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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Report for the Quarter ending June 30, 1889.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT,
Nos. 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET,
OFFICE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.
NEW YORK, July 30, 1889.

To the Hon. HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor of New York:

SIR—We have the honor to submit herewith the report of the operations and actions of this Department for the quarter ending June 30, 1889:

On May 2, the following appointments as Fire Commissioners were made:

Commissioner Henry D. Purroy, to succeed Commissioner Fitz John Porter, term expired.
S. Howland Robbins, to succeed Commissioner Richard Croker, appointed City Chamberlain.
Anthony Eickhoff, to succeed Commissioner Henry D. Purroy, resigned.
Commissioner Eickhoff was elected Treasurer of the Board.
Commissioner Robbins was appointed Chairman of the Committee on Telegraph and Supplies.
Commissioner Eickhoff was appointed Chairman of the Committee on Buildings and Apparatus.

BUREAU OF CHIEF OF DEPARTMENT.

Number and Character of Alarms, Manner of Receipt and Cause.

ALARMS.	MANNER OF RECEIPT.					CAUSE.														
	From Department Street Alarm-boxes.	Special Department Telegraph Signals.	Verbally.	Automatic Telegraph	Total.	Accidents.	Cry of "Fire."	Error.	Exhibition of Department.	Explosions.	Fire outside of City.	Heat and Disarrangement of Aut. Telegraph.	Ignorance.	Malicious Mischief.	Not ascertained.	Reflection from Stoves, etc.	Reflection of Distant Fire.	Smoke, etc., issuing from Premises.	Fire.	Total.
Fires.....	361	4	304	..	669	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	669	669
Indication of fire..	23	2	18	..	43	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	7	..	34	...	43
Unnecessary.....	14	1	2	2	19	4	..	..	..	3	..	1	3	4	3	1	..	..	..	19
Total.....	398	7	324	2	731	4	..	..	..	4	..	1	3	4	4	8	..	34	669	731

53 alarms were communicated by attachés of this Department, of which 50 proved to be for fires.

233	"	"	"	Police	"	221	"	"
117	"	"	"	District key-holders,	"	106	"	"
75	"	"	"	Citizen	"	70	"	"
253	"	"	"	all other means,	"	222	"	"
731	"	"	"	all the various means,	"	669	"	"

Statistics of Fires.

	APRIL.	MAY.	JUNE.	QUARTER.
In Buildings—				
Confined to point of starting.....	236	183	192	611
Confined to building.....	11	11	11	33
Extended to other buildings.....	2	2	1	5
Total in buildings.....	249	196	204	649
In vessels.....	4	1	..	5
In places other than buildings and vessels.....	5	5	5	15
Total.....	258	202	209	669
Extinguished—				
Without engine stream.....	166	133	143	442
With one engine stream.....	60	44	47	151
With two or three engine streams.....	17	19	16	52
With more than three engine streams.....	15	6	3	24
Total.....	258	202	209	669

	APRIL.	MAY.	JUNE.	QUARTER.
Extent of damage to buildings and vessels—				
Built mainly of brick, stone or iron:				
Slight.....	47	38	34	119
Considerable.....	10	7	5	22
Destroyed.....	6	..	1	7
Total.....	63	45	40	148
Extent of damage to buildings and vessels—				
Built mainly of wood:				
Slight.....	16	3	2	21
Considerable.....	2	1	..	3
Destroyed.....	1	2	..	3
Total.....	19	6	2	27
Total buildings and vessels damaged, to which the damage was—				
Slight.....	63	41	36	140
Considerable.....	12	8	5	25
Destroyed.....	7	2	1	10
Number of fires resulting in damage to contents only; build-ings or vessels not damaged.....	39	36	52	127
Number of fires resulting in nominal damages (less than \$10), to either structures or contents.....	86	63	71	220

Number of Fires occurring each Day of the Week, and during the Different Hours and Periods of the Day, by Months.

	APRIL.	MAY.	JUNE.	QUARTER.
Monday.....	46	35	38	119
Tuesday.....	41	18	29	88
Wednesday.....	41	42	31	114
Thursday.....	46	35	24	105
Friday.....	26	32	30	88
Saturday.....	36	16	33	85
Sunday.....	22	24	24	70
Between the hours of—				
12 midnight and 1 a. m.....	5	3	5	13
1 a. m. and 2 a. m.....	7	10	5	22
2 a. m. and 3 a. m.....	5	5	5	15
3 a. m. and 4 a. m.....	7	5	2	14
4 a. m. and 5 a. m.....	3	3	3	9
5 a. m. and 6 a. m.....	4	6	5	15
6 a. m. and 7 a. m.....	3	4	1	8
7 a. m. and 8 a. m.....	6	4	6	16
8 a. m. and 9 a. m.....	3	7	4	14
9 a. m. and 10 a. m.....	10	6	6	22
10 a. m. and 11 a. m.....	14	10	9	33
11 a. m. and 12 m.....	15	14	10	39
12 m. and 1 p. m.....	8	2	14	24
1 p. m. and 2 p. m.....	11	5	15	31
2 p. m. and 3 p. m.....	7	10	12	29
3 p. m. and 4 p. m.....	14	13	9	36
4 p. m. and 5 p. m.....	6	2	4	12
5 p. m. and 6 p. m.....	15	7	12	34
6 p. m. and 7 p. m.....	28	7	11	46
7 p. m. and 8 p. m.....	31	15	9	55
8 p. m. and 9 p. m.....	23	19	25	67
9 p. m. and 10 p. m.....	9	16	15	40
10 p. m. and 11 p. m.....	14	16	12	42
11 p. m. and 12 midnight.....	10	13	10	33
Between 6 a. m. and 6 p. m.....	112	94	108	314
Between 6 p. m. and 6 a. m.....	146	108	101	355
Total.....	258	202	209	669

Notable Fires.

April 19—Fifty-ninth street and Twelfth avenue, a five-story brick building, one hundred and fifty by two hundred feet, divided by a wall through the centre. The front (or Fifty-ninth street) half was occupied as a lard refinery and rendering establishment, and the rear as a storehouse for general merchandise. The Chief of Department made a special report of the operations at this fire to the following effect:

The fire originated in the lard refinery, and owing to the nature of the contents, and to the greasy condition of the building itself, resulting from the business carried on therein, the fire spread

June 14.—No. 33 Norfolk street, a six-story brick tenement building, twenty-five by eighty feet, occupied by twenty-two families, the fire originated on the second floor and the first alarm thereof was received at 6.20 P. M. The first company (Engine 17), arrived in about two minutes after the alarm was received and found the fire extending up the stairway and over all the apartments to the roof. The building was provided with fire-escapes on both front and rear; but notwithstanding this, the bodies of a woman (Mrs. Kelickman), aged 70, and a child (Esther Goldberg), aged 2, were found on the third floor after the fire was extinguished, having undoubtedly been overcome by the smoke and heat while endeavoring to escape before the arrival of the force. There was evidently a great delay in sending out the alarm, as Hook and Ladder 18, located in Attorney street, near Delancey, had received a verbal alarm and were preparing to respond when the telegraphic alarm was received, while the Chief of the Fourth Battalion reports that upon his arrival, but four minutes after the alarm, he found that the fire had extended throughout the entire building, from the second story to the roof. Subsequently second and third alarms were sent out. The services of seven engine and four hook and ladder companies were required to extinguish the fire, and it was under control in about one hour. Three engine companies reported no water pressure on the hydrants used by them, and the reports of all the companies showed a very deficient supply of water. The services of one of the companies were rendered entirely useless because of its failure to obtain water. The fire was caused by a kerosene-oil stove taking fire, and resulted in an estimated loss of \$8,950.

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ORIGIN.	CAUSE.							PREMISES WHEREIN FIRE ORIGINATED OCCUPIED AS—													Aggregate Loss to Structures and Contents.			
	Accidental.	Carelessness.	Defective Building and Construction.	Mischievousness.	Maliciousness.	Incendiarism.	Not Ascertained.	Total.	Dwellings.	Mercantile Establishments.	Manufactories and Workshops.	Offices.	Restaurants and Saloons.	Storehouses.	Stables.	Places of Amusement and Recreation.	Religious and Educational Institutions.	Lumber, Coal and Wood Yards.	Piers, Docks, etc.	Vessels.	Miscellaneous.	Total.		
Kerosene-oil used in lighting fires.....	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	
Soot in flues and fireplaces igniting wood-work.....	..	\$2,782 21	..	..	..	..	..	\$2,782 21	\$182 10	\$2,300 1	\$75 2	..	\$225 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	..	\$2,782
Sparks from stoves, chimneys, stove pipes, etc., igniting woodwork, clothing, etc.	\$205 7	\$140 2	..	..	..	..	..	\$345 9	\$345 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	345
Steam-pipes igniting floor beams, wood-work, etc.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Stoves, boilers, furnaces, stove and heater pipes igniting bedding, clothing, woodwork, etc.....	\$285 4	\$340 8	..	..	..	..	..	\$625 12	\$410 7	\$5 1	\$205 3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$5 1	12	..	625
Stoves, furnaces and grates, hot coals falling from.....	\$310 3	\$50 1	..	..	..	..	..	\$360 4	\$285 2	..	\$75 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	360
Total number of fires.....	15	83	7	..	..	..	..	105	89	3	9	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	105	..	..
Total loss.....	\$800	\$3,312	\$5,960	..	..	..	..	\$10,072	\$5,237	\$3,605	\$955	..	\$225	..	..	..	\$25	..	..	..	\$5	..	..	\$10,072
<i>In Illuminating.</i>																								
Electric lights, sparks from.....	\$8,854 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$8,854 10	..	\$15 2	\$7,494 4	\$70 1	\$1,275 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	10	\$8,854
Gas escaping and igniting.....	\$12,745 4	\$5 7	..	..	..	..	..	\$12,745 11	\$10,895 9	..	\$1,850 1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	12,745
Gas-lights, candles, lamps, etc., igniting merchandise in stores, show-windows, and bedding, straw, wood-work, rubbish, etc.....	\$530 11	\$9,245 70	..	..	..	..	..	\$9,775 81	\$9,348 65	\$4,270 10	\$70 2	\$2 1	\$35 1	..	..	..	\$50 1	..	..	..	..	81	..	9,775
Lamps, kerosene-oil, breaking.....	..	\$5 1	..	..	\$1 1	..	..	\$6 2	\$6 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	6
Lamps, kerosene-oil, exploding.....	\$10,254 42	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$10,254 42	\$9,454 41	..	\$800 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42	..	10,254
Lamps, kerosene-oil, falling.....	\$2,075 17	\$92 6	..	..	..	..	..	\$3,067 17	\$967 13	\$950 2	\$1,150 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	..	3,067
Lamps, kerosene-oil, upsetting.....	\$30 1	\$30 4	..	..	..	..	..	\$60 5	\$60 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	60
Lamps, kerosene-oil, taking fire.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Matches, lighted tapers, etc., igniting clothing, woodwork, rubbish, etc.....	..	\$17,290 38	..	..	..	..	..	\$17,290 38	\$7,655 26	\$3,620 5	\$5,975 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$40 2	38	..	17,290
Total number of fires.....	80	126	..	..	1	..	..	207	162	18	15	2	3	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	4	207	..	..
Total loss.....	\$35,323	\$26,667	..	..	1	..	..	\$62,051	\$34,385	\$8,855	\$17,339	\$72	\$1,310	..	..	..	\$50	..	..	..	\$40	..	..	\$62,051
<i>In Manufacturing and Other Business.</i>																								
Alcohol, tar, gum, oils, paints, varnish, etc., igniting on stoves, furnaces, over gas-lights, etc.....	\$3,337 13	\$5,300 1	..	..	..	..	..	\$8,637 14	\$105 4	2	\$5,500 3	..	\$3,032 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	14	..	\$8,637
Charcoal fire igniting woodwork.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Foul chimneys.....	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Friction of machinery.....	\$9,865 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$9,865 5	..	\$15 1	\$9,850 4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	9,865
Gas stoves, gas-lights, igniting woodwork, paper, merchandise, etc.....	..	\$65 3	..	..	..	..	..	\$65 3	\$5 1	..	\$60 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	65
Hams, meats, etc., in ovens and smoke-houses, igniting.....	\$1,250 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$1,250 1	..	..	\$1,250 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1,250
Kerosene oil stoves bursting, taking fire, etc.....	\$35 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$35 1	..	..	\$35 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	35
Lime, slaking of.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Naphtha and benzine vapor igniting.....	1	\$170 6	..	..	..	..	..	\$170 7	..	\$170 4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	170
Phosphorus igniting.....	\$375 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$375 2	..	\$375 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	375
Sparks from chimneys, forges, furnaces, engines, steamships, locomotives, etc., igniting roofs, shavings, woodwork, etc.....	\$8,918 30	\$4,140 3	..	..	..	..	..	\$13,058 33	\$175 3	\$4,093 8	\$3,630 12	..	\$135 4	..	..	..	..	\$5,000 1	..	..	\$25 4	33	..	13,058
Steam pipes igniting merchandise.....	..	\$400 1	..	..	..	..	..	\$400 1	..	..	\$400 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	400
Stoves and furnaces, hot coals falling from.....	\$2,065 3	\$135 5	..	..	..	..	..	\$2,200 8	\$40 3	..	\$2,155 4	..	\$5 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	2,200
Spontaneous combustion of oily rags, etc.....	\$5,175 3	\$850 2	..	..	..	..	..	\$6,025 5	..	\$1,675 2	\$4,500 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	6,175
Stoves, boilers, furnaces, ovens, etc., igniting merchandise, shavings, etc.....	\$124,217 8	\$80 3	..	..	..	..	..	\$124,297 11	..	..	\$124,290 7	..	..	..	\$5 1	..	..	\$2 1	..	..	..	11	..	124,297
Workmen burning rubbish.....	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Total number of fires.....	68	29	..	..	..	..	..	97	11	21	43	1	7	..	1	..	..	2	..	3	8	97	..	..
Total loss.....	\$155,327	\$11,140	..	..	..	..	..	\$166,527	\$325	\$6,328	\$150,670	..	\$3,172	..	\$5	..	..	\$5,002	..	..	\$25	..	..	\$166,527
<i>Miscellaneous.</i>																								
Benzine vapor igniting.....	..	\$100 1	..	..	..	..	..	\$100 1	\$100 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	\$100
Bonfires.....	..	..	..	\$74 6	..	..	..	\$74 6	..	..	\$24 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$50 4	6	..	74
Clothing igniting from lighted torch.....	..	..	..	..	\$3 1	..	..	\$3 1	\$3 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3
Cigars, pipes, etc., smoking of.....	2	\$28,174 40	..	..	..	..	..	\$28,174 42	\$495 12	\$65 5	\$6,040 15	\$22 2	\$1,015 2	\$19,487 2	\$525 2	..	..	..	\$25 1	..	\$500 1	42	..	28,174
Fat, glue, varnish, etc., taking fire on stoves, etc.....	\$335 7	\$90 2	..	..	..	..	..	\$425 9	\$425 9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..	425
Firecrackers.....	..	..	..	\$30 1	1	..	..	\$30 2	..	..	1	..	\$30 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	30
Gas stoves, etc.....	\$450 1	\$10 1	..	..	..	..	..	\$460 2	\$460 2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	460
Hot ashes igniting woodwork.....	..	\$5,500 3	..	..	..	..	..	\$5,500 3	..	\$5,500 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	5,500
Kerosene-oil poured over woodwork, carpet, etc., and ignited.....	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..
Kerosene-oil stoves upsetting, falling, etc.....	\$20 2	\$80 3	..	..	..	..	..	\$100 5	\$100 5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	100
Kerosene-oil stoves taking fire.....	\$9,332 14	\$5 1	..	..	..	..	..	\$9,332 15	\$9,332 14	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	..	9,332
Lightning igniting building.....	\$3,500 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$3,500 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$3,500 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3,500

ORIGIN.	CAUSE.								PREMISES WHEREIN FIRE ORIGINATED OCCUPIED AS—														Aggregate Loss to Structures and Contents.
	Accidental.	Carelessness.	Defective Building and Construction.	Mischievousness.	Maliciousness.	Incendiarism.	Not Ascertained.	Total.	Dwellings.	Mercantile Establishments.	Manufactories and Workshops.	Offices.	Restaurants and Saloons.	Storehouses.	Stables.	Places of Amusement and Recreation.	Religious and Educational Institutions.	Lumber, Coal and Wood Yards.	Piers, Docks, etc.	Vessels.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	
Matches, children playing with.....	..	..	..	\$1,867 19	..	..	..	\$1,867 19	\$1,867 19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	\$1,867
Matches gnawed by rats and mice.....	..	\$30,942 19	..	..	..	..	..	\$30,942 19	\$925 2	\$5,462 5	\$20,350 9	..	\$35 2	..	\$4,170 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	30,942
Matches igniting awnings, straw, rubbish, woodwork, etc.....	\$1,325 0	\$70,912 49	..	..	\$10 1	\$256 7	..	\$72,503 67	\$11,207 35	\$32,930 7	\$27,256 16	..	\$350 1	..	\$735 3	..	..	..	..	..	\$25 5	67	72,503
Not ascertained.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	\$2,489,188 61	\$2,489,188 61	\$14,158 22	\$127,064 14	\$2,334,816 18	\$8,250 1	\$2,500 4	..	\$400 1	..	..	..	..	\$2,000 1	..	61	2,489,188
Sulphur igniting clothing, etc.....	..	\$300 1	..	..	..	..	..	\$300 1	\$300 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	300
Sparks from distant fire.....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Spontaneous combustion of oily rubbish, etc.....	1	\$20 1	..	..	..	..	..	\$20 2	..	1	..	..	\$20 1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	20
Tramps building fires in woods, unoccupied houses, etc.....	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..
Total number of fires.....	36	122	..	30	4	8	61	261	127	33	62	3	11	2	8	..	1	..	1	1	12	261	..
Total loss.....	\$14,957	\$136,133	..	\$1,971	\$13	\$256	\$2,489,188	\$2,642,518	\$39,372	\$171,021	\$2,388,486	\$8,272	\$3,950	\$19,487	\$9,330	..	..	..	\$25	\$2,000	\$575	..	\$2,642,518
RECAPITULATION.																							
In Heating.....	15	83	7	..	..	..	..	105	89	3	9	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	105	..
Loss.....	\$800	\$3,312	\$5,960	..	..	..	..	\$1,072	\$5,257	\$3,605	\$955	..	\$225	..	..	..	\$25	..	..	..	\$5	..	\$10,072
In Illuminating.....	80	126	..	..	1	..	..	207	162	18	15	2	3	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	4	207	..
Loss.....	\$35,383	\$26,667	..	..	\$1	..	..	\$62,051	\$34,685	\$8,855	\$17,339	\$72	\$1,310	..	..	..	\$50	..	..	..	\$40	..	\$62,051
In Manufacturing, etc.....	68	29	..	..	..	..	..	97	11	21	43	1	7	..	1	..	..	2	..	3	8	97	..
Loss.....	\$155,387	\$11,140	..	..	..	..	..	\$166,527	\$325	\$6,328	\$151,670	..	\$3,172	..	\$5	..	..	\$5,002	..	..	\$25	..	\$166,527
In Miscellaneous.....	36	122	..	30	4	8	61	261	127	33	62	3	11	2	8	..	1	..	1	1	12	261	..
Loss.....	\$14,957	\$136,133	..	\$1,971	\$13	\$256	\$2,489,188	\$2,642,518	\$39,372	\$171,021	\$2,388,486	\$8,272	\$3,950	\$19,487	\$9,330	..	..	..	\$25	\$2,000	\$575	..	\$2,642,518
Aggregate.....	199	360	7	30	5	8	61	670	389	75	129	6	23	2	9	1	3	2	1	5	25	670	..
Loss.....	\$206,527	\$177,252	\$5,960	\$1,971	\$14	\$256	\$2,489,188	\$2,881,168	\$79,339	\$189,809	\$2,558,450	\$8,344	\$8,657	\$19,487	\$9,335	..	\$75	\$5,002	\$25	\$2,000	\$645	..	\$2,881,168

Origin of Fires by Districts and Months.
First District—Part of City lying South of Chambers Street.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	2	..	..	2	1	1	..	2	..	7	..	7	..	6	..	6	3	14	..	17	\$14,727	\$65,492	\$80,219
May.....	1	..	..	1	1	1	1	3	..	2	..	2	..	11	..	11	2	14	1	17	23,660	112,834	136,494
June.....	1	..	..	1	2	2	..	4	..	3	..	3	..	5	..	5	3	10	..	13	1,630	24,025	25,655
Total.....	4	..	..	4	4	4	1	9	..	12	..	12	..	22	..	22	8	38	1	47	\$40,017	\$202,351	\$242,368
Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—																							
Dwellings.....				1,012	Number of fires in dwellings.....				8	Number of dwellings to each fire.....				126	Number of business places to each fire.....				101				
Business.....				3,805	Number of fires in business buildings.....				38														
Total.....				4,817	Total fires in buildings.....				46	Number of buildings to each fire.....				105									

Second District—Part of City lying between Chambers and Houston Streets, West of West Broadway and South Fifth Avenue.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	4	..	..	4	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	4	7	3	..	10	\$945	\$4,945	\$5,890
May.....	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	2	1	..	3	4	1	1	6	415	285	700
June.....	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	3	..	2	2	4	1	1	..	2	4	3	2	9	510	1,000	1,510
Total.....	5	..	..	5	6	..	..	6	..	2	3	5	4	5	..	9	15	7	3	25	\$1,870	\$6,230	\$8,100
Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—																							
Dwellings.....				2,518	Number of fires in dwellings.....				15	Number of dwellings to each fire.....				168	Number of business places to each fire.....				129				
Business.....				902	Number of fires in business buildings.....				7														
Total.....				3,420	Total fires in buildings.....				22	Number of buildings to each fire.....				155									

Third District—Part of City lying between Chambers and Houston Streets, West Broadway and South Fifth Avenue, and Crosby, Elm and Centre Streets.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	1	2	..	3	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	4	..	4	1	8	..	9	\$2,907	\$10,105	\$13,012
May.....	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	5	..	5	..	7	..	7	1,475	15,125	16,600
June.....	1	1	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	3	..	3	1	6	..	7	750	4,700	5,450
Total.....	2	3	..	5	..	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	..	12	..	12	2	21	..	23	\$5,132	\$29,930	\$35,062
Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—																							
Dwellings.....				333	Number of fires in dwellings.....				2	Number of dwellings to each fire.....				166	Number of business places to each fire.....				62				
Business.....				1,303	Number of fires in business buildings.....				21														
Total.....				1,636	Total fires in buildings.....				23	Number of buildings to each fire.....				71									

Fourth District—Part of City lying between Chambers and Houston Streets, East of Crosby, Elm and Centre Streets.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	9	3	..	12	10	6	..	16	1	6	3	10	9	11	1	21	29	26	4	59	\$3,199	\$23,548	\$26,747
May.....	3	2	..	5	14	2	..	16	1	2	..	3	9	4	..	13	27	10	..	37	2,295	6,927	9,222
June.....	5	1	..	6	13	4	..	17	3	8	..	11	19	5	..	24	40	18	..	58	6,805	16,661	23,466
Total.....	17	6	..	23	37	12	..	49	5	16	3	24	37	20	1	58	96	54	4	154	\$12,299	\$47,136	\$59,435

Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—
 Dwellings..... 9,994
 Business..... 2,593
 Total..... 12,587

Number of fires in dwellings..... 95
 Number of fires in business buildings..... 54
 Total fires in buildings..... 150

Number of dwellings to each fire..... 14
 Number of business places to each fire..... 48
 Number of buildings to each fire..... 84

Fifth District—Part of City lying between Houston and Twenty-third Streets.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	7	1	..	8	11	3	..	14	..	4	..	4	7	3	1	11	25	11	1	37	\$5,565	\$6,924	\$12,489
May.....	6	1	..	7	12	3	..	15	..	5	..	5	11	10	1	22	29	19	1	49	4,207	21,849	26,056
June.....	3	1	..	4	9	2	..	11	1	5	1	7	7	11	1	19	20	19	2	41	15,742	41,294	57,036
Total.....	16	3	..	19	32	8	..	40	1	14	1	16	25	24	3	52	74	49	4	127	\$25,514	\$70,067	\$95,581

Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—
 Dwellings..... 15,086
 Business..... 3,836
 Total..... 19,922

Number of fires in dwellings..... 74
 Number of fires in business buildings..... 49
 Total fires in buildings..... 123

Number of dwellings to each fire..... 216
 Number of business places to each fire..... 78
 Number of buildings to each fire..... 161

Sixth District—Part of City lying between Twenty-third and Fifty-ninth Streets.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	15	1	..	16	20	5	1	26	1	7	..	8	13	7	1	21	49	20	2	71	\$12,592	\$17,676	\$30,268
May.....	9	..	..	9	12	3	1	16	2	5	1	8	7	2	1	10	30	10	3	43	2,265	10,805	13,070
June.....	3	1	..	4	13	..	2	15	1	8	..	9	9	6	2	17	26	15	4	45	41,150	82,370	123,520
Total.....	27	2	..	29	45	8	4	57	4	20	1	25	29	15	4	48	105	45	9	159	\$56,047	\$110,851	\$166,898

Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—
 Dwellings..... 22,274
 Business..... 4,585
 Total..... 26,859

Number of fires in dwellings..... 105
 Number of fires in business buildings..... 45
 Total fires in buildings..... 150

Number of dwellings to each fire..... 117
 Number of business places to each fire..... 102
 Number of buildings to each fire..... 179

Seventh District—Part of City lying between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Tenth Streets, West of Fifth Avenue.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	3	1	2	1	4	\$549,130	\$1,501,732	\$2,050,862
May.....	..	1	..	1	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	4	2	..	6	660	217	877
June.....	1	..	..	1	2	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	4	20	235	255
Total.....	1	1	1	3	5	1	..	6	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	5	8	5	1	14	\$549,810	\$1,502,184	\$2,051,994

Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—
 Dwellings..... 2,493
 Business..... 1,021
 Total..... 3,514

Number of fires in dwellings..... 8
 Number of fires in business buildings..... 5
 Total fires in buildings..... 13

Number of dwellings to each fire..... 312
 Number of business places to each fire..... 204
 Number of buildings to each fire..... 270

Eighth District—Part of City lying between Fifty-ninth and One Hundred and Tenth Streets, East of Fifth Avenue.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	4	..	..	4	7	1	..	8	..	..	..	..	6	1	..	7	17	2	..	19	\$447	\$1,270	\$1,717
May.....	2	..	..	2	4	1	..	5	..	..	..	..	3	2	..	5	9	3	..	12	20,652	46,010	66,662
June.....	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	2	..	2	..	2	7	2	..	9	10	4	..	14	1,350	3,965	5,315
Total.....	7	..	..	7	13	2	..	15	..	2	..	2	16	5	..	21	36	9	..	45	\$22,449	\$51,245	\$73,694

Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—
 Dwellings..... 9,689
 Business..... 1,454
 Total..... 11,143

Number of fires in dwellings..... 36
 Number of fires in business buildings..... 9
 Total fires in buildings..... 45

Number of dwellings to each fire..... 214
 Number of business places to each fire..... 162
 Number of buildings to each fire..... 248

Ninth District—Part of City lying between One Hundred and Tenth Street and Harlem River, West of Eighth Avenue.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	2	..	1	2	3	1	2	3	6	\$5,705	\$150	\$5,855
May.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	..	..	1	1	1	1	3	402	3,005	3,407
June.....	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	1	2	..	2	4	25	540	565
Total.....	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	2	..	2	3	5	1	1	3	5	4	3	6	13	\$6,132	\$3,695	\$9,827
Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—																							
Dwellings.....				1,862	Number of fires in dwellings.....				4	Number of dwellings to each fire.....				465	Number of business places to each fire.....				520				
Business.....				1,560	Number of fires in business buildings.....				3	Number of buildings to each fire.....				489									
Total.....				3,422	Total fires in buildings.....				7														

Tenth District—Part of City lying between One Hundred and Tenth Street and Harlem River, East of Eighth Avenue.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	1	..	..	1	5	1	..	6	..	..	..	..	3	3	1	7	9	4	1	14	\$63,625	\$63,816	\$127,441
May.....	2	..	..	2	5	..	..	5	..	1	..	1	4	3	..	7	11	4	..	15	115	245	360
June.....	2	..	..	2	2	1	..	3	..	2	..	2	..	3	1	4	4	6	1	11	547	1,378	1,925
Total.....	5	..	..	5	12	2	..	14	..	3	..	3	7	9	2	18	24	14	2	40	\$64,287	\$65,439	\$129,726
Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—																							
Dwellings.....				6,941	Number of fires in dwellings.....				24	Number of dwellings to each fire.....				289	Number of business places to each fire.....				67				
Business.....				945	Number of fires in business buildings.....				14	Number of buildings to each fire.....				205									
Total.....				7,886	Total fires in buildings.....				38														

Eleventh District—Part of City lying between Harlem and East Rivers, Kingsbridge Road, etc., and Bronx River.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	1	..	..	1	6	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	2	8	1	..	9	\$50	\$218	\$268
May.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	3	..	5	2	4	..	6	3,950	1,565	5,515
June.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	2	..	..	2	1,300	50	1,350
Total.....	1	..	..	1	6	..	..	6	..	1	..	1	5	4	..	9	12	5	..	17	\$5,300	\$1,833	\$7,133
Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—																							
Dwellings.....				6,989	Number of fires in dwellings.....				12	Number of dwellings to each fire.....				582	Number of business places to each fire.....				637				
Business.....				3,184	Number of fires in business buildings.....				5	Number of buildings to each fire.....				598									
Total.....				10,173	Total fires in buildings.....				17														

Twelfth District—Part of City lying North of Spuyten Duyvil Creek and Kingsbridge Road, etc.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	1	..	3	\$500	\$25	\$525
May.....	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..
June.....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total.....	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	3	1	..	4	\$500	\$25	\$525
Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—																							
Dwellings.....				945	Number of fires in dwellings.....				3	Number of dwellings to each fire.....				315	Number of business places to each fire.....				674				
Business.....				674	Number of fires in business buildings.....				1	Number of buildings to each fire.....				405									
Total.....				1,619	Total fires in buildings.....				4														

Thirteenth District—Governor's, Bedloe's, Ellis', Blackwell's, Ward's, Randall's and North Brother Islands.

MONTHS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
April.....
May.....
June.....	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	2	\$325	\$500	\$825
Total.....	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	2	\$325	\$500	\$825
Number of buildings in district (as per enumeration in 1885)—																							
Dwellings.....				219	Number of fires in dwellings.....				2	Number of dwellings to each fire.....				109	Number of business places to each fire.....				..				
Business.....				231	Number of fires in business buildings.....				..	Number of buildings to each fire.....				225									
Total.....				450	Total fires in buildings.....				2														

Recapitulation.

DISTRICTS.	IN HEATING.				IN ILLUMINATING.				IN MANUFACTURING AND OTHER BUSINESS.				MISCELLANEOUS.				NUMBER OF FIRES.				NUMBER OF BUILDINGS.			AVERAGE NUMBER OF BUILDINGS TO EACH FIRE.			LOSS.		
	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business.	Other Places.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business, etc.	Total.	Dwellings.	Business, etc.	Total.	Buildings.	Contents.	Total.
First	4	..	..	4	4	4	1	9	..	12	..	12	..	22	..	22	8	38	1	47	1,012	3,805	4,817	126	101	105	\$40,017	\$202,351	\$242,368
Second	5	..	..	5	6	..	..	6	..	2	3	5	4	5	..	9	15	7	3	25	2,518	902	3,420	168	129	155	1,870	6,230	8,100
Third.....	2	3	..	5	..	3	..	3	..	3	..	3	..	12	..	12	2	21	..	23	333	1,303	1,636	166	62	71	5,132	29,930	35,062
Fourth	17	6	..	23	37	12	..	49	5	16	3	24	37	20	1	58	96	54	4	154	9,994	2,598	12,592	14	48	84	12,299	47,136	59,435
Fifth	16	3	..	19	32	8	..	40	1	14	1	16	25	24	3	52	74	49	4	127	15,086	3,836	19,822	216	78	161	25,514	70,067	95,581
Sixth.....	27	2	..	29	45	8	4	57	4	20	1	25	29	15	4	48	105	45	9	159	22,274	4,585	26,859	117	102	179	56,047	110,851	166,898
Seventh.....	1	1	1	3	5	1	..	6	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	5	8	5	1	14	2,493	1,021	3,514	312	204	270	549,810	1,502,184	2,051,994
Eighth.....	7	..	..	7	13	2	..	15	..	2	..	2	16	5	..	21	36	9	..	45	9,689	1,454	11,143	214	162	248	22,449	51,245	73,694
Ninth	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	2	..	2	3	5	1	1	3	5	4	3	6	13	1,862	1,560	3,422	465	520	489	6,132	3,695	9,827
Tenth	5	..	..	5	12	2	..	14	..	3	..	3	7	9	2	18	24	14	2	40	6,741	915	7,886	287	67	205	64,287	65,459	129,726
Eleventh.....	1	..	..	1	6	..	..	6	..	1	..	1	5	4	..	9	12	5	..	17	6,989	3,184	10,173	582	637	598	5,300	1,833	7,133
Twelfth.....	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	3	1	..	4	945	674	1,619	315	674	405	500	25	525
Thirteenth .....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	2	..	..	2	219	231	450	109	..	225	325	500	825
Total.....	89	15	1	105	162	40	5	207	11	75	11	97	127	121	13	261	389	251	30	670	81,255	26,098	107,353	209	104	168	\$789,682	\$2,091,486	\$2,881,168

BUREAU OF COMBUSTIBLES.

Operations under the Laws Regulating the Storage of Combustibles and Explosive Materials, etc.

COMPLAINTS OF VIOLATIONS, ETC.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total to be Disposed of.	DISPOSITION.						Now pending.
				Complied on Notice.	Unfounded.	Penalties Collected.	Penalties Remitted.	Prosecution Recommended.	Total.	
Selling kerosene-oil below test .....	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..
Chimney fires	17	61	78	..	..	31	20	..	51	27
Hoistways found open after conclusion of business	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..
Fire-hydrants obstructed .....	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Lights unprotected	8	..	8	1	..	..	..	..	1	7
Want of fire-extinguishing appliances	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
Combustible material in excessive quantity	7	18	25	11	5	..	..	..	16	9
Kerosene or naphtha, etc., in excessive quantity	2	5	7	1	4	..	..	..	5	2
Fireworks, chemicals, matches, etc., kept without permit .....	..	3	3	1	2	..	..	..	3	..
Chimneys, flues, heating apparatus, etc., unsafe	70	11	81	32	1	..	..	..	33	48
Total	108	100	208	47	12	33	20	..	112	96

Special surveys made to determine the fitness of premises for the storage of combustibles or explosive materials

Samples of kerosene-oil collected and tested

Money Received for Licenses and Permits Issued, Penalties Collected, Sale of Explosives, etc., Seized, etc.

For 1,330 kerosene-oil licenses issued, at \$10. \$13,300 00

For 277 special permits issued, at \$2. 554 00

For 9 wholesale fireworks permits issued, at \$20. 180 00

For 24 kindling fire in street permits issued at 50 cents

Total for licenses and permits

For 1 penalty for selling kerosene-oil below test, at \$50

For 31 penalties for chimney fires, at \$5

For 1 hoistway left open, at \$50

Total for penalties

Total received and turned over to the Relief Fund

REPORT OF BUREAU OF INSPECTION OF BUILDINGS.

Plans and Specifications for Alterations to Buildings Filed and Acted Upon.

CLASSIFICATION.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	Approved.	Amended and Approved.	Disapproved.	Now pending.	Total.	ESTIMATED COST.
Dwelling-houses	21	240	261	137	91	10	23	261	\$733,925 00
Flats	5	35	40	15	10	3	12	40	216,760 00
Tenement-houses	20	174	194	122	50	5	17	194	195,535 00
Hotels and boarding-houses	2	23	25	14	7	4	..	25	174,445 00
Stores	14	83	97	52	33	10	2	97	176,540 00
Office buildings .....	..	21	21	8	7	3	3	21	225,275 00
Manufactories and workshops	10	67	77	31	27	13	6	77	325,875 00
School-houses	1	5	6	6	..	..	..	6	6,100 00
Churches .....	..	7	7	4	2	1	..	7	42,800 00
Public buildings	5	29	34	15	13	3	3	34	144,550 00
Stables	1	16	17	6	8	3	..	17	50,075 00
Frame buildings	9	140	149	90	25	14	20	149	103,053 00
Totals	88	840	928	500	273	69	86	928	\$2,394,933 00

Number of applications for permits for new buildings and alterations, 1,386.

Plans and Specifications for New Buildings Filed and Acted Upon.

CLASSIFICATION.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	Approved.	Amended and Approved.	Disapproved.	Now pending.	Total.	ESTIMATED COST.
Dwelling-houses—Estimated cost over \$50,000. ....	..	2	2	..	1	1	..	2	\$310,000 00
Dwelling-houses—Estimated cost between \$20,000 and \$50,000.	16	80	96	15	59	13	9	96	2,092,300 00
Dwelling-houses—Estimated cost less than \$20,000.	9	202	211	57	124	22	8	211	2,310,500 00
Flats—Estimated cost over \$15,000	10	472	482	123	321	24	14	482	11,660,500 00
Tenement-houses—Estimated cost less than \$15,000.	4	80	84	23	56	..	5	84	965,000 00
Hotels and boarding-houses .....	..	5	5	..	2	3	..	5	1,064,000 00
Stores—Estimated cost over \$30,000.	1	19	20	2	10	5	3	20	1,911,000 00
Stores—Estimated cost between \$15,000 and \$30,000.	4	18	22	3	17	1	1	22	394,000 00
Stores—Estimated cost less than \$15,000.	1	16	17	4	11	1	1	17	63,400 00
Office buildings .....	..	5	5	..	2	2	1	5	1,077,500 00
Manufactories and workshops	5	45	50	17	23	6	4	50	1,431,950 00
School-houses .....	..	4	4	1	..	1	2	4	329,000 00
Churches	1	11	12	..	10	1	1	12	641,800 00
Public buildings—Municipal .....	..	3	3	3	..	..	..	3	44,435 00
Public buildings—Places of amusement, etc.	1	9	10	6	..	3	1	10	644,827 00
Stables .....	..	38	38	13	22	2	1	38	372,475 00
Frame dwellings in Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards	10	115	125	70	44	6	5	125	304,400 00
Other frame structures	2	687	689	612	23	51	3	689	141,066 00
Totals	64	1,811	1,875	949	725	142	59	1,875	\$25,758,153 00

Complaints Received and Investigated.

NATURE.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total.	Unfounded.	Remedied on Verbal Notice.	Notices to be Issued.	Total.	Now pending.
Defective flues .....	..	20	20	12	4	3	19	1
Defective construction and materials	5	16	21	11	..	4	15	6
Defective leaders	34	122	156	47	9	32	88	68
Erecting and altering without permit	7	29	36	20	..	8	28	8
Frame structures erected and removed without permit	8	54	62	18	..	34	52	10
Hoistway openings not guarded .....	..	3	3	..	1	1	2	1
Insufficient means of escape, fire-escapes out of repair, etc.	182	178	360	63	21	84	168	192
No iron shutters	1	1	2	..	..	1	1	1
Unsafe buildings	25	231	256	117	6	113	236	20
Unsafe freight elevators .....	..	3	3	2	..	1	3	..
Totals	262	657	919	290	41	281	612	307

Violations of Law and Unsafe Buildings.

NATURE.	Pending last Report.	Received since.	Total for Disposition.	Removed before Action by Courts.	Removed on Order of Courts.	Dismissed by Courts.	Discontinued.	Total Final Disposition.	Now pending.	Forwarded for Prosecution.
Defective construction, materials, etc.	161	163	324	167	..	1	9	177	147	158
Erecting, altering or removing without permit, or after disapproval	260	252	512	220	2	3	11	236	276	225
Insufficient means of escape, fire-escapes, aisles obstructed, etc.	1,036	741	1,777	701	..	2	175	878	899	519
Unsafe buildings	419	375	794	316	1	..	12	329	465	12
Totals	1,876	1,531	3,407	1,404	3	6	207	1,610	1,787	914

HORSES.

Number of horses on hand at last report.....	351
Purchased since	9
Died	1
Sold	5
On hand	354

On Probation.

At close of last quarter.....	8
Received since.....	29
Accepted.....	9
Rejected.....	14
Remaining on probation.....	23

NEW YORK FIRE DEPARTMENT RELIEF FUND.

Mar. 30, 1889	Balance on hand.....		\$593,629 71
June 29, 1889	Receipts for quarter:		
	From Fines.....	\$426 60	
	" Absences without leave.....	113 44	
	" Special leaves.....	777 16	
	" Interest.....	9,965 54	
	" Oil licenses.....	13,300 00	
	" Special permits.....	554 00	
	" Fire in street permits.....	12 00	
	" Fireworks	180 00	
	" Penalties.....	100 00	
	" Chimney fires.....	155 00	
	" Excise licenses.....	11,585 00	
	" Sales condemned horses, etc.....	400 50	
			37,569 24
			\$636,198 95
June 29, 1889	Disbursements for quarter:		
	For Pensions of retired men.....	\$12,133 90	
	" Pay of relieved men.....	8,677 99	
	" Pensions of widows and orphans.....	9,306 24	
			30,118 13
June 29, 1889	Balance.....		\$606,080 82

NEW YORK FIRE DEPARTMENT LIFE INSURANCE FUND.

Mar. 30, 1889	Balance on hand.....		\$2,502 87
June 29, 1889	Receipts:		
	For assessments.....		3,611 00
June 29, 1889	Disbursements:		
	To administrator of Frank Keely.....	\$1,000 00	
	" James Leavy.....	1,000 00	
	To administratrix of Patrick J. McEntee.....	1,000 00	
	To widow of Abraham Kilsheimer.....	1,000 00	
			4,000 00
June 29, 1889	Balance.....		\$2,113 87

Very respectfully,

S. HOWLAND ROBBINS,
ANTHONY EICKHOFF,
Commissioners.

CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

APPROVED PAPERS

Approved Papers for the week ending Saturday, September 21, 1889.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Common Council be and he is hereby authorized and directed to cause two hundred and fifty copies of all laws relating particularly to the City of New York, passed at the last session of the State Legislature, to be printed in the usual manner in document form, for the use of the officers of the Corporation and others; the expense, if any, of procuring copies of such laws, not to exceed the usual fees, to be paid by the Comptroller from the appropriation for "City Contingencies."

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1889.
Approved by the Mayor, September 16, 1889.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Seventieth street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1889.
Approved by the Mayor, September 16, 1889.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Ninety-sixth street, between Tenth avenue and the Boulevard, pursuant to section 356 of New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1889.
Approved by the Mayor, September 16, 1889.

Resolved, That water-pipes be laid in One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, as provided in section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1889.
Approved by the Mayor, September 16, 1889.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to Sister M. Loretto, Superiorress of the House of the Good Shepherd, to extend the vault in front of the premises in Eighty-ninth

street, commencing about one hundred and eighteen feet five inches east of Avenue A, and extending eastwardly thirty-seven feet six inches, eight feet beyond the curb-line, as shown on the accompanying diagram, upon payment of the usual fee, provided the said Sister M. Loretto shall stipulate with the Commissioner of Public Works, to save the city harmless from any loss or damage that may occur from any cause during the progress or subsequent to the completion of the work of extending said vault, the work to be done in a durable and substantial manner, at her own expense, under the direction and to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1889.
Approved by the Mayor, September 16, 1889.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street, from Tenth avenue to Kingsbridge road, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1889.
Approved by the Mayor, September 16, 1889.

Resolved, That Croton-mains be laid in One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Park to Madison avenue, pursuant to section 356 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1889.
Approved by the Mayor, September 16, 1889.

Resolved, That water-mains be laid in Depot place, from Sedgwick avenue to the line of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad tracks, pursuant to section 356 of the New York Consolidation Act of 1882.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 10, 1889.
Approved by the Mayor, September 16, 1889.

Resolved, That the name of Thomas J. Deagan, recently appointed a Commissioner of Deeds, be and is hereby corrected, so as to appear Thomas J. Deagen.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 17, 1889.

Resolved, That the resolution and ordinance, approved by the Mayor July 26, 1889, for paving One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Mount Morris to Lenox avenue, with granite blocks, be and are hereby annulled, rescinded and repealed.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, September 17, 1889.
Approved by the Mayor, September 19, 1889.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk of the Common Council.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

MEETINGS, SEPTEMBER 3 TO 7, 1889.

Communications Received.

From Penitentiary—List of prisoners received during week ending August 31, 1889: males, 25; females, 6. On file.

List of 44 prisoners to be discharged from September 8 to 14, 1889. Transmitted to Prison Association.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—History of 8 patients admitted, 1 discharged and 4 that have died during week ending August 31, 1889. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island—History of 13 patients admitted, 7 discharged and 3 that have died during week ending August 31, 1889. On file.

From Heads of Institutions—Reporting meats, milk, fish, etc., received during week ending August 31, 1889, of good quality and up to the standard. On file.

From Finance Department—Statement of unexpended balances to August 31, 1889. To bookkeeper.

From City Cemetery—List of burials during week ending August 31, 1889. On file.
From Storekeeper—Rejecting cheese, curled hair, coffee, furnished under contracts, they being inferior to sample. Approved.

From District Prisons—Amount of fines received during week ending August 31, 1889, \$349. On file.

From N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island—Requesting that one milch cow be granted to the institution. Superintendent of Stables to select.

From the Comptroller—Receipt for security deposits accompanying proposals for supplies. To bookkeeper.

Contracts Awarded.

J. R. Black—For steam-heating a pavilion at Idiot Asylum, Randall's Island, for \$2,915.

John E. McGuire—For pavilion at Alms House, Blackwell's Island, for \$32,409.

Joseph Moore—For a water-closet and bath-room tower for Retreat, Blackwell's Island, for \$15,000.

P. Carraher, Jr.—For plumbing and steam-heating Attendants' Home, Ward's Island, for \$5,493.

J. C. Juhring—6,000 pounds rice at 4 59-100 cents per pound; 15,000 pounds brown sugar at 6 44-100 cents per pound; 2,300 pounds coffee at 7 36-100 cents per pound; 10 tubs lard at 6 12-100 cents per pound.

Appointed.

Aug. 31. Michael Carberry, Fireman, Work House. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 31. William McNulty, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

Sept. 1. Peter Benzi, Cook, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 1. Jennie Ruant, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 1. Ellen Fay, Cook, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 1. Mary Devlin, Kitchen Maid, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.

" 1. Maggie Brennan, Domestic, Bellevue Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 2. Mary Keegan, Rachael Kelly, Annie Quinn, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum each.

" 3. Sarah E. Gibbes, Charlotte McCaslin, Nurses, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum each.

" 3. William Flood, Nurse, Charity Hospital. Salary, \$144 per annum.

" 3. Ellen Murphy, Cook, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 4. William Kyle, Assistant Cook, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$500 per annum.

" 4. Charles Sorier, Ira C. French, Attendants, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum each.

" 5. Henry A. Kidder, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 5. George F. Coachman, Clerk, Alms House. Salary, \$120 per annum.

" 5. Sarah L. Lee, Cook, Homoeopathic Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 6. Frank Gillen, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 6. Alexis C. Coquillard, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island. Salary, \$300 per annum.

" 6. Annie Collins, Assistant Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.

" 7. Daniel Dunn, Tinsmith, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$120 per annum.

" 7. Andrew Haleborn, Painter, Randall's Island Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 7. May Tyndall, Nurse, Infants' Hospital. Salary, \$180 per annum.

" 7. Mary Horan, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

" 7. George Steigerwald, Fireman, Steamboats. Salary, \$300 per annum.

Reappointed.

Sept. 4. Christina A. Wilson, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island. Salary, \$216 per annum.

Resigned.

- Sept. 1. Anne Cox, Kitchen Maid, Charity Hospital.
" 1. Maggie Flynn, Domestic, Bellevue Hospital.
" 3. Charles A. Teague, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island.
" 3. Emil Hofman, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
" 3. C. J. Jones, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.
" 3. Bessie McLain, Assistant Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.
" 3. Jennie Wallace, Assistant Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.
" 3. Kate McKeon, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.
" 6. Mary Curtin, Assistant Nurse, Randall's Island Hospital.

Place Declared Vacant.

- Sept. 1. Thomas B. Farrell, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Hart's Island.
" 4. Owen Finnegan, Fireman, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island.

Dismissed.

- Sept. 1. John Tims, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Long Island.
" 1. Eliza Johnson, Cook, Bellevue Hospital.
" 7. Thomas McDonagh, Attendant, N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Ward's Island.

Salary Increased.

- Sept. 7. Charles Englehardt, Gardener, Bellevue Hospital. From \$120 to \$180 per annum.
G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING—CITY OF NEW YORK,
Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 19, 1889.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51, chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Commissioner of Street Cleaning makes the following abstract of the transactions of this Department for the week ending September 1, 1889:

Streets Swept.

	Miles
By Department forces	1,119.194
By contract, lower Broadway	15.000
Total	1,134.194

Material Collected.

	Ashes and Garbage.	Street Sweepings.	Total Loads.
By Department forces	16,045	7,451	23,496
By contract— Lower Broadway		51	51
On permit— Bureau of Markets	201		201
Departments of Public Works and Public Parks		539	539
Manufacturers (boiler ashes, etc.)	3,210		3,210
Totals	19,456	8,041	27,497

Final Disposition of Material.

	Loads.
At sea and behind bulkheads— 25 dumpers at sea	10,922
14 deck scows at Dutch Kills, N. C.	5,910
10 deck scows at Newark Bay	4,576
24 floats at Jersey City	5,602
In lots for fertilizing, filling-in, etc.— At One Hundred and Fortieth street and Fifth avenue	179
At One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street and Madison avenue	250
At various places	600
For fertilizing	506
	1,535
Total disposition	*28,545

Removal.

D. Kane, Hired Cart, Twenty-first Precinct.

Transfer.

Jerry Griffin, Hired Cart, Second Precinct to First Precinct.

Bills Audited

—and transmitted to Finance Department:

Schedule No. 54— Carman, Agent, R. W., disinfectant	\$57 50
Devoe & Co., F. W., paints	104 34
Drummond, M. J., supplies	44 85
Early & Co., John, supplies	791 00
Goldstein, W., supplies	108 00
Hopkins & Russell, oils	44 51
Johnson & Co., A. B., lumber	691 21
O'Donelan, Dr. J. C., patent feed	12 50
Sullivan, J. W., tug repairs	16 91
Shewan, James, tug repairs	8 52
Stewart & Co., earthen pipe	3 00
Scott, J. & W., ice	2 21
Staats, R. P. & J. H., services	528 75
Short & Co., W. G., supplies	30 50
Union Rattan Manufacturing Co., supplies	2 66
Vought & Williams, horseshoes	172 50
Woodhouse Manufacturing Co., D. A., extinguisher	45 00
Wilcox, E. R., hacmatack knees	137 50
Total	\$2,801 52

Schedule No. 54—

—chargeable to appropriation for 1889, as follows:

"Rentals and Contingencies"	\$2 21
"Sweeping"	267 03
"Carting"	445 12
"Final Disposition"	1,081 49
"New Stock"	1,005 67
Total	\$2,801 52

Schedule No. 55—

Timmerman, J. H., City Paymaster, salaries Commissioner, Deputy, etc., for month of August, 1889

\$3,380 30

—chargeable to appropriation for 1889, as follows:

"Administration"	\$3,380 30
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Schedule No. 56—

Timmerman, J. H., City Paymaster, pay-rolls, Foreman, Inspectors, etc., for month of August, 1889

\$6,174 02

—chargeable to appropriation for 1889, as follows:

"Administration"	\$4,673 70
"Final Disposition"	1,500 32
Total	\$6,174 02

Public Moneys Collected

—and transmitted to City Chamberlain:

For trimming scows	\$1,010 00
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J. S. COLEMAN, Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

(* Includes 1,048 loads of material previously left on scows.)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 14, 1889.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882, the Department of Public Works makes the following report of its transactions for the week ending September 7, 1889:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents	\$37,008 84
For penalties on water rents	274 30
For tapping Croton pipes	296 50
For sewer permits	423 92
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund	668 00
For redemption of obstructions seized	102 50
For vault permits	2,148 61
Total	\$40,922 67

Public Lamps.

- 13 new lamps lighted.
6 old lamps relighted.
18 lamps discontinued.
3 lamp-posts removed.
4 lamp-posts reset.
29 lamp-posts straightened.
4 columns refitted.
7 columns releaded.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending September 7, 1889, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNER.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Candle, Grs. per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
Sept. 3	4 P.M.	82.	30.18	{ Consolidated, } Branch 2..	Empire 5 ft.....	.63	5.00	125.4	19.14	20.00
" 4	6 P.M.	80.	30.17	"	"	.64	5.00	115.2	21.10	20.26
" 5	4.30 P.M.	81.	30.14	"	"	.67	5.00	115.8	20.52	19.80
" 6	11.30 A.M.	80.	30.13	"	"	.65	5.00	120.0	19.68	19.68
" 7	2 P.M.	80.	30.19	"	"	.65	5.00	114.0	20.65	19.62
									Average.	19.87
Sept. 3	4.30 P.M.	82.	30.18	{ Consolidated, } Branch 1..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.80	5.00	120.0	23.02	23.02
" 4	5.30 P.M.	80.	30.17	"	"	.80	5.00	125.4	23.60	24.66
" 5	5 P.M.	81.	30.14	"	"	.82	5.00	118.8	24.40	24.16
" 6	11 A.M.	80.	30.13	"	"	.80	5.00	118.8	24.08	23.84
" 7	4 P.M.	80.	30.19	"	"	.81	5.00	120.0	23.56	23.56
									Average.	23.85
Sept. 3	7.30 P.M.	80.	30.22	{ Consolidated, } Branch 4..	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.67	5.00	124.8	24.14	25.10
" 4	8 P.M.	80.	30.23	"	"	.67	5.00	118.8	25.34	25.09
" 5	8.30 P.M.	80.	30.19	"	"	.68	5.00	124.2	24.62	25.48
" 6	9 A.M.	80.	30.16	"	"	.69	5.00	118.2	25.60	25.22
" 7	8 P.M.	82.	30.17	"	"	.70	5.00	120.0	24.75	24.75
									Average.	25.13
Sept. 3	8 P.M.	80.	30.22	{ Consolidated, } Branch 6..	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.77	5.00	118.2	28.28	27.86
" 4	7.30 P.M.	80.	30.23	"	"	.75	5.00	120.0	27.28	27.28
" 5	9 P.M.	80.	30.19	"	"	.79	5.00	126.0	27.10	28.45
" 6	8.30 A.M.	80.	30.16	"	"	.78	5.00	117.6	28.68	28.11
" 7	8.30 P.M.	82.	30.17	"	"	.80	5.00	123.0	26.05	26.70
									Average.	27.68
Sept. 3	5 P.M.	82.	30.18	{ Consolidated, } Branch 3..	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.85	5.00	120.0	27.50	27.50
" 4	4.30 P.M.	80.	30.17	"	"	.84	5.00	122.4	26.94	27.48
" 5	5.30 P.M.	81.	30.14	"	"	.86	5.00	115.8	28.90	27.89
" 6	10.30 A.M.	80.	30.13	"	"	.85	5.00	120.0	27.14	27.14
" 7	2.30 P.M.	80.	30.19	"	"	.85	5.00	124.2	25.65	26.55
									Average.	27.37
Sept. 3	5.30 P.M.	82.	30.18	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.89	5.00	120.6	29.38	29.52
" 4	4 P.M.	80.	30.17	"	"	.89	5.00	120.0	30.48	30.48
" 5	6 P.M.	81.	30.14	"	"	.92	5.00	114.0	32.16	30.55
" 6	10 A.M.	80.	30.13	"	"	.92	5.00	121.2	29.60	29.89
" 7	3 P.M.	80.	30.19	"	"	.92	5.00	120.0	29.37	29.37
									Average.	29.96
Sept. 3	6 P.M.	82.	30.18	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.88	5.00	121.8	29.42	29.96
" 4	5 P.M.	80.	30.17	"	"	.88	5.00	117.0	31.68	30.89
" 5	6.30 P.M.	81.	30.14	"	"	.92	5.00	120.0	30.72	30.72
" 6	9.30 A.M.	80.	30.13	"	"	.92	5.00	118.8	30.82	30.51
" 7	3.30 P.M.	80.	30.19	"	"	.91	5.00	124.2	29.05	30.07
									Average.	30.43

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

Permits Issued.

- 75 permits to tap Croton pipes.
30 permits to open streets.
22 permits to make sewer connections.
37 permits to repair sewer connections.
121 permits to place building material on streets.
15 permits—special.
8 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

80 obstructions removed from various streets and avenues.

Pavement Repairs.

8,942 square yards of pavement repaired during the week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 71 receiving-basins and culverts cleaned.
- 7,075 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 40 lineal feet culvert cleaned.
- 8 lineal feet sewer repaired.
- 15 lineal feet new curb laid.
- 6 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
- 5 new manhole heads and covers put on.
- 2 new manhole covers put on.
- 5 manhole heads reset.
- 2 receiving-basins repaired.
- 8 square feet brickwork built.
- 30 square yards pavement relaid.
- 79 cubic yards of earth excavated and refilled.
- 202 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending September 7, 1889.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening.....	35	183	6	9
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	..	..	..
Laying Croton Pipes.....	3	13	2	..
Repairing and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	64	140	..	18
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	2	29	4	..
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	6	59	..	21
Repairs and Renewals of Pavement.....	168	229	4	68
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	18	76	30	5
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	2	21	4	..
Totals.....	304	750	50	121
Increase over previous week.....	..	..	..	..
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	..	..

Contracts Entered Into.

DATE.	NATURE AND LOCATION OF WORK.	CONTRACTOR.	SURETIES.	ESTIMATED COST.
Aug. 27	Receiving-basins northeast and northwest corners One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Eleventh avenue.....	William J. Murray, 154 1/2 East 43d street	Wm. H. Trainer, 12 East 87th street ..	\$830 00
" 27	Paving the plaza in front of the City Hall.....	E. H. Wootton, 427 Lexington avenue	William F. Comstock, 23 Warren street .. Charles W. Alcott, 20 East 60th street ..	1,600 00
" 30	Paving One Hundred and Twenty-first street, from Mount Morris avenue to Lenox avenue.....	Barber Asphalt Paving Co., 1 Broadway ..	James D. Leary, 61 William street .. J. M. Cummings, 45 Duane street.....	5,643 15
Sept. 3	Paving with granite-block pavement Ninety-eighth street, from Second to Third avenue.....	Charles Guidet, 237 Broadway.....	Martin B. Brown, 931 Madison avenue. R. W. Buckley, 58 East 73d street...	5,386 50
" 3	Paving with granite-block pavement Madison avenue, from Ninety-fourth to One Hundred and Third street.....	Matthew Baird, 339 East 63d street..	James Baird, 273 West 73d street. J. P. Kane, foot West 52d street.	30,493 71
" 3	Flagging, etc., north side One Hundred and Twelfth and One Hundred and Thirteenth streets, from Madison to Fifth avenue.....	William F. Croft, New Rochelle N. Y. }	John B. Devlin, 165 West 120th street }	375 42
" 5	Paving with trap-block pavement Thirty-seventh street, from First avenue to a point 100 feet easterly	Haskins & Culver, 41 West 105th street. }	Calvin Tomkins, 8 West 29th street.. }	843 75
" 5	Paving with trap-block pavement Thirty-seventh street, from a point 100 feet east of First avenue to East river.....	Haskins & Culver, 41 West 105th street. }	Calvin Tomkins, 8 West 29th street.. }	658 00

Assessment Lists Made and Transmitted to Board of Assessors.

DATE.	NATURE OF WORK.	LOCATION OF WORK.	AMOUNT.
1889.			
Aug. 26	Receiving-basin	Northwest corner One Hundred and Thirty-first street and Lenox avenue	\$331 04
" 26	Flagging, etc.....	Eighty-ninth street from First to Second avenue.....	845 60
" 30	Receiving-basin	Northeast corner Ninety-seventh street and Tenth avenue.....	317 33
" 30	Extension of sewer.....	Front street, between Old Slip and Wall street.....	2,286 02
" 30	Regulating and grading.....	Ninety-second street, from Boulevard to Riverside Drive.....	23,292 86
" 30	Flagging, etc.....	Madison avenue, from One Hundredth to One Hundred and First street, and south side One Hundred and First street, from Madison to Fifth avenue	495 29
Sept. 4	Regulating and grading.....	One Hundred and Seventh street, from West End avenue to Riverside Drive.....	5,894 93
" 7	Flagging.....	East side Avenue A, from Eighty-seventh to Eighty-eighth street.....	239 89

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$121,268.32.

THOS. F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE, }
NEW YORK, Sept. 21, 1889. }

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, Sept. 20, 1889.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, Sept. 14.....	24	\$91 25
Monday, " 16.....	46	135 00
Tuesday, " 17.....	44	56 75
Wednesday, " 18.....	43	572 25
Thursday, " 19.....	53	121 75
Friday, " 20.....	37	133 25
Totals.....	247	\$1,110 25

DANIEL ENGELHARD,
Mayor's Marshal.

MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 1, 1889. }

Pursuant to section 9 of chapter 339, Laws of 1883, I hereby designate the "Daily News" and the "New York Morning Journal," two of the daily papers printed in the City of New York, in which notice of each sale of unredemmed pawns or pledges by public auction in said city, by pawnbrokers, shall be published for at least six days previous thereto, until otherwise ordered.

HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

Mayor's Office.
No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.; Saturdays, 10 A. M. to 12 M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Mayor. THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DANIEL ENGELHARD, First Marshal.
FRANK FOX, Second Marshal.

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MAURICE F. HOLAHAN, EDWARD P. BARKER.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES C. DUANE, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary; A. FTELEY, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLEY, Auditor.

BOARD OF ARMORY COMMISSIONERS.

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

COMMON COUNCIL.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.
No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. V. ARNOLD, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM H. RURODE, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.
No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner; BERNARD F. MARTIN, 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.
JOSEPH RILEY, Register.

Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. M. DEAN, Superintendent.

Engineer-in-Charge of Sewers.

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

Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WILLIAM G. BERGEN, Superintendent.

Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. H. BURKE, Water Purveyor.

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets and Roads.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN B. SHEA, Superintendent.

Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
MICHAEL F. CUMMINGS, Superintendent.

Keeper of City Hall.

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.
THEODORE W. MYERS, 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.
WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor.
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second 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.

No money received after 2 P. M.

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 DALY, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

No money received after 2 P. M.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third and fourth floors, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 12 M.
WILLIAM H. CLARK, 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.
CHARLES E. LYDECKER, Public Administrator.

Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
LOUIS STECKLER, Corporation Attorney.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
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, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M. CHARLES BENN, General Bookkeeper.
Out-Door Poor Department. Office hours, 8.30 A. M. to 4.30 P. M. WILLIAM BLAKE, Superintendent. Entrance on Eleventh street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office hours for all, except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 12 M.

Headquarters.

Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street.
HENRY D. PURROY, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

Bureau of Chief of Department.

HUGH BONNER, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.

PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal.

JAMES MITCHELL, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.

THOMAS J. BRADY, Superintendent of Buildings.

Attorney to Department.

WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.

J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent.

Central Office 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.
CHARLES G. WILSON, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
WALDO HUTCHINS, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

Office of Topographical Engineer.

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

Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards.

One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Third avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North river.

EDWIN A. POST, President; G. KEMBLE, Secretary.

Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, 12 M.
MICHAEL COLEMAN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes

No. 53 Chambers street, Room 41, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HENRY BISCHOFF, Jr., Attorney; SAMUEL BARRY Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner;

Deputy Commissioner; R. W. HORNER, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

Cooper Union, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES THOMSON, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; GUNTHER K. ACKERMAN, 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, 27 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
ALEXANDER MEAKIN, President; JAMES F. BISHOP, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFFS' OFFICE.

Nos. 6 and 7 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES A. FLACK, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Und. r Sheriff; JOHN M. TRACY, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. SLEVIN, 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 4 P. M.
EDWARD F. REILLY, County Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN R. FELLOWS, District Attorney; JAMES McCABE, Chief Clerk.

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE,

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 12 M.

W. J. K. KENNY, Supervisor; DAVID RYAN, Assistant Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Bookkeeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, DANIEL HANLY, LOUIS W. SCHULTZ, Coroners; EDWARD F. REYNOLDS, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10.30 A. M.
 CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; EDWARD F. REILLY, Clerk; P. J. SCULLY, Deputy County Clerk.
 General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
 Special Term, Part I., Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
 Special Term, Part II., Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.
 Chambers, Room No. 11, AMBROSE A. McCALL, Clerk.
 Circuit, Part I., Room No. 12, WALTER A. BRADY, Clerk.
 Circuit, Part II., Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.
 Circuit, Part III., Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
 Circuit, Part IV., Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
 Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, SAMUEL GOLDBERG, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
 General Term, Room No. 35.
 Special Term, Room No. 33.
 Equity Term, Room No. 30.
 Chambers, Room No. 33.
 Part I., Room No. 34.
 Part II., Room No. 35.
 Part III., Room No. 36.
 Judges' Private Chambers.
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 37.
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 31, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 JOHN SEDGWICK, Chief Justice; THOMAS BOESE, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Clerk's Office, Room No. 21, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Special Term, Room No. 22, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Chambers, Room No. 22, 10.30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Part I., Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Part II., Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Equity Term, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
 Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Chief Justice; S. JONES, Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

No 32 Chambers street. Parts I. and II. Court open at 11 o'clock A. M.
 FREDERICK SMITH, Recorder; RANDOLPH B. MARTINE, HENRY A. GILDERSLERVE and RUFUS B. COWING, Judges of the said Court.
 Terms, first Monday each month.
 JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

CITY COURT.

City Hall.
 General Term, Room No. 20.
 Trial Term, Part I., Room No. 20.
 Part II., Room No. 21.
 Part III., Room No. 11.
 Part IV., Room No. 12.
 Special Term Chambers and will be held in Room No. 19, 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; MICHAEL T. DALY, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 10.30 o'clock A. M.
 JOHN SPARKS, Clerk. Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10.30 A. M., excepting Saturday.
 Clerk. Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—Third, Fifth and Eighth Wards, and all that part of the First Ward lying west of Broadway and Whitehall street, southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.
 PETER MITCHELL, Justice.
 Clerk's Office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 Second District—Second, Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, and all that portion of the First Ward lying south and east of Broadway and Whitehall street, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.
 Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 GEORGE B. DEANE, Justice.
 Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.
 ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.
 Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards No 154 Clinton street.
 HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice.
 Sixth District—Eighteenth and Twenty-first Wards, No 61 Union place, Fourth avenue, southwest corner of Eighteenth street. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.
 SAMSON LACHMAN, Justice.
 Seventh District—Nineteenth Ward, No 151 East Fifty-seventh street. Court opens every morning at 9 o'clock (except Sundays and legal holidays) and continues to the close of business.
 AMBROSE MONELL, Justice.
 Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.
 Trial days, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. Return days, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. JOHN JEROLMAN, Justice.
 Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, except all that portion of the said ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river, No 150 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
 JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice.
 Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days, Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9.15 A. M.
 Tenth District—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards, corner of Third avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street.
 Office hours, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Court opens at 9 A. M.
 ANDREW J. ROGERS, Justice.
 Eleventh District—No 919 Eighth avenue, Twenty-second Ward, and all that portion of the Twelfth Ward which is bounded on the north by the centre line of One Hundred and Tenth street, on the south by the centre line of Eighty-sixth street, on the east by the centre line of Sixth avenue, and on the west by the North river. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
 THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

Judges—MAURICE J. POWER, J. HENRY FORD, JACOB PATTERSON, JR., JAMES T. KILBRETH, JOHN J. GORMAN, HENRY MURRAY, SOLON B. SMITH, ANDREW J. WHITE, CHARLES WELDE, DANIEL O'REILLY, PATRICK G. DUFFY, DANIEL F. McMAHON, EDW. HOGAN, JOHN COCHRANE, CHARLES N. TANTOR.
 GEORGE W. CREGIER, Secretary.
 Office of Secretary, Fifth District Police Court, One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
 First District—Tombs, Centre street.
 Second District—Jefferson Market.
 Third District—No 69 Essex street.
 Fourth District—Fifty-seventh street, near Lexington avenue.
 Fifth District—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, near Fourth avenue.
 Sixth District—One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street and Third avenue.

THE NORMAL COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF Trustees of the Normal College of the City of New York will be held at the Hall of the Board of Education, No 146 Grand street, on Thursday, September 26, 1889, at 4 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

By order,
 J. EDWARD SIMMONS,
 Chairman.

Dated New York, September 19, 1889.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

NEW YORK CITY CIVIL SERVICE BOARDS,
 COOPER UNION,
 NEW YORK, July 20, 1889.

NOTICE.

- Office hours from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.
- Blank applications for positions in the classified service of the city may be procured upon application at the above office.
- Examinations will be held from time to time as the needs of the several Departments of the City Government may require. When examinations are called, all persons who have filed applications prior to that date will be notified to appear for examination for the position specified.
- All information in relation to the Municipal Civil Service will be given upon application either in person or by letter. Those asking for information by mail should inclose stamp for reply.
- The classification by schedule of city employees is as follows:
 Schedule A shall include all deputies of officers and commissioners duly authorized to act for their principals, and all persons necessarily occupying a strictly confidential position.
 Schedule B shall include clerks, copyists, recorders, bookkeepers and others rendering clerical services, except type-writers and stenographers.
 Schedule C shall include Policemen, both in the Police Department and Department of Parks, and the uniformed force in the Fire Department, and Lookmen in the Police Department.
 Schedule D shall include all persons for whose duty special expert knowledge is required not included in Schedule B.
 Schedule E shall include physicians, chemists, nurses, orderlies and attendants in the city hospitals and asylums, surgeons in the Police Department and the Department of Public Parks, and medical officers in the Fire Department.
 Schedule F shall include stenographers, type-writers and all persons not included in the foregoing schedules, except laborers or day workmen.
 Schedule G shall include all persons employed as laborers or day workmen.
 Positions falling within Schedules A and G are exempt from Civil Service examination.

G. K. ACKERMAN,
 Secretary and Executive Officer.

MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS.

PLANS FOR A MUNICIPAL BUILDING IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

NOTICE TO ARCHITECTS.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS of chapter 81 of the Laws of 1889, entitled "An act to provide for the erection of a building for certain purposes relating to the public interests in the City of New York," passed March 27, 1889, the Board of Commissioners hereby constituted will, until the first day of August, 1889, receive plans and specifications for a New Municipal Building, provided for in said statute, to be erected in the City Hall Park, upon the plot of ground east of the City Hall and the New County Court-house.

A diagram showing the ground plan of the proposed building, and instructions to architects, enumerating the requirements in the submission of plans, can be obtained on application at the Comptroller's office.
 Four premiums will be awarded, as follows:
 For the plans adjudged to be the best, a premium of \$1,500 will be paid; and in the event of their adoption by the Board of Commissioners, the author will be appointed to the superintendence of the construction of the building, with the fees prescribed by the American Institute of Architects, provided his standing is such as to guarantee a faithful discharge of his duties.
 For the plans adjudged to be the second best, a premium of \$1,500 will be paid, and for the plans adjudged to be the third and fourth best, premiums of \$500 each will be paid.

In the examination and judgment of plans the Board will be assisted by a Committee to be appointed by the Mayor, consisting of not more than three competent architects and a civil engineer.

All plans submitted for competition, for which premiums are awarded, shall become the property of the city, and all plans must be filed with the Comptroller on or before the date mentioned. Each plan submitted shall be marked with such assumed designation as the architect may select, provided there shall be filed with the Mayor a sealed envelope, giving the real name of the author of the plans so designated, which shall be opened by the Mayor in the presence of the Board, after the premiums shall have been awarded.

THEO. W. MYERS,
 Comptroller,
 RICHARD CROKER,
 Chamberlain,
 WALTON STORM,
 Chairman Finance Committee,
 Board of Aldermen,
 New York, May 9, 1889.

POSTPONEMENT.

By a resolution adopted July 30, 1889, by the Board of Commissioners in the above matter, the time for receiving plans of a Municipal Building was extended to October 1, 1889, as follows:

Resolved, That the time for the reception of plans, specifications and estimates, for the erection of a New Municipal Building in the City Hall Park, fixed for the 1st day of August, 1889, under a resolution adopted by this Board on April 22, 1889, be and hereby is postponed until Tuesday, October 1, 1889.

NEW YORK, August 1, 1889.
 RICHARD A. STORRS,
 Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS,
 NOS. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET,
 September 3, 1889.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, in the City of New York, will, on the 25th day of September, 1889, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their office in the Emigrants' Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in reference to the proposed extension of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street, from Washington avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, East, in the Twenty-fourth Ward, in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 721 of the Laws of 1887.

The general character and extent of the contemplated change consist in changing the dimensions of East One Hundred and Seventy-ninth street by extending the lines thereof from Washington avenue to Vanderbilt avenue, East, in the Twenty-fourth Ward.

A map showing the contemplated changes is now on exhibition in said office.
 WALDO HUTCHINS,
 M. C. D. BORDEN,
 J. HAMPDEN ROBB,
 ALBERT GALLUP,
 Commissioners of Public Parks.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
 ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No 280 BROADWAY,
 NEW YORK, September 16, 1889.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

IN CONFORMITY WITH THE REQUIREMENTS of section 2, chapter 490, 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 plan for the construction of a dam and reservoir, to be known as Reservoir D, to be located on the west branch of the Croton river, near Carmel, on the New York and Northern Railway, in Putnam County, New York, as shown upon the maps now on file in this office.

Said public hearing to be at the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, Room 209, Stewart Building, No 280 Broadway, New York, on Wednesday, September 25, 1889, at 3 o'clock P. M., and upon subsequent dates thereafter, to which said hearing may be adjourned until finally concluded.

By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners,
 JOHN C. SHEEHAN,
 Secretary.

JURORS.

NOTICE IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,
 ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
 CHAMBERS STREET AND BROADWAY,
 NEW YORK, June 1, 1888.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 9 to 4 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 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.

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER OF JURORS IN REGARD TO CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTION FROM JURY DUTY.

ROOM 127, STEWART BUILDING,
 No 280 BROADWAY, THIRD FLOOR,
 NEW YORK, JUNE 1, 1889.

CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTION FROM JURY duty will be heard by me daily at my office, from 9 A. M. until 4 P. M.

Those entitled to exemption are: Clergymen, lawyers, physicians, surgeons, surgeon-dentists, professors or teachers in a college, academy or public school, licensed pharmacists or pharmacists, actually engaged in their respective professions, and not following any other calling; multimen, policemen, and firemen; election officers, jury non-residents, and city employees, and United States employees; officers of vessels making regular trips; licensed pilots, actually following that calling; superintendents, conductors and engineers of a railroad company other than a street railroad company; telegraph operators actually doing duty as such; Grand, Sheriff's, and Civil Court jurors; stationary engineers; and persons physically incapable of performing jury duty by reason of severe sickness, deafness, or other physical disorder.

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CHARLES REILLY,
 Commissioner of Jurors.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING BULKHEADS TO FILL, IN the vicinity of New York Bay, can procure material for that purpose—ashes, street sweepings, etc., such as is collected by the Department of Street Cleaning—free of charge, by applying to the Commissioner of Street Cleaning, at No 51 Chambers street.
 J. S. COLEMAN,
 Commissioner of Street Cleaning.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, LEATHER, ETC.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

7,658 pounds Dairy Butter, sample on exhibition Thursday, October 3, 1889.
 1,500 pounds Cheese.
 2,500 pounds Barley, price to include packages.
 2,000 pounds Hominy, price to include packages.
 3,200 pounds Rio Coffee, roasted.
 3,600 pounds Oatmeal, price to include packages.
 2,000 pounds Prunes.
 15,000 pounds Brown Sugar.
 1,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.
 1,700 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.
 2,200 pounds Granulated Sugar.
 6,000 pounds Rice.
 2,000 pounds Oolong Tea.
 400 pounds Laundry Starch.
 1,000 gallons Syrup, in barrels.
 100 barrels prime quality American Salt, 320 pounds net each, to be delivered at Blackwell's Island within ten days.
 10 barrels Pickles, 40-gallon barrels, 2,000 per barrel.
 4,254 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.
 25 dozen Sea Foam.
 12 dozen Sapolo.
 455 barrels good, sound, White Potatoes, 172 pounds net per barrel.
 50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, 150 pounds net per barrel.
 50 bags Bran, 50 pounds net each.
 200 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net each.
 50 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed 3 lbs.; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.
 150 bales prime quality, long, bright Rye Straw, tare and weight same as on Hay.
 10 barrels first quality Sal Soda, about 340 pounds per barrel.
 15 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil, 150° test.

DRY GOODS.

12 dozen Hair Brushes.
 12,000 yards Bandage Muslin.
 10 pieces Crinoline.
 50 dozen Handkerchiefs.
 6 gross Fine Combs.
 100 gross Cotton Shoe Laces.
 30,000 Sewing Needles, 10,000 each Nos. 3 and 4, 5,000 each Nos. 5 and 6.
 25 dozen Cotton Mops.
 400 pairs Men's Socks.
 200 yards Cotton Duck, No. 4.

LEATHER, ETC.

70 sides good damaged Sole Leather, to weigh 21 to 25 pounds each.
 95 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 11 feet.
 300 pounds Offal Leather.
 500 pounds Iron Shoe Nails, 6-8 No. 16.
 25 stones bright Broom Wire, No. 18.
 25 quires Emery Cloth.

—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, October 4, 1889. 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 Leather," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect, and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, 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 his faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required

for the completion of 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 State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope 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 readvertised and relet as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same on exhibition at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the price for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department; and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated NEW YORK, September 23, 1889.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR NEW PLUMBING AND REPAIRS TO THE OLD IN THE N. Y. CITY ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. Wednesday, October 2, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for New Plumbing, etc., Insane Asylum, Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **THREE THOUSAND (\$3,000) DOLLARS**.

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

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 will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion, and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath, 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, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or 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

security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included 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 provide such proper security as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine. The form of the contract, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department; and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated NEW YORK, September 17, 1889.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS.

MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE LAUNDRY AND KITCHEN PLANT, PLUMBING, STEAM-HEATING, ETC., IN THE ADDITION TO THE WORKHOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 A. M. Wednesday, October 2, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Laundry and Kitchen Plant, Workhouse, Blackwell's Island," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS**.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as 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, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope 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 provide

such proper security as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated NEW YORK, September 17, 1889.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR THE NECESSARY PLANT FOR KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY PURPOSES AND STEAM-HEATING, ETC., RANDALL'S ISLAND HOSPITAL, NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid work and materials, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third Avenue, in the City of New York, until 9.30 o'clock A. M. Friday, September 27, 1889. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Kitchen and Laundry Plant, Randall's Island Hospital," and with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

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

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

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of **FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) DOLLARS**.

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of 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 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be included 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 provide such proper security as has been heretofore stated to be requisite, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

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

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract, or from time to time as the Commissioners may determine.

The form of the contract, including specifications, showing the manner of payment, will be furnished at the office of the Department, and bidders are cautioned to examine each and all of its provisions carefully, as the Board of Public Charities and Correction will insist upon its absolute enforcement in every particular.

Dated NEW YORK, September 13, 1889.

HENRY H. PORTER, President,
CHAS. E. SIMMONS, M. D., Commissioner,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioner,
Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 18, 1889.

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 foot of Twenty-seventh street, East river—Unknown man, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; sandy hair, small moustache. Had on dark gray pants, leather belt around waist.

Unknown man from Thirty-seventh street and North river; 5 feet 5 inches high; body in water about four months. Had on black coat and pants, brown woolen undershirt, black and white striped shirt, white cotton flannel drawers, white cotton socks, laced shoes, two leather belts around waist.

Unknown man from Seventy-ninth street and East river, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on blue flannel shirt, gray pants, part of a boot on right foot.

Unknown man from Bellevue Hospital, aged about 55 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes, hair and moustache. Had on black vest, gray striped pants, pink flannel shirt, white socks, laced shoes, brown straw hat.

Unknown man from foot of Tenth street, North river, aged about 30 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; brown hair, sandy moustache. Had on dark gray coat and vest, dark pants, blue and red striped shirt, woolen undershirt, white cotton drawers, striped socks, gaiters.

Unknown man from Bellevue Hospital, aged about 50 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on gray mixed coat, black pants, white shirt, gaiters, brown derby hat; key ring marked "John Daly, 547 West Thirty-seventh street," found on his person.

Unknown man, from St. Vincent's Hospital, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray hair and moustache; brown eyes. No clothing.

Unknown woman, from Oak Point, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown hair. Had on brown plaid worsted jacket, gray petticoat, white chemise, white cotton stockings, laced shoes; iron brace on left leg.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Max Hoffman, aged 27 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black coat, dark gray vest and pants, gaiters, brown derby hat.

Maggie Duane, aged 42 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black merino skirt, black wrap, gaiters, black straw hat.

John Tracy, aged 40 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted brown coat, dark gray pants, gaiters, brown derby hat.

Alfred Ryckebus, aged 44 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; gray eyes, red hair. Had on when admitted dark tweed coat and vest, black pants, laced shoes, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, September 12, 1889.

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 N. Y. City Asylum for Insane, Blackwell's Island—Mary Mulligan, aged 35 years; 5 feet high; brown hair, opaque eyes; transferred from Almshouse.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Josef Kalceck, aged 19 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted black diagonal coat, pants and vest, laced shoes, black felt hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order,

G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Education by the Counsel to the Corporation of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title by the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, to certain lands on the northerly side of Fifty-first street, near Lexington Avenue, in the Nineteenth Ward of said city, duly selected and approved by said Board as a site for school purposes, under and in pursuance of the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, COMMISSIONERS of Estimate in the above-entitled matter, appointed pursuant to the provisions of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, parties and persons, respectively entitled to or interested in the lands, tenements, hereditaments and premises, title to which is so right to be acquired in this proceeding, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate of the loss and damage to the respective owners, lessees, parties and persons interested in the lands or premises affected by this proceeding, or having any interest therein, and have filed a true report or transcript of such estimate in the office of the Board of Education for the inspection of whomsoever it may concern.

Second—That all parties or persons whose rights may be affected by the said estimate and who may object to the same or any part thereof, may, within thirty days after the first publication of this notice file their objections to such estimate in writing with us at our office, Room No. 17, on the second floor of No. 45 William street, in the said city, as provided by section 4 of chapter 191 of the Laws of 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting at our said office on the eighteenth day of September, 1889, at 2 o'clock P. M., and upon such subsequent days as may be found necessary.

Third—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term thereof, to be held at Chambers in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on the 22 day of October, 1889, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW YORK, August 8, 1889.

PETER B. OLNEY,
JAMES M. VARNUM,
MATTHEW CHALMERS,
Commissioners.

LAMONT McLOUGHLIN, Clerk.

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

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in this proceeding, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or 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 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 and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Bidders 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 a 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.

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

Dated New York, September 17, 1889.

NOTICE.

VAN TASSELL & KEARNEY, AUCTIONEERS, will sell at public auction in the Board Room at Pier "A," Battery place, in the City of New York, on

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1889, at 12 o'clock noon, the right to collect and retain all wharriage which may accrue for the use and occupation by vessels of more than five tons burden, of the following-named wharf property:

ON THE EAST RIVER.

Pier 48, foot of Clinton street, reserving and excepting therefrom a berth 125 feet long at the outer end of the westerly or lower side of the Pier, and one-half of the surface of the Pier next adjacent and contiguous thereto, together with the outer end of said Pier, for a term of five years, commencing October 1, 1889.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The premises must be taken in the condition in which they may be at the commencement of the term of the lease, and no claim or demand that the premises or property are not in suitable and tenable condition at the commencement of the term will be allowed by this Department.

All repairs, maintaining or rebuilding required or necessary to be done to or upon the premises, or any part thereof, during the continuance of the term of the lease, shall be done by and at the cost and expense of the lessee or purchaser.

No claim or demand will be considered or allowed by the Department for any loss or deprivation of wharriage or otherwise, resulting from or occasioned by any delay on account or by reason of the premises or any part thereof being occupied for or on account of any repairs, rebuilding or dredging.

The up-set price of the parcels or premises exposed or offered for sale will be announced by the Auctioneer at the time of sale.

The Department will do all dredging whenever it shall deem it necessary or advisable so to do.

The term for which leases are sold will commence at the date mentioned in the advertisement, and the rents accruing therefor will be payable from that date in each case.

Each purchaser of a lease will be required, at the time of the sale, to pay, in addition to the auctioneer's fees, to the Department of Docks, twenty-five per cent (25%) of the amount of annual rent bid, as security for the execution of the lease, which twenty-five per cent (25%) will be applied to the payment of the rent first accruing under the lease when executed, or will be forfeited to the Department if the purchaser neglects or refuses to execute the lease, with good and sufficient surety or sureties, to be approved by the Department, within ten days after being notified that the lease is prepared and ready for execution at the office of the Department of Docks, Pier "A," North river, Battery place.

The Department expressly reserves the right to resell the lease or premises bid off, by those failing, refusing or neglecting to comply with these terms and conditions, the party so failing, refusing or neglecting, to be liable to the Corporation of the City of New York for any deficiency resulting from or occasioned by such resale.

Lessees will be required to pay their rent quarterly in advance, in compliance with the terms and conditions of the lease prepared and adopted by the Department.

In all cases where it is mentioned in the advertisement of sale, the purchaser shall be entitled to the privilege of occupying any shed upon the pier or bulkhead at the commencement of the term or that may thereafter be permitted or licensed by the Department, and to the rights attached to such permission or license, but subject to the conditions thereof, such purchaser being engaged in the business of steam transportation and using and employing the same for the purpose of regularly receiving and discharging cargo thereat.

Not less than two sureties, each to be a householder or freeholder in the State of New York, to be approved

by the Board of Docks, will be required under each lease to enter into a bond or obligation, jointly and severally with the lessee, in the sum of double the annual rent, for the faithful performance of all the covenants and conditions of the lease, the names and addresses of the sureties to be submitted at the time of sale.

Each purchaser will be required to agree that he will, upon ten days' notice so to do, execute a lease with sufficient surety as aforesaid, the printed form of which may be seen and examined upon application to the Secretary, at the office of the Department, Pier "A," Battery place.

No person will be received as a lessee or surety who is delinquent on any former lease from this Department or the Corporation.

No bid will be accepted from any person who is in arrears to this Department or the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to this Department or the Corporation of the City of New York.

The Auctioneer's fees (\$25), on each lot or parcel must be paid by the purchasers thereof respectively at the time of sale.

Dated New York, September 5, 1889.

EDWIN A. POST,
JAMES MATTHEWS,
J. SERGEANT CRAM,
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,
No. 301 MOTT STREET,
NEW YORK, September 13, 1889.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR TWO HORIZONTAL TUBULAR BOILERS FOR NORTH BROTHER ISLAND.

PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR THE City and County of New York will be received by the Commissioners of the Health Department, at their Office, No. 301 Mott street, until 2.30 o'clock P. M. of the 1st day of October, 1889, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read by said Commissioners.

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

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials: a that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the sum of \$2,000.

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

1st. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

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

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

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

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

Bidders are required to state in their estimate their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person in making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the 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; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

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

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or 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 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 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 clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the person making the same, within three days after the con-

tract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Comptroller.

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

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use a blank prepared for that purpose by the 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.

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

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

CHARLES G. WILSON,
JOSEPH D. BRYANT,
WILLIAM M. SMITH,
Commissioners.

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. 146 Grand street, on Thursday, September 26, 1889, at 4.30 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of such business as may be brought before it.

By order,
J. EDWARD SIMMONS,
Chairman.

Dated New York, September 19, 1889.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9),
No. 300 MULBERRY STREET,
NEW YORK, 1889.

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

JOHN F. HARRIOT,
Property Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,
NEW YORK, September 21, 1889.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS, INCLOSED IN A SEALED envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Thursday, October 3, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR FLAGGING, FULL WIDTH, AND REFLAGGING CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON NORTH SIDE OF THIRTY-EIGHTH STREET, from First to Second avenue.

No. 2. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING THE SIDEWALKS ON WEST SIDE OF PARK AVENUE, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street, and on NORTH SIDE OF FIFTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Park to Madison avenue.

No. 3. FOR SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS IN SIXTY-FOURTH STREET, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

No. 4. FOR FLAGGING FULL WIDTH AND REFLAGGING SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF EIGHTY-NINTH AND NINETEENTH STREETS, from Madison to Fifth avenue, and on the EAST SIDE OF FIFTH AVENUE AND WEST SIDE OF MADISON AVENUE, from Eighty-ninth to Nineteenth street.

No. 5. FOR FLAGGING AND REFLAGGING, CURBING AND RECURBING THE SIDEWALKS ON BOTH SIDES OF NINETEENTH STREET, between Second avenue and East river.

No. 6. FOR RE-REGULATING AND REGRADING EDGEcombe AVENUE, from One Hundred and Forty-first to One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIXTH STREET, from Eighth avenue to the Harlem river, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every

nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise, and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith, with the intention to execute the bond required by law.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or 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 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 the deposit will be returned to him.

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

Blank forms of bid or estimate, the proper envelopes in which to inclose the same, the specifications and agreements, and any further information desired, can be obtained at Room 5, No. 31 Chambers street.

THOMAS F. GILROY,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 21, 1889.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR ESTIMATES, INCLOSED IN A sealed envelope, with the title of the work and the name of the bidder indorsed thereon, also the number of the work as in the advertisement, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M. Thursday, October 3, 1889, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN EIGHTY-SEVENTH, ONE HUNDRED AND TWELFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTIETH, ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIFTH, ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY-SEVENTH AND ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIFTH STREETS, IN PARK, COVENT, TENTH, COLLEGE, NEW AND EDGEcombe AVENUES, AND IN KINGSBRIDGE AND OLD ALBANY ROADS.

No. 2. FOR TAKING UP AND RELAYING THE PAVEMENT now in the following-named streets: CENIK STREET AND TAYLOR ROW, from the south side of Chambers street to the westerly side of Park Row; TWENTY-NINTH STREET, from Fourth to Lexington avenue; TWENTY-NINTH STREET, from Second to Third avenue; THIRTY-FIRST STREET, from Broadway to Fifth avenue, and FORTY-EIGHTH STREET, from Second to Third avenue.

No. 3. And under chapter 346 of the Laws of 1889, the following, viz.: FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CEDAR STREET, from Broadway to Greenwich street; CEDAR STREET, from Pearl to Nassau street, and BRIDGE STREET, from Broad to State street.

No. 4. FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CLIFF STREET, from Ferry to John street; PLATT STREET, from Pearl to William street, and STONE STREET, from William to Broad street.

No. 5. FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF BROAD STREET, from Exchange place to Pearl street.

No. 6. FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF WORTH STREET, from Broadway to Hudson street.

No. 7. FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THOMAS STREET, between Church and Hudson street; HOWARD STREET, from Broadway to Mercer street; GREENWICH AVENUE, from Eighth avenue to West Thirtieth street, and HORATIO STREET, from Greenwich avenue to West Fourth street.

No. 8. FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF READE STREET, between Elm and Washington streets.

No. 9. FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LEONARD STREET, from Broadway to Hudson street.

No. 10. FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF FRANKLIN STREET, from West Broadway to Washington street.

No. 11. FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LAIGHT STREET, from Canal to Greenwich street.

No. 12. FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRTEENTH STREET, between Avenue B and Fifth avenue.

No. 13. FOR REPAVING THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LEXINGTON AVENUE, between Thirty-fourth and Thirty-fifth streets, between Fifty-ninth and Sixty-sixth streets, and between Sixty-ninth and Ninety-seventh streets.

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

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

The consent last above mentioned must be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or

Supervisor.