—

Resolved, That James F. Macshane be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By the same—

Resolved, That John C. Mitchell be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Farrell—

Resolved, That Thomas W. Byrnes be and he is hereby reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Fitzgerald—

Resolved, That Henry W. Unger and Joseph E. Owens be and they are hereby respectively reappointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By the same—

Resolved, That Eli M. Cohen be and he is hereby appointed Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Flynn—

Resolved, That Patrick A. Campbell be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By the same—

Resolved, That Max Schreyer, John R. McMullan, Richard J. Fitzgerald and William L. Raymond be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Goetz—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Holland—

Resolved, That Fred. O. Swain be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By the same—

Resolved, That Byron W. Cohen be and he hereby is appointed Commissioner of Deeds of the City and County of New York, in the place and stead of Charles F. Irwin, resigned.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Long—

Resolved, That Bartholomew B. Chappell and Henry C. Freeman be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Menninger—

Resolved, That Joel M. Marx be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Mooney—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Quinn—

Resolved, That John Franz, P. J. McLaughlin, Michael Fennelly, Thomas E. Murray, John C. Rhodes, James J. Galligan, and William Kattmeier, Jr., be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Tait—

Resolved, That John J. O'Connell be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Sandford—

Resolved, That Samuel Campbell, Charles H. Griffin and William P. Holly be and they are hereby respectively appointed Commissioners of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Van Rensselaer—

Resolved, That William H. Folsom be and he hereby is reappointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, his term of office having expired January 12, 1887.

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Walker—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By the same—

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

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## RESIGNATIONS.

## By Alderman Conkling—

Resignation of C. H. Lovett as Commissioner of Deeds.

Which was accepted, and the vacancy referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

## By Alderman Holland—

Resignation of Charles F. Irwin as a Commissioner of Deeds.

## COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENTS AND CORPORATION OFFICERS.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the County Clerk:

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE—NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, January 17, 1887.

Hon. HENRY R. BEEKMAN, President Board of Aldermen:

DEAR SIR—The following is a list of the names of Commissioners of Deeds whose terms of office expire during the current month.

Respectfully yours,  
JAMES A. FLACK, County Clerk.

Name.	Term Expires.
R. V. W. Dubois	January 5, 1887.
William H. Folsom	" 12, "
Henry C. Freeman	" 19, "
Alexander Hoch	" 12, "
Henry Morgenthau	" 19, "
Joseph F. Moss	" 19, "
William T. Matthies	" 19, "
Joseph E. Owens	" 12, "
W. H. Rosenblatt	" 5, "
Julius Stich	" 12, "
Emanuel A. Schwarz	" 5, "
Michael Steinhardt	" 19, "
James H. Tobin	" 5, "
John J. Tracy	" 12, "
Henry W. Unger	" 19, "
Albert Zimmermann	" 19, "
Thomas W. Byrnes	" 12, "
William H. Bolshan	" 19, "

Which was referred to the Committee on Salaries and Offices.

The President laid before the Board the following communication from the Public Administrator:

LAW DEPARTMENT,  
CITY OF NEW YORK, BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR,  
No. 49 BEEKMAN STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 13, 1887.

To the Honorable the Board of Aldermen:

The Public Administrator, pursuant to chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, chapter 7, section 242 of said act, herewith exhibits to the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York a statement, on oath, of the moneys received by him for commissions and expenses, and of the total amount of his receipts and expenditures in each case in which he took charge and collected any effects, or on which he administered on any estate during the year 1886, with the name of deceased, his occupation, the place of his residence at the time of his death, where known, and the country or place from which he came, if he was not a resident of this State at the time of his death.

Respectfully,  
RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

(For statement, see CITY RECORD hereafter.)

Which was ordered on file and directed to be printed in full in the CITY RECORD.

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Alderman Quinn called up G. O. 1, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

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."

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

Which was decided in the affirmative, on a division, as follows:

Affirmative—The President, Aldermen Bennett, Conkling, Corcoran, Cowie, Dowling, Farrell, Ficke, Fitzgerald, Flynn, Goetz, Holland, Long, Menninger, Murray, Quinn, Sandford, Smith, Tait, Van Rensselaer, and Walker—21.

The President called up G. O. 2, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the carriage-way of Morris avenue or the public place at the intersection of Third and Morris avenues, from the northerly crosswalk of One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the northerly crosswalk of One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street, be paved with trap-block pavement, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was again laid over.

The President called up G. O. 3, being a resolution and ordinance, as follows:

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance heretofore adopted for regulating, grading, setting curb, gutter and flag stones and crosswalks, and resetting old curb, gutter and flag stones, in One Hundred and Sixty-first street, from the easterly curb-line of North Third avenue to Gerard avenue, approved September 26, 1885, be amended so as to read as follows:

Resolved, That One Hundred and Sixty-first street, between the westerly curb-line of Elton avenue and the easterly curb-line of Gerard avenue, be regulated and graded, and culverts built where necessary; that the curb and flag stones, where not on the established lines and grades, be taken up and reset and relaid; that new curb-stones be set and new flag-stones four feet in width be laid along and on each sidewalk where necessary, and that crosswalks be laid where not already laid across the roadway of each intersection of said street with each avenue and at the intersection of each avenue with said street, except where the said street crosses the New York and Harlem Railroad, at which point approaches shall be made to the existing bridge across the said railroad, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Which was again laid over.

## MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS RESUMED.

Alderman Menninger moved that the Board do now adjourn.

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

Which was decided in the affirmative.

And the President announced that the Board stood adjourned until Tuesday, the 25th instant, at 1 o'clock P.M.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

## Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending December 18, 1886.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1886.—STATED MEETING—11 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Beekman (President), Crimmins, Powers, and Borden.

The following communications were received:

From Robert B. Roosevelt, reporting, in compliance with the request of the Board, in relation to the advisability of stocking the Central Park lakes with suitable fish. Filed.

From Stevenson Towle, Civil Engineer, accepting the invitation of the Department to examine and report upon the Central Park drainage. Filed.

From Albert H. Dollivar, asking a continuance of his license to operate swan velocipede boats on the lower lake in Central Park. Referred to the Treasurer.

From Oscar H. Riker, applying for a renewal of his license for swings in the Central Park. Referred to the Treasurer.

From the Secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board, reporting Adolph Heyer and William F. McCabe as eligible for promotion to the grade of Clerks, and Julius Munckwitz, Jr., as eligible for promotion to the position of draughtsman. Filed.

From Charles Schwartz, applying for a renewal of his lease of the High Bridge Park Hotel for three years. Filed.

From the Superintendent of Parks, submitting, in compliance with an order of the Board, a list of trees and shrubs suitable for planting on the parks in the coming spring. Filed.

From the Topographical Engineer:

1st. Reporting upon the works in progress under his charge. Filed.

2d. Returning map or plan showing proposed grade of the Southern Boulevard, between Willis avenue and Brown place, the same having been placed on exhibition without any objection being made to the proposed grade.

On motion, said map was adopted and ordered filed, as required by law.

From the Topographical Engineer and the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, reporting upon a petition of property-owners, asking the Department to sanction the passage of a law authorizing certain changes in the grades of Railroad avenue, east, and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth and One Hundred and Fifty-ninth streets. Filed.

On motion, the Counsel to the Corporation was requested to facilitate, as much as within his power, the legal opening of Railroad avenue, east, for which proceedings are now pending, in order to enable the Department to proceed, as soon as possible, with the construction of sewers for which there exists an urgent necessity.

From the Engineer of Construction, submitting a map or plan showing the proposed grades of the sidewalks around Jeannette Park.

On motion, the grades of the curb of the sidewalks around Jeannette Park were established and fixed as shown on the map or plan presented by M. A. Kellogg, Engineer of Construction, dated December 15, 1886, and a copy of said map or plan was ordered filed in the office of the Department of Public Works.

From the Acting Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

1st. Reporting upon the work in progress under his charge. Filed.

2d. Reporting the temporary suspension of men and teams on account of stormy weather. Approved.

3d. Recommending that one of the horses in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards stable be removed on account of being disabled.

On motion, the horse referred to by the Acting Superintendent Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards was ordered sold at public auction.

From the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, reporting upon overtime on the contract for regulating, etc., Westchester avenue, from North Third avenue to Prospect avenue, and recommending that penalty for 304 1/4 days overtime be charged against the contractor.

On motion, the recommendation of the Engineer was approved.

Commissioner Beekman, to whom was referred the matter of the grades of the Port Morris branch of the New York and Harlem Railroad, made a verbal report in relation to the same, and recommended the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the New York and Harlem Railroad Company be and it is hereby requested forthwith to conform the grades of the tracks of the Harlem Railroad Company with its connecting and branch roads and the streets and avenues in the annexed district intersecting the same, with a view to establishing over-grade crossings, and also to report what legislation, if any, may be necessary to carry such plan into effect.

Commissioner Crimmins, to whom were referred the applications of William A. Hall and August Braun for renewal of their licenses, the former for mooring a bath at the Battery and the latter for the privilege of letting skates and chairs at the Park lakes during the coming skating season, made a verbal report and offered the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the application of William A. Hall for a renewal of his license to moor a bath at the Battery for a period of three years, be and the same hereby is granted upon his agreeing to pay a fee of \$1,200 per annum for the privilege; and that the Treasurer be authorized to enter into an agreement with Mr. Hall for that purpose.

Resolved, That the application of August Braun for the privilege of letting skates and chairs at the main and lower lakes in the Central Park, during the coming skating season, be and the same hereby is granted, upon his agreeing to pay as license fee a sum equal to ten per cent. of his gross receipts, and that the Treasurer be authorized to enter into an agreement with Mr. Braun for that purpose.

Which were adopted.

Commissioner Beekman called up the bill of David Barry for extra services in operating the draw of Central Bridge, which was received and laid over on 1st instant. Debate was had thereon, whereupon the matter was referred to Commissioner Crimmins with the request that he make an immediate report.

Commissioner Crimmins then presented a report, stating that in order to comply with an order of the Board to open the draw of the Central Bridge when required, at all hours, Mr. Barry had employed two extra men, incurring the extra expense for which he should be reimbursed, and recommending that the bill presented by him, amounting to \$560, be audited and approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

On motion, said recommendation was adopted.

From the Topographical Engineer, recommending that John J. Hopper, Assistant Engineer, be restored to duty.

On motion, John J. Hopper, Assistant Engineer, was restored to duty in accordance with the recommendation of the Topographical Engineer.

From the Superintendent of Parks, reporting a list of persons suspended by him until the 3d proximo, on account of a lack of funds; also a list of foremen whom he had placed on half time during that period.

On motion, the action of the Superintendent was approved.

From the Superintendent of Parks, reporting the death of James S. Flynn, Bridge-tender, caused by a fall on the Third avenue bridge. Filed.

On motion, the Board approved chapter 421 of the Laws of 1886, authorizing the improvement of Fifth avenue at One Hundred and Tenth street, and requested the Board of Street Opening and Improvement to authorize the work to be done as provided by the said law.

The subject of the personnel of the Department was referred to the President for such recommendations as he may see fit to make as to the grading of the employees other than Mechanics and Laborers, the fixing of their salaries and the number to be employed.

The Gas Commission was requested to inform this Department what action has been taken to provide for lighting Bryant and Mount Morris Parks, as requested by this Board.

The pay of Steam Engineers employed on the Harlem river bridges was fixed at \$3.50 per day, to take effect January 1, 1887.

The Painters in the employ of this Department were ordered paid at the rate of \$3.25 per day, on and after January 1, 1887.

Michael Condon was appointed a Bridge-tender, vice James S. Flynn, deceased.

Daniel Spillane and Jeremiah Sullivan were appointed Parkkeepers in accordance with Civil Service Regulation 35.

Parkkeeper Thomas H. Armstrong was fined five days' pay.

Bills amounting to..... \$16,771 23

—were approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

## Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending December 25, 1886.

No meeting held this week.

Pay-rolls amounting to..... \$17,866 55

—were approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

## Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending January 1, 1887.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1886.—SPECIAL MEETING—11 A. M.

Present—Commissioners Borden (President), Crimmins, Powers, Beekman.

The following communications were received:

From the Counsel to the Corporation, in relation to the progress made in the proceeding for opening Railroad avenue, east. Filed.

From the Secretary of the Gas Commission, stating, in reply to an inquiry from this Department, that the matter of lighting Mount Morris and Bryant Parks would be considered by said Commission at a meeting to be held in March next. Filed.

From Frank Loomis, general counsel for N. Y. C. and H. R. R. R. Co., stating the intention of the president and superintendent of said company to arrange for an early meeting with this Board to confer upon the subject of grades. Filed.

From William Cunningham, asking that shower baths be provided for the accommodation of tennis players in the Central Park. Filed.

From the Comptroller, returning a voucher in favor of David Barry for extra services on the Central Bridge, and stating that Mr. Barry being a salaried employee of the Department, the voucher should be made out in the name of the person who performed the services. Referred to the President.

From E. J. Lemon, asking permission to allow his dog to run at large in Central Park and Madison Square. Denied.

From Mrs. J. M. Lamadrid, asking permission to erect two booths—one at City Hall Park and one at the Battery Park, for the purpose of supplying hot meals to the poor. Referred to Commissioner Crimmins for examination and report.

From William R. Beal, C. P. Huntington and others, requesting the Department to change the lines and grades of Crimmins avenue in the Twenty-third Ward, pursuant to chapter 664, Laws of 1886, and asking permission to grade and sewer said avenue at their own expense.

From the Topographical Engineer, submitting a map, plan and profile showing the proposed change in the lines and grades of Crimmins avenue, from Division avenue to St. Mary's street.

On motion said map was adopted and ordered filed according to law.

From W. R. Beal, W. H. McCord and others, asking permission to construct a sewer in Division avenue from St. Ann's avenue, easterly, and in front of land owned by them, at their own expense.

From Samuel E. Lyon, C. P. Huntington and others, asking permission to regulate, grade, etc., Division avenue, from St. Ann's avenue to the Southern Boulevard, at their own expense.

The following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That whenever the owners of the property on the lines of Crimmins avenue, between Division avenue and St. Mary's street, and Division avenue, between St. Ann's avenue and Southern Boulevard, deed the same to the City for public use, permission be granted the said property-owners to regulate and grade the said avenues upon the established grade and to construct sewers therein, in accordance with the plans to be prepared by this Department and under its supervision; the work to be done at their own expense.

From the Topographical Engineer:

1st. Submitting map showing a proposed change of grade of the Southern Boulevard, between Third and Lincoln avenues.

On motion, said map was ordered placed on exhibition for ten days and the Secretary was directed to insert a notice in the CITY RECORD inviting parties interested in the proposed change of grade to call and examine the said map.

2d. Reporting upon a petition for the opening of Bremer avenue, between Devoe and Birch streets, referred to the Department for report by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement, and stating that, in his opinion, the petition should be granted.

On motion, said report was approved, and the Secretary was directed to communicate the suggestions contained therein to the Board of Street Opening and Improvement.

3d. Reporting upon a petition for the opening of Jennings street, from Union avenue to Stebbins avenue, which had been referred to the Department by the Board of Street Opening and Improvement for examination and report, and recommending that the same be returned to the petitioners for the names of owners of additional frontage.

On motion, said report was approved, and the Secretary was directed to communicate the same to the Board of Street Opening and Improvement.

From the Engineer of Construction in charge of Streets and Sewers in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards:

1st. Reporting in relation to suspending the work of regulating, grading, etc., Boston road, from Third avenue to Jefferson street, for the winter.

The President stated that he had directed the suspension of said work in accordance with the recommendation of the Engineer.

On motion, the action of the President was approved.

2d. Reporting, in addition to his report of the 29th ultimo, on the application of W. J. O'Grady for an extension of time on his contract for constructing a sewer in One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, between Third and Franklin avenues, etc. Filed.

From the Superintendent of Parks, submitting a plan for a skate building proposed to be erected on the lower lake in Central Park at an estimated cost of \$200. Filed.

From the Superintendent of Parks, reporting the death of John Joyce, Night Watchman. Filed.

From the Sergeants of the Park Police Force, applying for an increase of pay. Denied.

From Edward P. Alcorn, applying for promotion from the grade of Parkkeeper to that of Roundsman. Filed.

From Frank M. Neade, resigning his position of Parkkeeper. Accepted.

From Ellen Holden, applying for employment as a Cottage Attendant. Filed.

From John O'Neil, applying for employment as Watchman. Filed.

From P. McCann, licensee, in relation to repairs required to be made to the refreshment building at Mount St. Vincent. Filed.

The Treasurer to whom was referred the subject of licenses presented a report in relation to the same, containing recommendations for the renewal and extensions of the various licenses for park privileges upon terms more advantageous to the City. Filed.

A license for the sale of refreshments in the buildings on Central Park, known as the Casino, Dairy and Skate building, was granted to William H. Radford for the term of five years, from January 1, 1887, upon his agreeing to pay to the Department as license fee a sum equal to five per cent. of his gross receipts, and to make the necessary repairs, etc., to keep the buildings occupied by him in a proper condition during the term of his license; and the Treasurer was authorized to enter into an agreement with Mr. Radford for that purpose.

The Treasurer was authorized to enter into an agreement with Charles Schwarz, lessee of the High Bridge Park Hotel, for a renewal of the lease of said premises for the term of five years, upon the following terms and conditions:

1st. That the lessee shall pay to the Department a sum equal to six per cent. of his gross receipts for the privilege.

2d. That the lessee shall forthwith paint and put in good repair the buildings occupied by him and maintain the same in proper condition during the term of his lease, also the approaches leading to the said premises; such repairs to be under the direction and subject to the approval of Department.

Theodore Weston was ordered paid on account of his services as Architect for the construction of the addition to the building occupied by the Metropolitan Museum of Art the sum of  $2\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. on the aggregate amount of the contracts let for the construction of said building after deducting the sums already received by him.

R. R. Zingsem, Draughtsman, was ordered transferred for duty under the Topographical Engineer.

Isaac C. Tyson was promoted from the grade of Parkkeeper to that of Roundsman, to take effect January 1, 1887.

William S. McIntyre was appointed an Axeman for duty under the Topographical Engineer at \$2 per day, commencing January 3, 1887, vice R. H. Gerizen, discharged.

Mrs. Sarah Drahham was appointed a Cottage Attendant, to take effect upon an assignment to duty by the Superintendent of Parks.

The following fines were imposed:

Parkkeeper John T. Fagan, thirty days' pay.

" Henry Terpeny, one day's pay.

" Thomas H. Armstrong, three days' pay.

" Warren D. Thompson, two days' pay.

" Michael J. Sweeney, three days' pay.

Cash to the amount of ..... \$1,212 22  
—was deposited with the City Chamberlain.

Bills amounting to ..... \$37,366 54  
Pay-rolls amounting to ..... 3,198 60  
—were approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

#### Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending January 8, 1887.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1887.—STATED MEETING—II A. M.

Present—Commissioners Borden (President), Crimmins and Powers.

At the hour of eleven o'clock, Mr. E. G. Marsh, the representative of the Comptroller, being present, and the meeting open to the public, the President in the presence of the representative of the Comptroller, and such of the parties making proposals as were present, opened the estimate-box and publicly opened and read all the estimates or proposals which had been received in accordance with advertisements duly published in the CITY RECORD for the following:

For furnishing and delivering 800 tons coal—

James Fitzgerald .....	\$3,812 50
O'Donnell & Treanor .....	3,755 00
G. Robitsek .....	3,755 00
Ehrenreich Bros.....	3,575 00

For furnishing and delivering—

350,000 pounds hay.
50,000 pounds rye straw.
2,600 bags No. 1 white oats, 80 pounds per bag.
575 bags yellow corn, 112 pounds per bag.
450 bags bran.

Horace Ingersoll .....	\$6,993 75
John Moonan .....	6,771 25
T. P. Huffman .....	6,951 25

The contracts were awarded to the lowest bidders.

The following communications were received:

From the Counsel to the Corporation, giving his opinion as to the authority of this Department in the matter of a request of the Commissioner of Public Works for the approval of a plan for the construction of a bridge on the line of Kingsbridge road across Sherman's creek. Laid over.

From Erastus Wiman, asking permission for the members of the Canadian Club and others to pass over the Central Park lawns on snowshoes, on the afternoon of Thursday, 6th instant. Granted.

From the Topographical Engineer, reporting upon the works in progress under his charge. Filed.

From the Engineer of Construction:

1st. Recommending that an order be issued to M. J. Drummond for two tons of branch pipes and special castings, in addition to the quantity to be furnished under his contract with the Department and at the contract price.

On motion, the Treasurer was authorized and directed to issue an order to M. J. Drummond for furnishing the Department with 4,000 pounds of branch pipes and special castings, similar in all respects to those to be furnished by him under his contract, at a price not to exceed \$52 per ton.

2d. Calling attention to the necessity for the appointment of a competent Inspector to supervise the work of casting the water-pipes, etc., to be furnished to the Department under contract with M. J. Drummond.

On motion, the matter was referred to the President with power to appoint an Inspector.

3d. Reporting in relation to the inaccessible condition of the stairways leading from Lincoln avenue to the footwalks of the bridge over Harlem river, at Second avenue.

On motion, it was ordered that permission be requested of the owners of the property on the easterly side of Lincoln avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-second and the stairway leading to the sidewalk of the Second Avenue Bridge, to fill in the said avenue along the easterly line for such width as is required for a footwalk from the said stairways to One Hundred and Thirty-second street, and when such permission is obtained that the Superintendent Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards be directed to open a free dump for the filling required, and detail a laborer to do such grading of the material dumped as may be necessary.

From the Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, reporting the suspension of George Brown, the Bridge-tender, in consequence of the closing of the draw of the bridge over Mott Haven Canal at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street. Approved.

From the Director of the Menagerie, reporting the suspension of Joseph Ryan, Laborer, for intoxication. Approved.

On motion, the Superintendent of the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards was directed to prepare and submit to the Board specifications for furnishing and delivering such quantities of gravel, broken stone, screenings or other material as shall be required for use on the roads, etc., of the annexed district during the present year.

On motion, the Superintendent of Parks was directed to report to the Board a detailed estimate of the cost of procuring the trees and shrubs required for planting on the parks in the coming spring, as recommended in his report of 15th December last.

On motion, the Superintendent of Parks and the Superintendent Gardener were directed to examine the locality and soil of Cedar Park, and report to the Board as to the advisability of establishing a nursery for the growth and treatment of trees necessary for park plantation.

Bills amounting to .....	\$7,021 59
Pay-rolls amounting to .....	19,175 27

—were approved and transmitted to the Finance Department for payment.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

#### Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending January 15, 1887.

No meeting held this week.

A contract for furnishing and delivering forage was executed with John Moonan, contractor, John A. Anthony and Henry Chastain, sureties.

CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

#### 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. PIT SHEARMAN, J. B. ADAMSON.

#### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

#### BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

#### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

##### Office of Clerk of Common Council.

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

##### City Library.

No. 10 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.

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

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

**Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.**

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

**Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.**

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

**Bureau of the City Chamberlain.**

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

**Office of the City Paymaster.**

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.  
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, Bookkeeper.

**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. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

*Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.*

ALBERT F. D'OECHN, 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 SHAHER, 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. 11½, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

**BOARD OF EXCISE.**

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

**SHERIFF'S OFFICE.**

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

**REGISTER'S OFFICE.**

East side City Hall Park, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
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. 12, 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, 10 A.M.  
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A.M.

Part I., Room No. 34.

Part II., Room No. 35.

Part III., Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

**COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.**

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A.M.

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.

Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.

Chambers, Room No. 21, 10:30 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.

Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.

Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.

Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A.M. to adjournment.

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

**COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.**

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

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.

Terms, first Monday each month.

JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A.M. till 4 P.M.

**CITY COURT.***City Hall.*

General Term, Room No. 20.

Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.

Part II., Room No. 19.

Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.  
DAVID MCADAM, Chief Justice; JOHN REID, Clerk.

**OVER AND TERMINER COURT.**

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10½ o'clock A.M.

Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A.M. till 4 P.M.

**COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.**

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10:30 A.M., excepting Saturday.

Clerk's Office, Tombs.

**DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.**

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

MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.

Clerk's office open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.

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

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

GEORGE W. PARKER, Justice.

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

ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.

JOHN H. McCARTHY, Justice.

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 16 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 Pcs Pins.  
50 pounds Ball Lamp Wick.

HARDWARE, 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 Raps.  
5 dozen Sand Stones.  
12 dozen F. B. Files, 14 m.  
12 dozen W. W. Brushes.  
12 dozen L. ther Brushes.  
100 gross Clothes Pins.  
4 Universal Clothes Wringers, No. 22.  
1 gross first quality Axe Pulleys, 1¾ in.  
7 gross first quality Wood Screws, 5 2-in., No. 18, 2 1-in., No. 9.  
600 pounds first quality Cut Nails, 400 lbd, 100 lbd, 100 8d.

IRON.

950 feet refined round Iron, ½ inch.  
450 feet refined Iron, ½ by 2½ 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, ground in oil, 10 lbs, 20 25s.  
20 pounds first quality English Vermillion, "dry."

LUMBER.

550 square feet, first quality, thoroughly seasoned, clear White Pine Ceiling Boards, ½ in. 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, 1½ 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 10 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 12 ft.

4,300 square feet first quality, clear, thoroughly seasoned, cone or vertical grained Yellow Georgia Pine Flooring, 1½ 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, 1½ in. x 12 in., dressed one side.

200 square feet first quality Merchantable White Pine, ½ in. x 14 in., dressed one side.

200 square feet first quality clear White Pine, ½ 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 Blacwell'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 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.

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Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intent 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 inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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 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.

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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.

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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 17, 1887.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, January 6, 1887.

**I**N 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. 504 Pearl street—Unknown man; aged about 30 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; sandy hair and moustache; blue eyes. Had on blue over-coat, black diagonal coat and vest, gray pants, white shirt, red flannel shirt, red woolen socks, laced shoes.

At Pententiary, Blackwell's Island—Alfred Lee; aged 21 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when received black striped coat and pants, black vest, blue striped calico shirt, laced shoes, black derby hat.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—John Matthews; aged 60 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair; gray eyes.

James Glover; aged 45 years; 5 feet 8½ inches high; dark brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted black coat, vest and pants, colored shirt, gaiters, black derby hat.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—John Larkin; aged 60 years. Committed December 22, 1886.

Heinrich Fitzmaurice; aged 47 years. Committed December 20, 1886.

At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Frank Russ; aged 48 years; 5 feet 6½ inches high; hazel eyes; gray hair. Had on when admitted black Beaver overcoat, gray coat and pants, dark mixed vest, boots, black Beaver cap.

Jacob Lichtmann; aged 40 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted dark mixed cassimere coat, dark check vest, dark gray pants, gaiters, black derby hat.

Thomas Daly; aged 49 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted black diagonal coat, blue diagonal pants and vest, overalls, laced shoes, black alpaca cap.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order G. F. BRITTON,  
Secretary.

#### FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,  
157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 8, 1887.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

#### SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS

Department with the following articles:

400,000 pounds Hay, of the quality and standard known as Best Sweet Timothy.

70,000 pounds good Clean Rye Straw.

3,200 bags clean No. 1 White Oats, 80 pounds to the bag.

1,800 bags first quality Bran, 40 pounds to the bag,

—will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Thursday, January 20, 1887, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Clerk 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. When 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, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000); 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 to be made. 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 or 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 law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the 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 two hundred dollars (\$200). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimates, 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.

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

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

**N**OTICE 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,  
CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary. Commissioners.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 18, 1887.

**P**UBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A position of the property owners, with map and plan for changing the grade of Seventieth street, from Eleventh avenue to the Hudson river, is now pending before the Common Council.

All persons interested in the above change of grade and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the undersigned at his office on or before the 29th day of January, 1887.

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

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 13, 1887.

#### NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

**O**N THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1887, AT 10.30 A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at the Corporation Yard, foot of Gansevoort street, North river, the following articles, viz.:

Trucks, Carts, Wagons, Iron Boilers, Produce, etc., Booths, Fruit Stands, Abandoned Furniture, Lumber, Packing Boxes, Signs, Brick, Bill Boards, Stepping Stones, Boat Trucks, Old Stones, Dry Goods, Wooden Posts, Lot of Hardware, Fire-Proof Block, Lot of Butchers' Fixtures, Ice Boxes, Boot Black Stands, Ladders, Iron Beams, Curtains and Frames, Sewer Pipe, etc., etc.

TERMS OF SALE.  
Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal of the articles purchased.

JOHN NEWTON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,  
NEW YORK, January 7, 1887.

#### NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

**O**N WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 19, 1887, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, under direction of the Superintendent of Incumbrances, by Messrs. Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, on the premises, the following buildings and structures, or such parts thereof as remain standing, in lots, viz.:

Within the lines of the widening of Gansevoort street, between Washington and Greenwich streets and Ninth avenue.

Lot No. 1—2-story and basement brick and frame dwelling, 28' x 19' x 12' 11" x 13' 5".

Lot No. 2—Frame shed, 9' 8" x 19' 9" x 9' 8" x 19' 9".

Lot No. 3—Frame shed, 14' 10" x 16' 2" x 14' 9" x 16' 4" x 16' 4".

Lots Nos. 4 and 5—3-story frame store and dwelling, 23' 7" x 18' 7" x 24' 1" x 18' 7" x 24'.

Lot No. 6—1-story frame shed, 24' 10" x 19' 11" x 24' 10" x 19' 11".

Lot No. 7—3-story brick factory, 24' 10" x 19' 11" x 24' 10" x 19' 11".

Lot No. 8—3-story brick factory, 25' 2" x 19' 11" x 25' 2" x 9' 11".

Lot No. 9—1½-story brick storehouse, 15' 0" x 19' 7" x 15' 0" x 19' 10" x 19' 7".

Lot No. 10—1½-story brick factory and office, 22' 0" x 12' 7" x 22' 0" x 19' 7".

Lot No. 11—Frame shed, 25' 0" x 20' 0" x 25' 0" x 19' 7".

Lot No. 12—Frame shed, 19' 3" x 10' 3" x 9' 8" x 15' 11" x 13' 9" x 10' 0".

Lot No. 13—2-story frame house, 31' 7" x 4' 5" x 32' 4" x 5' 2" x 20' 0".

Lot No. 14—3-story and basement brick store and dwelling, 8' 4" x 15' 3" x 13' 6" x 30' 10" x 4' 2" x 33' 1".

Lot No. 15—3-story and basement brick dwelling, 7' 7" x 15' 6" x 13' 6".

Within the lines of the widening of Gansevoort street, between Greenwich street and Ninth avenue and Hudson street.

Lot No. 16—2-story and cellar brick store and dwelling, 24' 9" x 4' 2" x 20' 3" x 15' 3" x 15' 3".

Lot No. 17—2-story brick stable, 26' 4" x 1' 5" x 2' 11" x 13' 6".

Lot No. 18—1½-story feed store, 2' 7" x 8' x 10' 9" x 25' 1" x 4' 5".

Lot No. 19—3-story brick and frame store and dwelling, 42' 11" x 20' 0" x 45' 2" x 18' 9" x 2' 3".

Within the lines of the widening of Gansevoort street, between Hudson, West Fourth and Thirteenth streets.

Lot No. 19½—2-story frame store, 27' 2" x 7' 6" x 27' 6" x 4' 3".

Lot No. 20—2-story frame store, 27' 5" x 12' 7" x 27' 2" x 13' 10".

Lot No. 21—2-story frame store, 14' 9" x 20' 0" x 13' 3" x 2' 2" x 13' 2".

Lot No. 22—2-story frame stable, 11' 6" x 20' 0" x 10' 9" x 20' 0".

Lot No. 23—2-story frame stable, 10' 9" x 20' 0" x 10' 7" x 20' 0".

Lot No. 24—2-story brick storehouse, 17' 0" x 20' 0" x 10' 6" x 20' 0".

Lot No. 25—2-story brick stores, 72' 10" x 14' 6" x 7' 10" x 5' 5" x 21' 11" x 5' 5" x 14' 6" x 7' 10".

Lot No. 26—Frame shed, 100' 10" x 14' 9" x 12' 8" x 94' 1" x 20' 0".

Lot No. 27—1-story corrugated iron office, 21' 1" x 3' 11" x 22' 0" x 14' 9".

Lot No. 28—4-story brick dwelling, 2' 10" x 1' 5" x 2' 6".

Within the lines of the widening of Thirteenth street, between West Fourth street and Eighth avenue.

Lot No. 29—5-story brick dwelling, tenement, 28' 9" x 11' 4" x 28' 9" x 11' 4" x 11' 4".

Lot No. 30—4-story brick dwelling, tenement, 28' 6" x 11' 4" x 28' 6" x 11' 4" x 11' 4".

Lot No. 31—3-story basement dwelling, tenement, 20' 6" x 11' 4" x 20' 6" x 11' 4" x 11' 4".

Lot No. 32—2½-story basement dwelling, tenement, 35' 1" x 11' 4" x 35' 1" x 11' 4" x 11' 4".

Lot No. 33—2-story brick and frame building, 6' 10" x 10' 3" x 11' 4" x 10' 3" x 10' 2" x 10' 2".

Lot No. 34—3-story and cellar, brick, store and dwelling, 34' 0" x 10' 3" x 29' 7" x 10' 2" x 10' 2".

Lot No. 35—3-story and cellar, brick, store and dwelling, 34' 0" x 10' 3" x 29' 7" x 10' 2" x 10' 2".

The sale will commence with Lot No. 1 fronting on north side of Gansevoort street, commencing at the corner of Washington street, and will proceed in the order in which the buildings and structures are herein enumerated.

## CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 225, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones, flagging sidewalks, laying crosswalks and paving East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, with trap-blocks, the roadway therein, from North Third avenue to the Mott Haven Canal.

List 227, No. 2. Laying crosswalks in Willis avenue, between Southern Boulevard and North Third avenue.

List 228, No. 3. Regulating, grading, curb and flagging in One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard.

List 232, No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from North Third avenue to the Mott Haven canal, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Willis avenue, between Southern Boulevard and North Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, between Tenth avenue and the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 21st day of February, 1887.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, January 19, 1887.

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

List 213, No. 1. Regulating, grading and setting curb-stones in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from the west line of Avenue St. Nicholas to the east line of Boulevard.

List 220, 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-nine street, East One Hundred and Seventy-second street, East One Hundred and Seventy-third street, East One Hundred and Seventy-fourth street, and across the roadway of each of the above-mentioned streets at its intersection with Washington avenue.

List 221, 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 223, 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 224, No. 5. Constructing a sewer and appurtenances in One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, between Brook and Robbins avenues.

List 225, No. 6. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Third street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 228, 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 229, No. 8. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones 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 230, No. 9. Sewer in Eighty-fifth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 230, 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-nine, One Hundred and Seventy-second, One Hundred and Seventy-third and One Hundred and Seventy-fourth 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. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 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. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, December 30, 1886.

## SUPREME COURT.

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT it is the intention of the Counsel 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; t. is plan being for a modification of the plans hitherto adopted, by including other property to be taken in fee simple upon this plan and designated hereon as Parcels Nos. 712 A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J and K; and Nos. 715 ½, 716 ½ and 718 ½; 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 acquirement in fee simple 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 496 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 ½ 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 365 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 ½ 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 47° 14' 30" west 149 ½ feet; south 46° 17' 30" west 87 ½ feet; south 36° 41' west 171 ½ 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 ½ 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 bearing the letters "A. C." and running thence (3) north 44° 04' east 166 feet; thence (4) 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 (5) across the lands of said Carson south 54° 04' 45" west 287 ½ feet to the place of beginning, including within said boundaries the parcels numbered 715 ½, 716 ½ and 718 ½, and containing 31 ½ 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 ½, 300 A, 300 ½, and 300 ¾; 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.,  
Commissioners.

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.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, December 30, 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 ½, 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 ½ feet; thence (2) south 62° 48' east 328 ½ feet, crossing the aforesaid centre line at a right angle 58 ½ feet distant northeasterly from Monument No. 76 on said centre line; thence (3) south 2° 55' 20" east 58 ½ feet; thence (4) south 2° 55' east 275 feet; thence (5) south 87° 5' west 283 ½ feet; thence (6) north 62° 48' west 184 ½ feet to the easterly line of the aforesaid survey; thence (7) along said easterly line south 27° 12' west 209 ½ feet; thence (8) north 48° 21' west 68 ½ feet to the place of beginning; containing 4 ½ 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.

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 twenty-first day of January, 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, November 13, 1886.

HENRY M. WHITEHEAD,  
WILLIAM H. BARKER,  
GEORGE W. MCLEAN,  
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 the opening of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND STREET, between Brook and Elton avenues, in the City of New York.

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

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city,