

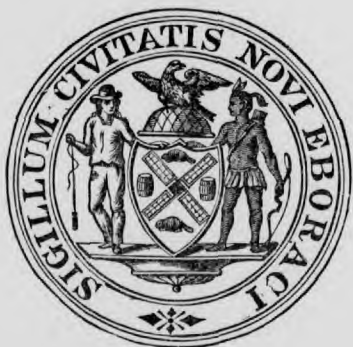
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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,
SEPTEMBER 2, 1885.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy, Commissioners Richard Croker and Elward Smith.

Trial.

Fireman, Second Grade, Patrick H. Mullane, of Engine 26, charged with "conduct prejudicial to the good order, reputation and discipline of the Department," "absence without leave," and "incapacity for duty." Found guilty, and dismissed the service of the Department from the 3d instant.

Fireman, First Grade, Samuel T. Warten, of Engine 18, charged with "absence without leave," and "deception." Found guilty, and fined three days' pay.

Fireman, First Grade, Laurence Reynolds; Firemen, Second Grade, Henry W. Hoburg, Lawrence McKenna; Fireman, First Grade, James Fitzsimmons, all of Engine 18, charged with "tampering with journal." Evidence taken and sentence suspended pending report by Chief of Department.

Bills and Pay-rolls.

—audited and ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

On 31st ultimo:

Schedule No. 43, of 1885.

Extra Telegraph Force, pay-roll for August—Apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$1,570 44
Headquarters " " Salaries.	3,502 14
Attorney to the Fire Department, pay-roll for August—Salaries.	333 33
Telegraph Force, " " " "	1,772 08
Repair Shops, " " " "	4,370 79
Bureau of Combustibles, " " " "	834 16
Bureau of Inspector of Buildings, " " " "	5,216 27
" " " " No. 2, " " " "	416 66
Bureau of Fire Marshal, " " " "	574 99
Hospital Stables, " " " "	410 00
Chief of Department, " " " "	3,433 30
Engine and Hook and Ladder Co's, " " " "	91,898 66
Ununiformed Firemen's " " " "	1,627 34
	<u>\$115,960 17</u>

On 2d instant:

Schedule No. 44 of 1885.

Collins & Nuttall, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$4 00
Philip Duffey, " " " "	30 00
P. H. Duffy & Son, " " " "	180 00
Joseph W. Duryee, " " " "	28 25
Wm. D. Findley, " " " "	92 60
Frost & Wood, " " " "	98 50
A. J. Holmes, " " " "	18 00
C. H. Jones & Co., " " " "	51 50
Kelly Bros., " " " "	30 00
John Lee, " " " "	297 00
E. R. Merrill, " " " "	23 15
John Moonan, " " " "	830 48
" " " " " "	780 33
" " " " " "	378 93
Alfred Nugent, New Houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies.	4,079 10
W. A. Ohlsen, apparatus, supplies, etc.	253 00
John Teyser, " " " "	61 33
John J. Quinn, " " " "	30 00
John R. Shields, " " " "	70 40
N. J. Smith, " " " "	37 00
Swan & Finck, " " " "	96 00
George Teasdale, " " " "	65 00
	<u>\$7,534 57</u>

Appointments

—from 8 o'clock A. M. on the 4th instant:

Martin V. Stokes, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 4.
Charles H. Stone, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 5.
Gustave G. Nagel, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 7.
Clarence E. McNeille, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 11.
Edward Gibbons, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 12.
John H. Byrne, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 17.
Patrick J. Brennan, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 18.
Walter R. Ostrander, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 18.
James Ryan, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 18.
William H. Bouton, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Hook and Ladder 8.
Anthony Malloy, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Hook and Ladder 3.
Adam J. Bollenbacher, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 29.
James Malone, to be Fireman, Third Grade, and assigned to Engine 29.
John B. Conlon, to be Fireman, Third Grade, assigned to Engine 29.
George J. Boles, to be Fireman, Third Grade, assigned to Hook and Ladder 10.
Richard W. Callaghan, to be Fireman, Third Grade, assigned to Engine 31.
James Conway, to be Fireman, Third Grade, assigned to Engine 32.
Otto C. Rigel, to be Fireman, Third Grade, assigned to Engine 33.
Edward J. Fagan, to be Fireman, Third Grade, assigned to Hook and Ladder 1.
Patrick H. Aspell, to be Fireman, Third Grade, assigned Hook and Ladder 9.
William Harrigan, to be Fireman, Third Grade, assigned to Hook and Ladder 10.
John T. Murphy, to be Fireman, Third Grade, assigned to Hook and Ladder 15.

A. B. Marshall and William J. Martin, to be Inspectors in the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, at \$1,100 per annum, respectively.

Anson D. Hartwell, to be Typewriter in this Department, subject to the Civil Service regulations and referred to the Civil Service examiners.

Promotions

—ordered from the 4th instant:

Fireman, Second Grade, George C. Rand, Hook and Ladder 5, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer, at \$1,100 per annum, and assigned to Engine 17.

Fireman, Third Grade, Samuel Roxbury, Hook and Ladder, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer, at \$1,100 per annum, and assigned to Engine 17.

Fireman, First Grade, George W. Greer, Engine 26, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer, at \$1,250 per annum, and assigned to Engine 54.

Fireman, Second Grade, Richard Gorman, Hook and Ladder 4, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer, at \$1,100 per annum, and assigned to Engine 54.

Fireman, First Grade, James Clare, Engine 40, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer, at \$1,250 per annum, and assigned to Engine 47.

Fireman, First Grade, Marks Arkison, Hook and Ladder 17, to be Assistant Engineer of Steamer, at \$1,250 per annum, and assigned to Engine 38.

The action of the President, in the following matters, was approved:

Ordering the discharge of Machinist Edward Riley, in the Repair Shops, from 5 P. M., on August 26, 1885.

Appointing Robert Christie as Blacksmith in the Repair Shops, at \$3 per day, from August 27, 1885.

Awarding contract for the erection of a new house for quarters of Engine Company No. 39, to James H. Brady, on return of proposal from the Finance Department, with sureties approved.

Requisitions, etc.

From—

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—For plumbing work at quarters of Engine 52, \$47.

Ordered.

Supply Clerk—For purchase of twelve scaling ladders, \$4c8. Ordered

Same—For articles for Repair Shops, \$240, \$644, and for Superintendent of Telegraph, \$362.

Ordered.

Foreman in charge of Stables—For a horse for Repair Shops and one for Engine No. 28.

Selection ordered.

Communications.

On the reports of examinations by the Medical Officers the following-named were by unanimous vote retired from all service, to take effect from the 3d instant:

Assistant Foreman Matthew D. Conry, Engine 47, on \$650 per annum, payable monthly.

Engineer of Steamer Albert Stillwell, Engine 5, on 650 per annum, payable monthly.

Fireman, First Grade, Paul Schuck, Engine 40; Henry Springsteen, Engine 19; James McManus, Hook and Ladder 3, and David H. Soden, Engine 11, on \$600 per annum, payable monthly.

From—

Superintendent of Buildings—Submitting for approval regulations for the inspection of passenger elevators. Referred to Chairman Committee on Buildings and Supplies.

Foreman Engine 39—Relative to vacating quarters and to temporary location of quarters. Referred to Assistant Chief of Department.

Comptroller—Requesting Departmental Estimate for 1886. Filed.

Mayors Office—Notification of transmittal of resolution directing the removal of iron bell-tower at No. 253 Spring street to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. Filed.

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—Reporting north and east walls of extension at quarters Engine 30, unsafe, with specifications of mason work, etc., required. Referred back for estimate of cost.

Inspector of Combustibles—Reporting violations of law. Referred back, with directions to enforce collection of penalties.

Same—Reporting seizure of forty-six cases of blasting powder illegally stowed. Filed.

Attorney—Recommending filing and dismissal of fire escape case No. 1472, of 1885, returned therewith. Ordered, and referred to Superintendent of Buildings.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Recommending the placing of additional street-boxes at locations designated. Ordered.

Same—Report on communication from Department of Public Charities and Correction, requesting transfer of wires on Ward's Island. Filed.

Comptroller—Notices of endorsement by Comptroller of contracts of John Moonan, for furnishing forage above and below Fifty-ninth street. Filed.

Foreman Engine 29—Reporting death of Fireman, Third Grade, Thomas Dunleary, of that company, on August 25. Filed.

Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder 14—Reporting death of Fireman, First Grade, Michael Daily, of that company, on August 19. Filed.

Assistant Foreman Engine 18—Reporting death on August 21, of Assistant Engineer of Steamer James Scott, retired from all service in the Department. Filed.

Assistant Foreman Engine 8—Reporting death of Fireman, First Grade, John Ennis, and injuries received by Fireman, First Grade, Andrew McDevill, of that Company, while in discharge of duty on August 29.

Chief of Department—Report on condition and serviceableness of the Harkness fire extinguishers and knapsack respirator on trial in the Department. Filed.

Same—Reporting distribution of cards, showing location of fire-alarm boxes complete. Filed.

Same—Recommending that fire-hydrants be placed at places designated. Filed, with directions to communicate with Department of Public Works.

Finance Department—Weekly statement of the condition of the appropriation. Filed.

Foreman in charge of Stables—Reports selection and recommends purchase of horse for Engine 9, estimated cost \$300. Ordered.

Same—Reporting death of horse No. 222. Filed.

Fireman, Second Grade, Francis J. Quinn, Engine 29—Applying for promotion to the position of Assistant Engineer of Steamer. Laid over.

Chief of Twelfth Battalion—Report of investigation into death of horse No. 222. Referred back for report as to whether horse was properly driven.

Assistant Foreman Training Stables—Weekly reports of operations. Filed.

Clerk William Sauer, Bureau of Inspection of Buildings—Applying for leave of absence for twenty days, from the 7th instant. Filed and denied.

Superintendent of Buildings—Reporting Examiner Patrick Cuff, found qualified for the position of Inspector of Buildings. Laid over.

Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder 19—Report of removal of powder seized, from Morris Dock to powder-boat in Harlem river. Filed.

John Brennan, No. 479 East One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street—Claim against Department for damages to light wagon. Filed.

Huebsch & Freyberger, Joseph Davis, Andrews, Prudy & Donohue, A. G. Smith—Claims against members of the Department. Filed, with directions to notify.

C. W. Compton—Invitation to witness trial of an engine on the 3d instant. Filed.

Civil Service Examining Board—Submitting names on eligible list for the position of Inspector of Buildings. Filed.

George Holman and Christopher Mitchell—Notices of claims against contractor Alfred Nugent and filing of mechanic's liens against new quarters for Engine 45. Referred to the Bookkeeper.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

SEPTEMBER 9, 1885.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioner Elward Smith.

Investigation of complaints against Stokers Thomas B. Leonard and Christopher Iles, Engine 43. Restored to pay and duty from 12th instant.

Trial.

Fireman, Third Grade, Peter H. Ward, Engine 39, charged with "violation of sec. 4 Par. III, G. O. No. 20, O. B. C., of 1881." Found guilty, and fined three days' pay.

Fireman, Second Grade, Wm. J. Armstrong, Engine 31, charged with "absence without leave." Found guilty, and fined three days' pay.

Assistant Foreman, Michael McEvoy, Hook and Ladder 3, charged with "neglect of duty." Found not guilty.

Fireman, Third Grade, James Dunn, Engine 1, charged with being "under the influence of liquor." Found guilty, and fined ten days' pay.

Fireman, First Grade, William E. Miller, Engine 40, charged with "absence without leave." Laid over and referred to the Medical Officer for investigation and report.

Resolution

Whereas, The amendment to section 503, chapter 410, of the Laws of 1885, by section 31, chapter 456, of the Laws of 1885, increases the expenditures from the appropriation for "Contingencies Bureau of Inspection of Buildings" beyond the amount provided for the current year; therefore,

Resolved, That the Board of Estimate and Apportionment be and is hereby requested to authorize the transfer of one thousand dollars from the appropriation "Salaries, Bureau of Inspection of Buildings Pay-roll" for this Department for the current year, the same being in excess of the amount now required therefor, to the appropriation "Contingencies, Bureau of Inspection of Buildings" for this Department for the current year, for which the same is required.

Bills

—audited and ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment, on 8th instant:

Schedule No. 45, of 1885.

Charles Berger, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$42 00
William Conlin, "	55 87
Cleary & Donnelly, "	21 00
Jeremiah Dean, "	21 00
Donoghue Bros., "	6 00
James Dowd, "	12 00
John G. Dunn, "	18 00
Owen Fallon, "	72 00
John Fitzpatrick, "	36 00
C. Fox, "	24 00
John A. Hassler, "	12 00
Dennis Hayes, "	12 00
John Hayes, "	24 00
Thomas J. Gallon, "	33 00
Bernard Kenny, "	42 00
Bernard Kiernan, "	42 00
John Lally, "	70 00
Lattimore & Dougherty, "	27 00
G. A. Leighton, "	9 00
Andrew Logan, "	9 00
J. J. Mackey, "	30 00
Joseph Malloy, "	6 38
P. Malone, "	21 00
Edward Moffit, "	39 00
John McAvoy, "	15 00
Patrick McCann, "	27 00
Chas. McFarrell, "	18 00
Patrick McKenna, "	12 00
William McKenna, "	51 00
McKenna & Carleton, "	18 00
John McNally, "	15 00
Adam Nimphius, "	24 00
D. Pollard, "	21 00
Patrick Quilty, "	48 00
James Roche, "	21 00
Matthew Walsh, "	27 00
	\$981 25

On the 9th instant:

Schedule No. 46, for 1885.

John Banta, Contingencies—Bureau Inspection of Buildings	\$40 00
Consolidated Gas Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	642 90
Edwin Dobbs, Contingencies—Bureau Inspection Buildings	40 00
Wm. J. Fryer, Jr., "	40 00
Carl Jussen, apparatus, supplies, etc.	29 36
N. Le Brun, Contingencies—Bureau Inspection Buildings	30 00
Mittnacht's Eagle Safe Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	270 00
Henry A. Oakley, Contingencies—Bureau Inspection Buildings	10 00
Cornelius O'Reilly, "	30 00
Peter Seery, apparatus, supplies, etc.	42 85
G. H. Sheldon, "	20 51
J. Elliott Smith, "	36 34
George Teasdale, "	45 00
D. D. A. Wortendyke & Son, apparatus, supplies, etc.	19 07
	\$1,296 03

Schedule No. 89, of 1884.

James Duffy, New Houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies	\$21,682 44
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Requisitions, etc.

From—	
Secretary, incidental expenses, August, September and October	600 00
Inspector of Combustibles, incidental expenses, August, September and October	225 00
Fire Marshal, "	90 00
Superintendent of Buildings, "	225 00
Attorney, "	500 00
Superintendent of Telegraph, "	255 00
Supply Clerk, "	115 00
Repair Shops, "	75 00
Stables, "	60 00

Referred to the Bookkeeper.

Assistant Chief of Department—Recommending selection and renting of part of stable at No. 439 East Sixty-eighth street, at \$83.33 per month, for temporary quarters of Engine 39. Filed, and the following adopted:

Resolved, That the selection of temporary quarters for Engine 39, at 439 East Sixty-eighth street, be approved, and that the sum of eighty-three and 33-100 dollars per month for rent of same for the remainder of the current year from the 1st instant be and hereby is appropriated.

From—

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—For repairs, as follows:	
Carpenter work, Hook and Ladder 15	Estimated cost \$990 00
Carpenter work, Engine 41	460 00
Carpenter work, Hook and Ladder 3	227 00
Mason work, Engine 30	235 00
Mason work, Engine 24	40 00
Plumbing work, Engine 28	73 00
Plumbing work, Hook and Ladder 17	70 00
Plumbing work, Engine 32	13 00
Plumbing work, Training Stables	11 00
Plumbing work, Hook and Ladder 10	9 00
Plumbing work, Hospital Stables	7 00
Tinsmith work, Engine 44	55 00
Tinsmith work, Mt. Morris Bell Tower	20 00
Iron work, Hook and Ladder 9	37 00
Removing soil from sink, Engine 52	15 00

Ordered.

Foreman in charge of Stables—Report of selection recommending purchase of horse for Engine 12; estimate of cost \$300. Ordered.

Same—Requisition for horse for Engine 28; estimate of cost \$300. Selection ordered.

Finance Department—Weekly statement of the condition of the appropriation. Filed.

Same—Receipts for security deposits accompanying proposals opened on the 19th ultimo. Filed.

Same—Notification of indorsement by Comptroller of James H. Brady's contract for quarters Engine 39, etc. Filed.

Communications.

From—

Chairman Committee on Buildings and Supplies—Report on form of regulations for the inspection of passenger elevators. Approved, with directions to return to Superintendent of Buildings.

Assistant Chief of Department—Report on cause of breaking of ladder of Hook and Ladder 12, while responding to an alarm from Station No. 356 on 3d instant. Referred back for recommendations to prevent recurrence.

Chief of Seventh Battalion—Reporting breaking of ladder, and injuries to members of Hook and Ladder 12, while responding to an alarm from Station No. 356 on 3d instant. Filed.

Same—Report of rescues by Fireman, Third Grade, Luke Clayton, Engine 18, at fire at No. 236 West Nineteenth street, on 3d instant. Filed, with directions to enter on the Roll of Merit.

Assistant Foreman Hook and Ladder 12—Report of voluntary service by Fireman, Second Grade, John R. Krowl, of his command, at fire at No. 236 West Nineteenth street, on 3d instant. Filed, with directions to enter on the Roll of Merit.

Bobella Hazen—Commending members of Hook and Ladder 12 for rescue of herself and husband at fire at No. 236 West Nineteenth street, on 3d instant. Filed.

James Butler—Commending the Department for its services at fire at No. 236 West Nineteenth street, on 3d instant. Filed.

James Pollock and others—Commending members of Department and citizens for services at fire at No. 236 West Nineteenth street, on 3d instant. Filed.

Instructor School of Instruction—Report of members relieved from attendance. Filed.

Second Assistant Chief of Department—Reporting want of telegraphic communication from Eighth Avenue Pavilion Museum. Referred to Superintendent of Telegraph.

Chief of Fourth Battalion—Report of rescue from drowning by Fireman, First Grade, Thomas F. Freel, of Engine 43, at Pier 48, East river, on 4th instant. Filed, with directions to enter on Roll of Merit.

Foreman Hook and Ladder 9—Report of accident to apparatus while returning from fire at Nos. 459-465 Cherry street. Filed.

Fireman, First Grade, James C. Brogan, Engine 9—Application to become a member of the Life Saving Corps. Filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—Report of issue of licenses and permits. Filed.

Otto C. Rigl—Tender of resignation as Machinist in Repair Shops. Accepted, and filed, with directions to notify Foreman in charge of Repair Shops of appointment as ununiformed fireman from 5th instant.

John H. Strahan and Chas. P. Miller, of Counsel for Senate Committee—Copy of resolution passed on 7th instant by the Senate Investigating Committee, requesting suggestions of facts to assist the Committee in its work of investigation. Filed, with directions to answer that the Board will with pleasure furnish any information desired by the Committee, but has at present nothing to communicate on the subject referred to.

National Horse Show Association of America—Inviting entries of Department horses at forthcoming horse show. Referred to Foreman in charge of Stables for compliance.

Lou Forester, Hudson, N. Y.—Requesting terms for a benefit for the Fire Department to be given by the Forester Theatrical Company. Filed.

James Talcott—Requesting remission of penalty for open hatchway. Referred to the Inspector of Combustibles for report and recommendation.

Chief of Fifth Battalion—Reporting conflict of permit issued by Department of Public Works in conflict with General Order No. 25, O. B. C. of 1881. Referred to the Secretary.

Albert Eifert, Thos. H. Manley, F. Roetting, John Storiz—Claims against members of the Department. Filed, with directions to notify.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

SEPTEMBER 16, 1885.

Present—Commissioners Richard Croker and Elward Smith.

Trials.

Fireman, Third Grade, Edward J. Fagan, Hook and Ladder 1—Charged with violation of section 15, Par. V., G. O. No. 13, O. B. C., of 1881. Found guilty, and sentenced to be reprimanded by the President.

Fireman, Second Grade, John J. Britt, Engine 16, charged with "violation of section 15, par. V., G. O. No. 13, O. B. C. of 1881." Found guilty, and sentenced to be reprimanded by the President.

The charges of "absence without leave," preferred against Fireman, First Grade, Theodore Dagin, Engine 6, were, upon the recommendation of the Assistant Chief of Department commanding, dismissed and filed, it appearing that he had been in the service for twenty years (since the organization of the Department), that there had been no previous complaint against him, and that he had a reasonable excuse for his absence.

Requisitions, etc.

The survey of the lot occupied by the house of Engine 39 was ordered at a cost not exceeding \$10.

From—

Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—For repairs, etc., to apparatus, \$29.35; repairs, etc., to ladders, etc., \$250. Ordered.

Supply Clerk—For materials, etc., for Repair Shops, \$445. Ordered.

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—For—

Carpenter-work, Engine 9	\$24 00
Carpenter-work, Engine 48	55 00
Carpenter-work, Engine 50	55 00
Carpenter-work, Fuel Depot No. 1	58 00
Carpenter and mason work, Headquarters	29 00
Carpenter and mason work, Hook and Ladder 9	278 00
Mason-work, Engine 2	20 00
Mason-work, Hook and Ladder 12	26 00
Plumbing, Engine 6	11 50
Plumbing, Engine 29	13 00
Plumbing, Hook and Ladder 15	16 00
Plumbing, Hook and Ladder 5	19 00
Plumbing, Engine 54	23 00
Plumbing, Engine 4	30 50
Plumbing, Engine 3	31 00
Plumbing and gas-fitting, Headquarters Fourth Battalion	32 00
Plumbing and gas-fitting, Hook and Ladder 6	36 75
Plumbing and gas-fitting, Engine 36	42 75
Tinsmith-work, Hook and Ladder 6	53 00
Calking, Engine 41	60 00
Roofing, Hook and Ladder 17	87 50

Ordered.

Foreman in charge of Stables—For horses, one each for the Repair Shops and Engine 28, with report of selection and recommendation to purchase at a cost of \$300 each. Ordered.

Finance Department—Statement of condition of the appropriation to date. Filed.

Bills

—audited and ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

Schedule No. 47, for 1885.

Campbell & Gardiner, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$14 05
William H. Dobbs, new houses for Eng. and Hook and Ladder Co's.	475 00
Charles P. Ketterer, apparatus, supplies, etc.	10 25
Metropolitan Telephone and Telegraph Co., apparatus, supplies, etc.	28 10
Murphy Bros., apparatus, supplies, etc.	30 00
A. Schmidt & Bro's, "	6 50
Jos. Shea, "	10 40
George Teasdale, "	20 00
William Teasdale, "	460 00
	\$1,054 30

Communications, etc.,

From—

Attorney to the Department—Opinion on proposed extension of fire-alarm telegraph, with reference to the Electrical Sub-ways Act. Filed, with directions to renew application for permit to the Commissioner of Public Works, and instructions to the Superintendent of Telegraph, to appear before the Commission on Electrical sub-ways and furnish the required information.

Increase of pay by statute, chap. 552, Laws of 1885:

Foremen, from \$1,400 and \$1,500 to \$1,800.
 Assistant Foremen, from \$1,300 to \$1,500.
 Engineers of Steamer, from \$1,200 and \$1,300 to \$1,400.
 Assistant Engineers of Steamer, from \$1,100 and \$1,250 to \$1,400, the grade of Assistant Engineers having been abolished by the law referred to.
 90 Ununiformed Firemen on probation, to comply with the Civil Service laws and regulations.
 Advancement of Firemen from Third Grade to Second Grade, and from Second Grade to First; chap. 234, Laws of 1884.

Bureau of Combustibles Pay-roll—	
Inspector of Combustibles.....	\$2,500 00
Clerk.....	1,400 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00
Oil Surveyor.....	1,200 00
2 Assistant Oil Surveys at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00
3 Oil Collectors, at \$900 each.....	2,700 00
	12,200 00

The amount asked for the year 1885 was \$13,300, and the amount allowed was \$10,000, necessitating a reduction in salaries throughout. The Bureau is a very important one, transacting a large amount of business, and its employees are justly entitled to the salaries herein asked for. The increase is \$2,200 over the present year's appropriation.

Bureau of Fire Marshal Pay-roll—	
Fire Marshal.....	\$2,500 00
Assistant Fire Marshal.....	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,400 00
2 Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00
	7,400 00

Bureau Inspection of Buildings Pay-roll—	
Superintendent of Buildings.....	\$4,000 00
Chief Clerk.....	800 00
Record Clerk.....	1,800 00
3 Clerks, at \$1,500 each.....	4,500 00
1 Clerk.....	1,350 00
5 Clerks, at \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00
4 Clerks, at \$1,000 each.....	4,000 00
2 Clerks, at \$900 each.....	1,800 00
2 Clerks, at \$800 each.....	1,600 00
3 Messengers, at \$900 each.....	2,700 00
1 Inspector.....	2,000 00
2 Inspectors, at \$1,300 each.....	2,600 00
37 Inspectors, at \$1,200 each.....	44,400 00
	77,550 00

The amount allowed for this Bureau for the present year is \$74,000, \$78,000 having been asked. The reduction thus made compelled the fixing of the salaries of the Inspectors at \$1,100, instead of \$1,200. It is believed that the latter rate will result in obtaining a better class of men for the purpose. The business of the Bureau is constantly increasing, and it is of the first importance that its administration be not hampered by want of funds.

Attorney to the Department.....	4,000 00
Telegraph Force Pay-roll—	
Superintendent of Telegraph.....	\$3,000 00
Chief Operator.....	1,500 00
3 Operators, at \$1,380 each.....	4,140 00
5 Assistant Operators, at \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00
2 Inspectors Fire-alarm Boxes, at \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00
Clerk.....	925 00
Batteryman.....	1,200 00
Assistant Batteryman.....	800 00
Foreman of Linemen.....	1,000 00
2 Linemen, at \$800 each.....	1,600 00
	22,165 00

The increase required for this purpose is \$1,125 and is accounted for by the following changes:

An additional Assistant Operator.....	\$1,200 00
An additional Inspector Fire-alarm Boxes.....	1,000 00
	\$2,200 00
Reduction in salary of Clerk.....	\$275 00
1 Lineman less.....	800 00
	1,075 00
	\$1,125 00

The changes are necessary to the efficiency of the Fire-alarm Telegraph.

Repair Shops Pay-roll—	
Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings.....	\$2,000 00
Foreman.....	1,500 00
Storekeeper.....	1,500 00
Clerk.....	1,400 00
Messenger.....	800 00
Shop Engineer, at \$3 per day.....	925 00
14 Machinists, at \$3 per day.....	12,950 00
1 Machinist's Helper, at \$1.90 per day.....	580 00
1 Coppersmith, at \$3 per day.....	925 00
2 Boiler-makers, at \$3 per day.....	1,850 00
6 Blacksmiths, at \$3 per day.....	5,550 00
6 Blacksmiths' Helpers, at \$1.90 per day.....	3,490 00
1 Wheelwright, at \$4 per day.....	1,240 00
1 Wheelwright, at \$3 per day.....	925 00
3 Wheelwrights, at \$2.75 per day.....	2,250 00
4 Painters, at \$3 per day.....	3,700 00
4 Painters, at \$2.50 per day.....	3,100 00
2 Harness-makers, at \$3 per day.....	1,850 00
2 Horse Repairers, at \$3 per day.....	1,850 00
2 Night Watchmen, at \$2.50 per day.....	1,825 00
2 Day Watchmen, at \$2.50 per day.....	1,825 00
2 Laborers, at \$1.90 per day.....	1,280 00
3 Drivers, at \$2.50 per day.....	2,335 00
1 Tinsmith, at \$2.75 per day.....	850 00
	\$58,000 00

The increase of \$3,000 over this year's appropriation asked for is rendered imperatively necessary by the increased amount of work required to be done.

Hospital Stables Pay-roll—	
Foreman.....	1,200 00
5 Stablemen, at \$2 per day.....	3,650 00
	4,850 00

Total salaries.....\$1,529,156 10

For Apparatus, Supplies, etc.—	
Apparatus and repairs.....	\$40,000 00
Buildings and repairs.....	25,000 00
Contingencies—Bureau Inspection of Buildings.....	5,000 00
Coal and wood.....	27,000 00
Gas.....	12,000 00
General supplies.....	21,000 00
Horses.....	20,000 00
Horse feed and straw.....	33,000 00
Horseshoeing.....	12,000 00
Harness Shop supplies.....	5,000 00
Hose Shop supplies and new hose.....	30,000 00
Machine and Paint Shop supplies.....	20,000 00
Rents.....	5,000 00
Telegraph supplies and repairs.....	15,000 00
Repairs to fire steamers.....	5,000 00
	275,000 00

The same amount was asked for this year, and the reduction in amount allowed now necessitates larger expenditures for apparatus, hose, repairs, etc., during the coming year, which can no longer be deferred.

For New Houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies—

For completion of quarters for Engine 39 and Hook and Ladder 16, to be occupied as well by the Fire Alarm Telegraph, School of Instruction and Life Saving Corps, Bureau of Buildings and for other Department purposes, including finishing of interior, heating, lighting, ventilating, etc.; and for quarters for Engine 54, West Forty-seventh street; Engine 55, Elm street, and Hook and Ladder 18, Attorney street..... \$100,000 00
 Engines 54 and 55 and Hook and Ladder 18 were included in the Departmental Estimate for the current year but, owing to the reduction made in the Final Estimate, could not be built. As stated in the estimate for this year, the present quarters of Engine 54 are inadequate and in a condition requiring rebuilding, and the houses now upon the sites at No. 173 Elm street and No. 84 Attorney street, intended respectively as locations for Engine 55 and Hook and Ladder 18, (new companies to be organized in very important sections of the city, and both urgently needed, as the statistics of fires for the past show), are both unsuited for the purpose and must be entirely rebuilt.

Total.....\$1,904,156 10

The foregoing estimate, amounting to one million nine hundred and four thousand one hundred and fifty-six ³⁰/₁₀₀ dollars (\$1,904,156.10), is adopted as the sum of money which will be required for expenses necessary to the administration and conduct of the Fire Department of the City of New York for the year 1886.

On motion the Board adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

OCTOBER 2, 1885.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioner Richard Croker.

The report of the Foreman of Engine 43 of the suspension of Pilot Christopher Parks for being under the influence of liquor, laid over on the 30th ultimo, was investigated in the presence of all concerned, and laid over, pending investigation by the Assistant Chief of Department into the allegations made by Pilot Parks.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

OCTOBER 7, 1885.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioners Richard Croker and Elward Smith.

Trials.

Fireman, Third Grade, Jeremiah Haggerty, Engine 12, charged with "reckless driving." Decision reserved.

Fireman, First Grade, John Knapp, Engine 9, charged with "reckless driving." Decision reserved.

Fireman, Second Grade, John F. Fitzgerald, Hook and Ladder 4, charged with "violation of sec. 1 Par. II. General Orders No. 21, O. B. C. of 1881," and "neglect of duty." Found guilty on both charges, and fined three days' pay.

Fireman, First Grade, John Dalton, Hook and Ladder 17, charged with "reckless driving." Decision reserved.

Fireman, Second Grade, Jas. F. Fitzpatrick, Hook and Ladder 19, charged with "careless driving." Found not guilty.

Opening of Proposals.

Affidavit of the Clerk of the CITY RECORD, as to the publication of the advertisement for proposals, was read and filed, and approved form of contract submitted.

For Furnishing a Water Tower.

Proposal No. 1—From U. S. Fire Extinguishing Manufacturing Co., \$4,000, with certified check for \$100 as security deposit. Referred to the Comptroller for his action on the sureties.

From Allen & Co.—Informal proposition to furnish a Metropolitan Ladder and Water Tower for \$6,500. Referred to Chief of Department for opinion and report.

Requisitions, etc.

From—

Supply Clerk—For materials for the Repair Shops, \$173, \$268; and for supplies for issue, \$950. Ordered.

Superintendent of Repairs to Buildings—For—

Iron-work, quarters Engine 30.....	\$25 00
Carpenter-work, quarters Engine 16.....	30 00
Carpenter-work, quarters Hook and Ladder 5.....	47 00
Tinsmith-work, quarters Engine 41.....	57 00
Tinsmith-work, quarters Hook and Ladder 7.....	75 00
Ordered.....	

Superintendent of Telegraph—For repairing broken cable connecting Blackwell's Island, \$100. Ordered.

Supply Clerk—For forage. Referred back for statement as to advisability of continuing the division of the contract, with reasons.

Finance Department—Weekly statement of the condition of the appropriation. Filed.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That in the interval between the 15th of October and the 15th of November, no appointments, promotions or transfers will be made by the Board of Fire Commissioners, and that during said period no member of the uniformed force will be excused from duty except on special leave, with loss of pay.

Resolved, That the Foreman in charge of Repair Shops be directed to report to the Board the names of two competent machinists to perform duty as Supervisors of Elevators.

Communications, etc.

The action of the President in the following matters, was approved:

Referring permits for opening streets in vicinity of Headquarters for telegraph purposes, to the Superintendent of Telegraph, and communication from Department of Public Works enclosing same. Filed.

Communicating with Department of Docks relative to obstructions at Pier 48, East river, reported by the Foreman of Engine 43; ordering transfer of Clerk John F. Carroll, from the Fire Alarm Telegraph to Headquarters, from the 1st instant.

Foreman of Engine 7—Reporting on patent oilers placed on engine for trial by the United States Axle Lubricator Co. Filed.

Assistant Foreman commanding Engine 12—Reporting death of Fireman, First Grade, Dennis McDonald. Filed.

Foreman Engine 50—Report in relation to death of horse No. 397. Filed.

Foreman Engine 14—Reporting loss of coat badge No. 593, by Fireman, First Grade, James Carten. Filed, with directions to impose fine as required by the Rules.

Fireman, First Grade, Henry Brenzel, Engine 35—Applying for retirement. Filed, and the following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That Fireman, First Grade, Henry Brenzel, of Engine 35, be examined by the Medical officers as to his physical or mental abilities to perform his duties.

Engineer of Steamer John H. Walker, of Engine 31; Fireman, First Grade, John Leddy, of Engine 28; Fireman, First Grade, Edward Goodchild, of Engine 32—Applying for instruction in the Life Saving Corps. Filed.

Inspector of Combustibles—Returning reports of violations of law at various theatres with the information that the violations have been removed. Filed.

Attorney to the Department—Report of money received for violations of the building laws during the month of September, and enclosing check for amount, \$286.50, which had been transmitted to the Comptroller. Filed.

Superintendent of Telegraph—Returning report of Assistant Chief of Department, relative to delays in transmission of alarms on the 17th ult., with additional report of names of Operators on duty, etc. Filed, with directions to admonish Operators named.

Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Returning complaint of Chas. A. Crawford relative to iron shutters on windows of Repair Shops, with report that an examination will be made. Filed.

Counsel to the Corporation—Relative to drafting of bills for presentation to the Legislature. Filed.

James Seligman, executor—Inclosing check for \$250, being amount of legacy left to the Relief Fund by the late Abraham Seligman. Filed, with direction to acknowledge receipt.

Simon Stevens—Relative to use of west side of Pier 12, East river. Filed.

R. G. Crawford and Nicholas Tiedman—Claims against members of the Department. Filed, with directions to notify.

Bills

—audited and ordered to be transmitted to the Comptroller for payment:

Schedule No. 90, for the Year 1884.

George H. Christie, new houses for Engine and Hook and Ladder Companies..... \$9,267 48

Schedule No. 50, for the Year 1885.

Callender Insulating and Water-proofing Co., apparatus, supplies etc.	\$33 50
Central Gas-light Co.,	32 80
Composite Iron Works Co.,	47 00
I. H. Dahlman,	300 00
Philip Duffey,	30 00
Edison Electric Illuminating Co.,	30 51
Wm. L. Findlay,	190 35
A. P. Fuller,	33 20
C. W. Jones & Co.,	12 88
Carl Jussen,	69 99
C. M. Moseman,	26 63
Murphy Bros.,	30 00
Patrick Murphy,	37 00
Northern Gas-Light Co.,	60 25
Wm. Porter's Sons,	12 55
John J. Quinn,	30 00
Frederick A. Shields,	255 50
John R. Shields,	80 03
L. J. Welsh,	36 00
Winant & Terhune,	172 50
D. D. A. Wortendyke & Son,	18 90

\$1,539 59

Schedule No. 51, for 1885.

Charles Beyer, apparatus, supplies, etc.	\$42 00
William Carlin,	60 75
Cleary & Donnelly,	21 00
Jeremiah Dean,	21 00
Donoghue Bros.,	6 00
James Dowd,	12 00
John F. Dunn,	18 00
Owen Fallon,	75 00
John Fitzpatrick,	42 00
C. Fox,	24 00
Thos. J. Gallon,	33 00
John A. Hassler,	12 00
Dennis Hayes,	10 50
John Hayes,	24 00
Bernard Kenney,	43 50
Bernard Kiernan,	42 00
John Lally,	73 00
Latimere & Dougherty,	24 00
J. A. Leighton,	9 00
Andrew Logan,	12 00
J. G. Mackey,	21 00
Joseph Malloy,	6 00
P. Malone,	21 00
Edward Moffit,	39 00
John McAvoy,	15 00
Henry McCann,	9 00
Patrick McCann,	27 00
Charles McFaull,	18 00
Patrick McKenna,	12 00
William McKenna,	48 00
Carleton & McKenna,	15 00
John McNally,	12 00
Adam Nimphius,	24 00
D. Pollard,	18 00
Patrick Quilty,	48 00
James Roche,	15 00
Martin Walsh,	27 00

\$979 75

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

OCTOBER 10, 1885.

Present—President Henry D. Purroy and Commissioners Richard Croker and Elward Smith.

Communications:

From—

Assistant Chief of Department—Report of investigation into the case of Pilot Christopher Parks of Engine 43, under suspension from pay and duty since six o'clock P. M., on the 26th ultimo. Ordered that he be suspended from pay and duty until the 29th instant at six o'clock P. M., and that the amount of pay lost while suspended from pay and duty during September be deducted this month.

Superintendent of Buildings—Recommending that inspection of passenger elevators be put under the supervision of Clerk William H. Closs, etc. Filed, and the following resolution adopted:

Resolved, That the inspection of passenger elevators, under the rules recommended by the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings and adopted by the Board, be put under the immediate supervision of Clerk William H. Closs of that Bureau, as recommended by the Superintendent of Buildings, who will attend to the same in addition to his present duties, and be assisted by Matthew T. Gaughan and John Crossen (now Machinists at the Repair Shops), who are hereby appointed Supervisors of Elevators at a salary of \$1,000 per annum, in the Bureau of Inspection of Buildings, to report to Clerk William H. Closs for such duties as he may assign to them daily, under the direction of the Superintendent of Buildings.

Foreman in charge of Repair Shops—Submitting names of Machinists Matthew T. Gaughan and John Crossen as competent to perform the duties of Supervisors of Elevators. Appointments ordered as above and filed.

Civil Service Examining Board—Submitting names of three persons standing highest on the eligible list for the position of Typewriter. Filed, and the appointment of Anson D. Hartwell as Typewriter ordered, at a salary of \$1,040 per annum, to take effect from the 12th instant.

Appointments.

Edward Riley and William H. Colwell as Machinists in the Repair Shops at a salary of \$3 per day, from the 12th instant.

On motion, adjourned.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Statement and Return of Monies Received by RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator in the City of New York, for the month of October 1885, rendered to the Comptroller in pursuance of the Provisions of Section 3, Part II, Chapter VI, Title VI, Revised Statutes; and Sections 38 and 96 of Chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873.

DATE.	ESTATE OF.	INTESTATE ESTATES.	COMMISSIONS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
October 5.....	Catherine Berrell.....		\$296 99	
" 7.....	Eliza Reid.....		15 41	
" 7.....	Henry Dean.....	\$266 43	23 90	
" 7.....	Amelia or Emilia Videz.....		2 13	
" 7.....	John Jackson.....		13 55	
" 19.....	Jennie Villard.....		19 53	
" 19.....	Patrick Nicholson.....		2 08	
" 19.....	Alexander de Banduy.....		291 71	
" 19.....	Charles Marchesi.....		73 43	
		\$266 43	\$738 73	\$1,005 16

DATE.	ESTATE OF.	INTESTATE ESTATES.	COMMISSIONS.	TOTAL AMOUNT.
	Cases from Commissioners of Charities and Correction (Cash and proceeds of sale of effects.)			
	Kate Fay.....	\$2 03		
	Catherine Hennesy.....	11		
	Mary Sullivan.....	1 26		
	Thomas Lynch.....	41		
	Peter Hecken.....	1 25		
	Joseph Fisher.....	84		
	Charles Chrystals.....	1 10		
	Thomas Daly.....	05		
	John Fallon.....	65		
	Patrick McKenna.....	1 14		
	Frederick Black.....	14		
	George A. Brown.....	25		
	Martin Furlong.....	15		
	John Carton.....	13		
	Henry Melan.....	07		
	Michael Reichenberg.....	33		
	Bella Brown.....	32		
	Catherine McLaughlin.....	6 70		
	Theresa Schreeker.....	6 31		
	Frederick Eberhard.....	50		
	George Baldwin.....	25		
	Michael McCauley.....	20		
	Margaret Rooney.....	17		
	John Burk.....	04		
	William Sherman.....	2 22		
	Lizzie Reilly.....	1 10		
	Ann Brennan.....	10		
	Henry Bergermeyer.....	1 15		
	Charles L. Pierson.....	4 97		
	Paul Roach.....	10		
	Catherine Carroll.....	80		
	Patrick Mahoney.....	20		
	Lewis Heisen.....	3 04		
	William Luciran.....	15		
	John Doeblar.....	56		
	William Golden.....	5 00		
	Timothy Padger.....	20		
	Thomas Dowling.....	1 19		
	Charles Moore.....	80		
	John Chforan.....	21		
	Eugene O'Connor.....	37		
	Patrick Cutter.....	90		
	Frank Keegan.....	25		
	John Callahan.....	22		
	Benedict Wehle.....	42		
	Christopher Algeure.....	06		
	Eliza Orr.....	56		
	Michael Carroll.....	4 56		
	Richard Flannigan.....	14		
	George Schotts.....	18		
	Ellen Gallagher.....	25		
	Daniel McLoughlin.....	08		
	Samuel Fisher.....	05		
	James O'Rourke.....	28		
	David Flannigan.....	35		
	Carolina Reynolds.....	05		
	William Mackey.....	02		
	Henry F. Schrobach.....	07		
	John Kerrigan.....	1 42		
	Daniel O'Sullivan.....	1 95		
	Mary Bennett.....	53		
	Gottlieb Mantz.....	20		
	George Young.....	1 09		
	Harriet Holland.....	1 00		
	John McClennan.....	1 40		
	Peter Pinkhardt.....	7 36		
	Catherine Mara.....	1 50		
	Tamson Farr.....	1 04		
	Ann Donney.....	12		
	Maggie Brown.....	1 04		
	Kate Harrington.....	12		
	Jane Rogers.....	2 06		
	Kate Dewrie.....	2 62		
	Mary Mooney.....	5 20		
	Unknown colored man.....	95		
	John Quinn.....	11		
	Robert Forester.....	08		
	Edward Dye.....	1 00		
	Ann McKenna.....	32		
	Matthew McClain.....	01		
	John Hagen.....	01		
	William Power.....	53		
	Bridget Buckley.....	43		
	Andrew Nelson.....	25		
	Mary Rentz or Kurtz.....	67		
	Kate Murphy.....	12		
	Patrick McIntyre.....	1 00		
	P. D. Nealis.....	75		
	Ellen Coyle.....	1 04		
	James Keene.....	10		
	Ferris Palmer.....	1 63		
	Fredrick Kepp.....	1 25		
	Henry Desnond.....	05		
	Joseph Defoir.....	50		
	Daniel Foley.....	65		
	Joseph Flint.....	06		
	Patrick Ward.....	2 28		
	William Garland.....	18		
	Bridget Boylan.....	04		
	Richard Roach.....	1 12		
	Eliza Noonan.....	04		
	James Murphy.....	04		
	Eugene Doneau.....	1 35		
	Ann McDermott.....	09		
	Emma Fowler.....	13		
	Ann Kelly.....	2 70		
	Susan Lewis.....	1 35		
	Dora Kumenther.....	1 12		
	Lillie Johnson.....	1 35		
	August Schuff.....	27		
	Robert Courtney.....	27		
	Patrick Cannon or Carson.....	04		
	Expenses and loss on mutilated coin.....	\$107 45		
		12 29		
				\$95 16
				\$1,100 32

Dated October 31, 1885.

(Signed)

RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office.

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

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

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. KEESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

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

Auditing Bureau.

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

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

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

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

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

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

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

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

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

Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M. to 5.30 P. M.
THOMAS S. BRENNAN, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

Headquarters.

Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

ALBERT F. D'OENCH, 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.

HENRY R. BECKMAN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOSEPH KOCH, President; B. W. ELLISON, Secretary.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from September 15 to June 15, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 15 to September 15, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS

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

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

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.

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

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

Nos. 31 and 33 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SEABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; M. J. MORRISON, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Room No. 11, City Hall.

EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Advisory Board; CHARLES H. WOODMAN, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.

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

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

EDWARD GILON, 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; JAMES A. HANLEY, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

Room 127, Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES REILLY, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

PATRICK KEENAN, County Clerk; EDWARD SELLECK, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, District Attorney; JOHN M. COMAN, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.

No. 2 City Hall, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.

MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 5 P. M.

General Term, Room No. 9.
Special Term, Room No. 10.
Chambers, Room No. 11.

Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12.
Circuit, Part II., Room No. 13.
Circuit, Part III., Room No. 14.

Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

General Term, Room No. 35.
Special Term, Room No. 36.
Chambers, Room No. 33, 10 A. M.

Part I., Room No. 34.
Part II., Room No. 35.
Part III., Room No. 36.

Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 30.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 32.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Justice; THOMAS BORSE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

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

Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

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

Chambers, Room No. 21, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.

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

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

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

Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

CHARLES P. DALY, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, 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 REUBEN B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.

Terms, first Monday each month.

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

CITY COURT.

City Hall.

General Term, Room No. 20.

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

Part II., Room No. 19.

Part III., Room No. 15.

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

Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; JOHN REID, Clerk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT

the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 146 Grand street, by the Board of School Trustees of the Ninth Ward, until 4 o'clock P. M., on Tuesday, November 17, 1885, for placing a new steam-boiler in Grammar School building No. 3, corner of Hudson and Grove streets.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and blanks for proposals and all necessary information may be obtained, at the office of the Engineer, No. 146 Grand 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.

CHARLES S. WRIGHT, GEORGE B. LAWTON, GEORGE E. HORNE, JAMES A. SEAMAN, E. M. L. EHLERS,

Board of School Trustees, Sixteenth Ward.

Dated New York, November 2, 1885.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION,

No. 146 GRAND STREET,

PROPOSALS FOR SAILS FOR SCHOOL-SHIP "ST. MARYS."

One Fore Topsail.

One Main Topsail.

To be made of No. 2 Cotton Duck, seams double-flat 1½ inches wide, cut and fitted, with all roping-cloths, patches, bands, etc., etc., complete, three reef in each sail. All the material to be of the proper size and best quality, and the work thorough and complete.

Detail information can be obtained on board School-ship "St. Marys," foot of East Thirty-first street.

Said proposals will be received until the 7th day of November next, at 3 o'clock P. M., at the office of this Board, addressed to the undersigned.

DAVID WETMORE,

Chairman Nautical School Committee.

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., 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.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,
117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.)

TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 227.)

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS FOR PLUMBING, GAS-FITTING AND STEAM-HEATING FOR A BUILDING ON PIER A, NORTH RIVER.

ESTIMATES FOR LABOR AND MATERIALS for plumbing, gas-fitting and steam-heating, for a building on Pier A, North river, will be

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

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

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

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

JOSEPH KOCH,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
LUCIUS J. N. STARK,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated, New York, October 30, 1885.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS AND REPAIRS TO CARPENTER AND JOINER WORK OF STEAMBOAT "MINNAHANONCK."

THE SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS FOR which are at this office—will be received at No. 66 Third Avenue, the Central office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, November 13, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS AND REPAIRS TO CARPENTER AND JOINER WORK OF STEAMBOAT 'MINNAHANONCK,'" for which there is one separate set of specifications and the work for which is to be let in one contract, and with his or her name or names and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened and read.

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

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

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

The person or persons to whom a contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWO THOUSAND (\$2,000) DOLLARS.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent in writing of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the BOND required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be 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 lowest formal estimate be accepted by the Board of Public Charities and Correction, due notice of the fact will be given forthwith upon the receipt of the Comptroller's approval of the sureties, presented by the bidder as consenting to be bound for the faithful execution of this contract, if awarded. Thereupon, if the Board shall not deem it for the best interests to reject all the proposals, the contract for this aforesaid work and materials shall be awarded to this lowest bidder, who shall execute the contract and bond of even date therewith in due form, to the satisfaction of said Board, within five days after the award aforesaid. If the party or parties to whom said contract is awarded neglect or refuse to execute the same as aforesaid, and the BOND accompanying the same, the said contract shall be regarded as having been abandoned, the party or parties notified as in default to the Corporation of the City of New York, and the work and materials will be re-advertised as provided in section 64, chapter 410, Laws of 1882.

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

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

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

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

Dated New York, October 29, 1885.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
New York, October 24, 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 Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Fifth street, East river, unknown man, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray hair, blue eyes. Had on black overcoat, black diagonal vest and pants, white shirt, gray knit undershirt and drawers, brown socks, gaiters.

Unknown woman from Roosevelt Hospital, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; light brown hair mixed with gray, blue eyes. No clothing.

Unknown man from Eighty-ninth street and East river, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; sandy moustache, beard about one week's growth, bald. Had on corporation jacket and shirt, jeans pants, gaiters. Tattooed on right arm, crucifix; on left arm, star and anchor.

Unknown man from Riverdale, run over by Hudson River Railroad, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; dark brown hair, blue eyes. Had on black diagonal frock coat, gray mixed vest, gray jeans pants, blue shirt, white undershirt and drawers, gaiters, brown woolen socks, astrakhan cap.

Unknown man from Pier No. 40, North river, aged about 30 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair, small sandy moustache. Had on brown cardigan jacket, brown barred calico shirt, dark gray vest and pants, red striped undershirt, white cotton socks, gaiters.

Unknown man from foot of Twentieth street, East river, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes, gray hair. Had on black sack coat, black cloth pants, black vest, blue flannel shirt, gray woolen drawers, gray socks, brogan shoes.

Unknown woman from foot of Eighty-fourth street, East river, aged about 55 years; 5 feet high; dark hair mixed with gray, brown eyes. Had on dark gray woolen waist and dress, black quilted petticoat, white chemise, gray woolen stockings, blue apron, brown cloth slippers.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island, Joseph Nixon, aged 65 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray hair, brown eyes. Had on, when admitted, black coat, gray pants, buttoned shoes, black derby hat.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island, Bridget Kelly, aged about 41 years; 5 feet 1 inch high. Had on, when admitted, crepe hat, plaid shawl, calico suit.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island, August Bolte, aged 50 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; blue eyes, black hair. Had on, when admitted, brown mixed suit of clothes, brogan shoes, black derby hat.

James Short, aged 36 years; 5 feet nine inches high; brown eyes, black hair. Had on, when admitted, black coat and pants, brogan shoes, black derby hat.

Charles Trassberg, aged 41 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Had on, when admitted, dark overcoat, brown mixed coat and vest, dark striped pants, gaiters, black derby hat.

Johann Siegel, aged 61 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Had on, when admitted, dark mixed overcoat, black pants, blue check jumper, gaiters, black derby hat.

At Randall's Island Hospital, Owen Cassidy, aged 70 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; blue eyes, light brown hair. At Hart's Island Hospital, Mary Rogers, aged 71 years. Admitted July 8, 1874.

John Kelly, aged 41 years. Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS AND CROCKERY.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES.

5,000 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, November 5, 1885.

500 pounds Cocoa.
500 pounds Cheese.
10,000 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.
2,000 pounds Prunes.
25,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

500 barrels good sound Irish Potatoes, to weigh 168 pounds net per barrel.
20 barrels Pickles, 40-gallon barrels, 2,000 per barrel.

25 pieces prime quality City Cured Bacon, to average about 6 pounds each.

30 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.
25 prime quality City Cured Smoked Tongues, to average about 6 pounds each.

20 dozen canned String Beans.
10 dozen canned Lima Beans.
20 dozen canned Corn.
20 dozen canned Peaches.

100 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.
50 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed 3 pounds weight, charged as received.

1,200 bushels Oats.
300 bushels Rye.
3,000 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

DRY GOODS.

1,000 pairs Colored Blankets.
5,000 yards Dark Calico.
50 great gross Black Brace Buttons.
50 gross Coat Buttons.
10 gross I. R. Fine Combs.

CROCKERY.

1 gross Spit Cups.
3 gross Bowls.
½ gross Pitchers, pint.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. of Friday, November 6, 1885. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods and Crockery," with his or her name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to 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, October 24, 1885.

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

HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE COMMISSION.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE
HARLEM RIVER BRIDGE,
Room No. 73, COTTON EXCHANGE,
New York, October 15, 1885.

PLANS FOR BRIDGE OVER HARLEM RIVER.

THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS, APPOINTED under the provisions of chapter 487 of the Laws of 1885, invite designs for a bridge to be erected across the Harlem river, in the City of New York, about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge, and where the land on both sides of the said river for the approaches to a bridge has already been acquired by said city.

The Commissioners offer the following sums for the three designs that they select:

For the first \$1,500
For the second 1,000
For the third 500

Designs are to be accompanied with specifications and approximate estimates of cost and are to be presented before the 1st day of December next.

The designs selected are to become the property of the Commissioners. Designs not approved will, on application, be returned to the parties submitting them. Details of requirements, scale and nature of designs, plans, profile, etc., will be furnished on application at the office of the Engineer of the Commissioners.

JACOB LORILLARD,
VERNON H. BROWN,
DAVID JAMES KING,
Commissioners.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
New York, October 20, 1885.

NOTICE OF SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1885, AT 11 o'clock A. M., the Department of Public Works will sell at public auction, at the Corporation Yard foot of Gansevoort street, North river, by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, the following articles, viz.:

Trucks, Carts, Wagons, Sleighs, Booths, Fruit-stands, Paper-stands, Furniture, Lumber, Old Iron, Billboards, Packing boxes, Signs, Brick, Beams, etc.

TERMS OF SALE.

Cash payments in bankable funds at the time and place of sale, and the immediate removal by the purchaser of the articles purchased.

D. LOWBER SMITH,
Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

THE CITY RECORD.

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

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, PURSUANT TO section 1839 of chapter 410, Laws of 1882, entitled "An act to consolidate and declare the special and local interests in the City of New York," that at the General Election to be held in this State on the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday of November next, the following municipal officers are to be chosen in the City and County of New York, viz.:

Twenty-four Aldermen, one of whom shall be elected in the territory embraced in each Assembly District as the same existed on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-two.

A President of the Board of Aldermen, in the place of Adolph L. Sanger.

A Sheriff, in the place of Alexander V. Davidson.

A County Clerk, in the place of Patrick Keenan.

A Justice of the Supreme Court, in the place of George C. Barrett.

A Justice of the Court of Common Pleas, in the place of Charles P. Daly.

A Justice of the Superior Court, in the place of John Sedgwick.

Two Justices of the City Court of New York, in place of David McAdam and Granville P. Hawes.

A Justice of the District Court of the Tenth Judicial District of the City of New York, in the place of James R. Angell.

Three Coroners, in the place of Ferdinand Levy, Bernard F. Martin, and William B. Kennedy.

Twenty-four Members of Assembly, one of whom shall be elected in each of the Assembly Districts as now established by law.

Seven Senators, one of whom shall be elected in each of the following-named Senate districts, viz.: Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, and Eleventh.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY,
Clerk of the Common Council.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
STEWART BUILDING, 280 BROADWAY, Room 209,
New York, October 17, 1885.

PUBLIC NOTICE—FINAL HEARING.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

IN CONFORMITY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS of section 2, chapter 499, Laws of 1883, of the State of New York, public notice is hereby given to all persons interested that full opportunity will be afforded them to be heard in relation to the various plans now under consideration by the Aqueduct Commissioners for the location and construction of one or more of the following dams and reservoirs upon the Croton river, in the county of Westchester, viz.:

First—That known as "Quaker Bridge Dam" and reservoir, about four miles below the present Croton Dam.

Second—That known as the "Muscoot Dam" and reservoir, at Muscoot mountain, about six miles above the present Croton Dam.

Third—A dam and reservoir on the east branch of the Croton river and commonly known as the "Sodom Dam and Reservoir."

All as shown upon the plans, maps and profiles in this office.

The said public hearing having been adjourned on the 12th of April, 1884, until further notice, will now be resumed at the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, Room 209, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, in the City of New York, on WEDNESDAY, NOV. 4, 1885, at 3 o'clock P. M., and continued on such days thereafter as said hearing may be adjourned, until finally concluded.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.
JAMES W. McCULLOH,
Secretary.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

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

List 2071, No. 1. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within the following area:

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, and to the extent of half the block at the intersection of New avenue.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 25th day of November, ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
New York, October 24, 1885.

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

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

The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated within the following area:

Both sides of Fourth avenue, from Ninety-sixth to One Hundred and Second street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

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

The above-described list will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 17th day of November ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 15, 1885.

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

List 2114, No. 1. Regulating and grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Third to Alexander avenue.

List 2121, No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Third to Fourth avenue.

List 2151, No. 3. Regulating and grading the sidewalks in St. Nicholas place, from the south curb of One Hundred and Fiftieth street to the intersection with St. Nicholas avenue, and setting curb-stones and flagging sidewalks five feet wide therein.

List 2206, No. 4. Regulating, grading, setting curb and gutter stones, and flagging One Hundred and Forty-second street, from Willis to Brook avenue.

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

No. 1. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street, from Third to Alexander avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-third street, from Third to Fourth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Ninth avenue and St. Nicholas place, from One Hundred and Forty-eighth to One Hundred and Fiftieth street.

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

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

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 17th day of November ensuing.

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

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
No. 11½ CITY HALL,
NEW YORK, October 10, 1885.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

By order of

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

CARL JUSSEN,
Secretary.

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 Wednesday, November 4, 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.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF TAXES,
No. 32 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 2, 1885.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE Receiver of Taxes of the City of New York to all persons whose taxes for the year 1885 remain unpaid on the first day of November of said year, that unless the same shall be paid to him at his office on or before the first day of December of said year he will charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on that day, in addition to the amount of such taxes one per centum on the amount thereof; and charge, receive and collect upon such taxes so remaining unpaid on the first day of January thereafter, interest upon the amount thereof at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from October 1, 1885, the day on which the assessment rolls and warrants therefor were delivered to the said Receiver of Taxes, to the date of payment, as provided by sections 843, 844 and 845, of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

GEORGE W. MCLEAN,
Receiver of Taxes.

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, November 25, 1885, 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 1853 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, 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.

THE COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No. 126 Grand street, on Wednesday, November 4, 1885, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

STEPHEN A. WALKER,
Chairman.

Dated October 27, 1885.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

NEW AQUEDUCT.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR APPRAISAL.

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

Such application will be made at a Special Term of said Court, to be held in the Second Judicial District, at the Court-house in White Plains, Westchester County, on the 21st day of November, 1885, at 12 o'clock noon.

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

The real estate sought to be taken or affected as aforesaid, is located in the County of New York, south of Harlem river, and is laid out and indicated on two similar or duplicate maps filed, one in the Register's office in the City and County of New York, on the 28th day of August, 1885, the other in the Register's office in the village of White Plains and County of Westchester, on the same day, and each bearing the following certificate: We, the Commissioners, appointed to carry out the provisions of chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, do hereby certify that this is one of six similar maps prepared in accordance with the requirements of section 4 of said act, and do further certify that the same has been adopted by us in the manner prescribed in such section, this 17th day of June, 1885.

W. R. GRACE, Mayor.
EDWARD V. LOEW, Comptroller,
ROLLIN M. SQUIRE,
Commissioner of Public Works,
WM. DOWD,
C. C. BALDWIN.

Of the real estate so proposed to be taken or affected certain parcels are required, as

SHAFT SITES AND APPURTENANCES AND DUMPING-GROUNDS.

for the purpose of constructing and maintaining said Aqueduct.

The boundaries of said parcels are as follows, the said parcels being colored on said maps in pink:

All those parcels of land forming parts of Farms Nos. 56 and 59, contained within the boundaries described as follows: Beginning at a point in the westerly line of the proposed street known as Exterior street, at the intersection of said westerly line with the northerly line of the lands owned by the City of New York, and known as Hige Bridge Park; and running thence (1) along said westerly line of Exterior street north 24° 54' 24" east 353.87 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 178; thence (2) northerly still along said westerly line of Exterior street upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 2,700 feet 506.12 feet to a point on Farm No. 59; thence (3) still along said westerly line of Exterior street north 35° 32' 55" east 4.33 feet; thence (4) north 56° 30' west 652.73 feet to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (5) north 38° 19' east along said easterly line of Tenth avenue 100.26 feet; thence (6) south 56° 30' east 707.01 feet to a point distant at a right angle 40 feet easterly of the United States bulkhead line; thence (7) south 35° 32' 30" west 556.36 feet; thence (8) southerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 2,040 feet 490.15 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 178; thence (9) south 24° 54' 24" west, and parallel to the said United States bulkhead line 345.13 feet to the aforesaid northerly line of Hige Bridge Park; thence (10) along said northerly line south 73° 53' 45" east 60.64 feet to the place of beginning, comprising within said boundaries parts of lots Ward Nos. 177, 178, 179, 180 and 181 of Farm No. 56, and part of Farm No. 59, containing 3.3617 acres, more or less; and numbered on said property map Parcels 1 to 6 inclusive.

All those three parcels of land known as Ward Nos. 195, 196 and 197 of Farm No. 55, containing 8,426 square feet; and numbered respectively on said property map Parcels 8, 9, and 10.

All that parcel of land known as Ward No. 4 of Farm No. 54, containing 2,034 square feet, and numbered on said property map Parcel 11.

All those four parcels of land known as Ward Nos. 61, 62, 63 and 64 of Farm No. 1, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered respectively on said property map Parcels 12, 13, 14 and 15.

All that piece or parcel of land which is bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, projected easterly, which point is the intersection of said projected line and the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along the said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 743.98 feet to the westerly line of St. Nicholas Avenue; thence (2) southerly along the westerly line of St. Nicholas Avenue, 61.36 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected easterly; thence (3) westerly along the said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 756.83 feet to the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (4) northerly along the easterly line of Tenth avenue 60 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1,0336 acres; and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 44.

All that piece or parcel of land which is bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point in the northerly line of property owned by the Convent of the Sacred Heart, which point is the intersection of said line and the proposed westerly line of Convent avenue, and running thence (1) S. 34° 34' 43" E. along said northerly line 75.48 feet to the proposed easterly line of Convent avenue; thence (2) northerly along the proposed easterly line of Convent avenue 386.48 feet; thence (3) N. 34° 34' 43" W. 75.48 feet to the proposed westerly line of Convent avenue; thence (4) southerly along the proposed westerly line of Convent avenue 386.48 feet to the place of beginning, containing 1,0562 acres, and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 70.

Of the real estate so proposed to be taken or affected certain parcels are required as

TUNNEL SITES.

The boundaries and descriptions of the sites of the several tunnels which it is proposed to construct are as follows, being colored on said maps in blue.

All that piece or parcel of land under the water of the Harlem river, between the westerly boundary of lands now owned or occupied by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company on the east and the westerly side of the Harlem river and 40 feet westerly thereof, which is bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point in the westerly line of land owned or occupied by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, distant along said line 50 feet and 1½ inch southerly from its intersection with the centre line of the proposed New Aqueduct, and running thence (1) N. 56° 30' W. 563.79 feet; thence (2) N. 35° 32' 30" E. 100.06 feet; thence (3) S. 56° 30' E. 556.43 feet to the westerly line of the aforesaid New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company's lands; thence (4) along said westerly line S. 31° 21' W. 100.68 feet to the point or place of beginning, containing 1.2858 acres; and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 7.

All that part of Block No. 1078 described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly line of Tenth avenue with the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street, and running thence (1) southerly along said easterly line of Tenth avenue 45.86 feet; thence (2) southerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 375 feet 59.354 feet to the easterly line of the Old Croton Aqueduct lands; thence (3) southwesterly along said Old Croton Aqueduct lands 2.54 feet; thence (4) southeasterly along the dividing line between lots Ward Nos. 4 and 67 of said block 2.8 feet; thence (5) southerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 375 feet 137.23 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 7; thence (6) southerly reversing upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 325 feet 59.33 feet to a point on the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, which is distant on said line 214.84 feet easterly of the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (7) easterly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street 81.50 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 12; thence (8) northerly upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 375 feet 137 feet to a point on lot Ward No. 8; thence (9) northerly reversing upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 325 feet 94.71 feet to the westerly line of lot Ward No. 63; thence (10) northerly 4.02 feet along said westerly line of said lot Ward No. 63, to the southerly line of lot Ward No. 66; thence (11) westerly 4.91 feet along said southerly line of said lot Ward No. 66; thence (12) northerly upon a curve bending to the east with a radius of 325 feet 100.02 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street; thence (13) westerly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street 29.23 feet to the place of beginning, comprising part of lots Ward Nos. 64, 66, 67, 63, 62, 4, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12 of said Block No. 1078, containing 12.181 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels 16 to 29, inclusive.

All that part of Block No. 1077 which is described as follows: Beginning at a point upon the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street upon lot Ward No. 53 and distant 285 feet and ½ inch easterly of the easterly line of Tenth avenue; and running thence (1) southerly upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 325 feet 219.36 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Fiftieth street at a point upon lot Ward No. 15 and distant on said line 365.54 feet from the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (2) easterly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Fiftieth street 50.04 feet; thence (3) northerly upon a curve bending to the west with a radius of 375 feet 211.06 feet to a point on the division line between lots Ward Nos. 50 and 51; thence (4) northerly along said division line 2.23 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street; thence (5) westerly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-first street 64.98 feet to the place of beginning, comprising part of lots Ward Nos. 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 14, 15, 16 and 17 of said Block No. 1077, containing 10.588 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 30 to 37, inclusive.

All that part of Block No. 1076, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Fiftieth street upon lot Ward No. 49 of said block, and distant 365 feet 10½ inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running

thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Fiftieth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of the lot Ward No. 49, all of lot Ward No. 48, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 47 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 38, 39, 40, 41, 42 and 43.

All that part of Block No. 1075, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected upon lot Ward No. 49 of said block and distant 365 feet 10½ inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-ninth street projected 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of the lot Ward No. 49, all of lot Ward No. 48, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 47 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 45, 46, 47, 48, 49 and 50.

All that parcel of land bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a point in the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, distant 365 feet 10½ inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (2) southerly and at right angles to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (3) southerly and at right angles to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 60 feet to the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street; thence (4) westerly along the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (5) northerly and at right angles to One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 60 feet to the place of beginning, containing 3,000 square feet; and numbered on the aforesaid property map Parcel No. 51.

All that part of Block No. 1074, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street on lot Ward No. 50 of said block, and distant 365 feet 10½ inches from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of lot Ward No. 50, all of lot Ward No. 49, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 48 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 52, 53, 54, 55, 56 and 57.

All that part of Block No. 1073, which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street on lot Ward No. 50 of said block, and distant 365 feet 10½ inches from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of lot Ward No. 50, all of lot Ward No. 49, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 48 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 58, 59, 60, 61, 62 and 63.

All that part of Block No. 1072 which is described as follows: Beginning at a point in the southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street on lot Ward No. 50 of said Block and distant 365 feet, 10½ inches easterly from the easterly line of Tenth avenue, and running thence (1) easterly along said southerly line of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street 50 feet; thence (2) southerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street; thence (3) westerly along said northerly line of One Hundred and Forty-fifth street 50 feet; thence (4) northerly and parallel to said easterly line of Tenth avenue 199.84 feet to the place of beginning, comprising the easterly part of lot Ward No. 50, all of lot Ward No. 49, the westerly part of lots Ward Nos. 48 and 17, all of lot Ward No. 16, and the easterly part of lot Ward No. 15, containing 9,992 square feet; and numbered on said property map Parcels Nos. 64, 65, 66, 67, 68 and 69.

ROUTE.

The track or route of the said Aqueduct in tunnel from a point on the easterly bank of the Harlem river to a point in Convent avenue, near One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, in the City of New York, as shown upon said maps, is as follows:

Beginning upon the centre line of the survey of said Aqueduct route, as shown on said maps, at a point upon the westerly line of the lands now owned or occupied by the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company upon the easterly bank of the Harlem river, about one-fourth of a mile northeasterly of the High Bridge, and distant upon said westerly line of said railroad lands 79.31 feet from the prolongation of the northerly line of a road or street from Sedgwick avenue to Commerce avenue; and running thence (1) along said centre line upon a course of north 56° 30' west across and under the Harlem river, and thence to a point in Tenth avenue 300 feet northerly of the north line of One Hundred and Seventy-eighth street and near the centre of said avenue, a distance of about 1,300 feet; thence (2) still upon said centre line, upon a course of south 38° 19' west along and parallel with Tenth avenue and 46 feet 7½ inches westerly of the easterly line of said avenue, a distance of about 7,103 feet to a point in said avenue 114.56 feet northerly of the northerly line of One Hundred and Fifty-second street; thence (3) still along said centre line, upon a curve bending to the eastward, with a radius of 350 feet, to a point upon lot Ward No. 7, of Block No. 1078, and thence reversing upon a curve bending to the westward, with a radius of 350 feet, a distance of 830.78 feet to a point in One Hundred and Fiftieth street distant 14.68 feet southerly from the northerly line of said street, and 390.87 feet easterly of the easterly line of Tenth avenue; thence (4) still along said centre line upon a course of south 38° 19' west to and through Convent avenue, parallel with and near its centre to a point in said avenue near its intersection with the northerly line of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, a distance of 3,906 feet; the whole length upon said centre line of said aqueduct, as above described, being 13,160 feet, and its width throughout said distance being 25 feet on each side of said centre line, save and except in its passage across the Harlem river, and where a greater width is shown upon the said map at the several sites of the working shafts for the construction of the tunnel of the said aqueduct, and which sites are colored on said map in pink.

The enumeration of the numbers of the parcels to be taken in fee is as follows: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 44 and 70.

The enumeration of the numbers of the parcels in which an easement in perpetuity is to be acquired is as follows: Nos. 7, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68 and 69.