

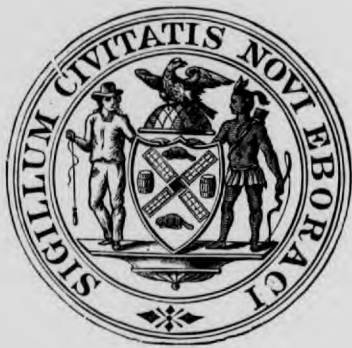
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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending May 16, 1885:

Deposited in the Treasury.

To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$127,952 63
City Treasury.....	1,548,190 93
Total.....	\$1,676,143 56

Bonds Issued.

Two and one-half per cent. Bonds.....	\$1,275,000 00
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Warrants Registered for Payment.

The Mayoralty—	
Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$81 93
The Finance Department—	
Cleaning Markets.....	\$28 50
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	81 32
Salaries—Chamberlain's Office.....	739 24
	849 06

Interest on the City Debt.....	8,455 00
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Aqueduct Commissioners—	
Additional Water Fund.....	118,053 04

The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department.....	2,659 29

The Department of Public Works—	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$423 26
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	652 54
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	110 00
Croton Water Fund.....	2,032 54
Jefferson Market—Alterations and Rebuilding.....	200 00
Laying Croton Pipes (Chapter 381, Laws 1879).....	2,819 25
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	426 66
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	675 25
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	1,741 45
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	942 00
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	1,520 00
Street Improvements Authorized after June 9, 1880.....	7,515 90
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	1,980 49
Water Meter Fund, No. 2.....	298 99
	21,338 33

The Department of Public Parks—	
Bridge and Approaches over Mott Haven Canal, at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street.....	\$16 00
Construction of Bridge over Harlem River.....	14 44
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	150 45
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	5,355 28
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	186 15
Rents and Repairs—Department of Public Parks.....	50 00
Riverside Avenue.....	95
Riverside Park.....	262 14
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards....	25 00
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	1,243 24
Surveying, Laying-out, etc.—Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,611 55
	8,915 20

The Department of Public Charities and Correction—	
Public Charities and Correction.....	26,712 85

The Health Department—	
For Building and Furnishing a Steamboat.....	\$112 80
Health Fund.....	213 26
Hospital Fund—For Completion of Hospital Building on North Brother Island.....	1,394 25
Hospital Supplies and Transportation for Care of Contagious Diseases.....	27 98
Storage Building for Disinfectants.....	482 00
	2,230 29

The Department of Street Cleaning—	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	8,609 56

The Fire Department—	
Fire Department Fund.....	9,555 22

The Dock Department—	
Dock Fund.....	2,668 12

The Board of Education—	
College of the City of New York.....	\$248 16
Public Instruction.....	243,966 20
Public Instruction—For Purchasing and Procuring Sites for and Erecting New Buildings.....	9,163 97
	253,378 33

The Board of Excise—	
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	696 45

The Judiciary—	
Salaries—Judiciary.....	228 04

Charitable Institutions—	
Five Points House of Industry.....	\$2,564 38
Institution for the Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	3,513 17
New York Institution for the Blind.....	1,687 50
	7,765 05
Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
Advertising.....	\$164 90
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	3,942 57
Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	3,910 77
	8,018 24
Miscellaneous—	
Assessment Fund—After June 9, 1880.....	\$263 70
Assessment Commission, Expenses of.....	346 00
Civil Service of the City of New York, Expenses of.....	833 33
Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	134 04
Judgments.....	1,549 23
Jurors' Fees, Including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials.....	4,304 00
Refunding Taxes Paid in Error.....	437 14
	7,867 39
Total.....	\$488,081 44

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	John Murphy, sole surviving partner of firm of Murphy & Nesbit, vs. John Mulholland, The Mayor, etc., and others.....	\$9,887 47	Judgment for plaintiff for claim and costs, \$7,266.41, and in favor of J. R. Rand & Co., defendants, for claim and costs, \$2,621.06.....	Guggenheimer & Untermyer, att'ys for pl'ff; Geo. W. Van Slyck, att'y for J. R. Rand & Co., def'ts.
"	Mary E. Zimmerman and others.....	365 00	Order vacating assessment for closing Bloomingdale road, on Ward Nos. 42 to 46, Block 1145.....	James A. Deering.
"	The Rector, etc., of Trinity Church....	432 30	Judgment vacating taxes against Ward Nos. 64½ and 65 in Blocks 1310 and 1311, Twelfth Ward, for year 1881.....	G. M. Ogden.
"	Daniel S. Dickinson ..	54 17	Summons and complaint. To recover salary as Deputy Collector of City Revenue, from June 1 to 13, 1873.....	Lord, Day & Lord.
"	John W. Pirsson	980 00	Summons and complaint. To recover excess of assessment paid March 19 and 24, 1874, for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, etc., on lots Ward Nos. 33 to 37, Block 112.....	P. A. Hargous.
"	Edward Schell.....	5,508 16	Summons and complaint. To recover excess of assessment paid March 11, 1874, for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, etc., on lots Ward Nos. 26 to 42, Block 150.....	"
"	Amos R. Eno	3,740 65	Summons and complaint. To recover amounts paid November 14, 1878, and November 11, 1879, for assessment for regulating and paving Broadway, from Thirty-second to Fifty-ninth street, on Ward Nos. 32 to 34, Block 53; Ward No. 51, Block 54; Ward Nos. 23 to 28, 38, 39, Block 55; and Ward Nos. 7 to 10 and 12, Block 59.....	Shipman & Acker.
"	Louisa C. Miller	1,080 35	Summons and complaint. To recover excess of assessment paid March 11, 1874, for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, etc., on Ward Nos. 29 to 31, Block 151.....	P. A. Hargous.
"	James A. Flack	717 77	Orders reducing assessments, as follows: For regulating, etc., Madison avenue, from Eighty-sixth to Ninety-ninth street—Ward Nos. Block Nos. 20, 21 473	A. B. Johnson.
"	J. H. V. Cockroft.....	877 63	56, 57 476	"
"	A. Morton Ferris and another	1,243 12	15, 20 to 23 482	"
"	Michael H. Cashman.	1,147 76	For regulating, grading, etc., Seventy-ninth street, from Boulevard to Hudson river. Ward Nos. Block No. 37 to 44 259	"
"	Michael Rowan.....	324 43	Eighth avenue regulating, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to Harlem river—Ward Nos. Block No. 4, 63, 64 842	T. H. Baldwin.
"	Margaretta H. Ward.	2,219 11	One Hundred and Second street regulating etc., Fifth avenue to East river—Ward Nos. Block No. 20 to 32 393	"
"	"	1,258 06	One Hundred and Third street regulating, etc., First to Fifth avenue—Ward Nos. Block No. 41 to 53 393	"
"	Ferdinand Kurzman and another.....	376 43	1 219	"
"	St. Michael's Protestant Episcopal Church.....	592 56	Ninety-ninth street regulating, etc., from Eighth to Eleventh avenue—Ward Nos. Block No. 28, 29 1141	John C. Shaw.
"	George Dudley	1,298 64	One Hundred and Twenty-second street regulating, etc., from Mount Morris Square to Ninth avenue—Ward Nos. Block No. 9 to 15 709	"
"	"	1,233 00	One Hundred and Twenty-third street regulating, etc., from Mount Morris Square to Eighth avenue—Ward Nos. Block No. 49, 50, 55 and 56 709	"
"	Eli Charlier.....	609 84	Paving Ninth avenue, between Boulevard and Seventy-seventh street—Ward Nos. Block No. 33 to 40 160	P. A. Hargous.
"	R. N. Hazard.....	3,778 13	Seventy-third street regulating, etc., between Eighth avenue and Hudson river—Ward Nos. Block No. 1, 5 to 8, 14 to 18 208	"
"	Joel Melick.....	485 75	48 119	"
"	Vincent Tilyou.....	485 75	51 119	"

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	John Matthews, executor, etc.....	\$603 40	Order reducing assessment for regulating, etc., Madison avenue, from Eighty-sixth to Ninety-ninth street, and from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twentieth street, on Ward Nos. 12 to 16, Block 475; Ward Nos. 5 to 10, Block 494; Ward Nos. 11 and 12, Block 483; Ward Nos. 57 to 59, Block 493; and Ward Nos. 61 and 62, Block 474.....	A. B. Johnson.
"	Charles M. Studwell.	1,000 00	Summons and complaint. For services rendered tug-boat "Municipal" in towing her off West Bank in outer harbor by tug "Charles Allen," on September 29, 1883.	Stewart & Thomas.
"	Carraher & Co.....	950 00	Summons and complaint. For amount of supplemental contract made December 29, 1883, for changes in boilers of Hospital building on North Brother Island.....	Miller & Macfarlane
"	Amos F. Eno.....	1,016 42	Summons and complaint. To recover amount paid November 18, 1878, for assessment for regulating and paving Broadway, from Thirty-second to Fifty-ninth street, on lots Ward Nos. 2, 63 and 64, Block 3.....	Shipman & Acker.
"	Joseph U. Clowes....	798 49	Summons and complaint. To recover excess of assessment paid September 1, 1874, for Eightieth street outlet sewer, etc., on lots Ward Nos. 41 to 45, Block 261, Twenty-second Ward.....	"
"	George Kober.....	409 98	Summons and complaint. To recover excess of assessment paid October 6, 1876, for sewer in Eighty-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues, and in Ninety-first street, etc., on Ward Nos. 62 and 63, Block 381.....	T. F. Neville.
"	George W. Poillon...	1,336 63	Summons and complaint. To recover excess of assessment paid March 9, 1874, for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, on Ward Nos. 29 to 32, Block 108.....	P. A. Hargous.
"	Rosina Heimbeck....	266 31	Summons and complaint. To recover excess of assessment paid March 13, 1874, for Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, on Ward No. 35, Block 151.....	"
"	Isaac C. Ogden, Jr., against The Mayor, etc., and the Department of Docks	15,000 00	Summons. Complaint not served.....	Charles de Hart Brower.
"	James Hay.....	482 15	Transcript of judgment.....	John C. Shaw.
"	Laura S. Forbes and others.....	401 35	".....	"
"	Laura S. Forbes and others.....	97 19	".....	"
"	Alex. B. Crane, executor, etc.....	3,003 86	Orders reducing assessments, as follows: Tenth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-second to Ninety-third street—Block Nos. 1 to 9 1013 1 to 13, 52 to 64 1014	P. A. Hargous.
"	Alex. B. Crane, executor, etc.....	1,936 23	Eighty-sixth street regulating, etc., between Eighth avenue and Riverside Drive—Ward Nos. 1 to 9 1013	"
"	Alex. B. Crane, executor, etc.....	977 79	Madison avenue, regulating, etc., between One Hundred and Fifth and One Hundred and Twentieth streets—Ward Nos. 20 to 24, 45 to 53 500	"
"	Alfred W. Lowerre ..	589 62	Order reducing assessment for Seventy-eighth street regulating, etc., between Ninth avenue and Boulevard, on lot Ward No. 36, Block 166.....	"
"	Franklin Stebbins ...	100 00	Transcript of judgment.....	T. C. & G. N. Campbell.
Superior..	Caroline F. Hallett ..	5,000 00	Summons and complaint. For damages for personal injuries sustained on December 26, 1884, by slipping on ice and falling on the sidewalk on the northerly side of Eighty-fourth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.....	Thain & Kearney.
Supreme .	Janet Y. Lowerre	571 08	Order reducing assessment for Seventy-sixth street, regulating, etc., between Eighth avenue and Riverside Drive, on lots Ward Nos. 26 to 28, Block 123.....	P. A. Hargous.

CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1885.				
May 12..	Archibald F. Fournier.	\$2,500 00	Claim. For injuries sustained on the street leading from Jerome Park through Orloff Park to Van Courtland Station, by being thrown from his carriage in consequence of obstructions in the roadway.....	William W. Niles.
" 12..	Alanson W. Caswell.	208 33	Demand. For payment of his bill presented March 3, 1885, for services as Stenographer to the Extraordinary Trial Term of Court of Common Pleas for month of February, 1885.....	"
" 13..	Alex. E. Macdonald, M. D.....	300 00	Claim. For professional services rendered under direction of District Attorney, in examining mental condition of Messrs. Moulin, Martin and Feeney.....	"
" 14..	Henry E. Bowns	468 89	Claim and demand. For payment of bill for coal furnished to the Department of Public Charities and Correction, April 30, 1883, and for return cartages, \$321.14; and for return cartages, bill of November 30, 1884, \$147.75.....	Putney & Bishop.
" 15..	John Morgan.....	7,000 00	Claim. For damages for injuries sustained on account of defective sidewalk on north side of Fortieth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.....	Francis C. Devlin.
" 15..	Mary G. McMaster and another, executors.....	70 00	Claim. For return of amount deposited with Department of Public Works on April 8, 1875, for a water-meter, for use at Fifty-second street, near Twelfth avenue.....	Thain & Kearney.
" 16..	Thos. H. Whitney ...	3,482 72	Claim and demand. For furnishing and erecting complete an iron foot bridge at Fourth avenue and Forty-first street, and for repairs and alterations on same.....	J. Douglas Brown.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 16, 1885.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
7028	May 12, 1885	Public Charities and Correction.....	John Cox & Co..... (Sureties: John M. Canda, Edward J. Cassidy. Bond, \$60,000.)	Additions to City Prison, "Tombs." Total, \$93,700.

Certificates of the Assessment Commission of Awards made by them for the Return of Moneys paid for Assessments, received, as follows:

DATE.	NAME OF APPLICANT.	TITLE OF ASSESSMENT.	AMOUNT OF AWARD.
May 12	Benjamin P. Fairchild	Seventh avenue regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river.....	\$27 98
" 12	"	Seventh avenue macadamizing, between One Hundred and Tenth street and Harlem river.....	14 41
" 12	W. Jennings Demarest	Boulevard regulating, grading, etc., and superstructure, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	59 85
" 12	Edward Schwyer, guardian, etc.....	Boulevard regulating, grading, etc., and superstructure, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	39 90
" 12	The Murray Hill Bank	Boulevard regulating, grading, etc., and superstructure, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	59 85
" 12	The U. S. Trust Company.....	Boulevard regulating, grading, etc., and superstructure, from Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	60 88
" 12	Fred'k W. Lockwood	One Hundred and Twenty-second street regulating, grading, etc., between Mount Morris Square and Ninth avenue.....	42 36
" 12	John C. Thompson, Jr.	One Hundred and Eighth street regulating, grading, etc., from Fifth avenue to East river.....	80 00
" 12	Susan Spofford.....	One Hundred and Sixteenth street regulating, grading, etc., between Avenue A and Sixth avenue.....	160 42

Certificates of the Assessment Commission of the Reduction by them of Assessments, received, as follows:

DATE.	NAME OF OBJECTOR.	TITLE OF ASSESSMENT.	REDUCED FROM.	REDUCED TO.
May 12	Henry W. T. Mali, etc.	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	\$226 05	\$203 45
" 12	Georgeanna M. Ward ..	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	384 39	345 95
" 12	Samuel Cohen.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	490 52	441 47
" 12	Max Weil.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	519 06	467 16
" 12	Frederick H. Cossitt....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	696 68	627 02
" 12	Charles H. Russell.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	696 68	627 02
" 12	Lazarus Rosenfeld.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	1,807 37	1,626 64
" 12	The United States Life Insurance Co.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	346 90	312 20
" 12	The German Savings Bank.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	1,827 30	1,644 58
" 12	Herman Blum.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	1,417 58	1,275 80
" 12	Eliza M. Bailey.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	883 24	794 90
" 12	Daniel M. Edgar.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	1,154 14	1,038 41
" 12	Margaret J. Hodnett....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	291 64	262 48
" 12	Jeremiah W. Dimick ..	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	1,394 54	1,255 10
" 12	The Manhattan Life Insurance Co.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	1,414 16	1,272 72
" 12	Charles F. Southmayd and others, trustees, etc.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	1,937 39	1,743 69
" 12	Wm. W. Astor and others, trustees, etc.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	1,998 43	1,798 63
" 12	John Jacob Astor.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	2,210 80	1,989 68
" 12	Henry Neustadter and others, executors, etc.....	Boulevard sewers, between Seventy-seventh and Ninety-second streets.....	451 00	405 90
" 12	Mary R. Lundy.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	245 01	213 16
" 12	Annie T. Curnen.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	69 03	60 06
" 12	William B. Dick.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	558 70	486 07
" 12	Constantine Menelas....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	180 42	156 97
" 12	Annie Kinnaird.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	695 87	605 41
" 12	The Central National Bank.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	224 90	195 70
" 12	Emanuel Walter.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,102 59	959 27
" 12	Louisa Friand et al.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	134 62	117 12
" 12	Jeremiah Devlin, executor, etc.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,689 73	1,470 07
" 12	Aaron Wellington.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	269 24	234 24
" 12	Citizens' Fire Insurance Company.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	466 68	406 02
" 12	Isaac J. Stillings.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	134 94	117 42
" 12	Alexander J. Mayer.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	3,292 20	2,864 21
" 12	Daniel Hoffman.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	500 84	435 72
" 12	Richard C. Combes....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,819 39	1,582 84
" 12	Jacob K. Lockman, executor, etc.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,074 64	934 92
" 12	Miles Beach.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,191 90	1,036 98
" 12	Nathaniel L. McCready	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	721 08	627 35
" 12	Henrietta C. Ogden....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	536 82	467 03
" 12	George R. Fearing.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	727 62	633 03
" 12	George Owen.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	245 01	213 16
" 12	Emanuel Lehman and another.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,057 25	919 81
" 12	J. F. Ferguson, committee, etc.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	489 19	425 60
" 12	George G. DeWitt, executor, etc.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,074 63	934 92
" 12	William C. Hunter, treasurer, etc.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	434 81	378 29
" 12	Moses Sahlien.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,325 83	1,153 49
" 12	John L. Cadwalader....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	551 02	505 50
" 12	Simeon Lighthouse.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	567 84	494 03
" 12	Hickson W. Field.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,958 42	1,703 84
" 12	Hester A. Montgomery.	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	433 43	377 09
" 12	Mary E. Dickinson.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	134 62	117 12
" 12	Catharine A. Palmer...	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	2,642 84	2,299 26
" 12	John Brower.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	2,522 56	2,194 64
" 12	James M. Varnum, executor, etc.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	984 31	856 32
" 12	James Wallace.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	2,324 93	2,022 68
" 12	J. Watts de Peyster....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	836 56	727 79
" 12	James O'Donohue.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	205 90	179 13
" 12	Samuel M. Cohen.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	980 18	852.76
" 12	Mary G. Pinkney.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	900 42	783 36
" 12	Benjamin L. Ludington.	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	472 38	410 07
" 12	Harriet B. Evans.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	665 13	578 66

DATE.	NAME OF OBJECTOR.	TITLE OF ASSESSMENT.	REDUCED FROM	REDUCED TO.
May 12	Edward J. King.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	\$1,116 31	\$971 16
" 12	Robert Prior.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,021 64	889 23
" 12	Peter A. H. Jackson....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	962 35	837 24
" 12	Catharine M. Raymond..	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	476 28	414 36
" 12	Edward Morrison.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,958 42	1,703 84
" 12	Bernard Fellman.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	861 25	749 30
" 12	Luther Rountze, ex-ecutor, etc.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	1,098 70	955 87
" 12	Claiborne Ferris.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	710 62	618 23
" 12	Mary E. Miller.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	164 19	142 85
" 12	Louis Stix.....	Boulevard sewers, between One Hundred and Sixth and One Hundred and Fifty-third streets.....	46 95	40 85

Certificate of the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments of the Remission by them of Taxes of 1884, on Personal Estate, received, as follows:

DATE.	NAME.	ADDRESS.	RECEIVER'S BOOK.	TAX REMITTED.
May 16...	Frederick W. Beetson	8 East Fourteenth street.	\$3,000 00	\$112 50

Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz.:
 May 12. The Police Department (by representative)—For repairs to steamboat "Patrol."
 May 13. The Fire Department (by representative)—For furnishing a new boiler for steam fire-engine known as Fifth Battalion spare engine and for making repairs to said engine. Also, for furnishing said Department with 268,000 pounds Timothy hay, 50,000 pounds rye straw, 1,900 bags white oats and 1,000 bags bran, to be delivered below Fifty-ninth street; and 132,000 pounds Timothy hay, 30,000 pounds rye straw, 900 bags white oats and 500 bags bran, to be delivered above Fifty-ninth street.

Approval of Sureties.

The Comptroller approved of the adequacy and sufficiency of the sureties on the following proposals, viz.:

May 11. For furnishing 2,000 palm-leaf fans, 5,000 needles, 25,000 yards brown muslin, 1,000 yards huckabuck toweling, 500 yards linen dowlas and 200 bunches leather shoe laces, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.
 J. L. Chamberlin, No. 25 West Eighteenth street, Principal.
 William E. Tefft, No. 22 East Sixty-fourth street, } Sureties.
 Joseph H. Weller, No. 749 Fifth avenue, }

May 11. For building additions to City Prison, "Tombs," for Department of Public Charities and Correction.
 John Cox & Co., No. 23 Clinton street, Brooklyn, Principals.
 J. M. Canda, foot of East Fifty-second street, } Sureties.
 Edward J. Cassidy, No. 1119 Madison avenue, }

May 13. For the erection of foundation-walls and granite coping required at the southerly part of Jeannette Park, located between South and Front streets and Coenties Slip, New York City.
 John Donaldson, No. 14 Bank street, Principal.
 James Fitzpatrick, No. 529 West Forty-second street, } Sureties.
 William Kelly, No. 609 West Forty-seventh street, }

May 14. For furnishing new boiler for Engine No. 162, Fifth Battalion New York Fire Department.
 The Clapp & Jones Manufacturing Company, Hudson, N. Y., Principals.
 A. Spadone, No. 51 East Fifty-seventh street, } Sureties.
 John Harlin, No. 419 West Sixty-first street, }

Return of Proposals.

May 13. Proposal of Robert M. Masterton, for furnishing 40,000 pounds yellow sugar and 1,000 pounds cut loaf sugar, for use of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, returned to the said Department for action on the proposed substitution of John A. Eagleson, No. 221 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, as a surety thereon, in the place of Alexander Masterton, Bronxville, one of the original sureties.

May 16. Proposal of Charles B. Trimble, for building a stable, ice-house, disinfecting-house and coal-shed on North Brother Island, returned to the Health Department for action on the proposed substitution of Edward C. Sheehy, No. 411 East Eighty-eighth street, as a surety thereon, in the place of Peter McGinness, No. 1546 Park avenue, one of the original sureties.

Official Bonds Approved and Filed.

May 11. William M. Ivins, Chamberlain of the City of New York, Principal. Dated, May 11, 1885. Penalty, \$500,000.

Henry B. Hyde,
 Charles R. Flint,
 John Straiton,
 Marcellus Hartley,
 Vernon H. Brown,
 J. Edwards Simmons, } Sureties.

May 13. Richard Croker, Treasurer Fire Department Relief Fund, Principal. Dated, May 12, 1885. Penalty, \$20,000.

John McQuade, No. 1328 Lexington avenue,
 Edward C. Sheehy, No. 411 East Eighty-eighth street, } Sureties.

Official Bonds Received and Filed.

May 11. Charles Reilly, Commissioner of Jurors, Principal. Dated May 11, 1885. Penalty, \$5,000.

Arthur J. McQuade, No. 313 East Thirteenth street,
 Charles W. Dayton, No. 9 West One Hundred and Twenty-fourth street, } Sureties.

May 13. Edwin A. Simons, Poundmaster of Public Pound, corner One Hundred and Seventy-seventh street and Arthur avenue, Twenty-fourth Ward, Principal. Dated May 12, 1885. Penalty, \$500.

William J. Murphy, No. 1912 Fulton avenue,
 Daniel C. Moynihan, No. 208 East One Hundred and Third street, } Sureties.

Resignation.

May 11. Charles Reilly, Collector of City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets, Finance Department.

Appointed.

May 11. Edwin F. Bowen, Charles W. Brandt and Charles McCay, Temporary Clerks in the Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, for special service, with compensation at the rate of \$3 per diem each.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
 COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
 NEW YORK, May 18, 1885.

In accordance with the provisions of section 53 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending May 9, 1885:

Public Moneys Received and Deposited in the City Treasury.

For Croton water rents	\$62,828 35
For penalties on water rents.....	151 95
For tapping Croton pipes.....	344 50
For sewer permits	1,140 00
For redemption of obstructions seized	43 38
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund	966 00
For vault permits.....	1,224 07
Total	\$66,698 25

Public Lamps.

1 old lamp relighted.
 3 lamps discontinued.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending May 9, 1885, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
May 4	3 P.M.	70.	29.98	Manhattan....	Empire 5 ft.....	.86	5.00	115.2	19.32	18.55
" 5	5 P.M.	71.	30.02	" .....	" .....	.86	5.00	120.0	18.83	18.83
" 6	5:30 P.M.	72.	29.91	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	118.8	19.10	18.91
" 7	3:30 P.M.	72.	29.88	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	117.6	18.96	18.58
" 8	5:30 P.M.	74.	29.86	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	120.0	18.90	18.90
" 9	3:30 P.M.	71.	29.72	" .....	" .....	.86	5.00	120.0	18.22	18.22
									Average.	18.66
May 4	4 P.M.	70.	29.98	New York.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.89	5.00	117.0	25.64	25.00
" 5	4:30 P.M.	70.	30.02	" .....	" .....	.89	5.00	125.4	24.24	25.33
" 6	4 P.M.	72.	29.91	" .....	" .....	.89	5.00	117.6	26.62	26.09
" 7	4 P.M.	72.	29.88	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	115.8	27.08	26.13
" 8	5 P.M.	74.	29.86	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	123.6	25.30	26.06
" 9	4 P.M.	71.	29.72	" .....	" .....	.90	5.00	114.6	28.44	27.16
									Average.	25.96
May 4	5 P.M.	71.	29.98	N. Y. Mutual..	" .....	.93	5.00	117.0	28.76	28.04
" 5	3 P.M.	69.	30.02	" .....	" .....	.93	5.00	115.2	30.56	29.34
" 6	3 P.M.	69.	29.91	" .....	" .....	.93	5.00	126.0	29.20	30.66
" 7	5 P.M.	72.	29.88	" .....	" .....	.94	5.00	119.4	29.96	29.81
" 8	4:30 P.M.	73.	29.86	" .....	" .....	.93	5.00	120.0	28.06	28.06
" 9	5 P.M.	72.	29.72	" .....	" .....	.92	5.00	120.0	26.42	26.42
									Average.	28.72
May 4	4:30 P.M.	70.	29.98	Municipal.....	" .....	.90	5.00	117.0	29.64	28.90
" 5	4 P.M.	69.	30.02	" .....	" .....	.90	5.00	120.0	29.04	29.04
" 6	3:30 P.M.	70.	29.91	" .....	" .....	.90	5.00	119.4	29.38	29.23
" 7	4:30 P.M.	72.	29.88	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	120.0	29.36	29.36
" 8	4 P.M.	73.	29.86	" .....	" .....	.91	5.00	125.4	26.92	28.13
" 9	4:30 P.M.	72.	29.72	" .....	" .....	.89	5.00	120.0	28.28	28.28
									Average.	28.82
May 4	6 P.M.	71.	29.98	Equitable.....	" .....	.87	5.00	114.0	32.80	31.16
" 5	2 P.M.	68.	30.02	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	120.0	30.72	30.72
" 6	1:30 P.M.	69.	29.91	" .....	" .....	.86	5.00	117.0	30.50	29.74
" 7	5:30 P.M.	72.	29.88	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	114.0	31.60	30.02
" 8	3:30 P.M.	73.	29.86	" .....	" .....	.86	5.00	120.0	30.18	30.18
" 9	5:30 P.M.	73.	29.72	" .....	" .....	.87	5.00	120.6	29.70	29.85
									Average.	30.28
May 4	5:30 P.M.	62.	29.96	Metropolitan...	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.69	5.00	120.0	27.00	27.00
" 5	5:30 P.M.	65.	29.99	" .....	" .....	.68	5.00	120.0	26.54	26.54
" 6	6 P.M.	69.	29.92	" .....	" .....	.62	4.77*	121.2	25.02	26.48
" 7	4:30 P.M.	65.	29.89	" .....	" .....	.68	5.00	126.0	25.12	26.37
" 8	5 P.M.	65.	29.82	" .....	" .....	.68	5.00	121.8	24.70	25.07
" 9	1:30 P.M.	62.	29.73	" .....	" .....	.68	5.00	121.8	25.72	26.10
									Average.	26.26
May 4	6 P.M.	64.	29.96	Knickerbocker.	" .....	.81	5.00	120.0	31.45	31.45
" 5	5 P.M.	63.	29.99	" .....	" .....	.81	5.00	118.2	30.74	30.28
" 6	5:30 P.M.	66.	29.92	" .....	" .....	.81	5.00	117.0	30.38	29.62
" 7	5 P.M.	67.	29.89	" .....	" .....	.82	5.00	125.4	28.66	29.95
" 8	4:30 P.M.	63.	29.82	" .....	" .....	.81	5.00	118.8	29.70	29.40
" 9	2 P.M.	64.	29.73	" .....	" .....	.82	5.00	122.4	27.64	28.19
									Average.	29.81

* Pressure too low to pass five feet.

E. G. LOVE, PH. D., Gas Examiner.

Permits Issued.

102 permits to tap Croton pipes.
 209 permits to open streets.
 52 permits to make sewer connections.
 41 permits to repair sewer connections.
 295 permits to place building material on streets.
 37 permits—special.
 7 permits—vault.

Obstructions Removed.

Double truck from No. 130 Charlton street.
Soda water stand from No. 4 Division street.
2 barrels from No. 93 Stanton street.
Furniture from No. 423 West Fifty-fourth street.
Large ice box from No. 11 Third avenue.
Double truck from No. 163 South Fifth avenue.
4 large boxes from Broome street and South Fifth avenue.
22 boxes from Reade street and West Broadway.
Single truck from No. 443 East Sixteenth street.
3 large awning posts from No. 572 Second avenue.
Laundry sign from No. 124 Sixth avenue.
Stand, cloak, etc., from southwest corner Eighth avenue and Forty-third street.
Sign, cot, etc., from southwest corner Eighth avenue and Forty-third street.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the Week ending May 9, 1885.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Maintenance of Aqueduct and Reservoirs.....	2	114	3	6
In Pipe Yard, foot of East Twenty-fourth street.....	1	20	2	..
Repairing pavements.....	26	24	1	..
Repairing and cleaning sewers.....	4	30	..	16
Repairing and laying water-pipes.....	8	146	..	9
Maintenance and construction of boulevards and avenues.....	6	60	12	4
Repairing unpaved streets.....	..	12	2	1
Totals.....	47	406	20	36
Increase over previous week.....	..	1	..	1
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	1	..

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

46 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
1,565 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
27 lineal feet of sewer rebuilt.
13 lineal feet of new box sewer built.
3 lineal feet of culvert rebuilt.
6 lineal feet of spur pipe laid.
1 basin repaired.
2 new basin covers put on.
24 manhole covers put on.
22 new manhole heads and covers put on.
2 manhole heads reset.
250 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
71 square yards of pavement relaid.
63 square feet of flagging relaid.
7 cart-loads of earth refilled.
179 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$20,771.75.

D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Abstract of Proceedings for the Week ending May 16, 1885.

MONDAY, MAY 11, 1885.—ADJOURNED MEETING—10 A. M.

M. C. D. Borden, Esq., who had been appointed a Commissioner of Parks, presented his certificate of appointment, which was ordered entered upon the minutes.

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

The following communications were received:

From the Comptroller, returning without his approval of the sureties, the proposal of George F. Doak, for furnishing and delivering Roa Hook gravel. Ordered filed.

From the Secretary of the Civil Service Examining Board, submitting the names of persons eligible for appointment as Rodmen. Ordered filed.

From the Vice-President of the Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Company, in relation to the renewal of agreement for telephone service. Referred to Commissioner Beekman.

From George A. McDermott, inclosing an assignment made by S. M. Saunders to Watson Crawford, of the contract for regulating, grading, etc., One Hundred and Fifty-first street, and asking this Department's approval in the matter. Approved.

From the Secretary of the Health Department, transmitting a copy of a report upon the sanitary condition of the lands in the water-shed of Bungay creek, in the Twenty-third Ward, with the request that this Department hasten the opening of streets and avenues, and the construction of sewers for the relief of that section.

On motion, the matter was referred to the Clerk of Street Openings, with the request that the proceedings for opening Bungay and other streets in that district required for drainage be urged forward as rapidly as possible in view of the great necessity for improving the sanitary condition of that locality.

The Commissioners for opening Rider avenue were requested to push the pending proceedings for such opening with all possible speed in view of the imperative sanitary needs of the district, which demand the immediate construction of a sewer through that avenue.

It was ordered that the pond on the west side of Central Park south of Seventy-seventh street be drained and filled in, and the Engineer of Construction was directed to proceed with the work forthwith.

Arrangements were ordered made with Conterno's Ninth Regiment Band for furnishing music for concerts on Tompkins Square during the coming season.

The duties of Treasurer were devolved upon the President until otherwise ordered by the Board.

Commissioner Beekman, to whom was referred the plans prepared by the Architect for iron folding-gates to be placed at the steps of the Third Avenue Bridge over Harlem river, made a verbal report and moved that the plans be approved and that the Architect be directed to procure and submit estimates for doing the work. Adopted.

The Secretary was directed to procure a badge for Commissioner Borden.

Commissioner Beekman was authorized to detail a Patrolman for special duty at the sub-station at the Refreshment House.

Commissioner Borden was appointed a member of the committee having under consideration the subject of placing a clock and chimes in the tower of the Belvidere.

The President appointed Commissioners Powers and Borden members of the Auditing Committee.

It was ordered that a committee of two be appointed by the President to report upon a revision of the by-laws.

The President appointed Commissioners Beekman and Borden a Committee on the Revision of the By-laws.

The Committee on By-laws were requested to prepare and report to this Board such by-laws for the government of this Board as may be necessary and proper.

The application of George F. Doak, for the substitution of Charles Guidet as surety in place of William Kelly, rejected by the Comptroller of the City of New York, as inadequate and insufficient, in the matter of the proposal or bid of said George F. Doak to supply screened Roa Hook gravel for the Central Park and Riverside avenue, was rejected.

The Comptroller of the City of New York having communicated to this Board that he has determined the security accompanying the estimate or proposal of George F. Doak to supply screened Roa Hook gravel for the Central Park and Riverside avenue to be inadequate and insufficient, the action of this Board at its meeting held April 1, 1885, in terms awarding the contract for such supplies to said Geo. F. Doak, was rescinded, canceled, and annulled.

All the bids or proposals to supply screened Roa Hook gravel for the Central Park and Riverside avenue, received by this Department and opened at the meeting of this Board held April 1, 1885, were rejected.

The employment of six rockmen and six laborers was authorized for work on walks around the Zoological Buildings in Central Park.

The salary of Henry W. Vogel, Assistant Engineer, was fixed at the rate of \$1,800 per annum.

Discharged.

W. G. Esselmont, Foreman, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.
H. H. A. Ronner, Foreman, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.

Resigned.

Horace Crosby, Assistant Engineer.

Promoted.

Patrick Ryan, Laborer to Skilled Laborer, \$2 per day.

Appointed.

Richard A. Berry, Foreman, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, \$3.50 per day.
George McClintock, Foreman, Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, \$3.50 per day.
John J. Hopper, Rodman, \$2.50 per day.
James J. Oliver, Parkkeeper, \$2.75 per day.
Patrick Conroy, Parkkeeper, \$2.75 per day.
William F. McCabe, Laborer, \$1.76 per day.
Anthony S. Woods, Skilled Laborer, \$2 for each tour of duty from 5 P. M. to 8 A. M., as Watchman in the shops, Central Park.

Cash to the amount of \$526.50 was deposited with the Comptroller.
Pay-rolls amounting to \$2,486.92 were approved and sent to the Finance Department for payment.

A contract for erecting foundation walls and coping at the southerly part of Jeannette Park, between South and Front streets and Coenties Slip, was executed with John Donaldson, contractor; James Fitzpatrick and William Kelly, sureties.

E. P. BARKER, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That the curb on the south side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and St. Nicholas place, be reset in a line with the south curb of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, east of St. Nicholas place, and that the curb on the westerly side of St. Nicholas place, below One Hundred and Fiftieth street, be reset at a distance of forty feet westerly from the easterly curb thereof below said street and parallel therewith, and that the map and plan of said St. Nicholas place, on file in the Department of Public Works, be changed in accordance therewith, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 4, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, May 11, 1885.

Resignation of Timothy Donovan as a Commissioner of Deeds.

Resolved, That Julius Levy be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner of Deeds in and for the City and County of New York, in place of Timothy Donovan, who has resigned.

Resignation accepted and resolution adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Kroger & Strubbe to erect and retain a watering-trough in front of No. 35 Madison street, the work to be done and water 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 20, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 1, 1885, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to D. M. Campbell to place and keep a watering-trough in front of his premises, No. 637 Hudson street, the work 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 24, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 1, 1885, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to R. N. Clawson to place a watering-trough at No. 441 Washington street, the work to be done and water supplied at his own expense, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 20, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 1, 1885, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Patrick Jones to place and retain a watering-trough in front of premises at the southwest corner of First avenue and Thirty-seventh 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 24, 1885.

Received from his Honor the Mayor, May 1, 1885, with his objections thereto.

In Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

Resolved, That the Commissioner of Public Works be and he is hereby directed to cause the sidewalk in front of Nos. 91, 93 and 95 Trinity place, Nos. 23, 24 and 25 West street, and on the east side of Greenwich street, from Morris street to the sidewalk in front of the Washington building, to be repaired and laid or relaid, on the established grade, as provided in sections 99, 103 and 104 of article VII. of chapter 6 of the Revised Ordinances of 1880.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 1, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That the sidewalks on both sides of Eighty-sixth street, from the westerly line or side of Eighth avenue to the easterly line or side of Riverside Drive, be and they are hereby fixed and established a uniform width of thirty feet, and the carriageway of said street between said Eighth avenue and Riverside Drive at a width of forty feet.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 4, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Young Men's Hebrew Association to erect two ornamental lamp-posts and lamps inside the stoop-line in front of their premises, No. 721 Lexington avenue, 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.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1885.

Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That Ninety-fifth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, be regulated and graded, curb-stones set and sidewalks flagged a space four feet wide, where not already done, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That Croton water-pipes be laid in Seventy-fifth street, between First and Second avenues, where not already laid, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That Sixty-sixth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, be paved with trap-block pavement, and that crosswalks be laid at the terminating avenues where required, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; and that the accompanying ordinance therefor be adopted.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in Seventy-fourth street, between the Boulevard and Eleventh avenue, as provided in chapter 381, Laws of 1879.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 8, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Association of War Veterans of the First Regiment, N. Y. Volunteers, Col. Ward B. Burnett, in the war between the United States of America and Mexico, to use their battle flags, now in the Governor's room, during the parade, Decoration Day, May 30, 1885, this permission being granted on condition that the president of said association, Jacob R. Riley, shall be personally responsible for the proper use of the flags, and their safe return the day after the parade; and the Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to permit the use of the flags upon the conditions above named.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, May 11, 1885.
Approved by the Mayor, May 15, 1885.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK, DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK, May 18, 1885.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor City Record.

SIR—At a meeting of the Board governing this Department held this date, Joseph Koch was elected President, and James Matthews Treasurer, for the year ending April 30, 1886, in place of Lucius J. N. Stark and John R. Voorhis, respectively.

Very respectfully,
JOHN T. CUMING,
Secretary.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
WILLIAM R. GRACE, Mayor; RICHARD J. MORRISON, Secretary; WILLIAM L. TURNER, 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.

Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY WOOD, Registrar.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ADOLPH L. SANGER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner; DAVID LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

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

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbrances.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEESE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.
MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
MOOR FALLS, 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.
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M. to 5.30 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, 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. 155 and 157 Mercer 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'ORCH, Inspector of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

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

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

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

Repair Shops.

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

Hospital Stables.

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

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

JOHN D. CRIMMINS, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

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

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

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

MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM 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; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

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

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; JOHN K. PERLEY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER V. DAVIDSON, Sheriff; ARON ARONS, Under Sheriff; DAVID MCGONIGAL, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN REILLY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
PATRICK KEENAN, County Clerk; H. S. BEATTIE, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

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

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 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, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.
Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 33.
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.
Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Judge; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

FREDERICK SMYTH, Recorder; HENRY A. GILDER-SLEEVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court. Terms, first Monday each month.
JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.

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

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 13. 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.

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

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

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

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

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

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

JAMES R. ANGELL, Justice.

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

POLICE COURTS.

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

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

First District—Tombs, Centre street.

Second District—Jefferson Market.

Third District—No. 69 Essex street.

of the works connected therewith, is hereby required to present his claim to the Commissioners of Appraisal appointed for the purpose of appraising such lands and easements, or ascertaining such damages, at the offices of said Commissioners, Room 803, in the Mutual Life Insurance Building, No. 32 Nassau street, in the City of New York.

All said claims may be filed on and after the first day of October, 1885. The maps showing the location of the Aqueeduct, and the lands and interests to be acquired will be on file at the said offices on and after that date.

E. ELLERY ANDERSON,
HENRY F. SPAULDING,
ROBERT MURRAY, } Commissioners

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

REPAIRS TO WORKHOUSE ROOF, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE office of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction until 9.30 A. M. of Friday, May 29, 1885, for the following materials:

- 250 squares Chapman's Slate, prime quality, 12 by 24 inches.
- 12 boxes best quality charcoal Roofing Tin, 14 by 20 inches.
- 1,500 pounds best quality Roofing Solder.
- 500 feet, more or less, best quality 5-inch galvanized corrugated iron Leaders, complete for putting up.
- 350 squares, more or less, best quality two-ply Roofing Felt.
- Slate to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Roofing Slate, Solder, Tin, Galvanized Iron Leader and Roofing Felt," 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 a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 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 Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same, respectively, 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 prices for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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

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

Dated New York, May 18, 1885.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
HENRY H. PORTER,
CHARLES E. SIMMONS,
Commissioners of the Department of Public Charities and Correction.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR THOROUGH REPAIRS TO CONNECTING SEWERS AND ENTIRE PLUMBING SYSTEM OF BELLEVUE HOSPITAL.

THE SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR which are at this office—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, May 29, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for THOROUGH REPAIRS TO CONNECTING SEWERS AND ENTIRE PLUMBING SYSTEM OF BELLEVUE HOSPITAL," for which there is one separate set of specifications and the work for which is to be let in one contract, and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of the Board 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 a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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 FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 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 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 bond required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same, within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the lowest formal estimate be accepted by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, due notice of this fact will be given forthwith upon the receipt of the Comptroller's approval of the sureties, presented by the bidder as consenting to be bound for the faithful execution of this contract if awarded. Thereupon, if the Board shall not deem it for the best interests to reject all the proposals, the contract for this aforesaid work shall be awarded to this lowest bidder, who shall execute the contract and bond of even date therewith in due form, to the satisfaction of said Board, within five days after the award aforesaid. If the party or parties to whom said contract is awarded neglect or refuse to execute the same as aforesaid, the said contract shall be regarded as having been abandoned, the party or parties notified as in default to the Corporation of the City of New York, and the work will be re-advertised as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, AND ARE PARTICULARLY CAUTIONED TO EXAMINE WITH CARE THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 5 OF THE PRINTED CONTRACT FORM.

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

Dated New York, May 14, 1885.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING A NEW GAS-HOLDER AND BENCH FOR THE GAS-WORKS ON RANDALL'S ISLAND.

THE SPECIFICATIONS FOR WHICH ARE at this office—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, May 29, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for BUILDING A NEW GAS-HOLDER AND BENCH FOR THE GAS-WORKS ON RANDALL'S ISLAND," for which there is one separate set of specifications and the work for which is to be let in one contract, and with his or their name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of the Board 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 a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of 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 a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 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 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 BOND required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the lowest formal estimate be accepted by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, due notice of the fact will be given forthwith upon the receipt of the Comptroller's approval of the sureties, presented by the bidder as consenting to be bound for the faithful execution of this contract if awarded. Thereupon, if the Board shall not deem it for the best interests to reject all the proposals, the contract for this aforesaid work shall be awarded to this lowest bidder, who shall execute the contract and bond of even date therewith in due form, to the satisfaction of said Board, within five days after the award aforesaid. If the party or parties to whom said contract is awarded neglect or refuse to execute the same as aforesaid, the said contract shall be regarded as having been abandoned, the party or parties notified as in default to the Corporation of the City of New York, and the work will be re-advertised as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed unless under the written instructions of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction, AND ARE PARTICULARLY CAUTIONED TO EXAMINE WITH CARE THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 5 OF THE PRINTED CONTRACT FORM.

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

Dated New York, May 14, 1885.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, IRON, PAINTS, LUMBER, DRAIN PIPE, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

- 6,500 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition Thursday, May 21, 1885.
- 1,500 pounds Dried Apples.
- 1,000 pounds Cheese.
- 1,000 pounds Black Pepper (whole).
- 4,000 pounds Prunes.
- 40,000 pounds Brown Soap.
- 10 boxes Castile Soap (imported).
- 100 bushels Peas, including packages.
- 25 dozen Canned Tomatoes.
- 500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.
- 10 casks prime quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per cask, in original packages.
- 500 bales long bright Kye Straw, tare not to exceed three pounds per bale and weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
- 100 bags Brn (50 pounds each).
- 100 bags Coarse Meal (100 pounds each).
- 2,800 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

DRY GOODS.

- 6,000 yards Cotton Jeans.
- 100 gross Pantaloon Buckles.

PAINTS AND OILS.

- 10,000 pounds pure White Lead, ground in oil and equal to Atlantic Mills, 75 roos, 40 508, 20 258.
- 5 barrels prime quality Boiled Linseed Oil.
- 5 barrels prime quality Raw Linseed Oil.

LUMBER.

- 3,000 feet extra clear Pine, 1 1/2 by 10 to 16 inches by 13 to 16 feet, dressed one side.
- 3,000 feet extra clear Pine, 1 1/2 by 10 to 16 inches by 13 to 16 feet, dressed one side.
- 3,000 feet extra clear Pine, 2 by 10 to 16 inches by 13 to 16 feet, dressed one side.
- 700 good Merchantable Pine Boards, tongued and grooved, free from loose and black knots, 1 x 10 inches by 13 feet.
- 100 pieces clear White Pine, 3/4 by 1 1/2 inches by 12 feet, tongued and grooved, dressed one side.
- 250 first quality Hemlock Joists, 3 x 4 x 13 feet.
- 150 first quality Hemlock Wall Strips, 2 x 4 x 13 feet.
- 2 pieces first quality Spruce, 4 by 14 inches by 25 feet.
- 4 pieces first quality Spruce, 2 by 12 inches by 12 feet.
- 40 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 by 4 inches by 13 feet.
- 4 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 by 10 inches by 14 feet.
- 4 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 by 8 inches by 21 feet.
- 4 pieces first quality Spruce, 3 by 10 inches by 15 feet.
- 2 pieces first quality Oak Joists, 6 by 4 1/2 inches by 14 feet.
- 1 piece first quality Oak Joist, 5 by 4 inches by 14 feet.
- 250 feet extra clear White Pine, 2 1/2 in. by 20 to 22 inches by 16 feet, for Wash Tubs.
- 150 feet extra clear White Pine, 3 inches by 20 to 22 inches by 16 feet, for Wash Tubs.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

IRON, ETC.

(Bidders requested to bid for the entire lot.)

- 68 sheets B. B. Galvanized Iron No. 26, 24 by 8 1/2 inches
- 130 " " " " No. 24, 24 by 8 1/2 "
- 53 " " " " No. 24, 30 by 8 1/2 "
- 575 feet refined Iron Rods, 3/8 inch.
- 2 papers roundhead Stove Bolts, 1/2 by 3/4 inch.
- 2 bundles B. B. galvanized Band Iron, 1/2 by 1 inch.
- 17 Simond's Mfg. Co. round black Registers, 2 feet outside diameter, for ceiling.

EARTHEN DRAIN-PIPE, ETC.

(Bidders requested to bid for the entire lot.)

- 2,200 feet best quality earthen Drain-Pipe, 8-inch.
- 4 reducing L's best quality, 8 x 6 inches.
- 4 Bends, best quality, 8-inch.
- 2 Y's best quality, 8-inch.
- 2 Reducing Y's best quality, 12 by 8 inches.
- 5 barrels Portland Cement.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, May 22, 1885. 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, Iron, Paints, Lumber, Drain-pipe, 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 a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be

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

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

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same, respectively, 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 prices for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

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

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, May 11, 1885.

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,
HENRY H. PORTER,
JACOB HESS,
Commissioners of the Department of
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, May 16, 1885.

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

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Kate Collins; aged 38 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; dark hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted Corporation clothing.

At Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Ellen Douglass; aged 58 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray hair; brown eyes. Had on when admitted, blue dress, brown shawl.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—George Ellis, committed April 13, 1885.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Matilda Lachman; aged 48 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; black hair; blue eyes.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Robert McGovern; aged 26 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat and pants, brown mixed vest, brogan shoes, black derby hat.

Eliza Hopkins (colored); aged 45 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; black hair and eyes. Had on when admitted brown mixed ulster, green silk sacque, black dress, gaiters, brown straw hat.

At Branch Lunatic Asylum, Hart's Island—Elizabeth Ormes; aged 25 years.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON
Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.

By order of

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

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 39),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1884.

OWNERS WANTED BY THE PROPERTY Clerk of the Police Department of the City of New York, No. 300 Mulberry street, Room No. 39, for the following property, now in his custody, without claimants: Boats, rope, iron, lead, male and female clothing, boots, shoes, wire, blankets, diamonds, canned goods, liquors, etc., also small amount money taken from prisoners and found by patrolmen of this Department.

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, May 15, 1885.

PROPOSALS FOR STOP-COCKS, STOP-COCK BOXES AND HYDRANTS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until Thursday, May 28, 1885, at 12 o'clock M., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and reader—

No. 1. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOP-COCKS, STOP-COCK BOXES AND HYDRANTS.
No. 2. FURNISHING AND DELIVERING STOP-COCKS, HYDRANTS, AND STOP-COCK BOXES AND COVERS.

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

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

Each estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the same, that the several matters therein stated are true, and must be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, to the effect that if the contract is awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, upon its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall neglect or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

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

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

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

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

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, Nov. 1, 1883.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO property-owners of the City of New York that, by the New York City Consolidated Act of 1882, among other matters relating to Croton water rates and affecting all properties liable for Croton water charges, is embraced the following, in "Title 2, Duties and Powers of the Department of Public Works as to Procuring and Distributing Water":

§ 350. The Commissioner of Public Works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents. * * * * * Such rents shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings, respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water, said rents shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as provided by law.

It becomes my duty to state that on and after the first day of April, 1885, all extra charges, such as steam-engines, bakeries, bathers, bathing-tubs, boarding-houses, boarding-schools, building purposes, horses, horse-drawings, hotels, porter-houses, taverns, etc., printing offices, stone cutting or dressing, slaughter-houses, dyeing, water-closets and urinals, laundries, restaurants, soda fountains, extra families, oyster and coffee saloons, water by meter measurement, meters and meter setting, and all other purposes for which the use of Croton water is chargeable according to law, are liens, and unless paid on or before the 30th day of April next must be returned to the Clerk of Arrears, with the amount due on each lot.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET,
NEW YORK CITY.

NOTICE TO MARINERS IN THE PORT OF NEW YORK, PILOTS, AND ALL OTHERS TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THIS DEPARTMENT has placed off the Battery and south of Pier, new 1, North river, two wooden floats or buoys, cubical in shape, six feet on each side, painted black, and anchored on a line bearing S. 7½° east from southwest corner of Pier, new 1, North river, the first float being anchored about 200 feet and the second about 335 feet distant therefrom.

By order of the Board.

JOHN T. CUMING,
Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 1760, No. 1. Regulating and grading Fourth avenue, from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street.

List 1935, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging in First avenue, from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Ninth street.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of First avenue, from Ninety-second to One Hundred and Ninth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the 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 2d day of June ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,
JOHN W. JACOBUS,
JOHN MULLALLY,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 30, 1885.

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 2119, No. 1. Flagging the sidewalks and setting curb and gutter stones in One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, between Willis and St. Ann's avenues.

List 2168, No. 2. Paving Sixty-ninth street, from Ninth to Eleventh 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 Forty-fourth street, from Willis to St. Ann's avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Sixty-ninth street, from Ninth to Eleventh 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 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 23d day of May ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,
JOHN W. JACOBUS,
JOHN MULLALLY,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 22, 1885.

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 1596, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curb, gutter and flagging Madison avenue, from Ninety-ninth to One Hundred and Fifth street.

List 2043, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, between the Boulevard and Twelfth avenue, with granite-block pavement.

List 2048, No. 3. Drain in One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and first new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

List 2057, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Third to Sixth avenues, with granite-block pavement.

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

No. 1. Both sides of Madison avenue, from Ninety-ninth to One Hundred and Fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street, from Boulevard to Twelfth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Property bounded by One Hundred and Forty-fifth and One Hundred and Fifty-first streets, Eighth avenue and second new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Third to Sixth 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 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 23d day of May ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,
JOHN W. JACOBUS,
JOHN MULLALLY,
HENRY A. GUMBLETON,
Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, April 21, 1885.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH STREET, between Eighth and Riverside avenues, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of May, 1885, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 14, 1885.

WILLIAM V. I. MERCER,
WILLIAM H. BARKER,
JOHN WHALEN,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTIETH STREET, between Eleventh avenue and Kingsbridge road, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 29th day of May, 1885, at 10½ o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated New York, May 14, 1885.

JOHN WHALEN,
J. DANA JONES,
EDWARD HOGAN,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of EIGHTY-THIRD STREET, between Avenue A and Avenue B, 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, on or before the eleventh day of June, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said eleventh day of June, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the fifteenth day of June, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded northerly by the centre line of the block between Eighty-third and Eighty-fourth streets, easterly by the westerly side of Avenue B, southerly by the centre line of the block between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Avenue A, excepting therefrom all the land lying within the streets and avenues within said area.

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-sixth day of June, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 2, 1885.

PETER BOWE,
EDWARD HOGAN,
JOHN WHALEN,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND FORTIETH STREET, between Seventh and Eighth 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, on or before the 11th day of June, 1885, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 11th day of June, 1885, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ o'clock P. M.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 15th day of June, 1885.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which, taken together, are bounded northerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets, easterly by the westerly side of Seventh avenue, southerly by the centre line of the block between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth and One Hundred and Fortieth streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Eighth avenue, excepting therefrom all the land lying within the streets and avenues within said area.

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 26th day of June, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, May 2, 1885.

GILBERT M. SPEIR, JR.,
JOHN T. BOYD,
JOHN O'BRYNE,
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of EDGECOMBE ROAD, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the

Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as Edgecombe road, from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street to One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distant 725.50 feet easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly in a straight line, at an angle of 59 degrees, 50 minutes and 5 seconds, with said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 127.50 feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 248.50 feet, distance 226.50 feet; thence in a reversed curved line to the left, radius 200 feet, distance 200.50 feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 134.50 feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 355 feet, distance 299.50 feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 500.50 feet; thence in a curved line to the left, radius 400 feet, distance 158.50 feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 1,217.50 feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 500 feet, distance 478.50 feet; thence in a reversed curved line to the left, radius 400 feet, distance 424.50 feet; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 295.50 feet; thence westerly and parallel with One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 96.50 feet, to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and along said easterly line of Tenth avenue to the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, extended, distance 1,409.50 feet; thence easterly and along the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventy-fifth street, extended, distance 10 feet; thence southerly and parallel with the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and 10 feet easterly therefrom, distance 1,159.50 feet; thence in a curved line, to the left, radius 100 feet, distance 87.50 feet; thence southeasterly and tangent thereto, distance 445.50 feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 500 feet, distance 617.50 feet; thence in a reversed curved line, to the left, radius 800 feet, distance 425.50 feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 1,217.50 feet; thence in a curved line to the right, radius 500 feet, distance 108.50 feet; thence southwesterly and tangent thereto, distance 500.50 feet; thence in a curved line, to the left, radius 255 feet, distance 214.50 feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 134.50 feet; thence in a curved line, to the right, radius 300 feet, distance 300.50 feet; thence in a reversed curved line, to the left, radius 148.50 feet, distance 135.50 feet; thence southerly and tangent thereto, distance 154.50 feet; thence in a curved line, to the right, radius 550 feet, distance 30.50 feet, to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and along said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, distance 114.50 feet, to the point or place of beginning.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,

Counsel to the Corporation,

Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from Union avenue to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the twenty-second day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, extending from Union avenue to Westchester avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at the southeastern extremity of the lands acquired for opening East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Boston avenue to Union avenue.

1. Thence northerly along the most easterly course of said East One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street for 54.50 feet.
2. Thence deflecting to the right 90° 00' 24" south easterly for 663.50 feet.
3. Thence deflecting to the left 16° 27' 18" easterly for 198.50 feet to a point of curve.
4. Thence curving to the left northerly on the arc of a circle, tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 10 feet, for 13.50 feet.
5. Thence northerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 123.50 feet to a point of curve.
6. Thence curving to the right northeasterly on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 110 feet for 186.50 feet to a point of compound curve.
7. Thence curving to the right southerly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 150 feet for 200.50 feet to a point of reverse curve.
8. Thence curving to the left easterly on the arc of a circle whose radius is 50 feet for 82.50 feet.
9. Thence easterly on a line forming an angle of 59° 35' 07" with the radius of the preceding course, drawn through its eastern extremity for 100.50 feet.
10. Thence deflecting to the left 3° 35' 07" easterly for 922.50 feet to the northern side of Westchester avenue.
11. Thence southwesterly along the northern side of Westchester avenue for 177.50 feet.
12. Thence deflecting to the right 30° 38' 15" westerly for 825.50 feet.
13. Thence deflecting to the right 3° 40' 10" westerly for 100.50 feet.
14. Thence curving to the right northwesterly on the arc of a circle, whose radius drawn through the western extremity of the preceding course forms an angle of 89° 40' 10" with the preceding course, and is 110 feet for 181.50 feet to a point of reverse curve.
15. Thence curving to the left northwesterly on the arc of a circle, whose radius is 90 feet for 120.50 feet to a point of compound curve.
16. Thence curving to the left southwesterly on the arc of a circle, whose radius is 50 feet for 84.50 feet.
17. Thence southerly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 123.50 feet to a point of curve.
18. Thence curving to the right southwesterly on the arc of a circle tangent to the preceding course, whose radius is 70 feet for 97.50 feet.
19. Thence southwesterly on a line tangent to the preceding course for 207.50 feet.
20. Thence deflecting to the right 16° 27' 18" northwesterly for 672.50 feet.
21. Thence deflecting to the right 89° 59' 36" northwesterly for 5.50 feet to the point of beginning; and as shown on certain maps, filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, and in the Department of Public Parks.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,

Counsel to the Corporation,

Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, from Eleventh avenue to the Boulevard, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment, in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Eighty-first street, from Eleventh avenue to the Boulevard, in the City of New York, being the following-described lots or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant 6,905 feet 8 inches northerly from the southerly side of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, thence westerly and parallel with said street 530 feet to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence northerly along said line 80 feet 9 1/2 inches; thence easterly 541 feet 0 1/2 inch to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence southerly along said line 80 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Kingsbridge road, distant 6,905 feet 8 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly 656 feet 2 1/2 inches to a point in the easterly line of Fort Washington Ridge road, said point being 6.86 feet 10 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence northerly along said line 80 feet 1 1/2 inches; thence easterly 666 feet 2 1/2 inches to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line 76 feet 9 1/2 inches; thence still further along said westerly line of Kingsbridge road 3 feet 5 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road, said point being 6,794 feet 10 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly 300 feet 8 1/2 inches to a point 6,749 feet 9 1/2 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 2,660 feet 4 inches westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence westerly and in a curved line, radius 560 feet, distance 233 feet 4 inches; thence westerly and tangent thereto, distance 100 feet; thence westerly and northerly in a curved line, radius 340 feet, distance 283 feet 4 1/2 inches to a point 6,573 feet 5 1/2 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street, and 2,233 feet 8 1/2 inches westerly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence northerly and tangent thereto, distance 135 feet 2 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Boulevard; thence northerly along said line 80 feet 1 1/2 inches; thence southerly 131 feet 1 1/2 inches; thence easterly and northerly in a curved line, radius 260 feet, distance 216 feet 8 1/2 inches; thence easterly and tangent thereto, distance 100 feet; thence easterly and in a curved line, radius 640 feet, distance 266 feet 8 inches; thence easterly and tangent thereto, distance 295 feet 10 1/2 inches to the westerly line of Fort Washington Ridge road; thence southerly and along said line 80 feet 1 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between the Eleventh avenue and the Boulevard.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,

Counsel to the Corporation,

Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTIETH STREET from Tenth avenue to the Kingsbridge road, in the City of New York.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue known as One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Tenth avenue to the Kingsbridge road, in the City of New York, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of Tenth avenue, distant 4,047 feet 6 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 800 feet to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly and along said line 80 feet; thence easterly 800 feet to the westerly line of Tenth avenue; thence southerly along said line 80 feet to point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the westerly line of Eleventh avenue, distant 4,047 feet 6 inches northerly from the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street; thence westerly and parallel with said street, distance 29 feet 9 1/2 inches to the easterly line of Kingsbridge road; thence southerly along said line 68 feet 9 1/2 inches to the westerly line of Eleventh avenue; thence northerly and along said line 61 feet 11 1/2 inches to the point or place of beginning.

Said street to be 80 feet wide between the lines of Tenth and Eleventh avenues, and to take all of the triangle of land at the junction of Kingsbridge road and Eleventh avenue, south of the northerly line of One Hundred and Seventieth street, as laid down upon the Commissioner's map of the City of New York.

Dated New York, April 22, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,

Counsel to the Corporation,

Tryon Row, New York City.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of EAST ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SEVENTH STREET (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from Elton avenue to North Third avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 22d day of May, 1885, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvement hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the

Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as East One Hundred and Fifty-seventh street, extending from Elton avenue to North Third avenue, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated, as a first-class street or road by said Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces, or parcels of land, viz.:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of North Third avenue, distant 242.9 feet northeasterly from the intersection of the northern line of East One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street with the western line of North Third avenue; thence northeasterly along the western line of North Third avenue for 51.166 feet; thence deflecting to the left 94° 02' 20" northwesterly for 231.54 feet; thence deflecting to the left 90° southwesterly for 50 feet; thence deflecting to the left 90° southeasterly for 227.47 feet to the point of beginning; and as shown on certain maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the Department of Public Parks, in the office of the Register of the City and County of New York, and in the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York.

Dated New York, April 20, 1885.

E. HENRY LACOMBE,

Counsel to the Corporation,

Tryon Row, New York City.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
May 15, 1885.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 997 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property, affected by the assessment lists for the opening of—

One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Tenth avenue and Boulevard.

One Hundred and Sixty-first street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

—which were confirmed by the Supreme Court, May 8, 1885, and entered on the 12th day of May, 1885, in the Record of Titles of Assessments, kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 998 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

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

The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made thereon, on or before July 20, 1885, will be exempt from interest as above provided, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Titles of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

SCOTT & MYERS, AUCTIONEERS.

CORPORATION SALE OF REAL ESTATE ON THIRD AVENUE AND SIXTY-SEVENTH AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New York, by virtue of the powers vested in them, will offer for sale, at public auction, on Wednesday, May 27, 1885, at noon, at the Real Estate Exchange and Auction Room (limited), Nos. 59 to 65 Liberty street, in the City of New York, the following real estate belonging to the Corporation of said city, situated on Block Number 359 1/2, between Third and Lexington avenues, and Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, and shown on a map or survey drawn by Eugene E. McLean, City Surveyor, dated March 23, 1885, filed in the Comptroller's office, to wit:

Lot No. 1. On the west side of Third avenue, corner of Sixty-seventh street, 25.5 x 100.

Lots Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7. On the west side of Third avenue, between Sixty-seventh and Sixty-eighth streets, each 25 x 100.

Lot No. 8. On the west side of Third avenue, corner of Sixty-eighth street, 25.5 x 100.

Lot No. 9. On the south side of Sixty-eighth street, in the rear of the lots on Third avenue, 20 x 100.5.

Lot No. 10. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5.

Lot No. 11. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5.

Lot No. 12. On the north side of Sixty-seventh street, 25 x 100.5.

Lot No. 13. Adjoining, 25 x 100.5.

Lot No. 14. Adjoining and in the rear of the lots on Third avenue, 20 x 100.5.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

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

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

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

The Comptroller is authorized and empowered to make such conditions and provisions with respect to the removal of any and all of the buildings on the premises fronting on Third avenue, and for the erection of new buildings thereon as he may consider advisable and necessary in the interest of the city.

On and after May 1st, 1885, lithographic maps of the premises may be had at the office of the Comptroller.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under a resolution adopted April 17, 1885.

EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, April 20, 1885.

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID TAXES AND CROTON WATER RENTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said city for unpaid taxes levied in the year 1880, and Croton water rents laid for the year 1879, and now remaining due and unpaid, which sale was advertised to be held at the County Court-house in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, December 22, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, and was postponed until Monday, May 11, 1885, has been and is hereby again postponed until Wednesday, November 11, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents, Room 31, Stewart Building.

EDWARD V. LOEW,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 9, 1885.

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 928 OF THE NEW York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives PUBLIC NOTICE that the sale at public auction of lands and tenements in said city for unpaid assessments laid and confirmed during the year 1879 and prior thereto, for local improvements, which sale is advertised to be held at the County Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, November 24, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, has been and is hereby postponed by him until Monday, May 25, 1885, to be held on that day at the same hour and place.

A pamphlet containing a detailed statement of the property advertised for sale may be obtained at the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,

Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Nov. 15, 1884.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

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

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EDWARD V. LOEW,
Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS

CITY OF NEW YORK,
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
36 UNION SQUARE,
December 26, 1884.

PROPERTY-OWNERS INTERESTED IN THE proposed change of the grades of the streets and avenues intersecting and crossing the tracks of the Harlem Railroad Company, in the Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, are requested to call at the office of the Topographical Engineer of the Department of Public Parks, at the Arsenal building, Sixty-fourth street and Fifth avenue, Central Park, and examine plans, as prepared by the Department of Public Parks, showing a system of proposed over grade crossings, and make known their views in relation to the same with the view of securing such legislation as may be necessary in order to secure such change of grades.

By order of the Department of Public Parks.

E. P. BARKER,
Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, June 1, 1885.

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

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

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

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

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

GEORGE CAULFIELD,
Commissioner of Jurors.

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