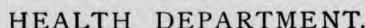


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No. OF ORDER.	PREMISES AT	FLOOR.	ROOM.	LESSEE.	REDUCTION.	
					Adults.	Children
242	No. 59 Crosby street, rear....	Third	North side..	Lenardo Franzo.....	4	4
243	" " "	" " "	South side..	Nicholas Lemano.....	4	4
244	No. 68 Crosby street, " "	First	Rear	Algo Astando.....	4	1
245	No. 227 East One Hundred and Eighty street, rear....	Second.....	West side... East side,	Chris. Jansan.....	5	3
246	No. 220 East One Hundred and Eighty street, rear....	First.....	East side front	Frank Calaprese.....	2	4
247	No. 220 East One Hundred and Eighty street.....	First.....	West side, rear.....	Dominick Jouravcue.....	5	0
248	No. 220 East One Hundred and Eighty street.....	Third.....	West side, front	George Jorcarda.....	4	0
249	No. 220 East One Hundred and Eighty street.....	Third.....	West side, front	Virgin Italias.....	4	3
250	No. 255 Elizabeth street, front	Basement...	South side, rear	Antonie Napoleo.....	3	0
251	" " "	Basement...	North side, rear	James Rosette.....	1	4
252	" " rear.....	Second.....	South side..	Genarora Demoto.....	5	0
253	No. 326 East Eleventh street, front.....	Basement...	Front	Kestore Dodge.....	2	1
254	No. 326 East Eleventh street.....	" " "	Rear.....	Patrick Harrison.....	3	0
255	No. 326 East Eleventh street, rear.....	First.....	North side..	Mirco Debalaso.....	4	2
256	No. 326 East Eleventh street.....	" " "	South side..	Frank Vovola.....	5	0
257	" " "	Fourth.....	" " "	Joseph Silitto.....	4	2
258	No. 327 East Eleventh street.....	Basement...	Front	Nichole Botteche.....	6	1
259	" " "	Second.....	" " "	Owen Dunahue.....	2	0
260	No. 420 East Eleventh street.....	Third.....	West side..	John Marhanio.....	3	3
261	" " "	Fifth.....	" " "	Michael Ferrall.....	3	3
262	No. 302 Cherry street.....	First.....	South side..	Fred. Folk.....	3	0
263	Nos. 9 and 11 Ludlow street.....	Second.....	North side..	Harris Gardner.....	2	3
264	" " "	First.....	East side..	Max Cohen.....	3	3
265	" " "	" " "	South side, rear.....	Arris Rottenberg.....	2	7
266	" " "	Third.....	South side, rear	Levy Labaskus.....	3	4
267	" " "	" " "	North side, rear	Harris Lapedes.....	2	2
268	" " "	Fourth.....	North side, front.....	Charles Meyener.....	2	5
269	" " "	Fifth.....	South side, rear.....	Solomon Arris.....	2	6
270	" " "	" " "	North side, rear.....	Laub Lubner.....	1	5
271	" " rear	First.....	North side, rear.....	Salas Stockel.....	2	4
272	" " "	" " "	South side..	Joseph Spier.....	2	4
273	" " "	Second.....	North side..	Steud Beyer.....	2	4
274	" " "	Third.....	South side..	Morris Beonthal.....	4	3
275	" " "	Fourth.....	North side..	Lewis Cohen.....	3	2
276	" " "	Fifth.....	" " "	Matthew Lepillo.....	3	1
277	" " "	Sixth.....	" " "	Benj. Goldstein.....	3	1
278	" " "	" " "	South side..	Simon Morris.....	2	3
279	" " "	" " "	South side..	Jacob Schwartz.....	4	1
280	No. 412 East One Hundred and Thirteenth street....	Third.....	East side, rear.....	Joe Yocknee.....	6	3
281	No. 117 Mulberry street.....	First.....	South side..	John Cappello.....	3	0
282	" " "	Third.....	Rear	Joseph Arlia.....	4	0
283	No. 310 Mott street.....	" " "	" " "	Charles Morrell.....	1	3
284	Nos. 310 and 312 Mott street, rear	Second.....	North side..	Toney Guappio.....	4	1
285	No. 128 Mott street, rear.....	First.....	South side..	Anthony Dominico.....	2	3
286	" " "	Second.....	" " "	Nicholas Combaro.....	2	3
287	" " "	Third.....	North side, rear.....	Domenico Mazzo.....	2	3
288	No. 134 Mott street, front.....	Second.....	South side, front	Franco Olvano.....	3	1
289	" " "	Fourth.....	South side, front.....	John Lock.....	3	1
290	" " rear.....	First.....	South side..	Salas Stockel.....	3	1
291	" " "	Second.....	" " "	James Augusta.....	3	4
292	" " "	" " "	North side..	Michael Weid.....	2	2
293	" " "	Third.....	South side..	Anthony Cregano.....	2	3
294	" " "	" " "	North side..	Michael Waterbach.....	2	3
295	No. 517 Broome street, rear....	" " "	Rear	Framcantonio Calalto.....	1	0
296	No. 309 East One Hundred and Eleven street, front, f	Second.....	East side, rear.....	Louis Murfie.....	1	3
297	No. 309 East One Hundred and Eleven street, front, f	Third.....	East side, front.....	Michael Mollen.....	4	2
298	No. 308 East One Hundred and Seventh street, front.....	First.....	East side..	William Lormano.....	4	2
299	No. 306 East One Hundred and Seventh street, front, f	Fourth.....	West side, rear.....	Anthony Letriele.....	4	3
300	No. 308 East One Hundred and Seventh street, front, f	Basement...	East side front.....	James Ross.....	4	1
301	No. 308 East One Hundred and Seventh street.....	First.....	East side, rear.....	Benjamin Gerasino.....	3	2
302	No. 308 East One Hundred and Seventh street.....	Third.....	West side, rear.....	Dominic Megass.....	5	1
303	No. 308 East One Hundred and Seventh street.....	" " "	East side, rear.....	Mary Minganes.....	4	0
304	No. 315 East One Hundred and Eleven street.....	Fourth.....				

Permits Granted.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING GRANTED.	ON PREMISES AT
4920	To keep two cows.	Highbridge road near Tiebout avenue
4941	" "	Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-second street.
4922	" "	Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street.
4923	" one cow	One Hundred and Seventieth street and Inwood avenue.
4904	" three cows.	Fourth avenue near Orchard street.
4925	" one cow	Walton avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street.
4926	" two cows.	Highbridge road
4927	" "	Highbridge road and St. James street.
4948	" three cows.	One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street and Girard avenue.
4929	To slaughter calves	No. 825 First avenue.
4930	" "	No. 702 First avenue.
4931	" "	No. 778 First avenue.
4932	To smoke bologne	No. 1350 First avenue.
4933	To slaughter beef	No. 820 First avenue.
4934	" sheep, calves and lambs.	No. 770 to 774 First avenue.
4935	" beef	No. 786 and 783 First avenue.
4936	" "	No. 820 First avenue.
4937	" "	No. 778 First avenue.
4938	" sheep, lambs and calves.	Two hundred and forty feet east of First avenue.
4939	To manufacture sausages.	No. 8 Greenwich street.
4940	To slaughter sheep, lambs and calves.	No. 405 East Forty-fifth street.
4941	" "	North-east corner of Forty-fifth street and First avenue.
4942	" " "	No. 404 to 408 East Forty-fifth street.
4943	" "	No. 407 East Forty-fifth street.
4944	" calves.	South side Forty-fourth street, one hundred and forty feet east of First avenue.
4945	" calves.	South side Forty-fourth street, two hundred and thirty feet east of First avenue.
4946	" beef.	South side Forty-fourth street, one hundred and seventy feet east of First avenue.
4947	" "	South side Forty-fourth street, one hundred and fifty feet east of First avenue.
4948	" "	North side Forty-fourth street, two hundred and forty feet east of First avenue.
4949	" "	Southwest corner Forty-fourth street and First avenue.
4950	" "	North side Forty-fourth street, three hundred feet east of First avenue.
4951	" beef and calves.	South side Forty-fourth street, one hundred and fifty feet east of First avenue.
4952	" calves.	No. 407 East Forty-fifth street.
4953	" "	No. 403 East Forty-fifth street.
4954	" beef and calves.	No. 404 East Forty-third street.
4955	" sheep and lambs.	No. 405 East Forty-third street.
4956	To maintain manure vaults.	No. 26 First street.
4957	To keep one cow.	Sheridan avenue, One Hundred and Sixty-seventh and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth streets.
4958	" sixteen cows.	River avenue and One Hundred and Eighty-first street.
4959	" one cow.	One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and Walton avenue.
4960	" two cows.	Anderson avenue, near Orchard street.
4971	" four cows.	Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Seventy-third street.
4962	" one cow.	Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.
4963	" "	One Hundred and Fifty-sixth street and Girard avenue.
4964	" "	One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Jerome avenue.
4965	" "	Jerome avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.
4966	" "	One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, near Central avenue.
4967	" "	One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street and Central avenue.
4968	" "	One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street and Sheridan avenue.
4969	" "	Walton avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-third street.
4970	" "	One Hundred and Sixty-first street and Girard avenue.
4971	" "	No. 588 Highbridge road—Fordham.
4972	" two cows.	One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street and River avenue.
1146	" a lodging house.	No. 925 Mulberry street.
1147	" "	No. 112 Mulberry street.

Permits Denied.

No.	BUSINESS-MATTER OR THING DENIED.	ON PREMISES AT
115	To keep manure vault.	No. 21 Monroe street.
117	" fifteen chickens.	No. 646 Third avenue.
118	" fourteen chickens.	No. 518 West Thirtieth street.

Orders Suspended, Extended, Modified, Rescinded or Referred.

No. of OFFICE	ON PREMISES AT	TIME EXTENDED TO	REMARKS.
14330	No. 250 Clinton street.....	.....	Rescinded.
14328	No. 249 West Thirty-third street.....	Oct. 1, 1888	
15175	No. 1095 First avenue.....	.....	Suspended during the pleasure of the Board.
14665	No. 205 Avenue A.....	Sept. 15, 1888	
14535	No. 525 East One Hundred and Twenty-first street.....	Aug. 20, 1888	
14394	Nos. 32 and 34 Greenwich avenue.....	.....	Modified to require seven water-closets instead of eight.
14224	No. 297 First avenue.....	Aug. 20, 1888	
14934	Nos. 392 and 394 East Tenth street.....	Aug. 20, 1888	
14229	Nos. 25 and 28 Suffolk street.....	Aug. 20, 1888	
13936	No. 240 East Twelfth street.....	April 1, 1889	
13892	No. 503 East Nineteenth street.....	Aug. 20, 1888	
13726	Nos. 247 and 249 East Twenty-second street.....	Aug. 27, 1888	
13574	No. 723 East One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.....	Sept. 15, 1888	
13545	North side One Hundred and Fifty-second street, fourth house west of Eleventh avenue.....	Aug. 20, 1888	
13487	No. 6 York street.....	Sept. 1, 1888	
13394	No. 584 Greenwich street.....	.....	Modified so that two additional water-closets be constructed on premises.
12958	No. 210 East One Hundred and Third street.....	Oct. 1, 1888	
12684	No. 167 West Ninety-fifth street.....	Aug. 25, 1888	Provided the privy vault be disinfected and cleaned at once.
12519	No. 49 Rutgers street.....	Sept. 1, 1888	
12407	Southeast corner of Manhattan avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-second street.....	.....	Extended during pleasure of the Board.
1184	No. 311 Henry street.....	May 1, 1889	So far as the same refers to the privy vault.
11540	No. 160 East Fifty-third street.....	.....	Modified as requested.
12714	Nos. 4 and 6 West Seventieth street.....	.....	Extended to such time as a Croton water-main is laid in the street for the water-closets; provided the privy vault is disinfected, emptied and cleaned at once.

Applications for Relief from Orders Denied.

No. of ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT	No. of ORDER.	ON PREMISES AT
11195	Nos. 431 to 433 Sixth avenue.	13561	No. 24 Ludlow street.
12352	No. 185 Clinton street.	13782	West side Second avenue, between Ninety-fourth and Ninety-fifth streets.
12553	No. 155 Cedar street.	13804	No. 96 Henry street.
12760	East side of Audubon avenue, first, second and third houses north of One Hun- dred and Sixty-ninth street.	14160	No. 404 First avenue.
		14229	No. 125 Goerck street.
12882	No. 1094 Third avenue.	14781	No. 232 East Seventy-fifth street.
13408	No. 2077 Third avenue.	19343	No. 21 Monroe street.

Communications from other Departments.

Department of Public Parks—Communication relative to wooden sluiceways at Popham and One Hundred and Seventy-sixth streets.

Resolutions.

Resolved, That the Register of Records be and is hereby directed to record the following marriage certificates :

NAME.	RETURN.	DATE.
Ernest A. Strassman.....	Married.....	May 18, 1887.
George W. McGill.....	".....	June 25, 1887.
Philip Williams.....	".....	June 25, 1887.
Charles Harwood.....	".....	July 9, 1887.
John Williams.....	".....	July 2, 1887.
George J. Hetal.....	".....	Sept. 27, 1887.
William E. Bogart.....	".....	Sept. 20, 1887.
Antonie Frans.....	".....	Sept. 17, 1887.
Robert W. Magill.....	".....	Sept. 14, 1887.
Frederick W. Wilcox.....	".....	Sept. 15, 1887.
Edward Tully.....	".....	Sept. 3, 1887.
Walter J. Lee.....	".....	Sept. 7, 1887.
Michael Ross.....	".....	Sept. 27, 1887.
Pedro Lima.....	".....	Sept. 6, 1887.
James M. Lamberton.....	".....	Oct. 6, 1887.
Frank Morgan.....	".....	Oct. 14, 1887.
George H. La Forest.....	".....	Oct. 19, 1887.
William Conklin.....	".....	Nov. 1, 1887.

Miscellaneous Communications.

Communication from certain retail butchers in the City of New York on the inspection of meats

Resolved, That the resolution employing, provisionally, Nathan Braiter as an Inspector in the Summer Corps for the unexpired term of said corps, adopted at the meeting of the Board on July 26, be and is hereby rescinded. Said appointment having been declined.

Resolved, That the Comptroller be and is hereby respectfully requested to pay to the Board of Health, the sum of \$500 to be used for the payment of fees, upon presentation by registered physicians of the Night Medical Service of duly authorized certificates of services rendered, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 588, Laws of 1880.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 404 East Twenty-first street is unfit for human habitation, because of defects in the plumbing thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause sickness among its occupants.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 404 East Twenty-first street be required to vacate said building on or before August 13, 1888, for the reason that said building is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof and because of the existence of a nuisance on the premises likely to cause illness among its occupants; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building, and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Walter De F. Day, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 115 West Thirtieth street, front, is unfit for human habitation, because of defects in the drainage thereof.

Ordered, That all persons in said building situated on lot No. 115 West Thirtieth street, front, be required to vacate said building on or before August 13, 1888, for the reason that said building is unfit for human habitation because of defects in the plumbing thereof; and further, that this order be affixed conspicuously on the front of and in said building, and be served as the law requires, under the direction of Dr. Walter De F. Day, the Sanitary Superintendent; and further, that said building be not again used as a human habitation without a written permit from this Board.

Whereas, The Sanitary Superintendent has certified to this Board that the building situated upon lot No. 189 Third street, front and rear, is unfit for human habitation, because of defects in the plumbing thereof.

Report on Changes in the Hospital Service.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That Rose S. Marshall be and is hereby employed as Nurse, with salary at the rate of \$30 per month, vice Ella McLaughlin, resigned; and the resignation of Annie Cody, Chambermaid, be and is hereby accepted.

Resolved, That undertakers are hereby notified that it is a violation of law to cady or permit the ice used in connection with dead bodies, to be thrown or exposed on the street or any public place whereby the lives and health of children and others are endangered by reason of eating the ice or other exposure to same. Any person who thus disposes of ice which has been in contact with dead bodies will be proceeded against under the provisions of section 8 of the Sanitary Code, which is as follows, to wit:

Section 8. That no person shall carelessly or negligently do or devise or contribute to the doing of any act or thing dangerous to life or detrimental to the health of any human being; nor shall any person knowingly do or advise or contribute to the doing of any such act or thing (not actually authorized by law) except with justifiable motives and for adequate reasons; nor shall any person omit to do any act or to take any precaution reasonable and proper to prevent or remove danger or detriment to the life or health of any human being.

Resolved, That leave of absence of one week, from August 20 to August 27, be and is hereby granted to Clerk Geo. F. Shady, Jr.

Resolved, That Simon Clug be and is hereby provisionally employed as an Inspector, for unexpired term, of the Summer Corps, in this Department, with salary at the rate of \$100 per month, pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service.

Resolved, That under the power conferred by law upon the Health Department, the following additional section to the Sanitary Code for the security of life and health, be and the same is hereby adopted and declared to form a portion of the Sanitary Code:

Section 219. In every public hospital and dispensary in the City of New York there shall be provided and maintained a suitable room or rooms and place for the temporary isolation of persons infected with contagious disease, who shall immediately be separated from the other persons and other patients at such dispensary or hospital. It shall be the duty of the physician or physicians, of the officers, managers, and of every one in charge of a hospital or dispensary and of every one

who has any duty or office in respect to patients in the course of treatment, or persons who apply for treatment or care at a dispensary or hospital, to see that a report is immediately made to the Health Department of the City of New York of every person infected with a contagious disease who comes to their knowledge, and that such person or persons so infected are properly isolated and kept separate from other persons and other patients.

Resolved, That the Secretary be and is hereby directed to publish the above-named additional ordinance in the CITY RECORD, as required by law.

The following Communications were Received from the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation:

Weekly report of work performed by the Division of Plumbing and Ventilation.

Weekly report on light and ventilation of tenement-houses, plumbing and drainage, plans of new buildings.

Resolved, That the recommendations of the Chief Inspector of Plumbing and Ventilation be and the same are hereby approved.

Action of the Board on Plans for Light and Ventilation of Tenement-houses.

Resolved, That the following plans for light and ventilation of tenement-houses be and are hereby approved upon the conditions described in the permits issued in each case, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith:

- Plan No.
6209-2. For one tenement, north side of Forty-seventh street, one hundred feet east of Eighth avenue.
6240-2. For one tenement, northeast corner of One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street and St. Nicholas avenue.
6241. For one tenement, east side of Kingsbridge road, two hundred and seventy-five feet north of Academy street.
6242. For one tenement, No. 207 East Twenty-second street.
6244. For one tenement, No. 22 Allen street.
6246. For one tenement, No. 301 Henry street.
6247. For one extension, No. 140 East Sixteenth street, as amended.
6248. For two tenements, Nos. 68 and 70 Broome street.
6230. For one alteration, No. 237 East Tenth street.
6233. For one tenement, No. 361 West Twenty-fifth street, as amended.
6245. For one tenement, No. 172 Third avenue, as amended.

Disapproved.

Resolved, That Plan No. 6207, for light and ventilation of one tenement-house, No. 16 Ludlow street, be and is hereby disapproved.

Violations to the Attorney.

Resolved, That the following violations of law in respect to the light and ventilation of tenement-houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney.

Nos. 976, 1094, 1101, 1103, 1114, 1130, 1139.

Amendments to Light and Ventilation Permits.

- Plan No.
5334-2. For two tenements, north side of One Hundred and First street and south side of One Hundred and Second street, one hundred feet west of Lexington avenue.
5638. For one tenement, No. 19 Suffolk street.
6129. For one tenement, No. 223 East Eighty-second street.

Resolved, That the application of F. R. Walker, for approval of the plan for light and ventilation of the tenement house No. 52 Clinton place, as same has been modified in construction, be and is hereby approved.

Resolved, That the recommendation of Chief Inspector Collins to cancel the easement agreement heretofore recorded, to secure light and ventilation for one tenement house, north side of One Hundred and Seventh street, seventy-two feet west of First avenue, be and is hereby approved. The building erected on said premises not being a tenement-house.

Action of the Board on Plans for Plumbing and Drainage of the following Houses.

Resolved, That plans for the plumbing and drainage of the following houses be and are hereby approved, upon the conditions contained in the statement of the action of the Board attached to the specifications submitted with the plans, and the said plans and specifications are hereby modified in accordance therewith:

- Plan No.
7420. For one dwelling, south side of One Hundred and Seventieth street, forty-two feet west of Third avenue, as amended.
8011. For one factory, north side of One Hundred and Seventh street, seventy-eight feet west of First avenue, as amended.
8113. For three stores, north side of Little West Twelfth street, Nos. 51, 53 and 55, as amended.
8139. For three tenements, south side of Twenty-fourth street, one hundred and fifty feet west of Second avenue, as amended.
8345. For four tenements, north side of Fifty-third street, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue, as amended.
8448. For one tenement, No. 361 West Twenty-fifth street, as amended.
8452. For two dwellings, west side of Union avenue, one hundred and six feet south of Home street.
8453. For one tenement, southwest corner of Ninth avenue and Ninety-seventh street, as amended.
8454. For one tenement, north side of Ninety-second street, one hundred feet east of Ninth avenue.
8455. For one tenement, No. 25 Willett street.
8459. For one dwelling, east side of Union avenue, seventy-five feet south of Ritter place, as amended.
8460. For one factory, south side of One Hundred and Forty-fourth street, two hundred and forty-four feet six inches west of College avenue, as amended.
8461. For one dwelling, north side of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, one hundred and eighteen feet east of Stebbins avenue.
8463. For one dwelling, west side of Morris avenue, fifty feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street.
8465. For one tenement, south side of One Hundred and Fiftieth street, two hundred and twenty-five feet east of Grand Boulevard.
8467. For one tenement, No. 108 First avenue, as amended.
8468. For two tenements, north side of One Hundred and Thirteenth street, ninety-three feet west of Pleasant avenue.
8471. For two dwellings, north side of Ninety-first street, Nos. 63 and 65.

Tabled for Amendment.

Resolved, That the following plans for the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby tabled for amendment:

- Plan No.
8440. Alteration to No. 91 Third Avenue.
8464. For three dwellings, east side of St. Nicholas avenue, one hundred and fifty-one feet north of One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street.
8472. For one tenement, No. 21 Bedford street.

Amendments to Plumbing Specifications.

- Plan No.
4107. For three dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Sixty-seventh street, one hundred feet east of Tenth avenue.
7489. For one dwelling, east side of Franklin avenue, one hundred and forty-five feet north of One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street.
7507. For one extension, No. 448 Cherry street.
7754. For two tenements, east side of Courtland avenue, twenty-five feet north of One Hundred and Fifty-eighth street, conditionally.
7871. For six dwellings, south side of Fifty-eighth street, two hundred feet east of Ninth avenue.
8062. For one tenement, No. 2169 Second avenue.
8116. For one tenement, southeast corner of First avenue and Eighth street.
8168. For one dwelling, No. 8 West Twenty-eighth street.
8159. For one store, southeast corner of Eldridge and Grand streets.
8288. For one store, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, one hundred and twelve feet west of Seventh avenue.
8292. For five dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-first street, one hundred feet east of Lenox avenue.
8380. For three tenements, southeast corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Seventh avenue.

Violations to Attorney.

Resolved, That the following violations of law in respect to the plumbing and drainage of new houses be and are hereby referred to the Attorney:

Nos. 437, 630, 837, 878, 910, 947, 997, 1008, 4551, 5193.
Number of notices sent to amend plans, 36.

Sanitary Bureau.

The following is a record of the work performed in the Sanitary Bureau for the week ending July 28, 1888.

There were 7,159 inspections made by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.

There were 751 complaints returned by the Sanitary Inspectors and the Sanitary Police.

There were 480 complaints received from citizens and referred to the Sanitary Inspectors and Sanitary Police for investigation and report.

There were issued to the consignees of vessels, to discharge cargoes, on vouchers from the Health Officer of the Port, 58 permits.

There were issued to consignees, to discharge rags (in bulk, under bonds), 4 permits.

There were issued to scavengers to empty, clean and disinfect privy sinks, 31 permits.

Report of Vital Statistics for the Week ending August 4, 1888.

WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12 M.	Certificates Registered and Tabulated.	Increase over Previous Week.	Decrease from Previous Week.	Annual Rate per 1,000, Population Estimated at 1,529,444.	Burial Permits Issued.	Transit Permits Issued.	Coroners' Cases.	Searches Made.	Transcripts Issued.	Entered in Registers.	Indexed.
Marriages.....	174	6	..	5.92	....	..	..	28	12	..	174
Births.....	677	1	..	23.02	....	..	..	24	8	..	684
Deaths.....	1,002	39	..	34.07	1,002	12	85	92	87	..	1,000
Still-births.....	80	29	..	2.72	80	..	6	..	..	..	..

Of the total number of deaths reported, those due to contagious diseases and to certain diseases whose prevalence may be due to variable local conditions were as follows:

CAUSE OF DEATH.	Deaths Reported.	Deaths Reported in Previous Week.	INCREASE OR DECREASE OF DEATHS, BY WARDS.										
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.....	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	+1	...	-1	...	...
Diphtheria.....	35	36	+2	...	...	+1	-1	-1	+1	-1	+2	...	-1
Enteric Fever.....	13	8	...	...	...	-1	+1	...	-1	...	-1	...	...
Erysipelas.....	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	-1	...
Malarial Fevers.....	6	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	+1	...	...
Measles.....	23	16	...	...	...	+1	...	+1	-1	-1	+1	...	...
Scarlatina.....	19	21	+1	...	...	+1	...	...	-1	...	-1	...	+1
Small-pox.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Typhus Fever.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Whooping-cough.....	20	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	+1	...	+1	-1	+3
Diarrhoeal Diseases.....	264	296	...	...	-1	-3	+3	-3	...	+7	-1	-3	-1
Bronchitis.....	19	33	-2	...	...	-1	...	-2	-1	-2	-1	+2	+1
Croup.....	9	5	...	...	...	-1	...	...	...	+1	...	+1	-1
Pneumonia.....	43	42	...	...	...	+1	...	-1	-1	+4	+1	-2	-1
Puerperal Diseases.....	8	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	+2	...	+1	...
Under 1 Month.....	61	65	-2	...	...	...	+1	...	-3	...	-2	-2	+1
1 Month and under 5 Years.....	478	520	...	+1	-1	+2	+4	-2	...	+6	+1	-5	+6
65 and over.....	75	79	-1	...	+1	+3	...	-1	...	-3	...	...	-2
Total.....	1,002	963	-3	+2	...	+5	+7	-4	-4	+7	-1	-6	+8

CAUSE OF DEATH.	INCREASE OR DECREASE OF DEATHS, BY WARDS.													
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis.	-1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	+2	....	....
Diphtheria	+1	-2	-1	-1	+1	-1	....	-5	+3	+1	+1	....	..
Enteric Fever.....	+1	....	....	....	....	+1	....	+3	....	+2	....	....	..
Erysipelas.....	....	-1	....	....	....	....	....	-1	....	....	....	....	..
Malarial Fevers.....	+1	....	+1	....	....	-2	+1	....	....	....	....	....	-
Measles.....	....	+1	....	....	-1	....	....	+2	....	....	+4	....	..
Scarlatina.....	+2	....	....	....	....	-2	+1	....	+1	-1	-2	-2	..
Small-pox.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..
Typhus Fever.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..
Whooping-cough.....	-1	....	....	....	-1	-1	....	+1	-3	+1	+1	....	-
Diarrhoeal Diseases	-31	....	+1	....	-2	+2	-5	-14	+2	+1	+5	+7	+1
Bronchitis.....	-3	....	+1	....	+2	+2	+1	-3	-2	-3	-2	-1	..
Croup.....	....	....	+1	....	+1	....	+1	+1	....	....	....	....	..
Pneumonia.....	+1	....	-1	-1	....	+2	....	....	+2	+2	-4	....	-
Puerperal Diseases.....	....	-2	....	....	....	....	....	-1	+2	....	+1	....	..
Under 1 Month.....	-2	-1	....	....	+2	....	-2	-4	+2	+1	+2	+4	+1
1 Month and under 5 Years.	-32	-2	+1	-2	....	-1	+6	-17	-8	-5	-6	+6	-
65 and over.....	-2	+1	....	-1	+1	-1	+2	....	....	+3	-4	....	..
Total.....	-29	-1	+6	+5	+4	-3	+14	-19	+11	+15	+13	+11	+1	

The 1,002 deaths represent a death-rate of 34.07, as against 32.76 for the previous week, and 28.49 for the corresponding week of 1887.

The increase of 39 deaths was mainly due to an increase of 5 in enteric fever, 7 in measles, 14 in phthisis, 14 in Bright's disease, 10 in old age; while there was a decrease of 32 in diarrhoeal diseases and of 14 in bronchitis. There was an increase of 26 in diseases that are not separately noted in the weekly report.

The increase of deaths from enteric fever was most marked in the Nineteenth and Twenty-first Wards (probably in hospitals); of measles, in the Twenty-second Ward; while the decrease of deaths from diarrhoeal diseases was most marked in the Twelfth Ward (31 less) and the Nineteenth Ward (14 less).

Analyses of Croton Water for the Week ending Saturday, August 4, 1888. Results Expressed in Grains per U. S. Gallon of 231 Cubic Inches.

	SUNDAY, July 29.	MONDAY, July 30.	TUESDAY, July 31.	WED'DAY, Aug. 1.	THURSDAY, Aug. 2.	FRIDAY, Aug. 3.	SATURDAY, Aug. 4.
Appearance	Clear; Slight Sediment.	Slightly Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.	Somewhat Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.
Color	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.
Odor (heated to 100° Fahr.) .....	.....	.....	.....	Very Faint marshy.	.....	.....	.....
Chlorine in Chlorides	0.112	0.115	0.125	0.115	0.125	0.120	0.120
Equiv. to Sodium Chloride	0.124	0.129	0.205	0.129	0.205	0.197	0.197
Phosphates .....	.....	.....	.....	None.	.....	.....	.....
Nitrites .....	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites .....	.....	.....	.....	0.0240	.....	.....	.....
Free Ammonia .....	.....	.....	.....	Trace.	.....	.....	.....
Albuminoid Ammonia .....	.....	.....	.....	0.0038	.....	.....	.....
Hardness equiv. to Carbonate of Lime (before boiling) .....	.....	.....	.....	2.782	.....	.....	.....
(after boiling) .....	.....	.....	.....	2.554	.....	.....	.....
Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition)	1.283	1.050	0.991	1.166	1.050	1.050	0.991
Mineral matter (non-volatile)	3.207	3.324	3.382	3.207	3.032	2.974	3.149
Total solids (by evaporation)	4.490	4.374	4.373	4.373	4.082	4.024	4.140

Analyses of Croton Water for the Week ending Saturday, August 4, 1888. Results Expressed in Parts by Weight in One Hundred Thousand.

	SUNDAY, July 29.	MONDAY, July 30.	TUESDAY, July 31.	WED'DAY, Aug. 1.	THURSDAY, Aug. 2.	FRIDAY, Aug. 3.	SATURDAY, Aug. 4.
Appearance	Clear; Slight Sediment.	Slightly Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.	Somewhat Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.	Slightly Turbid.
Color	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.	Very Light Yellowish Brown.
Odor (heated to 100° Fahr.) .....	.....	.....	.....	Very Faint marshy.	.....	.....	.....
Chlorine in Chlorides	0.192	0.197	0.214	0.197	0.214	0.205	0.205
Equiv. to Sodium Chloride	0.315	0.324	0.352	0.324	0.352	0.338	0.338
Phosphates .....	.....	.....	.....	None.	.....	.....	.....
Nitrites .....	.....	.....	.....	"	.....	.....	.....
Nitrogen in Nitrates and Nitrites .....	.....	.....	.....	0.0412	.....	.....	.....
Free Ammonia .....	.....	.....	.....	Trace.	.....	.....	.....
Albuminoid Ammonia .....	.....	.....	.....	0.0065	.....	.....	.....
Hardness equiv. to Carbonate of Lime (before boiling) .....	.....	.....	.....	4.77	.....	.....	.....
(after boiling) .....	.....	.....	.....	4.38	.....	.....	.....
Organic and Volatile (loss on ignition)	2.20	1.80	1.70	2.00	1.80	1.80	1.70
Mineral matter (non-volatile)	5.50	5.70	5.80	5.50	5.20	5.10	5.40
Total solids (by evaporation)	7.70	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.00	6.90	7.10

By order of the Board.

EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

Minutes of Adjourned Meeting of the Aqueduct Commissioners, held at their office, No. 209 Stewart Building, on Friday, August 3, 1888, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, and Commissioners Duane, Scott and Howe.

The minutes of the stated meeting of August 1, 1888, were read and, on motion of the Mayor, amended and approved.

The Special Committee to whom was referred the matter of awarding the contract for the construction of Shaft No. 24, on Section A of the New Aqueduct, submitted the following report:

NEW YORK, August 3, 1888.

To the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, a Special Committee to whom was referred the matter of awarding the contract for the construction of Shaft No. 24, on Section A of the New Aqueduct, report:

That they have given the matter a thorough examination and present for your adoption the following report, adopted by the Committee of Finance and Audit of the late Aqueduct Commission.

The Committee of Finance and Audit, to whom was referred the bids received July 3, 1888, for deepening and finishing Shaft No. 24, and constructing a Head House connected therewith, of the New Croton Aqueduct, report: That they have examined the same, and find that the checks received as security deposits, amounting to \$16,000, were correct, and the amount so received has been transmitted to the Comptroller, and the receipt therefor is on file with the Commissioners.

The bids were found correct as to their formality, and the sureties proposed by the bidders seem to be sufficient.

Your Committee also recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the contract for deepening and finishing Shaft No. 24, on Section A of the New Aqueduct, be and the same is hereby awarded to the firm of O'Brien & Clark at their bid, it being the lowest received for doing said work, and below the estimate of the Chief Engineer.

Respectfully,

(Signed) J. C. DUANE,
FRANCIS M. SCOTT,
JOHN NEWTON.

On motion of the Mayor, the report was accepted and ordered spread in full on the minutes. Commissioner Scott then moved that the resolution referred to in the report be adopted, and that the contract for deepening and finishing Shaft No. 24 be awarded to O'Brien & Clark.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, and Commissioners Duane, Scott and Howe—6.

The Special Committee appointed to consider and report on the organization of the Commission, presented the following report:

NEW YORK, August 3, 1888.

To the Aqueduct Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN—The undersigned, a Special Committee appointed to consider and report to the Commissioners as to the organization of the Commission, respectfully report:

That they have given the matter such consideration as has been possible within the limited time which has elapsed since their appointment, and have consulted with and interrogated the Secretary,

the Chief Engineer and other employees of the Aqueduct Commission, and recommend that for the present the By-laws enforced by the former Commission, and contained in a printed pamphlet dated September 15, 1886, be adopted as the By-laws and Rules of Order of the Aqueduct Commissioners until changed by vote of the Commissioners.

The Committee found that the organization of the Aqueduct Commission had been substantially as follows:

First—A President and Vice-President, a Secretary, Auditor, Bookkeeper, Stenographer, and a Clerk to the Committee on Real Estate.

That the Committees of the Board had been three in number, as follows:

First—A Committee on Construction, performing the duties of an executive committee, and composed of the whole number of Aqueduct Commissioners.

Second—A Committee of Finance and Audit, consisting of three Commissioners; and

Third—A Committee on Real Estate, likewise consisting of three members.

Your Committee were in some doubt at first as to whether an executive committee, composed of the whole number of the Commissioners, would not be too large and unwieldy; but it was considered that much of the executive work of the Board would necessarily have to be performed by that Committee, and that it was proper that all the members of the Commission should have the right to attend its sessions and take part in its deliberations.

Of course, it will frequently happen that the ex-officio members of the Commission will not find it necessary to attend the meetings of the Executive Committee; and, in view of that fact, your Committee are of the opinion that three members of the Committee should constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

The provision in the By-laws, that the meetings of the Commissioners shall be held on Wednesday of each week, at 3 o'clock P. M., except during the months of July, August and September, when the hour of meeting shall be at 2 o'clock P. M., seems to your Committee to be a wise provision, and one which should be retained.

Your Committee are of opinion that the Construction, or Executive Committee, should hold its meetings on Thursday of each week, instead of on Monday, as heretofore; the purpose of this change being that the Committee may come to the consideration of any matter referred to it with fresh minds, and that if any investigation or inquiry is necessary to be made, there will be sufficient time to make the same between the meeting of the Committee and the next meeting of the Commissioners.

Your Committee have ascertained that it has been the practice of the Aqueduct Commissioners to hold a sort of double meeting, sitting first in private and determining upon what business should be transacted, and then reconvening in public and transacting the business thus determined upon.

Your Committee are of the opinion that this practice should be discontinued, and that the meetings of the Aqueduct Commissioners, like the meetings of all other City Commissions, should be public meetings, except when, for special reasons, executive sessions of the Commission are deemed to be desirable, in which case they can be held on special motion.

Your Committee have found that there are many subjects connected with the organization of the Aqueduct Commission and its force that require to be inquired into before an intelligent recommendation can be made; and your Committee ask that they be continued with power to report at any time upon any subject connected with the organization of the Commission that may seem to them to require action.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed)

J. C. DUANE,
FRANCIS M. SCOTT,
WALTER HOWE.

On motion of the Mayor, the report was accepted and ordered spread in full on the minutes.

On motion of the Mayor, the report was ordered amended so as to provide for meetings of the Construction or Executive Committee on Thursday of each week, at 2 o'clock P. M., and the report as amended was then adopted by the following vote:

Affirmative—The Mayor, the Comptroller, the Commissioner of Public Works, and Commissioners Duane, Scott and Howe—6.

On motion of the Mayor, the President was elected ex-officio Chairman of the Construction or Executive Committee.

On motion of the Mayor, Commissioners Howe, Tucker and Scott were elected the members of the Committee of Finance and Audit.

On motion of the Mayor, Commissioners Scott, Howe and the Commissioner of Public Works were appointed the Committee on Real Estate.

By Commissioner Scott:

Resolved, That the Committee on Real Estate be and hereby is directed to collate, digest and cause to be printed in pamphlet form for the use of the Commission such opinions of the Counsel to the Corporation rendered since the creation of the Aqueduct Commission touching the business of the Commission as said Committee shall deem proper; and the said Committee is hereby directed in carrying out this resolution to consult with the Counsel to the Corporation.

Adopted.

By the Mayor:

Resolved, That the Committee of Finance and Audit be directed to procure a list of all the employees of the Commission, defining their duties and the compensation paid each employee, with a view of determining whether any economy can be brought about as to the number of persons employed or the compensation paid, and present the same to this Board at the earliest moment for their consideration.

Adopted.

The Commissioners then adjourned.

JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 2, 1888.

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 July 28, 1888:

Public Moneys Received during the Week.

For Croton water rents	\$196,895 54
For penalties on water rents	108 15
For tapping Croton pipes	241 50
For sewer permits	525 56
For restoring and repaving—Special Fund	82 00
For redemption of obstructions seized	1,547 68
For vault permits	
Total	\$200,242 43

Permits Issued.

- 56 permits to tap Croton pipes.
- 49 permits to open streets.
- 30 permits to make sewer connections.
- 31 permits to repair sewer connections.
- 154 permits to place building material on streets.
- 15 permits—special.
- 4 permits to construct street vaults.

Obstructions Removed.

- 35 obstructions removed from the various streets and avenues during the week.

Pavement Repairs.

- 12,414 square yards of pavement repaired during the week.

Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.

- 12 basins relieved.
- 60 basins and culverts cleaned.
- 1,626 lineal feet of sewer cleaned.
- 513 lineal feet of sewer repaired.
- 26 lineal feet of culvert rebuilt.
- 18 lineal feet of spur-pipe laid.
- 21 lineal feet of new box-sewer built.
- 21 manholes repaired.
- 19 manhole heads reset.
- 2 new manhole heads and covers put on.
- 2 basins repaired.
- 111 cubic yards earth excavated and refilled.
- 23 square yards pavement relaid.
- 1 cart-load of earth filling.
- 1,626 cart-loads of dirt removed.

Public Lamps.

26 new lamps lighted.
9 old lamps relighted.
4 lamps discontinued.
3 lamp-posts removed.
4 lamp-posts reset.
20 lamp-posts straightened.
2 columns refitted.
13 columns readed.

Report of Photometrical Examinations of Illuminating Gas, for the week ending July 28, 1888, made at the Photometrical Rooms of the Department of Public Works.

DATE.	TIME.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	GAS COMPANY.	BURNED.	Pressure as Delivered to Burner.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	Consumption of Gas, Rate per hour.	ILLUMINATING POWER.	
									Observed.	Corrected.
July 24	4 P.M.	88.	30.00	{ Consolidated, Manhattan Branch.... }	Empire st.....	IN. CU. FT.	120.0	20.32	20.32	
" 25	1.30 P.M.	86.	30.11	"	"	.60 5.00	124.2	19.84	20.53	
" 26	4 P.M.	86.	30.07	"	"	.60 5.00	120.6	19.96	20.06	
" 27	1 P.M.	82.	30.05	"	"	.60 5.00	120.0	19.82	19.82	
" 28	2.30 P.M.	83.	30.19	"	"	.60 5.00	126.0	19.06	20.01	
Average.									20.15	
July 24	3.30 P.M.	88.	30.00	{ Consolidated, New York Branch.... }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.84 5.00	121.2	23.88	24.12	
" 25	2 P.M.	86.	30.11	"	"	.83 5.00	124.8	24.20	25.17	
" 26	3.30 P.M.	86.	30.07	"	"	.84 5.00	120.0	24.83	24.80	
" 27	1.30 P.M.	82.	30.05	"	"	.84 5.00	121.8	24.08	24.44	
" 28	2 P.M.	83.	30.19	"	"	.84 5.00	120.0	25.10	25.10	
Average.									24.72	
July 24	11.30 A.M.	83.	30.03	{ Consolidated, Metropolitan Branch.... }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.66 5.00	115.8	23.88	23.04	
" 25	11 A.M.	80.	30.15	"	"	.68 5.00	120.0	22.13	22.13	
" 26	11.30 A.M.	83.	30.12	"	"	.67 5.00	115.2	23.04	22.12	
" 27	11 A.M.	82.	30.10	"	"	.65 5.00	121.2	21.42	21.63	
" 28	10 A.M.	81.	30.20	"	"	.68 5.00	114.0	23.80	22.61	
Average.									22.30	
July 24	11 A.M.	82.	30.03	{ Consolidated, Knickerbocker Br. }	Bray's Slit Union, 6	.78 5.00	124.2	26.90	27.84	
" 25	11.30 A.M.	82.	30.15	"	"	.79 5.00	120.0	28.20	28.20	
" 26	11 A.M.	82.	30.12	"	"	.80 5.00	126.0	25.65	26.04	
" 27	11.30 A.M.	83.	30.10	"	"	.79 5.00	117.0	26.12	25.47	
" 28	9.30 A.M.	80.	30.20	"	"	.78 5.00	117.0	25.92	25.27	
Average.									26.74	
July 24	3 P.M.	88.	30.00	{ Consolidated, Municipal Branch.... }	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.86 5.00	118.2	29.34	28.90	
" 25	2.30 P.M.	86.	30.11	"	"	.84 5.00	124.2	28.04	29.02	
" 26	3 P.M.	86.	30.07	"	"	.86 5.00	121.8	29.30	29.74	
" 27	2 P.M.	82.	30.05	"	"	.86 5.00	120.0	29.20	29.20	
" 28	1.30 P.M.	83.	30.19	"	"	.85 5.00	120.6	28.64	28.78	
Average.									29.13	
July 24	2.30 P.M.	88.	30.00	N. Y. Mutual...	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.88 5.00	126.0	29.42	30.89	
" 25	3 P.M.	86.	30.11	"	"	.87 5.00	121.8	30.20	30.65	
" 26	2.30 P.M.	86.	30.07	"	"	.88 5.00	124.8	28.68	29.83	
" 27	2.30 P.M.	82.	30.05	"	"	.89 5.00	121.2	30.28	30.58	
" 28	1 P.M.	83.	30.19	"	"	.89 5.00	120.0	30.40	30.40	
Average.									30.47	
July 24	2 P.M.	88.	30.00	Equitable.....	Bray's Slit Union, 7	.90 5.00	114.0	32.44	30.82	
" 25	3.30 P.M.	86.	30.11	"	"	.87 5.00	120.0	32.54	32.54	
" 26	2 P.M.	86.	30.07	"	"	.89 5.00	124.2	31.06	32.15	
" 27	3 P.M.	82.	30.05	"	"	.90 5.00	120.0	31.82	31.82	
" 28	12.30 P.M.	83.	30.19	"	"	.91 5.00	121.2	31.76	32.08	
Average.									31.88	

E. G. LOVE, Gas Examiner.

Statement of Laboring Force Employed in the Department of Public Works during the week ending July 28, 1888.

NATURE OF WORK.	MECHANICS.	LABORERS.	TEAMS.	CARTS.
Aqueduct—Repairs and Maintenance and Strengthening.....	57	223	15	7
Supplying Water to Shipping.....	6	...	..	..
Laying Croton Pipes.....	2	18	2	..
Repairing and Renewals of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	64	139	..	16
Bronx River Works—Maintenance and Repairs.....	2	21	2	1
Repairing and Cleaning Sewers.....	5	42	..	20
Repairs and Renewals of Pavements.....	187	312	6	102
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	14	78	31	4
Roads, Streets and Avenues.....	2	30	6	..
Totals.....	339	863	62	150
Increase over previous week.....	6	12	..	4
Decrease from previous week.....	..	..	..	..

Requisitions on the Comptroller.

The total amount of requisitions drawn by the Department on the Comptroller during the week is \$144,065.67.

D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Approved Papers for the week ending August 11, 1888.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the owners of property on One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, from Mott avenue to Gerard avenue, to regulate and grade said street, on the established grade, the work to be done at their own expense, under the direction of the Commissioners of Public Parks.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, July 31, 1888.

Approved by the Mayor, August 8, 1888.

FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk of the Common Council.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

MAYOR'S MARSHAL'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, August 11, 1888.

Number of licenses issued and amounts received therefor, in the week ending Friday, August 10, 1888.

DATE.	NUMBER OF LICENSES.	AMOUNTS.
Saturday, Aug. 4....	27	\$62 00
Monday, " 6....	73	215 75
Tuesday, " 7....	32	59 00
Wednesday, " 8....	41	71 50
Thursday, " 9....	49	111 75
Friday, " 10....	40	86 25
Totals.....	262	\$606 25

THOMAS W. BYRNES,
Mayor's Marshal.MAYOR'S OFFICE,
NEW YORK, February 10, 1888.

I, Abram S. Hewitt, Mayor of the City of New York, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 10 of the Laws of 1888, do hereby designate the Sun, Herald, Times, World, Star, Tribune, Journal, Press, Evening Post, Commercial Advertiser, Graphic, Telegram, Evening Sun, Evening World, Mail and Express, Staats Zeitung, New Yorker Zeitung and Daily News as the newspapers in which the advertisements provided for in said act may be printed.

(Signed), ABRAM S. HEWITT,
Mayor.CITY COURT—TRIAL TERM,
PART I.

In view of the alterations going on in the old City Hall, the April term of Part I. of the City Court will be held in room known as Part III. of the Superior Court in the New Court-house.

By order of the Court.

MICHAEL T. DALY,
Clerk.CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY
AND EXAMINING BOARDS.

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS, SECRETARY'S OFFICE, ROOM 11, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, June 3, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor City Record:

DEAR SIR—The following amendment to Regulation 16 of the New York City Civil Service Regulations has been made:

If the appointing officer shall notify the Secretary of more than one vacancy at any one time, the Secretary shall certify to the appointing officer for appointment, the names of as many persons as there are vacancies to be filled, with the addition of two names for the first vacancy and one name for every two vacancies in addition to the first.

Yours respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

CITY OF NEW YORK—CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS, SECRETARY'S OFFICE, ROOM 11, CITY HALL, NEW YORK, May 31, 1887.

THOMAS COSTIGAN, Esq.,
Supervisor:

DEAR SIR—The following resolution was passed by the Supervisory Board at their meeting, held May 27, 1887:

"Resolved, That in view of the inadequate space in the Secretary's office and in order to enable him more readily to discharge the business of the same, the Secretary is authorized to arrange the business of the office so that the same shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public during a part of the day only."

Pursuant to the above action, I hereby designate the two hours between 2 and 4 o'clock in afternoon as the time for which the offices shall be open for personal interviews with applicants and the public.

Very respectfully,
LEE PHILLIPS,
Secretary and Executive Officer.

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, 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
ABRAM S. HEWITT, Mayor. ARTHUR BERRY, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

Mayor's Marshal's Office.

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

COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

Rooms 114 and 115, Stewart Building, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
WM. PITT SHEARMAN, JAMES DALY.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 209, Stewart Building, 5th floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.
JAMES C. SPENCER, President; JOHN C. SHEEHAN, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer; J. C. LULLAY, Auditor.

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THE MAYOR, Chairman; PRESIDENT OF DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, Secretary.
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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE H. FORSTER, President Board of Aldermen.
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
D. N. CARVALHO, City Librarian.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JOHN NEWTON, Commissioner; D. LOWBER SMITH, Deputy Commissioner.

Bureau of Chief Engineer.

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

Bureau of Water Register.

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

Bureau of Street Improvements.

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

Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

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

Bureau of Streets.

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

Bureau of Incumbents.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KEESE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office.

No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STOKES, 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.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenue and of Markets.

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

Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

No. 57 Chambers street and No. 35 Reade street, Stewart Building.
GEORGE W. MCLEAN, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VERDENBURGH, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

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

Office of the City Paymaster.

No. 33 Reade street, Stewart Building.
JOHN H. TIMMERMAN, City Paymaster.

At West Fifty-seventh Street.

Lot 1—Old wrought-iron, about 6,800 pounds.
 Lot 2—Old cast-iron, about 800 pounds.
 Lot 3—Consisting of 12 pairs of old rubber boots, about 600 lbs, about 7 pairs old ash oars, about 24 old canal barrows.
 Lot 4—1 raft of old timber, about 40 feet long, about 15 feet wide, 1 foot high.
 Lot 5—1 raft of old timber, about 40 feet long, about 24 feet wide, and about 1 foot high.
 Lot 6—1 raft of old timber, about 30 feet long, about 17 feet wide, and about 1 foot high.
 All these lots at West Fifty-seventh street must be removed within five days from the date of sale, by the purchaser.

At West Thirtieth Street.

Lot 7—Raft of old 3" plank and pile butts, about 18' x 4'.
 Lot 8—Raft of old piles, about 30' x 18' x 4'.
 Lot 9—Raft of old square timber and short pile butts, 24' x 15' x 3 1/2'.
 Lot 10—Raft of old square timber, old piles and short pile butts, 100' x 28'.
 Lot 11—Raft of old square timber and short pile butts, 37' x 16' x 4'.
 Lot 12—Raft of old 3" plank and pile butts, 22' x 14' x 5'.
 Lot 13—Raft of old 3" plank, square timber and short pile butts, 41' x 18' x 3'.
 Lot 14—Raft of old 3" plank, 25' x 15' x 5'.
 Lot 15—Raft of old 3" plank, 25' x 20' x 4'.
 Lot 16—Raft of old piles about twenty-five', 46' x 17' x 5'.
 Lot 17—Raft of old 4" plank, 25' x 26' x 5'.
 Lot 18—Raft of old 3" plank and square timber, 25' x 10' x 5'.
 Lot 19—Raft of old 3" plank, 25' x 17' x 4'.
 Lot 20—Raft of old square timber, pile butts and plank, 100' x 20' x 5'.
 The purchaser must remove the whole of these lots within five days from the date of sale.

At West Street, North Moore and Beach Streets.
 Lot 21—One two-story shed, about 25 feet wide by 57 feet deep by 30 feet high, with everything now standing above the deck plank or sheathing on the bulkhead platform, between north and south sides of North Moore street, including siding, gates, posts, guard-timbers, and also one pile of about thirty old pile butts from 10 feet to 30 feet long.

The purchaser must remove the whole of this lot within thirty days from the date of sale.

Lot 22—One one-story shed, about 24 feet long, 60 feet deep and 24 feet high, with everything now standing above the deck plank or sheathing on the bulkhead platform, between the north line of North Moore street and a line about 54 feet north of same, including gates, posts, guard-timbers and siding on the east and south sides. (The siding on the north side goes with lot No. 23.)
 The purchaser must remove the whole of this lot within thirty days from the date of sale.

Lot 23—One one-story shed, 123 feet long, 60 feet deep and 24 feet high, with everything now standing above the deck plank or sheathing on the bulkhead platform, between a line 54 feet north of the north side of North Moore street and the north line of Beach street, including siding, gates, posts, guard-timbers, and one fence about 10 feet by 10 feet, between lots 22 and 24.

The purchaser must remove the whole of this lot within thirty days from the date of sale.

East Seventeenth Street Yard.

Lot 24—Lot old wrought-iron screw-bolts, about 7,647 pounds.
 Lot 25—Lot old wrought-iron, about 13,508 pounds.
 Lot 26—Lot old cast-iron, about 3,868 pounds.
 Lot 27—Lot old dock plank, 72 feet long, 12 feet wide, and 9 feet high.
 Lot 28—Lot old wood, 26 feet long, 15 feet wide and 5 feet high.
 Lot 29—Lot old centres covering or arches, 34 feet long, 5 feet wide and 3 feet high.
 Lot 30—13 old sky-light sashes.
 Lot 31—7 old wooden concrete buckets.
 Lot 32—5 old iron concrete buckets.
 Lot 33—2 old gravel heaters.
 Lot 34—2 old iron heaters.
 Lot 35—1 old oil barrel.
 Lot 36—2 old oil barrels.
 Lot 37—1 old ladder.
 Lot 38—1 old stove.
 Lot 39—5 old double blocks.
 The purchaser must remove all of each one of these lots within five days from the date of sale.

CONDITIONS OF THE SALE.

The sale will commence at 10 o'clock A.M., and be continued in the following order: First, at the East Seventeenth Street Yard; second, at West street, between North Moore and Beach streets; third, at basin foot of Thirtieth street, North river; and fourth, at Fifty-seventh Street Yard, North river.

Each of the above lots will be sold separately and for a sum in gross.
 The estimated quantities stated to be in the several lots are believed to be correct, but the Department will not make any allowance from the purchase money for short delivery on any lot, and bidders must judge for themselves as to the correctness of the estimate of quantity when making their bids.

All property not removed promptly will remain at the risk of the buyer.

Terms of sale to be cash, to be paid at the time of sale. An order will be given for the material purchased.

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,
 JAMES MATTHEWS,
 EDWIN A. POST,
 Commissioners of the Department of Docks.

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.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz.:
 List 2575, No. 1. Plank, 100' x 28' on West End avenue, in accordance with the following ordinance:

"That in each sidewalk of Eleventh (West End) avenue, between Seventy-second and One Hundred and Seventh streets, two rows of mature trees be planted, the trees to be placed thirty feet apart."
 The limits embraced by such assessments include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—
 List 2575, No. 1. Plank, 100' x 28' on West End avenue, from Seventy-second to One Hundred and Seventh street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11 1/2 City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 15th day of September, 1888.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
 PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
 CHAS. E. WENDT,
 EDWARD CAHILL,
 Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
 No. 11 1/2 CITY HALL,
 NEW YORK, August 10, 1888.

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

List 2539, No. 1. Sewer and appurtenances in Washington street, between Brook avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.

List 2584, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging in Fort George avenue, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

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

No. 1. Bounded on the north by One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street, on the south by One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street, and on the east by Washington street, between Brook avenue and One Hundred and Sixty-sixth street.
 No. 2. Both sides of Fort George avenue, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11 1/2 City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 5th day of September, 1888.

EDWARD GILON, Chairman,
 PATRICK M. HAVERTY,
 CHAS. E. WENDT,
 EDWARD CAHILL,
 Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,
 No. 11 1/2 CITY HALL,
 NEW YORK, August 4, 1888.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, IRON, LEATHER, LIME AND LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

GROCERIES, ETC.

8,500 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition, Thursday, August 23, 1888.

1,500 pounds Cheese.

5,000 pounds Dried Apples.

12,000 pounds Rice.

40,000 pounds Brown Sugar.

7,000 pounds Coffee Sugar.

4,000 pounds Cut Leaf Sugar.

6,000 pounds Oolong Tea.

100 barrels Crackers.

100 bushels Dried Peas.

200 bushels best quality Kettle Rendered Lard.

50 pounds each.

40 dozen Canned Peaches.

3,500 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled.

634 barrels good sound White Potatoes, to weigh 172 pounds net per barrel.

50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, to weigh 150 pounds net per barrel.

1,600 heads prime good-sized Cabbage.

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

50 pieces prime quality, City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each.

1,000 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel.

60 bags Coarse Meal, 100 pounds net each.

300 bales prime quality, bright Rye Straw, are not to exceed three pounds, weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

DRY GOODS.

100 pieces Oiled Muslin.

200 gross Cotton Sheet Lace.

20 gross Fine Combs.

HARDWARE, IRON, ETC.

10 bundles first quality Galvanized Iron No. 24, 42 x 84.

1 dozen Lathing Hatchets.

15 dozen Taper Saw Files, 10 1/2" x 5 1/2".

25 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil 150° Test.

LEATHER.

300 sides prime quality Waxed Kip Leather, to average about 21 feet.

300 sides prime quality Waxed Upper Leather, to average about 17 feet.

2,000 pounds Offal Leather.

LIME.

25 barrels W. W. Lime, first quality.

25 barrels Plaster Paris, first quality.

LUMBER.

300 first quality Spruce Plank, 1 1/2" x 12'.

500 first quality Hemlock Joists, 3" x 4" x 13'.

80 first quality Spruce Floor Plank, 1 1/2" x 9', dressed, tongued and grooved.

50 first quality Spruce Floor Plank, tongued and grooved, 1 1/2" x 9'.

100 bunches Extra XXX, clear sawed Pine Shingles, 18".

2,000 feet Electric Moulding.

All lumber to be delivered at Blackwell's Island.

—will be received at the Department of Public Charities and Correction in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A.M. of Friday, August 24, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Iron, Hardware, Leather, Lumber, etc., with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read."

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ALL BIDS OR ESTIMATES IF DEEMED TO BE FOR THE PUBLIC INTEREST, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 415, 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 must contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same, and 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 residences, 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 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 be enclosed in a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same 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.

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

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

Dated New York, August 13, 1888.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FLOUR.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING

ing and delivering, free of all expense, at the Baker's house dock, Blackwell's Island (east side), 4,000 barrels (no sacks) extra Wheat Flour, in lots of 500 to 1,000 barrels, one-half of each quality, as follows:
 2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 1.
 2,000 barrels of sample marked No. 2.

Only 2,000 empty barrels to be returned.

—will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock A.M. of Friday, August 24, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope indorsed, "Bid or Estimate for Flour," 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 and read."

The contractor shall furnish a certificate of inspection by the Flour Inspector of the New York Produce Exchange, also an award from the Committee on Flour and the Exchange, that the flour offered is equal to the standards of the Department, and that the certificate shall accompany each delivery of flour, the expense of such inspection and award to be borne by the contractor, also certificate of weight and tare to be furnished with each delivery.

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 415, 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 residences, 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 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 be enclosed in a sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same 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.

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

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

Dated New York, August 13, 1888.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS AND WORK REQUIRED FOR STEAM HEATING AT CENTRAL ISLAND, LONG 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 o'clock A. M. of Tuesday, August 14, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Steam Heating at Central Islip, Long Island, New York," 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 the Board of Public Charities and Correction.

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 126 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK. 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, each in the full amount of TEN THOUSAND (\$10,000) 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 in the same, 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 with no 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 materials to be furnished, or 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, and that no collusion or fraud is intended, and that the verification is 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, to the effect that they have read and approved the estimate, and that they will, on its being so awarded, become bound by its terms for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall hold the Corporation harmless from 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; and the amount in writing, and signed by each of 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 household 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 to whom he consents to become surety, and 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 the City of New York, or a cash note payable to 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 enclosed in a separate envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book; 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 to execute the contract, or if he shall fail to execute the contract within the time allowed, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or person 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 the Corporation will be at liberty to award the contract will be re-advertised and relief as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inscribing the same on the Estimate-book.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, in accordance with the terms of the contract.

BIDDERS ARE INFORMED THAT NO DEVIATION FROM THE SPECIFICATIONS WILL BE ALLOWED, UNLESS UNDER THE WRITTEN INSTRUCTIONS OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Comptroller of the City of New York, or on application for the information of bidders.

Dated NEW YORK, August 8, 1888.

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

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,
NEW YORK, AUGUST 13, 1888.

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Unknown woman from foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river; aged about 19 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; dark brown hair. Had on black jersey, black dress, red flannel petticoat, white chemise and drawers, white cotton stockings, buttoned garters; locket with photograph of a man and address of R. Rattsony found on her person.

Unknown man from foot of Eighty-fourth street, North river; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark brown hair. Had on black coat and vest, light gray pants, white undershirt, gray socks, laced shoes; body very much decomposed.

Unknown man from foot of Governor's Island; 5 feet 7½ inches high. Had on gray striped calico shirt, blue striped hickory shirt, white knit undershirt, brown plaid overalls, blue plaid overalls, brogan shoes, gray socks; body very much decomposed.

Unknown man from foot of Twenty-sixth street, East river; aged about 65 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; light brown hair mixed with gray. Had on dark coat, vest and pants, white shirt, blue hickory shirt, one elastic garter, one laced shoe, red striped socks.

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At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Mary Johnson, aged 49 years. Committed May 31, 1888.

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Catherine W. aged 41 years; 5 feet 1½ inches high; brown hair; blue eyes. Had on white knitted undershirt, light hood, striped petticoat, shoes, stockings.

Annie Miner, colored; aged 23 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; brown eyes; black hair. Had on when admitted green calico skirt, gray waist, black jacket, gaiters, black straw hat.

Thomas McGowan, aged 31 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted blue serge coat, vest and pants, laced gaiters, black derby hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order, G. F. BRITTON,
Secretary.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF NEW YORK,
FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,
August 9, 1888.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY-OWNERS.

IN PURSUANCE OF SECTION 96 OF THE "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882," the Comptroller of the City of New York hereby gives public notice to all persons, owners of property affected by the following assessment lists, viz:

—Bleeker street sewer, between Christopher and West Tenth streets.

—Broadway facing vacant lots on west side, between One Hundred and Twenty-fourth and One Hundred and Twenty-sixth streets.

—Madison avenue facing vacant lots on southeast corner of One Hundred and Twelfth street, extending about 20 feet on Madison avenue and about 70 feet on One Hundred and Twelfth street.

—Morris avenue and One Hundred and Forty-fourth street basins and sewer connections, at the northeast and southeast corners.

—Pleasant avenue sewer, between One Hundred and Sixteenth and One Hundred and Fifteenth streets, connecting with present sewer in One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

—Seventy-seventh sewer, an additional course of flagging on the east side, between One Hundred and Twenty-first and One Hundred and Twenty-second streets.

—Ninth avenue paving with granite-block pavement and laying crosswalks from Seventy-seventh to One Hundred and Tenth street.

—Tenth avenue sewer, west side, between Twenty-third and Twenty-second streets.

—Tenth avenue sewer, west side, between One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-second streets, and in One Hundred and Forty-second street, between Tenth avenue and Hamilton place, connecting with sewer in Hamilton place.

—Eleventh avenue alterations and improvements to sewers, between Fourteenth and Seventeenth streets, and in Fourteenth street, between Tenth and Thirteenth avenues, and sewers in Eleventh avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, and in Fifteenth street, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

—Fourteenth street basin, on southeast corner of Fourth avenue.

—Sixty-fourth street sewer, between Avenue A and First avenue.

—Sixty-fifth street regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

—Seventy-sixth street and Lexington avenue basin, on southeast corner of 66th street.

—Seventy-sixth street sewer, between West End and Riverside avenues, connecting with sewer in Riverside avenue.

—Seventy-seventh street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

—One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street, Manhattan street and Tenth avenue, connecting vacants, between Broadway and Lexington avenues.

—One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street flagging, north side, and One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, south side, between Fourth and Lexington avenues.

—One Hundred and Thirty-first and One Hundred and Thirty-second streets facing vacant lots, between Broadway and Tenth avenue.

—One Hundred and Thirty-second street paving with trap-block pavement and laying crosswalks, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

—One Hundred and Thirty-second and One Hundred and Thirty-third streets facing vacant lot, between Broadway and Tenth avenue.

—One Hundred and Thirty-third street sewer, between Tenth avenue and Broadway, connecting with present sewer in Broadway.

—One Hundred and Thirty-fourth street paving with trap-block pavement and laying crosswalks, from Seventh to Eighth avenue.

—One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street basin and sewer connection, at the northwest corner of Third avenue.

—One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street flagging, south side, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

—One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street paving with granite-block pavement, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

—One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street regulating, grading, curb, gutter, flagging and laying crosswalks, between North Third avenue and Brook avenue.

—One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street paving with granite-block pavement and laying crosswalks, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas.

—One Hundred and Fortieth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from the Boulevard to Hamilton place.

—One Hundred and Forty-seventh street regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging, from Eighth avenue to Congam avenue.

—One Hundred and Forty-eighth street sewer, between Seventh and Eighth avenues.

—One Hundred and Fifty-fifth street regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, from east line to the west line of Congam avenue.

—One Hundred and Sixty-fourth street sewer, between Washington and Third avenues, with a branch in Third avenue, from Third avenue to Broadway.

—One Hundred and Sixty-fifth street regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging, from Boston avenue to Trinity avenue.

—One Hundred and Sixty-eighth street regulating, grading, curb, gutter, flagging and laying crosswalks, between the Boston road and Union avenue.

—One Hundred and Sixty-ninth street sewer, between North Third avenue and Franklin avenue, with a branch in Fulton avenue, between One Hundred and Sixty-ninth and One Hundred and Sixty-eighth streets.

—which were confirmed by the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments July 25, 1888; and entered on the duplicate of the Record of Title of Assessments kept in the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," that unless the amount assessed for benefit on any person or property shall be paid within sixty days after the date of said entry of the assessments, interest will be collected thereon as provided in section 97 of said "New York City Consolidation Act of 1882."

—The Comptroller of the City of New York provides that, "If any such assessment shall remain unpaid for the period of sixty days after the date of entry thereof in the said Record of Title of Assessments, it shall be the duty of the officer authorized to collect and receive the amount of such assessment to collect and receive the same, and thereon, at the rate of seven per centum per annum, to be calculated from the date of such entry to the date of payment."

—The above assessments are payable to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at the "Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents," between the hours of 9 A. M. and 2 P. M., and all payments made after the hour of 2 P. M., 1888, will be exempt from interest as above mentioned, and after that date will be subject to a charge of interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum from the date of entry in the Record of Title of Assessments in said Bureau to the date of payment.

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

PROPOSALS FOR \$1,100,000 STOCKS AND BONDS OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

EXEMPT FROM CITY AND COUNTY TAXATION.

INTEREST THREE PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, until Tuesday, August 14, 1888, at 12 o'clock P. M., when they will be publicly opened by him in the presence of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, or such of them as shall attend, for the whole or a part of the following registered Stocks and Bonds of the City of New York, to wit:

1. CONSOLIDATED STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, as provided by section 122 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, also designated "Armory Bonds," pursuant to section 1 of chapter 487 of the Laws of 1886, amending section 62 of chapter 299 of the Laws of 1883, and in accordance with a resolution of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, passed April 20, 1887, for the purpose of the construction of a bridge over the Harlem river in the City of New York, and to be issued in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Bridge Commissioners, dated October 21, 1887, and as authorized by a resolution adopted by the Board of Estimate and Apportionment July 25, 1888, for the sum of \$350,000.

The principal of said stock is payable NOVEMBER 1, 1908, and the interest thereon, at the rate of three per cent. per annum, is payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year.

2. DOCK BONDS, of the City of New York, authorized by section 143 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, for the sum of \$500,000.

The principal of said bonds will be payable NOVEMBER 1, 1918, and the interest thereon, at the rate of three per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of May and November in each year.

For the redemption of said Consolidated Stock and Dock Bonds, a sum sufficient, with the accumulation of interest thereon, will be included in the annual estimate

and raised by tax each year, to meet and discharge the amount of the principal at maturity, as provided by section 122 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882.

Said Consolidated Stock and Dock Bonds are also EXEMPT FROM CITY AND COUNTY TAXATION.

pursuant to section 137 of said Consolidation Act, and as authorized by an ordinance of the Common Council of the City of New York, passed October 2, 1888, and by "concurrent resolutions" adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, April 20, 1887, June 17, 1887, and July 27, 1888, respectively.

CONDITIONS. Section 146, New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, provides that "The Comptroller, with the approval of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, shall determine when and how any part of said bonds shall be accepted, and upon the payment into the City Treasury of the amounts due by the persons whose bids are accepted, respectively, certificates therefor shall be issued to them as authorized by law; and also, that no proposals for bonds or stocks shall be accepted for less than the par value of the same."

Those persons whose bids are accepted will be required to deposit with the City Chamberlain the amount of the bonds awarded to them, their cost, together with the premium thereon, within three days after notice of such acceptance.

Proposals will be received for any of said stocks or bonds in sums of one thousand dollars or multiples thereof, stating the amount and kind of securities which are desired by the bidders.

The proposals should be enclosed in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Proposals for Stocks and Bonds of the City of New York," and each proposal should also be enclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller of the City of New York.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 31, 1888.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS AND OF WATER RENTS.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS AND CLERK OF ARREARS,
STEWART BUILDING, ROOM 35, AUGUST 7, 1888.

NOTICE OF THE SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID TAXES OF 1886 TO 1888, AND CROTON WATER RENTS OF 1886 TO 1888, under the direction of Theodore W. Myers, Comptroller of the City of New York.

The undersigned hereby gives public notice, pursuant to the provisions of section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, that

That the respective owners of all the lands and tenements situated in the Wards Nos. 1 to 24, inclusive, in the City of New York, on which taxes have been levied and confirmed for the years 1886 to 1888, both inclusive, and are now remaining due and unpaid; and also the respective owners of all lands and tenements in the City of New York, situated in the Wards aforesaid, on which the regular Croton water rents have been levied for the years 1886 to 1888, both inclusive, and are now remaining due and unpaid, are required to pay the same, and Croton water rents so remaining due and unpaid, with the interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, from the time when the same became due to the time of payment, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears at his office in the Finance Department, in the Stewart Building, corner of Broadway and Chambers street, in said city.

And that if default shall be made in such payment such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction at the Court-house, in the City Hall Park, in the City of New York, on Monday, November 12, 1888, at 12 o'clock noon, for the lowest term of years at which any person will offer to take the same, in consideration of advancing the amount of tax or Croton water rent, as the case may be, so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and also other costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such sale will be continued from time to time, until all the lands and tenements so advertised for sale shall be sold.

Notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the taxes and water rents so remaining due and unpaid, and the interest thereon, and the ownership of the property on which taxes and Croton water rents remain unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the said pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

A. S. CADY,
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

NOTICE OF SALE AT AUCTION OF THE CITY'S INTEREST IN CERTAIN REAL ESTATE IN THE TWELFTH WARD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL THE right, title and interest of the Corporation of the City of New York in and to certain land in the Twelfth Ward of said city, to be sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the Comptroller's Office, No. 230 Broadway, at noon on Wednesday, the 22d day of August, 1888, under a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, July 12, 1888, as follows: That the said land to be sold is a certain lot, situate, bounded and contained as follows: Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the northerly side of One Hundred and Seventh street with the westerly side of First avenue; thence running northerly along said First avenue seventy-five feet seven inches; thence running westerly, parallel with said One Hundred and Seventh street, one hundred feet; thence running southerly, parallel with said First avenue, seventy-five feet seven inches to the northerly side of said One Hundred and Seventh street; and thence running easterly, parallel with the point or place of beginning; and when said appraisal is made, to sell the same at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, pursuant to section 120 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, the purchaser to pay in addition the amount of any unpaid taxes, assessments and water rents that may be due on the premises.

THEO. W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, July 17, 1888.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL ESTATE OWNERS, MORTGAGE LENDERS, ETC., engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1887, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

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

THEODORE W. MYERS,
Comptroller.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSION.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, AUGUST 4, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND manufacturing, fitting, placing, etc., ten 48-inch stop-cock valves and gearing at the Gate-house at One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street and Convent avenue, on Section 15, and four 48-inch stop-cock valves and gearing to be used at Shaft No. 25 on Section 12, and one 48-inch stop-cock valve and gearing to be used at the New Gate-house on Section 1 of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until Wednesday, August 22, 1888, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for said work and furnishing said material will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

Blank forms of said approved contract and the specifications therefor, and bids or proposals and proper envelopes for their enclosure, and form of bonds, and also the plans for said work, and all other information, can be obtained at the above office of the Aqueduct Commissioners on application to the Secretary.

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

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
ROOM 209, STEWART BUILDING, No. 280 BROADWAY,
NEW YORK, AUGUST 4, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR BUILDING AN Iron-lined Masonry Aqueduct near Shaft No. 30, on Section 14 of the New Aqueduct, as called for in the approved forms of contract and specifications on file in the office of the Aqueduct Commissioners, will be received at this office until Wednesday, August 22, 1888, at 2 o'clock p. m., at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the Aqueduct Commissioners, and the award of the contract for said work will be made by said Commissioners as soon thereafter as possible.

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By order of the Aqueduct Commissioners.
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SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of CLAREMONT AVENUE, from One Hundred and Twenty-second street to One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 27th day of August, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 27th day of August, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 27th day of August, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the southerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Claremont avenue and Boulevard des Capucines, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Claremont avenue and Riverside Drive; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1888, 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, July 13, 1888.
JOSEPH R. ECCLESINE,
J. ROMAINE BROWN,
DAVID KEANE, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.
In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIRST STREET, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 14th day of September, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of September, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in

the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 14th day of September, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by a straight line parallel with, and distant 100 feet northerly from, the northerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street and extending from the westerly side of Eleventh avenue to the easterly side of New (Audubon) avenue and a straight line parallel with, and distant 100 feet northerly from, the northerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street and extending from the easterly side of New (Audubon) avenue to the westerly side of Tenth avenue; easterly by the westerly side of Tenth avenue; southerly by a straight line parallel with, and distant 100 feet southerly from, the southerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street and extending from the westerly side of Tenth avenue to the easterly side of New (Audubon) avenue and a straight line parallel with, and distant 100 feet southerly from, the southerly side of One Hundred and Eighty-first street and extending from the westerly side of New (Audubon) avenue to the easterly side of Eleventh avenue; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads or portions thereof heretofore legally opened and all the unimproved land included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874, and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 40 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-eighth day of September, 1888, 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, July 26, 1888.
EDWARD HOGAN,
JOHN WHALEN,
HAROLD M. SMITH, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of SEDGWICK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from the Twenty-third Ward line to the Fordham Landing road, in the Twenty-fourth 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.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter, will be presented for consideration to the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the thirteenth day of August, 1888, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 13th day of August, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p. m.

Dated New York, July 31, 1888.
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
WILLIAM HENRY WILLIS,
JOSEPH KUNZMANN, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of SEDGWICK AVENUE (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from the Twenty-third Ward line to the Fordham Landing road, in the Twenty-fourth 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 the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 28th day of August, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 28th day of August, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 28th day of August, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces, or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the southerly side of Fordham Landing road; easterly by the centre line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Andrews avenue and East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street, and the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Loring place; southerly by the division line between the properties of the Henry W. T. Mall estate and the Herman C. and Catherine E. Lohr and Poschke, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Heath avenue and Fordham Landing road. Also all those lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by a straight line drawn westerly and at right angles with the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and extending from a point where the westerly line of Heath avenue intersects the westerly line of Sedgwick avenue, to the easterly side of One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street; easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Heath avenue; southerly by the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and westerly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Commerce avenue, and easterly by the centre line of the blocks between Sedgwick avenue and Commerce avenue.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1888, 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.

and the centre line of the block between Sedgwick avenue and Commerce avenue, and a certain unnamed street or avenue parallel or nearly so with and distant 1,200 feet northerly from the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue and by a line parallel or nearly so with and distant about 100 feet westerly from the westerly side of Sedgwick avenue, and extending northerly from a certain unnamed street or road, which street or road is about 1,200 feet northerly from the northerly side of East One Hundred and Eighty-first street, to the straight line heretofore mentioned as a part of the northerly boundary, and extending from Sedgwick avenue to the straight line heretofore mentioned as a part of the northerly boundary; excepting from said area all the streets, avenues and roads, or portions thereof heretofore legally opened, and all the unimproved lands included within the lines of streets, avenues, roads, public squares or places shown and laid out upon any map or maps filed by the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 604 of the Laws of 1874 and the laws amendatory thereof, or of chapter 40 of the Laws of 1882, as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fourth day of August, 1888, 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, June 15, 1888.
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
WILLIAM HENRY WILLIS,
JOSEPH KUNZMANN, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-NINTH STREET, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the 27th day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 27th day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 27th day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the centre-line of the block or farm number between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and One Hundred and Fortieth street; easterly by the westerly side of Tenth avenue; southerly by the centre-line of the block or farm number between One Hundred and Thirty-ninth street and One Hundred and Fortieth street, and westerly by the easterly side of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the twenty-fourth day of August, 1888, 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, June 15, 1888.
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
JOHN JEROLAMUS,
JOHN I. KITCHEN, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, 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 Commonality of the City of New York, relative to the opening of NINETY-NINTH STREET, from Third avenue to Fourth avenue, in the Twelfth Ward of the City of New York.

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

First—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 200 Broadway (fifth floor), in the said city, on or before the twenty-fifth day of July, 1888, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said twenty-fifth day of July, 1888, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2 o'clock p. m.

Second—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the twenty-fifth day of July, 1888.

Third—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded and described as follows, viz: Northerly by the centre line of the blocks between Ninety-ninth and One Hundred streets; easterly by the westerly side of Third avenue; southerly by the centre line of the blocks between Ninety-ninth and Ninety-ninth streets, and westerly by the easterly side of the Boulevard; excepting from said area all the streets and avenues heretofore opened as such area is shown upon our benefit map deposited as aforesaid.

Fourth—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the 14th day of September, 1888, 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, June 13, 1888.
EDWARD L. PARRIS,
JOHN JEROLAMUS,
EDWARD C. SHEEHY, Commissioners.

CARROLL BERRY, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

GRANTS OF LANDS UNDER WATER.

THE OWNERS OF LANDS IN THE CITY of New York, which were formerly under water, and which were granted by the City of New York, are notified that nearly all of the grants of such lands contain covenants, on the part of the grantee, that their successors and assigns, to maintain and keep in repair the adjacent streets. The condition of many of these streets is such as to make it necessary that they should be repaired and repaved, and that the obligation resting upon the present owners of such lands to do this work should now be enforced. Many of such owners have requested that such covenants be computed, and wholly released, upon the payment by them of a certain sum per lot.

The matter will shortly be presented to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund for their consideration, and the adjustment of the basis of commutation, and application for releases should therefore be made at once.

They may be sent to the undersigned.
Dated New York City, August 7, 1888.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, AUGUST 7, 1888.

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., Tuesday, August 21, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR REGULATING AND GRADING EIGHTY-NINTH STREET, from Tenth avenue to the Boulevard, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDE-WALKS THEREIN.

No. 2. FOR REGULATING TWELFTH AVENUE, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and SETTING CURB-STONES AND FLAGGING SIDEWALKS THEREIN.

No. 3. FOR SEWER IN AVENUE B, between Second and Third streets.

No. 4. FOR SEWER IN SEVENTY-SEVENTH STREET, between Boulevard and West End avenue.

No. 5. FOR ALTERATIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO SEWER IN TENTH AVENUE, between Seventy-seventh and Eighty-first streets.

No. 6. FOR SEWER IN FIRST AVENUE, between Ninety-first and Ninety-second streets, connecting with sewer in Ninety-second street.

No. 7. FOR SEWER IN MADISON AVENUE, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets.

No. 8. FOR SEWER IN HAMILTON PLACE, between One Hundred and Fortieth and One Hundred and Forty-first streets.

No. 9. FOR SEWER IN ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIRST STREET, between Tenth and Eleventh avenues.

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 is 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 any other officer of the Department of Public Works, is 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, and the several matters therein stated are to 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 by law, and that he is not indebted 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.

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 of Public Works, in charge of the Estimates, and deposited in a box or boxes, 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.

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 to inclose in same, the specifications and conditions of the work, and all further information desired, can be obtained at Rooms 5 and 6, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
ROOM 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, AUGUST 7, 1888.

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., Tuesday, August 21, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR LAYING WATER-MAINS IN BOSTON ROAD, OLD BOSTON ROAD, KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, ADAMS, LOCUST, ARTHUR, AND WESTCHESTER AVENUES, IN CHESTNUT, VYSE, MAIN, ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-SECOND, CENTRE AND ONE HUNDRED AND NINETEEN STREETS, AND IN SOUTHERN BOULEVARD.

Each estimate must contain the name and place of residence of the person making the same, and of no other person interested with him therein, and if no other person is so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact. That it is made without collusion 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, and he is bound upon its completion, and that he will not refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he is 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 estimate is made.

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 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.

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 10, No. 31 Chambers street.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Room 6, No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, August 14, 1888.

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., Tuesday, August 14, 1888, at which place and hour they will be publicly opened by the head of the Department.

No. 1. FOR BORING AND TESTING FOR WATER ON NORTH BROTHER ISLAND.

No. 2. FOR FURNISHING MATERIALS AND PERFORMING THE WORK OF BUILDING AND REPAIRING IRON ROADS BRIDGE ACROSS THE MIDDLE BRANCH OF THE CROTON RIVER AT SOUTH EAST RESERVOIR, PUTNAM COUNTY, NEW YORK.

No. 3. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF THIRTEENTH STREET, from Gouverneur street to Ninth avenue, and PERRY STREET, from Washington street to Bleeker street.

No. 4. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF MONROE STREET, from Gouverneur street to Jackson street, and WAVERLY PLACE, from Christopher street to Bank street.

No. 5. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF CHERRY STREET, from Jackson street to Clinton street.

No. 6. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF MOTT STREET, from Tenth street to Twelfth street, TOMPKINS STREET, from Fourteenth street to Sixteenth street, and LUDLOW STREET, from Stanton street to Houston street.

No. 7. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF GREENE STREET, from Bleeker street to Eighth street.

No. 8. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TWENTY-NINTH STREET, from Ninth avenue to Tenth avenue, and FORTY-NINTH STREET, from Eleventh avenue to North river.

No. 9. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF MOTT STREET, from Canal street to Bleeker street.

No. 10. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF TWENTY-SEVENTH STREET, from Ninth to Tenth avenue, and FORTIETH STREET, from Tenth avenue to Eleventh avenue.

No. 11. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF RIDGE STREET, from Stanton street to Houston street; SUFFOLK STREET, from Kingston street to Stanton street; and BLOOMINGDALE STREET, from Bleeker street to Fourth street.

No. 12. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH GRANITE-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF YORK STREET, from St. John's Lane to West Broadway; ST. JOHN'S LANE, from Beach street to Laight street; COTTAGE PLACE, from Houston street to Bleeker street, and GROVE STREET, from Hudson street to Waverly place.

No. 13. FOR REGULATING AND PAVING WITH TRAP-BLOCK PAVEMENT THE CARRIAGEWAY OF LEWIS STREET, from Grand street to Delancey street, and MONTGOMERY STREET, from Division street to Water street.

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 is 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 not refuse or neglect to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he is 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 estimate is made.

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 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.

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JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING A SCALE OF WATER RENTS AND RULES GOVERNING THE USE OF WATER, FOR THE CITY OF NEW YORK, BY ORDER OF JOHN NEWTON, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

UNDER CHAPTER 410, LAWS 1882, SECTIONS 350, 351, 352 AND 353, and as amended by chapter 350, Laws 1887.

"The commissioner of public works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents for the supplying of water, which rents shall be collected in the manner now provided by law, and which shall be apportioned to different classes of buildings in said city in reference to their dimensions, values, exposure to fires, ordinary uses for dwellings, stores, shops, private stables and other common purposes, number of families or occupants, or consumption of water, as near as may be practicable, and modify, alter, amend and increase such scale from time to time, and extend it to other descriptions of buildings and establishments. All extra charges for water shall be deemed to be included in the regular rents, and shall become a charge and lien upon the buildings, upon which they are respectively imposed, and, if not paid, shall be returned as arrears to the clerk of arrears. Such regular rents, including the extra charges above mentioned, shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water. Said rents, including the extra charges aforesaid, shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as herein provided, but no charge whatever shall be made against any building in which a water-main or pipe is laid, or shall be placed as provided in this act. In all such cases the charge for water shall be determined only by the quantity of water actually used as shown by said meters."

"The said commissioner of public works is hereby authorized to prescribe a penalty not exceeding the sum of five dollars for each offense, for permitting water to be wasted, and for any violation of the reasonable rules as he may, from time to time, prescribe for the prevention of the waste of water; such fines shall be added to the regular water rents."

The regular annual rents to be collected by the Department of Public Works shall be as follows, to wit:

Croton Water Rates for Buildings from 10 to 50 feet, all others not specified subject to Special Rates.

FRONT WIDTH.	1 Story.	2 Stories.	3 Stories.	4 Stories.	5 Stories.
16 feet and under.	\$4.00	\$5.00	\$6.00	\$7.00	\$8.00
16 to 18 feet....	5 00	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00
18 to 20 feet....	6 00	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00
20 to 22 feet....	7 00	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00
22 to 24 feet....	8 00	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00
24 to 26 feet....	9 00	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00
26 to 28 feet....	10 00	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00
28 to 30 feet....	11 00	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00
30 to 32 feet....	12 00	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00
32 to 34 feet....	13 00	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00
34 to 36 feet....	14 00	15 00	16 00	17 00	18 00

The rent of all tenements which shall exceed in width fifty feet shall be the subject of special contract with the Commissioner of Public Works.

The apportionment of the regular rents upon dwelling-houses are on the basis that but one family is to occupy the same, and for each additional family, one dollar per year shall be charged.

Meters will be placed on all houses where waste of water is feared, and they will be charged at rates fixed by the Department for all the water passing through them.

The extra and miscellaneous rates shall be as follows, to wit:

BAKERSIES.—For the average daily use of flour, for each barrel, three dollars per annum.

BARBER SHOPS shall be charged from five to twenty dollars per annum each in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works; an additional charge of one dollar per annum shall be made for each bath-tub therein.

BATHING TUBS in private houses, beyond one, shall be charged at three dollars per annum each, and five dollars per annum each in public houses, boarding-houses, and bathing establishments. Combination of wash-tubs and a movable division in the centre and capable of use for bathing, shall be charged the same as bathing tubs.

BUILDING PURPOSES.—For each one thousand bricks laid, or for stone-work—to be measured as brick—ten cents per thousand. For plastering, forty cents per hundred yards.

COWS.—For each and every cow, one dollar per annum.

DINING SALOONS shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Fire (retail) shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

For all stables not metered, the rates shall be as follows:

HORSES, PRIVATE.—For two horses there shall be charged six dollars per annum; and for each additional horse, two dollars.

HORSES, PUBLIC.—For each horse up to and not exceeding thirty in number, one dollar and fifty cents each per annum; and for each additional horse, one dollar.

HORSES, OMNIBUS AND CART.—For each horse, one dollar per annum.

HOUSES.—For each trough, and for each half barrel or tub on sidewalk or street, twenty dollars per annum; each trough is to be fitted with a proper ball-cock to prevent waste.

HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES shall, in addition to the regular rate for private families, be charged for each lodging room, at the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

LAUNDRIES shall be charged from eight to twenty dollars per annum, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

LIQUOR AND LAGER BEER SALOONS shall be charged an annual rate of ten dollars each. An additional charge of five dollars per annum shall be made for each tap or wash-box.

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERIES shall be charged an annual rate of from five to twenty dollars, in the discretion of the Commissioner of Public Works.

PRINTING OFFICES, when not metered, shall be charged at such rates as may be determined by the Commissioner of Public Works.

SODA, MINERAL WATER AND ROOT BEER FOUNTAINS shall be charged five dollars per annum each.

STEAM ENGINES, when not metered, shall be charged by the horse-power, as follows: For each horse-power up to and not exceeding ten, the sum of ten dollars per annum; for each exceeding ten, and not over fifteen, the sum of fifteen dollars; and for each over fifteen, the sum of twenty dollars.

WATER-CLOSETS AND URINALS.—To each building on a lot one water-closet having sewer connection is allowed without charge; each additional water-closet or urinal will be charged as hereinafter stated. All closets connected in any manner with sewer shall be charged two dollars for each seat per annum, whether in a building or on separate portion of the premises.

Urinals shall be charged two dollars per annum each, whether in a building or on separate portion of the premises.

WATER-CLOSET RATES.—For hoppers of any form, when water is supplied direct from the Croton supply, through any form of the so-called single or double valves, copper-cocks, stop-cocks, self-closing cocks, or any valve or cock of any description attached to the closet, each, per year, twenty dollars.

For any pan closet, or any of the forms of valve, plunger, or other water-closet not before mentioned, supplied with water as above described, per year, ten dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from the ordinary style of cistern filled with ball-cock, and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, such overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

For any form of hopper or water-closet, supplied from any of the forms of water-preventing cisterns, that are approved by the Engineer of the Croton Aqueduct, and overflow pipe that communicates with the pipe to the water-closet, such overflow will run into the hopper or water-closet, when ball-cock is defective, or from which an unlimited amount of water can be drawn by holding up the handle, per year, each, five dollars.

Cistern answering this description can be seen at this Department.

METERS.

Under the provisions of section 352, Consolidated Act 1882, water-meters, of approved pattern, shall be hereafter placed on the pipes supplying all stores, workshops, hotels, manufactories, public edifices, at wharves, ferry-houses, stables, and in all places where water is furnished for business consumption, except private dwellings, in which it is provided by section 352, Laws of 1882, that "all expenses of meters, their connections and setting, water rates, and other lawful charges for the supply of Croton water, shall be a lien upon the premises where such water is supplied, now provided by law."

All manufacturing and other business requiring a large supply of water will be fitted with a meter.

Water measured by meter, ten cents per one hundred cubic feet.

PER DAY, GALLONS.	PER 100 GALLONS, RATE.	PER ANNUM, AMOUNT.
25	05	\$3 75
50	05	7 50
60	05	9 00
70	05	10 50
80	05	12 00
90	05	13 50
100	05	15 00
150	05	22 50
200	05	30 00
250	04 1/2	33 75
300	04	36 00
350	03 1/2	36 75
400	03 1/2	42 00
450	03 1/2	47 50
500	03 1/2	53 00
700	03 1/2	73 50
800	03 1/2	82 00
900	03 1/2	91 50
1,000	03 1/2	105 00
1,500	03	135 00
2,000	02 1/2	150 00
2,500	02 1/2	180 00
3,000	02 1/2	225 00
4,000	02 1/2	280 00
4,500	02 1/2	307 50
5,000	02 1/2	333 75
6,000	02 1/2	360 00
7,000	02	420 00
8,000	02	480 00
9,000	02	540 00
10,000	02	600 00

The rate charged for steam-vessels taking water daily or belonging to daily lines, is one-half cent per ton (Custom House measurement) for each time they take water.

Steamers taking water other than daily, one cent per ton (Custom House measurement).

Water supplied to sailing vessels and put on board, twenty-five cents per hundred gallons.

All matters not hereinbefore embraced are reserved for special contract by and with the Commissioner of Public Works.

HYDRANTS, HOSE, TROUGHS, FOUNTAINS, ETC., ETC.

No owner or tenant will be allowed to supply water to another person or persons.

All persons taking water from the City must keep their own service-pipes, street tap, and all fixtures connected therewith, in good repair, protected from frost, at their own risk and expense, and shall prevent all waste of water.

The use of hose to wash coaches, omnibuses, wagons, railway cars or other vehicles or horses, cannot be permitted.

No horse-troughs or horse-watering fixtures will be permitted in the street or on the sidewalk, except upon a license or permit that is issued for that purpose. All licenses or permits must be annually renewed on the first of May. Such fixtures must be kept in good order and the water not allowed to drip or waste by overrunning the sidewalk or street, or to become dangerous in winter by freezing in and about such troughs or fixtures.

No hydrant will be permitted on the sidewalk or in the front area, and any hydrant standing in a yard or alley, used to any dwelling or building, must not be left running when not in actual use, and if the drip or waste from such hydrant freezes and becomes dangerous in winter, the supply will be shut off in addition to the penalty of five dollars imposed.

Taps at wash-basins, water-closets, baths and urinals must not be left running, under the penalty of five dollars for each offense, which will be strictly enforced.

Fountains or jets in hotels, porter-houses, eating-salons, confectioneries or other buildings are strictly prohibited.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, house-fronts, yards, court-yards, gardens, and about stables, is prohibited. Where premises are provided with wells, special permits will be issued for the use of hose, in order that the police or inspectors of this department may understand that the permission is not for the use of Croton water.

Opening fire-hydrants to fill hand sprinklers or other vessels will not be allowed.

The penalty for a violation of any of the preceding rules and regulations will be five dollars for each offense, and if not paid when imposed will become a lien on the premises in like manner as all other charges for unpaid water rates.

By order,
JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, June 21, 1887.

PUBLIC NOTICE AS TO WATER RATES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT in compliance with the provisions of chapter 359, Laws of 1887, amending sections 350 and 352 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rents:

1st. All extra charges for water incurred from and after June 9, 1887, shall be treated, collected and returned in arrears in the same manner as regular rents have heretofore been treated.

2d. In every building where a water meter or meters are now, or shall hereafter be in use, the charge for water by meter measurement shall be the only charge against such building, or such part thereof as is supplied through meter.

3d. The returns of arrears of water rents, including the year 1887, shall be made as heretofore on the confirmation of the tax levy by the Board of Aldermen, and shall include all charges for arrears of any year.

4th. A penalty of five dollars (\$5) is hereby established, and will be imposed in each and every case where the rules and regulations of the Department prohibiting the use of water through hose, or in any other wasteful manner, are violated, and such penalty will be entered on the books of the Bureau against the respective buildings or property, and, if not collected, be returned in arrears in like manner as other charges for water.

5th. Charges for arrears of water rents of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled of record on the books of the Department.

D. LOWER SMITH,
Deputy and Acting Commissioner of Public Works

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, September 29, 1886.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PERSONS HAVING ANY BUSINESS IN THIS Department which is not assigned to or transacted by the several Bureaus in the Department, and which should come under the immediate notice of the Commissioner of Public Works, are requested to communicate directly in person, or by letter, with the Commissioner.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
No. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,
NEW YORK, November 10, 1886.

NOTICE TO CROTON WATER CONSUMERS.

NUMEROUS APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN made to this Department by citizens claiming reductions or returns on bills for water supplied through meters, on the alleged ground of leakage caused by defective plumbing and worn-out service pipes, or by willful waste of water by tenants allowing the faucets to be turned on in full force in water-closets, sinks, etc., without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the premises.

The main object of the use of water-meters is to enable this Department to detect and check the useless and unnecessary waste of water, to promote economy and economy to the health and comfort of all the citizens, and this object can only be accomplished by enforcing payment for the water wasted.

Under the law all charges for water supplied through meters are a lien against the respective premises, and the law therefore holds the owner of the premises responsible for the amount of water used or wasted.

Notice is therefore given to all householders that, in all further applications for reductions or returns on bills for water, allowance will be made on account of waste of water occurring through leaks, from defective service pipes or plumbing, or wasteful use of water by tenants or occupants of buildings, though such leakage or waste may have been incurred without the knowledge or consent of the owners of the buildings.

House-owners are further notified that whenever their premises become vacant, and are likely to remain vacant, they must notify this Department in writing of the fact, unless this requirement is complied with no deductions in extra water rents will be allowed for any portion of one year.

JOHN NEWTON,
Commissioner of Public Works

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