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### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending  
June 20, 1885:

<i>Deposited in the Treasury.</i>	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$130,912 64
" City Treasury.....	586,749 98
Total.....	\$717,662 62

<i>Bonds Issued.</i>	
Two per cent. Bonds.....	\$250,000 00
Two and one-half per cent. Bonds.....	220,000 00
Total.....	\$470,000 00

<i>Warrants Registered for Payment.</i>	
The Finance Department—	
Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	\$49 60
Salaries—Finance Department.....	90 00
Interest on the City Debt.....	\$139 60

Aqueduct Commissioners—	
Additional Water Fund.....	12,115 25

The Law Department—	
Contingencies—Law Department.....	\$556 99
For Procuring and Presenting Evidence relative to Frauds on the City and County of New York, prior to January 1, 1872.....	100 00
	656 99

The Department of Public Works—	
Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$2,065 53
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	2,957 98
Contingencies—Department of Public Works.....	100 00
Croton Water Fund.....	8,484 53
Fund for Local Improvements.....	27,733 35
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	2,650 50
Laying Croton Pipes.....	711 50
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1,312 84
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	3,294 86
Repaving Streets and Avenues (Chapter 476, Laws 1875).....	2,000 09
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	14,891 05
Restoring and Repaving—Special Fund—Department of Public Works.....	1,228 50
Roads, Streets and Avenues Unpaved—Maintenance of and Sprinkling.....	814 37
Sewers—Repairing and Cleaning.....	293 46
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices, etc.....	3,887 75
	72,426 31

The Department of Public Parks—	
Bridge and Approaches over Mott Haven Canal, at One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Street.....	\$91 42
Entrances into Central Park on Eighth Avenue at Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first Streets, Completion of.....	282 23
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	1,082 15
Jeannette Park.....	39 50
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	17,983 60
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	35 00
Morningside Park—Improvement Fund.....	29 88
Riverside Avenue.....	539 20
Riverside Park.....	1,820 24
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	24 12
	21,927 34

The Department of Public Charities and Correction—	
Public Charities and Correction.....	4,493 86

The Health Department—	
Health Fund.....	\$520 56
Hospital Fund—For Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	37 72
Hospital Fund—For Erection of Hospital Building on North Brother Island.....	2,035 74
Hospital Supplies and Transportation for Care of Contagious Diseases.....	1,020 95
	3,614 97

The Department of Street Cleaning—	
Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	30,567 64

The Fire Department—	
Fire Department Fund.....	18,022 54

The Department of Taxes and Assessments—	
Contingencies—Department of Taxes and Assessments.....	59 60

The Dock Department—	
Dock Fund.....	2,062 56

The Board of Education—	
College of the City of New York.....	\$295 77
Public Instruction.....	12,598 45
	12,894 22

The Board of Excise—	
Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	60 87

The Judiciary—	
Salaries—Judiciary.....	50 00

Charitable Institutions—	
Foundling Asylum of the Sisters of Charity.....	\$21,019 73
New York Infirmary for Women and Children.....	600 00
State Homoeopathic Asylum for the Insane.....	416 95
	22,036 68

Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books—	
Advertising.....	\$50 10
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	892 76
	\$942 86
Miscellaneous—	
American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.....	\$308 00
Assessment Commission, Expenses of.....	44 00
Bureau of Permits.....	4 00
Charges on Arrears of Assessments.....	117 60
Coroners—Salaries and Expenses.....	750 00
Judgments.....	1,317 12
New York Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children.....	320 00
Refunding Interest and Charges on Lands sold for Taxes and Assessments.....	157 24
Sheriff's Fees.....	2,255 55
Support of Prisoners in County Jail.....	1,122 10
Tax Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	1,095 75
	7,491 36
Total.....	\$211,430 15

### CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
1885.				
June 15..	Maria Bradley.....	\$25,000 00	Claim and demand. For amount of a certain award in matter of acquiring lands for Cedar Park, Map of Damage No. 1.....	John C. Shaw.
" 16..	I. & S. Wormser.....	29 11	Claim and demand. For return of amount paid December 21, 1883, for an assessment for closing Bloomingdale road.....	James A. Deering.
" 17..	Edward G. Moran....	244 40	Claims and demands. For amounts of awards made by the Assessment Commission on May 26, 1885, viz.: Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-third to Ninety-second street.....	"
" 17..	Henry E. Merriam, executor, etc. ....	408 31	Ninth avenue regulating, etc., Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street.....	"
" 17..	Samuel W. Rosenstock	40 76	Claims and demands. For excess and interest paid for assessments, as follows: One Hundred and Thirty-third street paving, from Fourth to Sixth avenue— Paid July 17, 1884.....	John C. Shaw.
" 17..	Victor W. Macfarlane	216 18	Thirteenth avenue regulating, etc., Eleventh to Sixteenth street— Paid March 20, 1884.....	"
" 18..	Elliott Zborowski....	525 98	Demand for return of amount paid April 23, 1873, for an assessment for Broadway widening and straightening, from Thirty- fourth to Fifty-ninth street.....	Shipman & Acker.
" 18..	Estate of Octavia Boyce.....	1,705 07	Demands. For return of amounts paid for assessments, as follows: Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, with branches, etc.— Paid October 4, 1875.....	C. C. Higgins.
" 18..	John Morgan.....	2,469 30	Paid July 8, 1875.....	"
" 18..	Peter W. Livingston.	1,405 46	Seventh avenue sewer, between Greenwich avenue and Fifty-ninth street— Paid September 27, 1875.....	"
" 18..	Estate of John D. Wendel.....	5,258 77	Paid April 23, 1873, and August 11, 1875.....	"
" 18..	George Burchill.....	993 60	Thirty-third street outlet sewer, with branches in First avenue, etc.— Paid October 7, 1871.....	T. F. Neville.
" 18..	Nathaniel Burchill...	443 20	Paid March 25, April 27, May 6, June 3 and October 7, 1871.....	"
" 18..	Benj. J. Hart, trustee.	1,529 68	Forty-seventh and Forty-ninth streets sewers, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues— Paid May 4, 1877.....	"
" 18..	Francis Crawford....	480 00	Sixty-sixth street outlet sewer, with branches, etc.— Paid October 9, 1872.....	"
" 18..	Thomas Otis and ano.	373 13	Paid March 5, 1874.....	"
" 18..	Theodore E. Lyon....	313 44	Seventy-second street sewer, between Third and Fourth avenues, and in Seventy- seventh street, between First and Third avenues— Paid April 21, 1874.....	"
" 18..	Jacob Waldheimer...	156 68	Underground drains, between Seventy-eighth and Eightieth streets and Second and Third avenues— Paid November 27, 1875.....	"
" 18..	John P. Paulson.....	453 25	Eighty-first street sewer, from Ninth avenue to and through Eighth avenue, etc.— Paid October 1, 1875.....	"
" 18..	George Hoffman.....	1,154 01	Eighty-fifth, Eighty-sixth and Eighty-sev- enth streets sewers, from Fourth to Fifth avenue— Paid February 3, 1872, and November 21, 1874.....	"
" 18..	Nicholas Courtney...	489 34	Fourth avenue sewer, between Sixty-second and Seventieth streets, with branches, etc.— Paid June 12, 1873.....	"
" 18..	Francis Crawford....	188 45	Sixth avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Tenth street to Harlem river— Paid September 21, 1874.....	"
" 18..	The United States Trust Company of New York.....	16,000 00	Claim. For award made in matter of Cedar Park opening, for satisfaction of a mort- gage held by said company and made by Maria Bradley and another.....	Wm. A. W. Stewart.
" 19..	David Dudley Field..	1,500 00	Claim. For professional services rendered as counsel for defendants in case of Theodore Roosevelt and others vs. Frank- lin Edson, Mayor, and William P. Kirk, President of the Board of Aldermen.....	David Dudley Field.
" 19..	Robert Sewell.....	1,500 00	Claim. For professional services rendered as counsel for defendants in case of Theodore Roosevelt and others vs. Frank- lin Edson, Mayor, and William P. Kirk, President of the Board of Aldermen.....	Robert Sewell.
" 19..	William M. Tebo....	877 00	Notice of lien on contract of George S. Town- send, dated October 15, 1884, for storage of public baths during the winter of 1884- 1885.....	John J. Allen.



## SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme..	Mary Cumiskey, administratrix, vs. The Mayor, etc.,	.....	Certified copy order of discontinuance of action without costs.....	E. Henry Lacombe, Counsel to the Corporation.
"	Samuel Cardwell,....	\$618 15	Orders reducing assessments, as follows : Eighth avenue regulating, etc., One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street to Harlem river .....	T. H. Baldwin.
"	William H. Richards.	594 36	Eleventh avenue regulating, etc., Fifty-ninth to Seventy-second street.....	"
"	Isaac H. Reed.....	852 67	One Hundred and Second street regulating, etc., Fifth avenue to East river.....	"
"	Louis Rosse .....	106 99	One Hundred and Third street regulating, etc., First to Fifth avenue.....	"
"	Daniel B. Safford.....	588 42	Seventieth street regulating, etc., Eighth to Tenth avenue.....	"
"	J. Watts de Peyster..	72 03	Eighty-first street regulating, etc., from Eighth to Ninth avenue.....	John C. Shaw.
"	"	1,026 18	Ninety-ninth street regulating, etc., from Eighth to Eleventh avenue.....	"
"	"	1,374 90	One Hundredth street regulating, etc., from Eighth avenue to Broadway.....	"
"	Mary McGay and ano.	2,033 76	One Hundred and Fourth street regulating, etc., from Fifth avenue to Harlem river	"
"	"	638 44	One Hundred and Fifth street regulating, etc., from Third avenue to Harlem river	"
"	Franklin A. Paddock.	616 50	One Hundred and Twenty-third street regulating, etc., between Mount Morris Square and Eighth avenue.....	"
"	In the matter of Cedar Park opening .....	.....	Order to show cause why the order confirming the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in said matter should not be resettled and amended.....	Morris & Steele, attorneys for Henry Lewis Morris et al.
"	The Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Pauls, The Mayor, etc., the Comptroller and the Clerk of Arrears.....	499 50	Summons and complaint. For judgment that their taxes for years 1871, 1872, and 1873 be declared illegal and void, and that the Clerk of Arrears be directed to cancel the same, etc.....	Develin & Miller.
"	In the matter of opening Cedar Park...	.....	Certified copy of order confirming report and amended or supplemental report of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in said matter.....	E. Henry Lacombe, Counsel to the Corporation.
"	Richard Murphy.....	225 12	Transcript of judgment.....	James M. Lyddy.
"	Patrick Carraher, Jr., and another.....	600 00	"	Miller & Macfarlane
"	Stephen H. Thayer...	305 93	Orders reducing assessments, as follows : Ninety-fifth street regulating, etc., between Lexington and Fifth avenues.....	T. H. Baldwin.
"	Frederick Clinch....	66 76	One Hundredth street paving, from Eighth to Tenth avenue.....	"
"	Aaron H. Wellington.	15 04	Boulevard tree planting, Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	"
"	Cornelia R. Rhoades.	23 03	Boulevard tree planting, Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	"
"	Fannie McCormack and another, executors, etc.....	121 22	Boulevard tree planting, Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.....	"
"	Mary E. Dwinelle...	820 00	Madison avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Fifth to One Hundred and Twentieth street.....	A. B. Johnson.

## CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 20, 1885.

NO.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
7052	Apr. 15, 1885	Board of Education..	A. H. Andrews & Co..... (Sureties: W. T. Pratt, C. H. Cone. Bond, \$100.)	New desks and seats in Grammar School Building No. 1, Primary Department, on Vandewater street, near Pearl street, Fourth Ward. Total, \$320.
7053	" 15, "	"	A. H. Andrews & Co..... (Sureties: W. T. Pratt, C. H. Cone. Bond, \$150.)	Furniture, Part II., in premises on One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, near Third avenue, for branch of Grammar School No. 60, in Twenty-third Ward. Total, \$445.
7054	May 19, "	"	Richard Heckscher, Jr..... (Sureties: J. D. Kurtz Crook, Christopher Mooney. Bond, \$20,000.)	Furnishing coal to the schools during the year ending May 1, 1886. Estimate, \$56,280.

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
June 15	J. Watts de Peyster....	One Hundred and Eighth street regulating, etc., from Fifth avenue to East river.....	\$2,874 57	\$2,644 63
" 15	"	Ninth avenue regulating, etc., from Eighty-sixth to One Hundred and Tenth street.....	2,110 63	1,224 16

## Opening of Proposals.

The Comptroller attended the opening of proposals at the following Departments, viz. :

June 17. The Department of Public Works (by representative)—For paving with granite and trap-block pavements the several streets enumerated in the advertisement of said Department, dated June 3, 1885, and published in the CITY RECORD.

June 19. The Department of Public Charities and Correction (by representative)—For furnishing miscellaneous groceries, dry goods, hardware, iron, tin, lime, cement and lumber, for use of said Department.

## Approval of Sureties.

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

June 19. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with 15,000 pounds Rio coffee, 4,000 pounds cut loaf sugar and 1,500 bushels of oats.  
R. M. Masterton, No. 5 William street, Principal.  
Joseph W. Duryee, No. 1159 Fifth avenue, } Sureties.  
Silas D. Gifford, No. 27 Pine street, }

June 20. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with 2,000 barrels flour, No. 1.

George Hollister, No. 90 Broad street, Principal.  
William N. Crane, No. 7 East Forty-third street, } Sureties.  
Effingham Maynard, No. 286 Lexington avenue, }

June 20. For furnishing the Department of Public Works with 8,000 cubic yards clean sharp sand.  
Murray & Reid, No. 39 South street, Principals.  
Daniel J. Lynch, Nos. 39 and 41 Old Slip, } Sureties.  
Jeremiah Perry, No. 98 Henry street, }

## Return of Proposals.

June 15. Proposal of George Hollister, for furnishing 2,000 barrels flour, No. 1, returned to the Department of Public Charities and Correction for action on the proposed substitution of Effingham Maynard, No. 286 Lexington avenue, as a surety thereon, in the place of Alexander Cook, No. 148 Willow street, Brooklyn, one of the original sureties.

June 16. Proposal of Charles C. Field, for furnishing and delivering stop-cocks, hydrants and stop-cock boxes and covers, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the proposed substitution of Aaron B. Cohu, No. 17 East Forty-fourth street, and Arthur J. McQuade, No. 313 East Thirteenth street, as sureties thereon, in the place of Charles H. Field, No. 957 Madison avenue, and John P. Walsh, No. 323 East Fourteenth street, the original sureties.

June 16. Proposal of Charles C. Field, for furnishing and delivering stop-cocks, stop-cock boxes and hydrants, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the proposed substitution of Aaron B. Cohu, No. 17 East Forty-fourth street, and Arthur J. McQuade, No. 313 East Thirteenth street, as sureties thereon, in the place of Charles H. Field, No. 957 Madison avenue, and John P. Walsh, No. 323 East Fourteenth street, the original sureties.

June 16. Proposal of R. M. Masterton, for furnishing 15,000 pounds Rio coffee, 4,000 pounds cut loaf sugar, and 1,500 bushels of oats, returned to the Department of Public Charities and Correction for action on the proposed substitution of Silas D. Gifford, No. 27 Pine street, as a surety thereon, in the place of John A. Eagleson, No. 221 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, one of the original sureties.

June 18. Proposal of Ransom Parker, Jr., for furnishing and delivering ice to the Department of Public Works and public buildings and offices in care of the Department of Public Works, returned to said Department for action on the proposed substitution of H. H. Neslage, No. 175 Perry street, as a surety thereon, in the place of John Cusick, No. 413 West street, one of the original sureties.

June 20. Proposal of Joseph Moore for repairs to sewer in Ninety-eighth street, between Second and Third avenues, returned to the Department of Public Works for action on the proposed substitution of George H. Toop, No. 421 East Eighty-eighth street, as a surety thereon, in the place of Peter McGinness, No. 1546 Park avenue, one of the original sureties.

June 16. Notice of Morris & Steele, attorneys for Henry Lewis Morris et al., of intended application to Supreme Court to have the report of the Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in Cedar Park proceedings returned to the Commissioners.

## Official Bond Approved and Filed.

June 15. Lewis Schoonmaker, Assistant Clerk of Markets in the Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets, Principal. Dated June 10, 1885. Penalty, \$2,000.  
Martin Steljes, No. 306 Washington street, Hoboken, N. J., } Sureties.  
Carsten H. Meyer, No. 123 Hancock street, Brooklyn, }

## Appointed.

June 17. J. M. C. Frolich, Third Assistant Bookkeeper in the Comptroller's Office, by promotion, with compensation at the rate of \$1,600 per annum.

EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller.

## DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK, }  
NOS. 31 AND 32 PARK ROW, }  
NEW YORK, June 22, 1885. }

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410, of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following report of the transactions of the Department of Street Cleaning for the week ending June 20, 1885 :

Number of loads of ashes removed .....	13,640
" " rubbish removed.....	5,792
" " material received from Department Public Works.....	198
" " " " markets.....	154
" " " " permits.....	2,864
Total.....	22,648

Public moneys received and deposited in the City Treasury—

For trimming scows, etc..... \$249 00

## Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning" for the year 1885 :

## Schedule No. 46—

Avery, Thos. C., repairs.....	\$18 90
Dillon, James, use of horses.....	442 50
Gibson, John, use of scows.....	15 00
Guy C. Hotchkiss, Field & Co., supplies.....	129 15
Fitzpatrick, Jas., feed.....	108 00
Guy C. Hotchkiss, Field & Co., supplies.....	56 75
Jenkins & Tregarthen, repairs.....	25 30
Raynolds, C. T. & Co., paints.....	59 50
Reynolds, J. J., grease.....	25 38
Slater & Reid, repairs.....	138 42
"	29 94
Starke, Adolph, spikes.....	1 69
Sellew, T. G., repairs.....	1 75
The Metropolitan Tel. Company, services.....	39 00
Total.....	\$1,091 28

## Bills

—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning," for the year 1884 :

## Schedule No. 322—

Dahlman, I. H., Horses.....	\$675 00
"	650 00
"	675 00
"	665 00
Total.....	\$2,665 00



## Pay-rolls

—audited and transmitted to the Finance Department, chargeable to the appropriation for "Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning" for the year 1885 :  
Schedule No. 47—

Laborers .....	\$6,992 75
Hired carts .....	8,750 60
Department carts .....	1,645 00
M. and W. C. drivers .....	1,210 00
Stables .....	455 00
Mechanics .....	430 36
Dumps .....	630 00
Captains of scows .....	591 33
Total .....	\$20,705 04

## Appointment.

Thomas Neeson, Laborer.

## Discharges.

Matt. Smith, Laborer.

William Owens, Hired Cartman.

## Transfer.

Dan Murphy, Hired Cartman, Twentieth to Sixteenth Precinct.

J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

## BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

ARMORY BOARD—CITY OF NEW YORK, }  
June 16, 1885. }

A meeting of the Armory Board was held at the office of his Honor the Mayor, City Hall, this date, all the members being present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Commissioner of Public Works reported upon the proposed additions and alterations to the Twelfth Regiment Armory, referred to him at the last meeting, as follows :

NEW YORK, June 15, 1885.

## To the Armory Board :

In regard to the propriety of making certain changes on the west end of Sixty-first street wall, granite and mason work, of Twelfth Regiment Armory, submitted to me for approval, I report that the said changes as shown on plan are necessary, and that the amount requisite to expend therefor, viz., \$897, is a reasonable charge.

Respectfully,

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner of Public Works.

The report was received and adopted with the following resolution :

Resolved, That Messrs. Moran & Armstrong be authorized and directed to depart from the plans for the south wall of the drill building of the Twelfth Regiment Armory, on Sixty-first street, so as to follow the plan of alteration submitted by the architect to, and accepted by, R. S. Newcombe, attorney, said alteration to be made at a cost to the city not to exceed \$897, in accordance with their proposition of June 15, 1885.

The following report was then read :

NEW YORK, June 15, 1885.

## To the Armory Board :

I recommend that the following items of carpenter work, as being necessary to go forward with the general work now being done, viz. :

Twelve window frames .....	\$156 00
Finish of stairs in wood .....	350 00
Glass panels in front doors .....	60 00
Extra timbers in drill-room roof .....	133 00
Extra targets in rifle range .....	30 00
Total .....	\$729 00

—be ordered, and regard the prices as reasonable.

Respectfully,

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner of Public Works.

The report was received and adopted with the following resolution :

Resolved, That Messrs. Mahany Brothers be authorized and directed to perform the following carpenter work in the Twelfth Regiment Armory, in accordance with the plans and specifications furnished by the architect, said work to be done at a cost to the city not to exceed \$729, in accordance with their proposition of June 12, 1885, viz. :

Twelve window frames .....	\$156 00
Finish of stairs in wood .....	350 00
Glass panels in front doors .....	60 00
Extra timbers in drill-room roof .....	133 00
Extra targets in rifle range .....	30 00
Total .....	\$729 00

The following report was then read :

NEW YORK, June 15, 1885.

## To the Armory Board :

I approve of the report of the architect requesting the following iron work for the Twelfth Regiment Armory, viz. :

Street shutters for twelve windows in drill-room .....	\$171 00
Twelve iron guards to windows .....	792 00
Total .....	\$963 00

—and find that the prices for same put in place are reasonable.

Respectfully,

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner of Public Works.

The report was received and adopted with the following resolution :

Resolved, That Messrs. A. R. Whitney & Co. be authorized and directed to perform the following iron work in the Twelfth Regiment Armory, in accordance with the plans and specifications furnished by the architect, said work to be done at a cost to the city not to exceed \$963, in accordance with their proposition of June 12, 1885, viz. :

Street shutters for twelve windows in drill-room .....	\$171 00
Twelve iron guards to windows .....	792 00
Total .....	\$963 00

The following report was then read :

NEW YORK, June 15, 1885.

## To the Armory Board :

In regard to all other work reported by the architect as necessary for the completion of the Twelfth Regiment Armory, I am of the opinion that under the law it is obligatory upon your Board to advertise for bids for same.

Respectfully,

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner of Public Works.

The report was received and adopted, and the following resolution was passed :

Resolved, That the architect is hereby instructed to prepare, without delay, detailed plans and specifications for additions to the Twelfth Regiment Armory, applied for by the regiment, and for which it is necessary to advertise for bids and proposals, and submit the same at the next meeting of the Board.

On the application of James E. Ware for partial payment of architect's fees, referred to him at the last meeting, the Commissioner of Public Works reported as follows :

NEW YORK, June 15, 1885.

## To the Armory Board :

I recommend that the request of Mr. James E. Ware, architect for the new Twelfth Regiment Armory, to be paid the sum of \$5,000 on account, be granted, and said payment made, sufficient work on said Armory and plans therefor to warrant said payment having been done.

Respectfully,

ROLLIN M. SQUIRE, Commissioner of Public Works.

The report was received and approved and the Secretary was instructed to forward the bill of \$5,000 for services of the architect to the Comptroller for payment.

The meeting then adjourned to 10 A. M., Friday, 19th instant.

(Signed.)

ALEXANDER SHALER, Secretary.

## DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS,  
COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,  
STAATS ZEITUNG BUILDING, TRYON ROW,  
NEW YORK, June 24, 1885.

At a special meeting of the Board of Taxes and Assessments, held June 22, 1885, the position of Superintendent in the Department of Taxes and Assessments, held by William Delamater, was abolished, to take effect July 1, 1885. Frank J. Bell was appointed Chief Deputy Tax Commissioner, with a salary at the rate of three thousand dollars (\$3,000) per annum, and John Connors was appointed janitor, with a salary at the rate of twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum, both of said appointments to take effect July 1, 1885.

By order of the Board,

FLOYD T. SMITH,  
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.

Resolved, That, in consideration of the extreme heat of the weather, and the fact that very little, if any business is transacted in the public offices after 12 o'clock M. on Saturdays, during the summer season, the various public offices of the city, except those specially by law required to be kept open, be closed at noon every Saturday during the months of June, July and August, 1885.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, April 20, 1885. Received from his Honor the Mayor, April 30, 1885, without his approval or objections thereto ; therefore, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, the same became adopted.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,  
Clerk Common Council.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

## Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 9 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. BABCOCK, 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. KRESE, City Hall.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

## Comptroller's Office.

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

## Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

Nos. 1 and 3 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES J. KELSO, 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. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.

## Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'OECH, 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. 11 1/2, 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 12 M.  
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-  
keeper.

## CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 12 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sun-  
days and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.  
MICHAEL J. E. 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, 10 1/2 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.  
JOHN 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, to 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 ad-  
journment.  
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to ad-  
journment.  
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to ad-  
journment.  
Part I., Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part II., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Part III., Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.  
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS,  
Jr., Chief Clerk.

## COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, May 23, 1885.

IN PURSUANCE OF THE ORDINANCE,  
approved April 30, 1877, and amended June 1, 1877,  
entitled "An ordinance to prevent the danger of hydro-  
phobia to any of the inhabitants of the City of New York,"  
notice is hereby given that all dogs found at large in the  
City of New York on and after June 1, 1885, contrary to  
such ordinance, will be seized and disposed of as provided  
therein.

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

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 20, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE  
materials and labor, and doing the work required  
for constructing a building for the Fire Department, to be  
erected on north side of Sixty-seventh street, commencing  
170 feet west of Third avenue, for Engine Company No.  
39, etc., will be received by the Board of Commissioners  
at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said  
Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City  
of New York, until 11 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, July 8,  
1885, at which time and place they will be publicly opened  
by the head of said Department and read.

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

For information as to the amount and kind of work to  
be done, bidders are referred to the specifications and  
drawings, which form part of these proposals.

The house to be completed and delivered in one hun-  
dred and ninety (90) days after the date of the contract.  
The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day  
that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time speci-  
fied for the completion thereof shall have expired, are,  
by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at  
twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

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

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

of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of  
its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it  
relates.

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

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name  
and place of residence of each of the persons making the  
same; the names of all persons interested with him or  
them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it  
shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without  
any connection with any other person making an estimate  
for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and with-  
out collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Com-  
mon 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 con-  
sent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of  
the City of New York, with their respective places of  
business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be  
awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on  
its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties  
for its faithful performance in the sum of thirty-five thousand  
dollars (\$35,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse  
to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any  
difference between the sum to which he would be entitled  
on its completion and that which the Corporation may be  
obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the con-  
tract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the  
amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimate  
oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons sign-  
ing 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 law. The  
adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be ap-  
proved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before  
the award is made and prior to the signing of the con-  
tract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by  
either a certified check upon one of the National Banks  
of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the  
Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one thousand  
seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$1,750). Such check  
or money must not be included in the sealed envelope con-  
taining the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or  
clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-  
box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until  
such check or money has been examined by said officer  
or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits,  
except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by  
himself 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 exe-  
cute 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, or 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.

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

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

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

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

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

By order of  
HENRY D. PURROY, President,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
ELWARD SMITH,  
Commissioners.  
CARL JUSSEN,  
Secretary.

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT,  
NEW YORK, June 18, 1885.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH  
of the Health Department of the City of New  
York, held at its office on the 16th day of June, 1885,  
the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law  
upon the Health Department, section 197 of the Sanitary  
Code, for the security of life and health, be and the same  
is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 197. That no live chickens, geese, ducks, or  
other fowls shall be brought into, or kept, or held, or  
offered for sale, or killed in any yard, area, cellar, coop,  
building, premises or part thereof, or on any sidewalk or  
other place within the built-up portion of the City of New  
York, except in the public markets of said city, without a  
special permit in writing from the Health Department  
and subject to the conditions thereof.

[L. S.] ALEXANDER SHALER,  
President.

EMMONS CLARK,  
Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,  
No. 301 MOTT STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 18, 1885.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR EX-  
TENSION OF SEA WALL ON NORTH  
BROTHERS ISLAND.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR EXTEN-  
sion of sea wall on North Brothers Island, City  
and County of New York, will be received by the  
Commissioners of the Health Department, at their office,  
No. 301 Mott street, until 2.30 o'clock P. M. of the 30th  
day of June, 1885, at which time and place they will  
be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

Any person making an estimate for the above work  
shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to the head  
of said Health Department, indorsed "Estimate for  
Extension of Sea Wall on North Brothers Island, City  
and County of New York," and also with the name of the  
person or persons presenting the same, and the date of  
its presentation.

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

will be required to give security for the performance of  
the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient  
sureties, each in the penal sum of \$3,000.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves by personal ex-  
amination of the location of the proposed work, and by  
such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy  
of the estimate, and shall not at any time after the sub-  
mission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the state-  
ment of quantities, nor assert that there was any misun-  
derstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the  
work to be done.

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

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

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and  
in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this  
work.

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

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

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless ac-  
companied 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 included in the sealed envelope con-  
taining the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or  
clerk of the Department who has charge of the estimate-  
box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until  
such check or money has been examined by said officer  
or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits,  
except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by  
himself 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 exe-  
cute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him  
shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New  
York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal;  
but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid,  
the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the  
Comptroller.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates,  
to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the Depart-  
ment, a copy of which, together with the form of the agree-  
ment, including specifications, and showing the manner  
of payment for the work, can be obtained upon applica-  
tion therefor at the office of the Department.

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

Plans may be examined, and specifications and blank  
forms for bids or estimates obtained, by application to the  
Secretary of the Board, at his office, No. 301 Mott street,  
New York.

ALEXANDER SHALER,  
WILLIAM JOHNSON,  
WILLIAM M. SMITH,  
STEPHEN B. FRENCH,  
Commissioners.

## BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT  
the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand  
and Elm streets, by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth  
Ward, until 9 1/2 o'clock A. M., on Wednesday, the 8th  
day of July, 1885, for Building a Vault, etc., at Grammar  
School-house No. 35, on West Thirteenth street, near  
Sixth avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM WALLACE WALKER,  
EDWARD SELL,  
DUDLEY G. GAUTIER,  
J. A. HARDENBERG,  
Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

Dated New York, June 25, 1885.

## SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED

at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of  
Grand and Elm streets, by the Committee on Normal  
College, until 4 o'clock P. M. on Monday, July 6, 1885,  
for Altering the Iron Railing, Granite Coping, Flagging,  
etc., around the Normal College buildings, on Sixty-  
eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, Lexington and Fourth  
avenues.

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

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

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

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

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

WILLIAM WOOD,  
ISAAC BELL,  
GILBERT H. CRAWFORD,  
EUGENE KELLY,  
GUSTAV S. HWAB,  
Committee on Normal College.

Dated New York, June 22, 1885.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY  
the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, at the  
Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and  
Elm streets, until Wednesday, the 1st day of July, 1885,  
and until 10 o'clock A. M., on said day, for the Furniture  
for the new addition to Grammar School No. 32 on West  
Thirty-sixth street near Ninth avenue.

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

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

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

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

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

JOHN H. TIETJEN,  
LEROY CLARK,  
JAMES J. THOMSON,  
GEORGE A. JONES,  
CHARLES CONLEY,

Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

Dated New York, June 17, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY  
the School Trustees of the Twelfth Ward, at the  
Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm  
streets, until Wednesday, the 1st day of July, 1885, and  
until 9 1/2 o'clock A. M. on said day, for the removal of  
Earth, Rock, etc., and for Grading the School Site on the  
Southeast corner of Lexington avenue and East Ninety-  
sixth street.

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

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

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

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

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

ANDREW L. SOULARD,  
JOHN WHALEN,  
GEO. W. DEBEVOISE,  
DAVID H. KNAPP,

Board of School Trustees, Twelfth Ward.

Dated New York, June 16, 1885.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED  
by the Board of School Trustees of the Sixth  
Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146  
Grand street, until 9 1/2 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, June  
30, 1885, for a new Steam-heating Apparatus for Gram-  
mar School No. 23, located at Nos. 34-38 City Hall  
place; also for Primary School No. 8, located at Nos. 62  
and 64 Mott street.

JOHN F. WHALEN, Chairman.  
PETER KRAEGER, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Sixth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School  
Trustees of the Seventh Ward, until 10 o'clock A. M., on  
the day and at the place before named, for a new Steam-  
heating Apparatus for Grammar School building No. 31,  
located at No. 200 Monroe street.

WILLIAM H. TOWNLEY, Chairman,  
JAMES W. McBARRON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventh Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School  
Trustees of the Tenth Ward, until 10 1/2 o'clock A. M., on  
the day and at the place before named, for Altering,  
Repairing, etc., the steam-heating apparatus in Grammar  
School No. 75, in Norfolk street, between Grand and  
Hester street.

JOHN C. CLEGG, Chairman.  
PATRICK CARROLL, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Tenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School  
Trustees of the Thirteenth Ward, until 11 o'clock A. M.,  
on the day and at the place before named, for Altering,  
Improving, etc., the steam-heating apparatus in Gram-  
mar School No. 34, on Broome street, near Sheriff street.

GEORGE W. RELYEA, Chairman.  
EDWARD McCUE, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Thirteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received until 11 1/2 o'clock  
A. M., on the day and at the place before named, by the  
School Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward, for a new Steam-  
heating Apparatus for Grammar School No. 21, at  
No. 55 Marion street.

JOHN D. KINNER, Chairman.  
HENRY IDEN, Jr., Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received until 1 o'clock  
P. M., on the day and at the place before named, by the  
School Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, for a new Steam-  
heating Apparatus for Grammar School No. 11, on West  
Seventeenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

GEO. W. VAN SICLEN, Chairman.  
HENRY L. SPRAGUE, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School  
Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward for a New Steam-  
heating Apparatus for Primary School No. 26, on  
Twelfth street, near Avenue B, and for Altering and  
Enlarging the steam-heating apparatus in Primary  
School No. 9, at No. 42 First street, until 1 1/2 o'clock P.  
M., on the day and at the place before named.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman.  
CHARLES MIEHLING, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.



Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward until 2 o'clock P. M., on the day and at the place before named, for a New Steam-heating Apparatus for Grammar School No. 82, in course of erection corner of Seventieth street and First avenue.

ABRAHAM DOWDNEY, Chairman,  
JOSEPH KOCH, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward, until 2½ o'clock P. M., on the day and at the place before named, for Altering, etc., the steam-heating apparatus in Grammar School No. 33, on West Twenty-eighth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues. Also for Steam-heating Apparatus for the addition to Grammar School No. 32 in West Thirty-sixth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

JOHN H. TIETJEN, Chairman,  
LE ROY CLARK, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, until 3 o'clock P. M., on the day and at the place before named, for a new Steam-heating Apparatus for Grammar School No. 67, at Nos. 225 and 227 West Forty-first street.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,  
RICHARD S. TRACY, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

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

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

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

The Trustees of the several Wards named, reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

Dated New York, June 16, 1885.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until 1.30 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, June 30, 1885, for Repairs and Painting at Primary School No. 26, on East Twelfth street, near Avenue B.

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

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

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

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

HIRAM MERRITT,  
HENRY ALLEN,  
HENRY MAURER,  
GEORGE H. BEYER,  
CHARLES MIEHLING,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.

Dated, New York, June 16, 1885.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the School Trustees of the Twenty-first Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until 9.30 o'clock A. M., on Monday, June 29, 1885, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 14, on East Twenty-seventh street near Second avenue.

LOUIS SCHULTZ, M. D., Chairman,  
E. ELLERY ANDERSON, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-first Ward.

Dated New York, June 15, 1885.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Twenty-second Ward, on the day and at the place before named, until 10 o'clock A. M., for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 58, on West Fifty-second street, near Eighth avenue.

JAMES R. CUMING, Chairman,  
RICHARD S. TRACY, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-second Ward.

Dated New York, June 15, 1885.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Twenty-third Ward, on the day and at the place before named, until 10½ o'clock A. M., for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 60, on College avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

Sealed proposals will also be received at the same time and place for Repairs and Painting at Primary School No. 44, on Concord avenue, corner of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street.

WILLIAM R. BEAL, Chairman,  
ALVAH TROWBRIDGE, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twenty-third Ward.

Dated New York, June 15, 1885.

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

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

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The Trustees of the Wards named reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

**SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED BY** the School Trustees of the Thirtieth Ward, at the Hall of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until 9½ A. M., on Thursday, June 25, 1885, at the place before named, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 34, on Broome street, near Willet street.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for New Furniture and Repairs of Furniture for said school.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Primary School No. 20, on Broome street, near Clinton street.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for New Furniture and Repairs of Furniture for said school.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Primary School No. 40, on Norfolk street, near Rivington street.

GEORGE W. RELYEA, Chairman,  
EDWARD McCUE, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Thirtieth Ward.

Dated New York, June 11, 1885.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Fourteenth Ward until 10 o'clock A. M., at the place and on the day before named, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 5 on Mott street, near Prince street.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 21, on Marion street, near Prince street.

JOHN D. KINNER, Chairman,  
HENRY IDEN, Jr., Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fourteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, June 11, 1885.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Fifteenth Ward until 10½ o'clock A. M., at the place and on the day before named, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 10, on Wooster street, near Bleeker street.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 35, on West Thirtieth street, near Sixth avenue.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for New Furniture and Repairs of Furniture for said school.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 47, on East Twelfth street, near University place.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for New Furniture and Repairs of Furniture for said school.

W. WALLACE WALKER, D. D. S.,  
JOHN A. HARDENBERG,  
Chairman,  
Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Fifteenth Ward.

Dated, New York, June 11, 1885.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Sixteenth Ward, until 11 o'clock A. M., at the place and on the day before named, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 11, on West Seventeenth street, near Eighth avenue.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 45, on West Twenty-fourth street, near Eighth avenue.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for New Furniture for said school.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 56, on West Eighteenth street, near Ninth avenue.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Furniture at said school.

GEORGE W. VAN SICLEN, Chairman,  
HENRY L. SPRAGUE, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, June 11, 1885.

Sealed proposals will be received by the School Trustees of the Seventeenth Ward until 3 o'clock P. M., at the place and on the day before named, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 13, on East Houston street, near Essex street.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 19, on East Fourteenth street, near First avenue.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 25, on Fifth street, near First avenue.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 29, on First street, near Second avenue.

HIRAM MERRITT, Chairman,  
CHARLES MIEHLING, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Seventeenth Ward.  
Dated New York, June 11, 1885.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Eighteenth Ward, until 3½ o'clock P. M., at the place and on the day before named, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 40, on East Twenty-third street, near Second avenue.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for the Furniture Work for said school.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 50, on East Twentieth street, near Third avenue.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for the Furniture Work for said school.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Primary School No. 28, on East Twentieth street, near Second avenue, and for Repairs and Painting at Primary School No. 29, on East Nineteenth street, near First avenue.

JOHN F. TROW, Chairman,  
HENRY R. BEEKMAN, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Eighteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, June 11, 1885.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Nineteenth Ward until 4 o'clock P. M., at the place and on the day before named, for New Furniture and Repairs of Furniture for Grammar School No. 18, on East Fifty-first street, near Fourth avenue.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 53, on East Seventy-ninth street, near Third avenue.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Furniture Work at said school.

Separate sealed proposals will also be received, at the same time and place, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 59, on East Fifty-seventh street, near Second avenue, and for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 74, on East Sixty-third street, near Third avenue.

Sealed proposals will also be received, at the time and place before named, for New Furniture for Grammar School No. 82, on First avenue, corner of East Seventieth street.

ABRAHAM DOWDNEY, Chairman,  
JOSEPH KOCH, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Nineteenth Ward.  
Dated New York, June 11, 1885.

Sealed proposals will also be received by the School Trustees of the Twentieth Ward until 4½ o'clock P. M., at the place and on the day before named, for Repairs and Painting at Grammar School No. 26, on West Thirtieth street, near Sixth avenue.

JOHN H. TIETJEN, Chairman,  
LE ROY CLARK, Secretary,  
Board of School Trustees, Twentieth Ward.  
Dated New York, June 11, 1885.

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

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

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

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

The Trustees of the several wards named reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals submitted.

Dated New York, June 11, 1885.

## 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 1793, No. 1. Sewer in Fourth avenue, east side, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets.

List 2049, No. 2. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging Eighty-third street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

List 2147, No. 3. Regulating and grading, setting curbs and flagging One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Madison to Sixth avenue.

List 2148, No. 4. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundredth street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

List 2162, No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on the corners of New Chambers and Chestnut streets.

List 2163, No. 6. Fencing vacant lots on the northeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-second street and Fourth avenue.

List 2164, No. 7. Fencing vacant lots on the southwest corner of Eightieth street and Fourth avenue.

List 2165, No. 8. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from St. Nicholas to Eighth avenue.

List 2167, No. 9. Paving One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

List 2169, No. 10. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Third to Madison avenue.

List 2174, No. 11. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

List 2176, No. 12. Fencing vacant lot No. 541 West Fiftieth street.

List 2178, No. 13. Regulating and grading, setting curbs and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-second street, Madison to Fourth avenue.

List 2181, No. 14. Flagging south side of Fifty-seventh street, between Madison and Fifth avenues.

List 2182, No. 15. Fencing on block bounded by Eighth avenue, St. Nicholas avenue, One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets.

List 2183, No. 16. Flagging east side of Eleventh avenue, between Thirty-eighth and Fortieth streets.

List 2184, No. 17. Fencing vacant lots on west side of Public Drive or Boulevard, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

List 2191, No. 18. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging Ninety-eighth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue.

List No. 2192, No. 19. Flagging on both sides of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Seventh to One Hundred and Tenth street.

List 2200, No. 20. Paving Eightieth street, from Madison to Fourth avenue.

List 2202, No. 21. Fencing vacant lots Nos. 114 and 116 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

List 2223, No. 22. Fencing vacant lot on northwest corner of Lexington avenue and Eighty-seventh street.

List 2204, No. 23. Flagging sidewalk, east side of Boulevard, from Sixty-seventh to Seventy-fifth street.

List 2205, No. 24. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from First to Second avenue.

List 2209, No. 25. Paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Seventh avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

List 2210, No. 26. Regulating and grading, curbing and flagging, One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

List 2223, No. 27. Flagging the centre of the eastern sidewalk a space four feet wide, in St. Ann's avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to the Southern Boulevard.

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

No. 1. East side of Fourth avenue, between Eighty-second and Eighty-third streets.

No. 2. Both sides of Eighty-third street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Madison to Sixth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundredth street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Corner of New Chambers and Chestnut streets.

No. 6. Northeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-second street and Fourth avenue.

No. 7. Southwest corner of Eightieth street and Fourth avenue.

No. 8. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, from St. Nicholas to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 9. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-first street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-third street, from Third to Madison avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Seventh to Eighth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 12. Vacant lot Number 541 West Fiftieth street.

No. 13. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Madison to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 14. South side of Fifty-seventh street, from Madison to Fifth avenues.

No. 15. Block bounded by Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas, One Hundred and Twenty-sixth and One Hundred and Twenty-seventh streets.

No. 16. East side of Eleventh avenue, from Thirty-eighth to Fortieth street.

No. 17. West side of Boulevard, from One Hundred and Twenty-eighth to One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street.

No. 18. Both sides of Ninety-eighth street, from Fourth to Fifth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 19. Flagging both sides of Tenth avenue, from One Hundred and Seventh to One Hundred and Tenth street.

No. 20. Both sides of Eightieth street, from Madison to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 21. Nos. 114 and 116 East One Hundred and Twenty-third street.

No. 22. Northwest corner of Lexington avenue and Eighty-seventh street.

No. 23. East side of Boulevard, from Sixty-seventh to Seventy-fifth street.

No. 24. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 25. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Seventh avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 26. Both sides of One Hundred and Twentieth street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 27. East side of St. Ann's avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street to Southern Boulevard.

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 7th day of July 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, June 5, 1885.

## FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

**NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS IN THE CITY OF 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 was 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, and which was postponed until Monday, May 25, 1885, has been and is again postponed until Wednesday, November 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, Room 31, Stewart Building.

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, May 22, 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.

## 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 1857, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

EDWARD V. LOEW,  
Comptroller.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

## TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, IRON, TIN, LIME, CEMENT, AND LUMBER.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING**

GROCERIES.  
5,000 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition  
15,000 pounds Oatmeal (including packages).  
15,000 pounds Rice (including packages).  
50,000 pounds Brown Sugar.  
500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.  
10 barrels first quality Sal Soda, to average about 350 pounds each (in original packages).  
30 dozen Canned Corn.  
15 dozen Chow Chow, pints.  
200 bushels Peas (including packages).  
100 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds each.  
100 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed 3 pounds and weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.  
500 bales long bright Rye Straw, tare and weight same as on hay.  
2,800 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

DRY GOODS.  
100 dozen Women's Stockings.  
24 dozen Dust Brushes.  
10 dozen Window Brushes.



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 his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same, 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, June 20, 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,  
NEW YORK, June 17, 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 Fourth District Prison, Fifty-seventh street—Michael Killoran; aged 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high. Had on dark clothing, black Derby hat, gaiters.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Margaret Brady; aged 31 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on when admitted black dress and sash, brown hat.

Raphael Thombolli; aged 62 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on when admitted gray pants, colored shirt, black Derby hat.

At Penitentiary, Blackwell's Island—Cosmos Koehler; aged 50 years; 5 feet 2½ inches high; brown hair; gray eyes. Had on when received black coat, gray striped pants, blue dotted vest, Derby hat, gaiters.

Patrick O'Floerty; aged 22 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark hair; gray eyes. Had on when received black coat, brown pants, striped vest, gray shirt, brogan shoes, cap.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Emma Henzey; aged 25 years. Admitted December 25, 1884.

Mary Williamson; aged 26 years. Committed June 1, 1885.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Wards Island—Ann Landburn; aged 48 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted black skirt and sash, broche shawl, blue hood.

Thomas Logan; aged 37 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted dark suit clothes, blue jumper, brogan shoes, cloth cap.

Elizabeth Fisher; aged 49 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; hazel eyes; brown hair.

Patrick Callahan; aged 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted gray coat, dark striped pants, blue jumper, laced shoes, brogan cap.

Alfred Kerschner; aged 42 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted gray coat, dark striped pants, laced shoes, Derby hat.

At Hart's Island Hospital—Margaret Finley; aged 54 years; admitted October 16, 1884.

Kate Sheridan; aged 58 years; admitted May 1, 1885. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.  
G. F. BRITTON  
Secretary.

## 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. PARKER,  
Secretary.

## THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A STATED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at "The Academy of Music," corner of Fourteenth street and Irving place, on Thursday, June 25, 1885, at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

LAWRENCE D. KIERNAN,  
Secretary.  
Dated New York, June 18, 1885.

## PUBLIC POUND.

NEW YORK, June 23, 1885.  
A BAY HORSE, FIFTEEN HANDS HIGH, TWO white hind feet, white star on forehead, blind one eye, to be sold from the Public Pound, on Saturday, 27th inst., at 10 o'clock, for expenses, if not called for by the owner.

DAVID MCMAHON,  
Pound-keeper,  
Ninety-third street & Second avenue.

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,  
ROOM 6, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,  
NEW YORK, June 19, 1885.

## TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder endorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., Thursday, June 25, 1885, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department and read for the following:

No. 1. LAYING WATER-MAINS IN FORDHAM, PELHAM, MADISON, RIVERDALE, EAGLE, WALTON, NINTH, SEVENTH, BAILEY, ST. ANN'S AND CRESTIN AVENUES, AND IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, BROADWAY, CHURCH, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH, AND SIXTY-EIGHTH STREETS, AND IN RIVERSIDE DRIVE.

No. 2. LAYING WATER-MAINS IN TIEBOUT, GERARD, HULL, ANTHONY, FLEETWOOD AND MORRIS AVENUES, AND IN ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-SIXTH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST, ONE HUNDREDTH, NINETY-FIFTH, SIXTY-SIXTH, SUMMIT, ANTHONY AND ROCKFIELD STREETS, AND IN KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, SOUTHERN BOULEVARD AND WASHINGTON PLACE.

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 refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled upon its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person to whom the contract shall be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested.

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above 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, 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, 1883, all extra charges, such as steam-engines, bakeries, barbers, bathing-tubs, boarding-houses, boarding-schools, building purposes, horses, horse-troughs, 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 Arraers, with the amount due on each lot.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,  
Commissioner of Public Works.

## SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of said City, relative to the opening of Lexington avenue, from Ninety-seventh street to One Hundred and Second street, in the Twelfth Ward of 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 26th day of June, 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 Commonality 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 Lexington avenue, from Ninety-seventh street to One Hundred and Second street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York, being the following-described lots or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Ninety-seventh street, distant 420 feet westerly from the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said avenue 201 feet 10 inches to the southerly line of Ninety-eighth street; thence westerly and along said line 75 feet; thence southerly 201 feet 10 inches to the northerly line of Ninety-seventh street; thence easterly along said line 75 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of Ninety-eighth street distant 420 feet westerly from the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said avenue 463 feet 8 inches to the southerly line of One Hundredth street; thence westerly and along said line 75 feet; thence southerly 463 feet 8 inches to the northerly line of Ninety-eighth street; thence easterly and along said line 75 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundredth street distant 420 feet westerly from the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said avenue 201 feet 10 inches to the southerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence westerly and along said line 75 feet; thence southerly 201 feet 10 inches to the northerly line of One Hundredth street; thence easterly and along said line 75 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Also, beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and First street distant 420 feet westerly from the westerly line of Third avenue; thence northerly and parallel with said avenue 201 feet 10 inches to the southerly line of One Hundred and Second street; thence westerly and along said line 75 feet; thence southerly 201 feet 10 inches to the northerly line of One Hundred and First street; thence easterly and along said line 75 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said avenue to be 75 feet wide between the lines of Ninety-seventh and One Hundred and Second streets.

Dated New York, May 28, 1885.  
E. HENRY LACOMBE,  
Counsel to the Corporation,  
2 Tryon Row, New York City

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality 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 Commonality 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'BRYEN,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

## AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

COMMISSIONERS OF APPRAISAL OF REAL ESTATE TO BE TAKEN FOR THE NEW AQUEDUCT WITHIN THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK.

EVERY OWNER OR PERSON IN ANY WAY interested in any real estate between the Harlem river and the northern boundary of the City and County of New York, intended to be taken or entered upon and used and occupied for the purposes of the new Aqueduct; also any owner or person interested in any real estate contiguous thereto, and which may be affected by the construction and maintenance of said aqueduct, or of any 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 office 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, 1884. The maps showing the location of the Aqueduct, 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.

## THE CITY RECORD.

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

## ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT A MEETING of the Commissioners under the act, chapter 550 of the Laws of 1880, entitled "An act relating to certain assessments for local improvements in the City of New York," passed June 9, 1880, will be held at their office, No. 27 Chambers street, on Friday, June 26, 1885, at 2 o'clock P. M.

DANIEL LORD, JR.,  
JOHN KELLY,  
ALLAN CAMPBELL,  
JOSEPH GARRY,  
JOHN W. MARSHALL,  
Commissioners under the Act.

JAMES J. MARTIN, Clerk.

## JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,  
CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 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 me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered (in person, if possible, and at this office only) under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption, if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., No attention paid to letters.

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

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

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

CHARLES REILLY,  
Commissioner of Jurors.