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FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Abstract of transactions of the Finance Department for the week ending April 14, 1888:

<i>Deposited in the Treasury.</i>	
To the Credit of the Sinking Fund.....	\$2,097,179 49
" " City Treasury.....	2,848,484 07
Total.....	\$4,945,663 56
<i>Bonds Issued.</i>	
Two and one-half per cent. Bonds.....	\$2,000,000 00
<i>Warrants Registered for Payment.</i>	
The Mayoralty— Salaries and Contingencies—Mayor's Office.....	\$35 87
The Common Council— City Contingencies.....	12 50
The Finance Department— Contingencies—Comptroller's Office.....	85 95
Interest on the City Debt.....	660 00
Aqueduct Commissioners— Additional Water Fund.....	346,600 83
The Law Department— Contingencies—Law Department.....	77 00
The Department of Public Works— Aqueduct—Repairs, Maintenance and Strengthening.....	\$144 15
Boulevards, Roads and Avenues, Maintenance of.....	90 00
Croton Water Fund.....	422 71
Lamps and Gas and Electric Lighting.....	93 53
Local Improvement Fund—Contracts prior to January 1, 1885.....	139 40
Public Buildings—Construction and Repairs.....	1,257 81
Repairing and Renewal of Pipes, Stop-cocks, etc.....	1,312 71
Repairs and Renewal of Pavements and Regrading.....	133 90
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	4,986 91
Supplies for and Cleaning Public Offices.....	4,693 54
Water-meter Fund, No. 2.....	1,747 15
Total.....	15,021 81
The Department of Public Parks— Bronx River Bridges—For the Repairing and Maintenance of Bridges over the Bronx River, etc.....	\$5 74
Cromwell's Creek Bridges and Bridges other than those of Harlem River and Bronx River.....	7 14
Harlem River Bridges—Repairs, Improvements and Maintenance.....	1,302 70
Local Improvement Fund—Contracts prior to January 1, 1885.....	1,071 00
Maintenance and Government of Parks and Places.....	19,349 17
Maintenance—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	1,405 62
Morningside Park, Improvement of.....	1,595 36
Riverside Park and Avenue—For the Improvement and Main- tenance of.....	530 32
Sewers and Drains—Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	355 45
Surveying, Laying-out, etc., Tax and Assessment Maps—Twenty- third and Twenty-fourth Wards.....	40 48
Surveys, Maps and Plans.....	26 75
Telephonic Service.....	304 16
Total.....	25,963 89
The Department of Public Charities and Correction— Public Charities and Correction.....	26,267 56
The Health Department— Health Fund—For Contingent Expenses.....	\$350 18
Health Fund—For Disinfection.....	172 73
Health Fund—For Law Expenses, including Marshal's Fees.....	166 60
Hospital Fund—Hospital Supplies, Improvements, Care and Maintenance of Buildings and Hospitals on North Brother Island.....	1,979 28
Night Medical Service Fund.....	500 00
Total.....	3,168 85
The Police Department— Police Station-houses—Rents.....	506 00
The Department of Street Cleaning— Cleaning Streets—Department of Street Cleaning.....	6,317 71
The Fire Department— Fire Department Fund.....	4,232 82
The Dock Department— Dock Fund.....	17,766 84
The Board of Education— Public Instruction.....	\$258,312 02
School-house Fund.....	6,400 00
Total.....	264,712 02
The Board of Excise— Commissioners of Excise Fund.....	1,350 00
Advertising, Printing, Stationery and Blank Books— Advertising.....	\$168 90
CITY RECORD—Salaries and Contingencies.....	41 91
Printing, Stationery and Blank Books.....	6,513 04
Publication of the CITY RECORD.....	6,824 84
Total.....	13,548 69

The Sheriff— Sheriff's Fees.....	\$16 00
The Judiciary— Salaries—Judiciary.....	870 00
Charitable Institutions— Association for Befriending Children and Young Girls.....	\$608 43
Five Points House of Industry.....	1,863 76
Hebrew Benevolent Society of the City of New York.....	13,884 64
Institution for Improved Instruction of Deaf Mutes.....	4,647 38
New York Infant Asylum.....	6,980 94
New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled.....	5,975 00
Roman Catholic House of the Good Shepherd.....	913 06
Total.....	34,263 21
Miscellaneous— Contingencies—District Attorney's Office.....	\$1,492 11
Croton Water Rent—Refunding Account.....	83 46
For Burial of Honorably Discharged Soldiers, Sailors or Marines. For Construction of a Bridge over the Harlem River (about 1,500 feet north of High Bridge).....	140 00
Interest on Assessments.....	1,713 80
Judgments.....	19 25
Jurors' Fees, including Expenses of Jurors in Civil and Criminal Trials.....	3,777 89
Real Estate, Expenses of.....	4,533 00
Refunding Interest and Charges on Lands sold for Taxes and Assessments.....	175 68
Rents.....	57 50
Salaries—Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments (Salary of the Recorder).....	1,000 00
Salaries—Commissioners of the Sinking Fund (Salary of the Re- corder).....	83 33
Street Improvement Fund—June 15, 1886.....	83 33
Tax Sales—Moneys Refunded.....	72 31
Total.....	603 50
Total.....	13,835 16
Total.....	\$775,312 71

SUITS, ORDERS OF COURT, JUDGMENTS, ETC.

COURT.	NAME OF PLAINTIFF.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF ACTION.	ATTORNEY.
Supreme.	Gouverneur Morris..	\$205 26	Petition and notice of motion for order directing payment into court of award made to unknown owners in matter of opening East One Hundred and Sixty-second street, between Brook and Elton avenues.....	W. S. Smith.
Superior..	George M. Miller....	105 56	Summons and complaint. To recover amount paid for an assessment for flagging Seventy-ninth street, from Ninth avenue to Boulevard.....	J. A. Deering.
"	East River Savings Bank.....	78 70	Summons and complaint. To recover amount paid for an assessment for Avenue A regulating, etc., from Fifty-seventh to Eighty-sixth street.....	A. B. Johnson.
Com. Pleas	American Manufacturing and Supply Co. (Limited), agst. The Mayor, etc., T. J. Allen and others..	Notice of pendency of action.....	N. A. McBride.
Supreme.	Mary O'Connor, executrix.....	1,129 78	Order reducing assessment for Madison avenue regulating, etc., from Eighty-sixth to Ninety-ninth street.....	A. B. Johnson.
"	Lawrence V. Conover.	206 00	Order directing payment into Court of award made to unknown owners in matter of opening One Hundred and Thirty-eighth street and other streets.....	Lord, Day and Lord.
"	William W. Falconer.	3,000 00	Summons and complaint. For damages for personal injuries received on the New York and Brooklyn Bridge.....	Frank Moss.
Com. Pleas	American Manufacturing and Supply Co. (Limited), agst. The Mayor, etc., T. J. Allen and others..	9,175 25	Summons and complaint. To recover amount for materials furnished Allen & O'Maley under their contract for regulating, etc., Fort Washington Ridge road....	N. A. McBride.

CLAIMS FILED.

DATE.	NAME OF CLAIMANT.	AMOUNT.	NATURE OF CLAIM.	ATTORNEY.
Apr. 9	Benjamin Barrington...	\$38 02	For damage done to stoop-railing of premises No. 212 East Thirty-fifth street, on March 20, 1888, by ash cart No. 92.....	Moody B. Smith.
" 9	Patrick Fleming.....	5,000 00	For damages for personal injuries.....	C. D. M. Cole.
" 9	Elizabeth H. Bateman..	25,000 00	"	"
" 9	Mary A. Johnston.....	98 14	For return of amount paid for an assessment for Tenth avenue regulating, etc., from One Hundred and Fifty-fifth to One Hundred and Ninety-fourth street.....	J. A. Deering.
" 10	The Bragg Manufacturing Co.....	For damages for infringement of patent for gong attachment for Engine-houses, etc....	Eaton & Lewis.
" 11	Mary O'Connor, executrix.....	1,011 20	For return of amount paid for an assessment for Madison avenue regulating, etc., from Eighty-sixth to Ninety-ninth street.....	A. B. Johnson.
" 13	George P. Avery.....	3 00	For return of amount overpaid to the County Clerk for fees, in case of Samuel L. Eisner against Catharine Burmaster and others, on March 23, 1888.....	G. P. Avery.
" 13	Marie Hetzer, administratrix.....	833 00	For return of amount paid for an assessment for Sixtieth street outlet sewer, etc.....	A. B. Johnson.
" 14	Anna M. Guilfoyle, administratrix and another.....	1,610 21	For amount of final certificate of work under contract for regulating, etc., Edgewood avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-seventh to One Hundred and Fortieth street.....	Earley & Prendergast.

CONTRACTS REGISTERED FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 14, 1888.

No.	DATE OF CONTRACT.	DEPARTMENT.	NAMES OF CONTRACTORS.	DESCRIPTION OF WORK.
8531	Mar. 26, 1888	Public Works	Thomas Murray (Sureties: Thomas Hueston, Thomas F. Murray, Bond, \$2,000.)	Regulating and grading Ninety-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive and setting curb and gutter-stones and flagging sidewalks. Estimate, \$4,193.88.
8532	Apr. 5, "	"	P. H. Fitzgerald (Sureties: Michael Phelan, John Cummings, Bond, \$2,000.)	Regulating and paving (trap-block), Seventy-fifth street, from the Boulevard to West End avenue. Estimate, \$4,110.20.
8533	" 5, "	"	Matthew Baird (Sureties: James Baird, Charles R. Parfitt, Bond, \$2,500.)	Regulating and paving (trap-block), Seventy-sixth street, from Avenue A to Avenue B. Estimate, \$7,904.20.
8534	" 5, "	"	Matthew Baird (Sureties: James Baird, Charles R. Parfitt, Bond, \$2,000.)	Regulating and paving (trap-block) Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Third to One Hundred and Fifth street. Estimate, \$5,248.52.
8535	" 5, "	"	P. H. Fitzgerald (Sureties: James J. Coogan, John Cummings, Bond, \$1,200.)	Regulating and paving (trap-block) One Hundred and Twelfth street, from Eighth to New avenue (now Manhattan avenue). Estimate, \$3,367.70.
8536	" 5, "	"	Charles Trainer (Sureties: James J. Coogan, Edward V. Coogan, Bond, \$3,500.)	Fencing, filling and draining city property on block bounded by One Hundred and Fifty-fourth and One Hundred and Fifty-fifth streets and Eighth avenue. Total, \$7,500.
8537	" 7, "	Docks	Richard Cronin (Sureties: William Kelly, Thomas Smith, Bond, \$7,000.)	Building a new pier at the foot of West Fifty-first street, North river. Total, \$25,970.
8538	" 12, "	Police	Thomas J. Sheridan (Sureties: Morris Jacoby, Michael L. Begley, Bond, \$5,000.)	Building a stable on the west side of Bathgate avenue in the City of New York. Total, \$8,950.

Opening of Proposals.

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

April 11. The Department of Public Works:

- For taking up and relaying the pavements in Thirteenth avenue, from Horatio to Little West Twelfth street; in Gansevoort street, from West street to Thirteenth avenue, and in Bloomfield street, from Tenth to Thirteenth avenue.
- For furnishing materials and building two floating swimming-baths.
- For laying water-mains in Morris, Anthony and Fifth avenues, and in Ash, Berry, Bush, Buckhout, Twenty-second and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh streets.
- For furnishing and delivering stop-cocks, hydrants, wooden hydrant-boxes, cast-iron stop-cock boxes, tapping-cocks, tapping-cock boxes, cast-iron water-pipes, branch pipes and special castings, 1,200 cubic yards sand, 2,200 cubic yards Roa Hook gravel, and 3,000 yards gravel bank screenings.

April 13. The Department of Public Charities and Correction—For two groups of buildings, each consisting of three pavilions with dining-room attached, at Central Islip, Long Island.

Approval of Sureties.

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

- April 9. For building a stable on west side of Bathgate avenue.
Thomas J. Sheridan, No. 1623 First avenue, Principal.
Morris Jacoby, No. 1542 Second avenue, } Sureties.
Michael L. Begley, No. 302 East Eightieth street, }
- April 9. For regulating and paving (granite-block) Ninetieth street, from Second to Third avenue, and One Hundred and Third street, from Ninth to Tenth avenue.
Charles Guidet, No. 237 Broadway, Principal.
James Everard, Worth House, } Sureties.
Richard W. Buckley, No. 58 East Seventy-third street, }
- April 10. For regulating and paving (granite-block) One Hundred and Twenty-second street, from Fourth to Madison avenue; One Hundred and Thirty-second street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, and One Hundred and Forty-first street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to Tenth avenue.
John B. Devlin, No. 8 Henderson place, Principal.
William Bostelmann, No. 102 West street, } Sureties.
Thomas E. Crimmins, No. 1043 Third avenue, }
- April 10. For furnishing the Department of Public Charities and Correction with 1,500 pounds cheese.
H. Henneberger, No. 317 Washington street, Principal.
Robert Rutter, No. 116 East Fourteenth street, } Sureties.
H. L. R. Pershall, No. 211 Broome street, }
- April 11. For reconstruction of the plumbing at the City Prison.
P. Carraher, Jr., No. 332 Monroe street, Principal.
Phillip Heipershausen, No. 45 Tompkins street, } Sureties.
Henry Alexander, No. 616 Grand street, }
- April 13. For laying water-mains in Morris, Anthony and Fifth avenues, and in Ash, Berry, Bush, Buckhout, Twenty-second and One Hundred and Seventy-seventh streets.
G. M. Dean, No. 58 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, Principal.
Jacob Ebling, No. 176 East One Hundred and Twenty-eighth street, } Sureties.
William E. Dean, No. 58 West One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, }
- April 13. For furnishing the Department of Public Works with 2,200 cubic yards Roa Hook gravel and 3,000 cubic yards gravel screenings.
George F. Doak, Tenth avenue and One Hundred and Fifty-third street, Principal.
Louis D. Beck, Astor House, } Sureties.
Ransom Parker, Jr., No. 224 West Eleventh street, }

Filed.

April 13. Copy of grant made by The People of the State of New York to the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, of lands under water of the Harlem river, on the (former) Westchester shore, and of the lands under water around Ward's Island and Randall's Island. Dated April 5, 1888.

Official Bonds Approved and Filed.

- April 9. Michael J. McLaughlin, Deputy Collector of City Revenue, Principal.
Brian G. Hughes, No. 180 Willis avenue, } Sureties.
Diedrich Knabe, No. 105 Elm street, }
Dated March 23, 1888. Penalty, \$2,000.
- April 9. Ira B. Betts, Cashier in Bureau for the Collection of Taxes, Principal.
Matthew Betts, No. 2028 Madison avenue, } Sureties.
Benjamin Wright, No. 66 East Sixty-first street, }
Dated April 6, 1888. Penalty, \$5,000.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

BALANCES IN BANK AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS, APRIL 17, 1888.

BANKS.		CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE.	
Bank of North America	\$85,000 00	National Shoe and Leather Bank	\$73,000 00
Bank of the State of New York	50,000 00	Ninth National Bank	101,000 00
Bowery National Bank	64,000 00	Oriental Bank	65,000 00
Central National Bank	63,000 00	Phoenix National Bank	90,000 00
Chase National Bank	90,000 00	Seaboard National Bank	50,000 00
Chatham National Bank	70,000 00	St. Nicholas Bank	60,000 00
Corn Exchange Bank	72,000 00	Third National Bank	80,000 00
First National Bank	150,125 00	Tradesmen's National Bank	50,000 00
Fourth National Bank	121,377 47	Western National Bank	100,000 00
Garfield National Bank	55,000 00	Irving National Bank	50,000 00
Gallatin National Bank	100,000 00	Fifth National Bank	25,000 00
Hanover National Bank	89,000 00	Citizens' National Bank	25,000 00
Importers and Traders' National Bank	1,008,000 00	North River National Bank	25,000 00
Lincoln National Bank	92,000 00	Trust Companies.	
Mechanics and Traders' Bank	70,000 00	Atlantic Trust Company	50,000 00
Mechanics' National Bank	103,000 00	Central Trust Company	119,975 00
Mercantile National Bank	80,000 00	Knickerbocker Trust Company	50,000 00
Merchants' Exchange National Bank	80,000 00	Mercantile Trust Company	126,055 00
National Bank of the Republic	100,000 00	Metropolitan Trust Company	40,000 00
National Broadway Bank	144,000 00	Union Trust Company	100,000 00
			\$3,986,532 47

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The Board of Police met on the 13th day of April, 1888.
Present—Commissioners French, Porter, McClave and Voorhis.

Leaves of Absence Granted.

Captain George W. Gastlin, Twenty-eighth Precinct, three days, half-pay.
Patrolman Emil H. Hageman, Thirty-third Precinct, two days, half-pay.
Sundry report were ordered, on file, and copies to be forwarded to the Mayor.

Reports Referred to Board of Excise.

Captain McCullagh, Sixth Precinct—As to saloons No. 153 Leonard and No. 43 Baxter street.
" Cassidy, Eleventh Precinct—As to saloon No. 6 Division street.
Reports of Captain Brooks and Sergeant Coffey, Thirty-third Precinct, relative to death of a horse, were referred to the Counsel to the Corporation.
Report of Sergeant Dexter, that he had relieved Patrolman William J. Lockwood, Thirty-third Precinct, from duty, because of contagious disease in his family, was approved.

Mask Ball Permit Granted.

Michael McLaughlin, at Everett Hall, April 16. Fee, \$25.
Application of Captain Siebert, Fifth Precinct, for detail of Patrolman Doyle, was referred to the President.
Application of Patrolman Bernard Pettit, Twenty-ninth Precinct, for detail, was ordered on file.

Applications Referred to the Chief Clerk.

Corporation Counsel—For testimony in case of Delia A. Ward against Officers Garrison and Conner.
George T. Balch—For certain statistics.
Application of F. Benedict Herzog, for permission to copy papers relative to electric signal system, was granted.

Communications Referred to the Superintendent for Action.

From the Mayor—Sundry complaints, etc.
From Board of Excise—Licenses issued, 1 case; licenses revoked, 12 cases; licenses rejected, 2 cases; relative to pool-room No. 3 Barclay street; relative to stabling affray in saloon No. 214 East Ninety-eighth street; asks character, etc., of John Wendelken, No. 498 Sixth avenue.
Rudolph Knapp—Complaint of disorder in Vandewater street.
Communication from the Mayor, relative to report of Superintendent Murray as to regulation of vehicles in the streets, was referred to the Superintendent to obtain views and reports of Captains of down-town precincts, and to make recommendations.
Communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, relative to unauthorized use of water, was referred to the Superintendent to prevent.
Communication from the Comptroller, relative to real estate in possession of the Police Department, and not in use, was referred to the Chief Clerk to answer.
Communication from Captain Gunner, Twenty-fifth Precinct, relative to escape and re-arrest of a prisoner, was referred to the Superintendent for investigation and report, and to prefer charges if necessary.
Commissioner McClave offered the following:
Whereas, Commissioner John R. Voorhis has, in an alleged interview published in the "New York Herald" of this date, stated "that the selection of the Herzog system is a big job"; and
Whereas, This is the first intimation from any source that the selection of said Herzog system was or is "a job"; therefore, be it
Resolved, That Commissioner John R. Voorhis be and is hereby respectfully requested to furnish at the next meeting of this Board, any and all facts and circumstances which, in his judgment, lead him to believe that the adoption of the electric system presented by the Herzog Telesome Company was or is the result of any improper motive on the part of the majority, or any individual member of this Board, or was induced by any influence except for the welfare of the city and the best interests of this Department.
Carried—Commissioners French, Porter and McClave voting aye; Commissioner Voorhis not voting.

Resolved, That the Chairman of the Committee on Repairs and Supplies be authorized to procure flags for the Police force in accordance with the design submitted.
Resolved, That requisition be and is hereby made upon the Comptroller, in pursuance of section 262, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and the Commissioners directed to approve the same, for the following sums of money for the month of April, 1888, being one-twelfth part of the total amount estimated, levied, raised and appropriated for the support and maintenance of the Police Department and force for the current year, to wit:
Police Fund—Salaries of Commissioners, Superintendent, Surgeons and uniform force. \$340,093 81
Police Fund—Salaries of clerical force, etc. 7,345 50
Supplies for Police 7,185 90
Police station-houses, alterations, etc. 2,500 00
Expenses of Detectives, contingent, etc. 1,041 66
Salary Chief Bureau of Elections 333 33
Total \$358,501 20

Resolved, That the Treasurer be and is hereby directed to pay to the Police Pension Fund the following sums of money for the month of March, 1888—all aye.
For fines imposed \$580 48
For absence without pay 569 89
For sick time deducted 6,436 07
Total \$7,586 44

Resolved, That full pay while sick be granted to Patrolman William H. Burns, Ninth Precinct, from March 14 to 24, 1888—all aye.

Transfers, etc.

Roundsman John L. Langan, from Seventh Precinct to Eleventh Precinct. Charles Bernstein, from Eleventh Precinct to Seventh Precinct. Patrolman Patrick F. Gilmartin, from Sixth Precinct to Thirty-fifth Precinct. George W. Kiernan, from Twenty-seventh Precinct to Twenty-eighth Precinct. John Oakley, from Seventeenth Precinct to Thirty-fifth Precinct. Joseph Collins, from Nineteenth Precinct to Sixteenth Precinct. Resolved, That the Committee of Surgeons be directed to examine the following applicants for appointment as Patrolmen:

Michael L. McCormick. Lawrence Ryan. Edward Doyle. Timothy J. O'Leary. John J. Kunitz. Patrick Lannev. John F. McGrath. John Earley.

Employed as Probationary Patrolmen.

Louis T. Beyer. Christian F. Thon. William C. Rice. John W. Weiss. William Elworth. Thomas F. Brady. Fred. C. Williamson. John Kerr. Joseph Warner. John E. Conway. John O'Leary. George H. Kay. Horatio S. Allen.

Judgments—Fines Imposed.

Patrolman John H. Jackel, Second Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. Henry Hahn, Sixth Precinct, absent roll call, one day's pay. Charles D. Adams, Sixth Precinct, refused to arrest, five days' pay. Charles R. Breen, Eighth Precinct, failed to report ashes, etc., one day's pay. Harry J. Hume, Eighth Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay. John Van Horn, Ninth Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. William H. Nash, Ninth Precinct, absent reserve, one day's pay. Peter J. Klein, Tenth Precinct, off post, five days' pay. August Briehof, Tenth Precinct, riding in car, one-half day's pay. James J. Kiernan, Eleventh Precinct, improper relief, one-half day's pay. Henry C. Bischoff, Eleventh Precinct, smoking, one-half day's pay. Bernard F. Birmingham, Twelfth Precinct, off post, one day's pay. Richard O'Hara, Fifteenth Precinct, failed to patrol, etc., one day's pay. Patrick Lavin, Sixteenth Precinct, absent roll-call, one-half day's pay. John Oakley, Seventeenth Precinct, absent roll-call, five days' pay. Daniel Ergott, Eighteenth Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. Thomas Burke, Eighteenth Precinct, improper relief, one-half day's pay. John S. Kennedy, Eighteenth Precinct, off post, one day's pay. William Reilly, Nineteenth Precinct, off post, two days' pay. Peter Rehholz, Twentieth Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. John J. Sheridan, Twenty-first Precinct, failed to report dead horse, one-half day's pay. James Brennan, Twenty-first Precinct, failed to report dead horse, one-half day's pay. Jeremiah J. Sullivan, Twenty-first Precinct, improper relief, one-half day's pay. Jeremiah J. Sullivan, Twenty-first Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. Michael J. McGinley, Twenty-second Precinct, improper relief, etc., one day's pay. Andrew Brunner, Twenty-second Precinct, off post, one day's pay. Frederick Heffernan, Twenty-fifth Precinct, off post, two days' pay. Watson Drummond, Twenty-fifth Precinct, off post, two days' pay. Jacob Lambrecht, Twenty-eighth Precinct, absent from drill, one day's pay. John J. Fitzpatrick, Twenty-ninth Precinct, improper uniform, one-half day's pay. John J. Fitzpatrick, Twenty-ninth Precinct, off post, two days' pay. Charles A. F. Heyn, Thirtieth Precinct, off post, three days' pay. Edward McLaughlin, Thirty-first Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. Edward McLaughlin, Thirty-first Precinct, in liquor-store, five days' pay. Thomas Waters, Thirty-first Precinct, in liquor-store, five days' pay. Henry Batts, Thirty-second Precinct, off post, one day's pay. David H. Jackson, Thirty-second Precinct, off post, one day's pay. John Healy, Thirty-second Precinct, failed to report lamp, one-half day's pay. William H. Whittle, Thirty-third Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay. Maurice Colgan, Third-third Precinct, absent roll-call, one-half day's pay. Dennis A. Janvrin, Thirty-fourth Precinct, off post, one day's pay. William Cleary, Thirty-fourth Precinct, off post, two days' pay. James Earley, Thirty-fifth Precinct, absent roll-call, one day's pay. Edward C. Frizzell, First Precinct, arrested citizen, three days' pay. Matthew D. Kelly, Second Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. Matthew D. Kelly, Second Precinct, absent roll-call, one day's pay. Joseph P. Hayes, Fifth Precinct, absent roll-call, one day's pay. James J. McBride, Fifth Precinct, off post, one-half day's pay. Andrew Ferretti, Sixth Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. George F. Smith, Eighth Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay. John A. McGrath, Eighth Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. Joseph A. McCarthy, Tenth Precinct, improper patrol, one-half day's pay. Charles Nell, Eleventh Precinct, smoking, one-half day's pay. John H. Thompson, Nineteenth Precinct, smoking, one day's pay. John M. Heffernan, Twenty-first Precinct, failed to report dead horse, one-half day's pay. Alfred J. Reed, Twenty-second Precinct, failed to report dead horse, one-half day's pay. Frederick E. Coyle, Twenty-second Precinct, off post, two days' pay. James E. Roche, Twenty-third Precinct, off post, one day's pay. John C. Stone, Twenty-fifth Precinct, off post, two days' pay. Henry Taylor, Twenty-seventh Precinct, off post, three days' pay. James Wright, Twenty-seventh Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. Edward Connor, Twenty-ninth Precinct, improper relief, one-half day's pay. Patrick Lynch, Thirty-first Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. George Fennell, Thirty-third Precinct, off post, one day's pay. James Gilday, Thirty-third Precinct, off post, two days' pay. Cornelius E. Ryan, Eighth Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay. John J. Cassin, Eighth Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. James J. Turner, Eleventh Precinct, smoking, one-half day's pay. Nicholas Klute, Thirteenth Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. Patrick McKay, Nineteenth Precinct, improper patrol, one day's pay. Patrick Hand, Twenty-first Precinct, failed to report dead horse, one-half day's pay. Charles W. Thompson, Twenty-second Precinct, in liquor store, one day's pay. George Barmstorf, Twenty-seventh Precinct, improper patrol, two days' pay. Andrew A. Sherry, Twenty-seventh Precinct, off post, five days' pay. William M. Fardon, Thirty-first Precinct, off post, one day's pay.

Reprimands.

Patrolman Daniel Meenan, Thirteenth Precinct, improper patrol. Edward F. Smith, Fourteenth Precinct, off post. Henry J. Smith, Eighteenth Precinct, off post. James Brennan, Twenty-first Precinct, failed to report ice, etc. Michael Masterson, Twenty-third Sub-Precinct, failed to report ice, etc.

Complaints Dismissed.

Patrolman John W. Smith, Seventh Precinct, failed to prevent burglary. Anthony Conway, Seventh Precinct, failed to prevent burglary. James Cumskey, Eighth Precinct, arrested citizen, etc.

WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

APPROVED PAPERS.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby given to the Gansvoort Freezing and Cold Storage Company to connect their premises, Nos. 514, 516 and 518 West street, with the tracks of the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, by a switch or turn-out, as shown on the accompanying diagram, the work to be done at the expense of said Storage Company, under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works; such permission to continue only during the pleasure of the Common Council.

Adopted by the Board of Aldermen, March 13, 1888. Received from his Honor the Mayor, March 27, 1888, with his objections thereto. In Board of Aldermen, April 10, 1888, taken up, reconsidered, as provided in section 75, chapter 410, Laws of 1882, and adopted, notwithstanding the objections of his Honor the Mayor, three-fourths of all the members elected voting in favor thereof.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

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.

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.

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.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

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

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

Mayor's Office. No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. 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 SHERRMAN, J. B. ADAMSON.

AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS. Room 200, 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.

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

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT. Office of Clerk of Common Council. No. 8 City Hall, 10 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. BABCOCK, Superintendent.

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

Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park. MARTIN J. KEESSE, City Hall.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

Comptroller's Office. No. 15 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. THEODORE W. MYERS, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

Auditing Bureau. Nos. 19, 21, 23 Stewart Building, Chambers street and Broadway, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. WILLIAM J. LYON, First Auditor. DAVID E. AUSTEN, Second Auditor.

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

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 VREDEBURGH, 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.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

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

Office of the Public Administrator. No. 40 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. RICHARD J. MORRISON, Public Administrator.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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

DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Central Office. No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary. Purchasing Agent, FREDERICK A. CUSHMAN. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M. Contracts, Proposals and Estimates for Work and Materials for Building, Repairs and Supplies, Bills and Accounts, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Closed Saturdays, 12 M. RUFUS L. WILDER, General Bookkeeper and Auditor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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

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

Bureau of Chief of Department. CHARLES O. SHAY, Chief of Department.

Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles. PETER SHEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.

Bureau of Fire Marshal. GEORGE H. SHELDON, Fire Marshal.

Bureau of Inspection of Buildings
ALBERT F. D'ONCH, Superintendent of Buildings.
Attorney to Department.
WM. L. FINDLEY.

Fire Alarm Telegraph.
J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent
Central Office open at all hours.

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

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

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES C. BAYLES, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
M. C. D. BORDEN, President; CHARLES DE F. BURNS, Secretary.

Civil and Topographical Office.

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

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Battery, Pier A, North River, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
L. J. N. STARK, President; G. KEMBLE, Secretary.
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays as follows: from October 1 to January 1, from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from June 1 to September 30, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

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

Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMBERFORD, Clerk.

DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.

49 and 51 Chambers street. Office hours, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; JACOB SZABOLD, Deputy Commissioner; J. W. HORNOR, Chief Clerk.

CIVIL SERVICE SUPERVISORY AND EXAMINING BOARDS.
Cooper Union.
EVERETT P. WHEELER, Chairman of the Supervisory Board; LEE PHILLIPS, Secretary and Executive Officer.

BOARD OF ESTIMATE AND APPORTIONMENT.
Office of Clerk, Staats Zeitung Building, Room 5.
The Mayor, Chairman; CHARLES V. ADEE, Clerk.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

Office City Hall, Room No. 117 1/2, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
EDWARD GILON, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

BOARD OF EXCISE.

No. 54 Bond street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES H. WOODMAN, President; DAVID S. WHITE, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
HUGH J. GRANT, Sheriff; JOHN B. SEXTON, Under Sheriff; BERNARD F. MARTIN, Order Arrest Clerk.

REGISTER'S OFFICE.

East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES J. SLEVIN, Register; JAMES J. MARTIN, Deputy Register.

COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.

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

COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
JAMES A. FLACK, County Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

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

THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.

And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

CORONERS' OFFICE.

Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.
MICHAEL J. B. MESSEMER, FERDINAND LEVY, FERDINAND EDMAN, JOHN K. NUGENT, CORONERS; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

SUPREME COURT.

Second floor, New County Court-house, opens at 10:30 A. M.
CHARLES H. VAN BRUNT, Presiding Justice; JAMES A. FLACK, Clerk; THOMAS F. GILROY, Deputy County Clerk.

General Term, Room No. 9, WILLIAM LAMB, Jr., Clerk.
Special Term, Part I, Room No. 10, HUGH DONNELLY, Clerk.
Special Term, Part II, Room No. 18, WILLIAM J. HILL, Clerk.

Chambers, Room No. 11, WALTER BRADY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12, SAMUEL BARRY, Clerk.
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 14, JOHN B. MCGOLDRICK, Clerk.
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 13, GEORGE F. LYON, Clerk.
Circuit, Part IV, Room No. 15, J. LEWIS LYON, Clerk.
Judges' Private Chambers, Rooms Nos. 19 and 20, EDWARD J. KNIGHT, Librarian.

SUPERIOR COURT.

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

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Third floor, New County Court-house, 11 A. M.
Assignment Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 22, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
General Term, Room No. 24, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Special Term, Room No. 21, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Chambers, Room No. 21, 10:30 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part I, Room No. 25, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part II, Room No. 26, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Part III, Room No. 27, 11 o'clock A. M. to adjournment.
Naturalization Bureau, Room No. 23, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
RICHARD L. LARROQUE, Chief Justice; NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Chief Clerk.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

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

CITY COURT.

City Hall.
General Term, Room No. 20.
Trial Term, Part I, Room No. 20.
Part II, Room No. 19.
Part III, Room No. 15.
Special Term, Chambers, Room No. 21, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Clerk's Office, Room No. 10, City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
DAVID McADAM, Chief Justice; MICHAEL T. DALY, Clerk.

OVER AND TERMINER COURT.

New County Court-house, second floor, southeast corner, Room No. 12. Court opens at 12 1/2 o'clock A. M.
Clerk's Office, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, second floor, northwest corner, Room No. 11, 10 A. M. till 4 P. M.

COURT OF SPECIAL SESSIONS.

At Tombs, corner Franklin and Centre streets, daily at 10:30 A. M., excepting Saturday.
Clerk's Office, Tombs.

DISTRICT CIVIL COURTS.

First District—First, Second, Third and Fifth Wards southwest corner of Centre and Chambers streets.
MICHAEL NORTON, Justice.
Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
Second District—Fourth, Sixth and Fourteenth Wards, corner of Pearl and Centre streets, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
CHARLES M. CLANCY, Justice.

Third District—Ninth and Fifteenth Wards, southwest corner Sixth avenue and West Tenth street. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
GEORGE B. DEANE, Justice.

Fourth District—Tenth and Seventeenth Wards, No. 30 First street, corner Second avenue. Court opens 9 A. M. daily; continues to close of business.
ALFRED STECKLER, Justice.

Fifth District—Seventh, Eleventh and Thirteenth Wards, No. 154 Clinton street.
HENRY M. GOLDFOGLE, Justice.

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

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

Eighth District—Sixteenth and Twentieth Wards, southwest corner of Twenty-second street and Seventh avenue. Court opens at 9 A. M. and continues to close of business. Clerk's office open from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. each court day.
On and after Monday, October 3, 1887, the trial days of this Court will be Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.
JOHN JEROLMAN, Justice.

Ninth District—Twelfth Ward, No. 225 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street.
JOSEPH P. FALLON, Justice.
Clerk's office open daily from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Trial days Tuesdays and Fridays. Court opens at 9 1/2 A. M.

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

Eleventh District—No. 519 Eighth avenue; Twenty-second Ward, and all that part of the Twelfth Ward lying south of One Hundred and Tenth street and west of Sixth avenue. Court open daily (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.
THOMAS E. MURRAY, Justice.

POLICE COURTS.

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

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, April 18, 1888.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT two horses, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction on Tuesday, May 1, 1888, at 10 o'clock A. M., by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers, at their stables, No. 110 East Thirteenth street.
By order of the Board.
WM. H. KIPP, Chief Clerk.

POLICE DEPARTMENT—CITY OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE PROPERTY CLERK (Room No. 9), No. 300 MULBERRY STREET, NEW YORK, 1887.

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

NEW PARKS.

ALL THE OWNERS OF LAND AND PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE LANDS AND PREMISES AND BUILDINGS embraced within the limits of Crotona Parkway, Crotona Park, Claremont Park, and St. Mary's Park, as described in chapter 52 of the Laws of 1884, are hereby notified and required to produce before the Commissioners of Estimate, duly appointed herein by order of the Supreme Court, at their office, at No. 45 William street, at one o'clock in the afternoon of April 2, 1888, their deeds, mortgages, or other proofs of title; and the said owners and persons interested are also notified and required to produce at the same time and place their proofs of loss and damage to said lands and premises, or to the buildings thereon, and the said owners and persons are hereby notified that said Commissioners of Estimate will sit at said place and hear said proofs of loss and damage offered by said owners and persons interested on the following days, to wit:
April 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, 1888, at one o'clock P. M.
April 7, 1888, at eleven o'clock A. M.
April 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13, 1888, at one o'clock P. M.
April 14, 1888, at eleven o'clock A. M.
Such check or money must be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-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, 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 paid to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.
Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and let as provided by law.
HENRY R. PURROY, RICHARD CROKER, Commissioners.

BOARD OF STREET OPENING AND IMPROVEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of section 105 of chapter 335 of the Laws of 1873, entitled "An act to reorganize the local government of the City of New York," passed April 20, 1873; chapter 410 of the Laws of 1882; chapter 350 of the Laws of 1883, and chapter 185 of the Laws of 1885, and of all other provisions of law relating thereto:
That the Board of Street Opening and Improvement of the City of New York, for the public interest, to alter the map or plan of the City of New York by laying out, opening and extending One Hundred and Sixty-second street of a uniform width of sixty feet, between the lines of Eleventh avenue and the Kingsbridge road; said street being more particularly bounded and described as follows: 1st. Beginning at a point in the easterly line of Eleventh avenue, distant one hundred and twenty-nine feet northwardly from the northerly line of One Hundred and Sixty-first street; 2d. thence easterly and parallel with said street seven hundred and twenty-two feet to the westerly line of Kingsbridge road; 3d. thence northerly along said line seventy-six feet; 4th. thence westerly six hundred and seventy-five feet to the easterly line of Eleventh avenue; 5th. thence southerly along said line sixty feet to the point or place of beginning. Said street to be sixty feet wide between the lines of Eleventh avenue and Kingsbridge road.
And that they propose to alter the map or plan of said City of New York by laying out, opening and extending said street, between Eleventh avenue and Kingsbridge road.
And that such proposed action of this Board has been duly laid before the Board of Aldermen of the City of New York.
Dated April 13, 1888.
WILLIAM V. I. MERCER, Secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK, 157 AND 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET, NEW YORK, April 14, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE materials and labor, and doing the work required in repairing one second size A smoking straight steam fire engine, (registered number 302, formerly in service with Engine Company No. 24 of this Department), and fitting the same with a boiler of the "La France nest tube" pattern, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 2, 1888, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.
No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.
For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, bidders are referred to the specifications, which form part of these proposals.
The form of the statement (with specifications), showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen, and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.
Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.
The work is to be completed and delivered within sixty (60) days after the execution of the contract, and the bidders are to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are fixed and liquidated at fifteen (15) dollars.
The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.
Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation and a statement of the work to which it relates.
The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public

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

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 therein, and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and will not collude 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 of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of nine hundred (900) dollars; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any such letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation in writing of 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, and that he is a householder 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 the Corporation. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of forty-five (45) dollars. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-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, 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 paid to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

HEADQUARTERS FIRE DEPARTMENT, No. 157 & 159 EAST SIXTY-SEVENTH STREET.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Commissioners of this Department will meet daily, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the transaction of business.
By order of
HENRY D. PURROY, President.
RICHARD CROKER, Commissioners.
CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, No. 301 MOTT STREET, NEW YORK, January 31, 1888.
AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH of the Health Department of the City of New York, held at its office, No. 301 Mott street, January 27, 1888, the following resolution was adopted:
Resolved, That section 18 of the Sanitary Code be and is hereby amended so as to read as follows:
Sec. 18. That no owner or lessee of any building, or any part thereof, shall lease or let, or hire out the same or any portion thereof, to be occupied by any person, or allow the same to be occupied, in any place in which, or for any use, to dwell or lodge, except when said buildings or such parts thereof are sufficiently lighted, ventilated, provided and accommodated, and are in all respects in that condition of cleanliness and wholesome-ness for which this Code or any law of this State provides, or in which they or either of them require any such premises to be kept. Nor shall any such person rent, let, hire out, or allow, having power to prevent the same to be used as or for a place of sleeping or residence, any portion or apartment of any building, which apartment or portion has not at least one foot of its height and space above the level of every part of the sidewalk and curbstone of any adjacent street, nor of which the floor is damp by reason of water from the ground, or which is impregnated or penetrated by any offensive gas, smell, or exhalation prejudicial to health. But this section shall not prevent the leasing, renting, or occupancy of cellars or rooms less elevated than aforesaid, and as a part of any building rented or let, when they are not let or intended to be occupied, used by any person as a sleeping apartment, or as a principal or sole dwelling apartment.
[L. S.] JAMES C. BAYLES, President.
EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers Street, NEW YORK, April 13, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR EACH OF the following mentioned works, 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 by the Department of Public Parks at its office, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, until eleven o'clock A. M. on Wednesday, April 25, 1888:

No. 1. For Regulating, Grading, Setting Curb-stones and Flagging the Sidewalks four feet wide, in Sedgwick Avenue, from the northerly curb-line of Montgomery Avenue to the southerly curb-line of Van Cortlandt Avenue.

No. 2. For Regulating and Grading Tinton Avenue, from Kelly Street to Westchester Avenue.

No. 3. For Regulating and Paving with Granite-block Pavement the Roadway of One Hundred and Forty-eighth Street, from Willis Avenue to St. Ann's Avenue.

No. 4. For Constructing a Sewer and Appurtenances on the north side of the Southern Boulevard, between Willis Avenue and the Summit east of Willis Avenue.

No. 5. For Constructing a Sewer and Appurtenances in Morningside Park.

No. 6. For Repairing and Rebuilding the Foundation and Masonry of the Battery Sea Wall, between Pier A, North River, and the westerly line of the Property of the U. S. Government.

No. 7. For Repairing with Concrete and Mortar of Portland Cement, the Walk adjoining and in connection with the Battery Sea Wall, between Pier A, North River, and the westerly line of the Property of the U. S. Government.

No. 8. For Paving with Asphalt Tiles the walks in Jeanette Park, at Contees Slip, between South and Front Streets.

Special notice is given that the works must be bid for separately, that is, more than one work must not be included in the same estimate or envelope.

The nature and extent of each of the works, as near as it is possible to state them, in advance, is as follows:

NUMBER 1, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 13,500 cubic yards of earth excavation. 4,000 cubic yards of rock excavation. 12,000 cubic yards of filling.

NUMBER 2, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 1,900 cubic yards of earth excavation. 10,000 cubic yards of rock excavation. 7,500 cubic yards of filling.

NUMBER 3, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 484 square yards of new granite-block pavement. Also the time required for the completion of the whole work, which will be tested at the rate of THREE AND ONE-HALF DOLLARS per day.

NUMBER 4, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 570 lineal feet 12-inch pipe-sewer, including concrete cradle, and exclusive of spurs for house connections. 40 spurs for house connections, over and above the cost per foot of sewer.

NUMBER 5, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 1,341 lineal feet brick sewer 2 7/8 by 2 7/8, egg shaped, including rubble masonry cradle, man-holes complete, and branch pipes, etc.

NUMBER 6, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 350 lineal feet of bottom course of wall to be underpinned with rubble stone masonry. 50 cubic yards of wall masonry to be taken down and rebuilt.

NUMBER 7, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 35,200 square feet of pavement of concrete and mortar of Portland cement. 10 cubic yards concrete in place.

NUMBER 8, ABOVE-MENTIONED. 7,300 square feet of pavement of asphalt tile furnished and laid.

them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without an agreement 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 the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, as follows: 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, and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 27 of chapter 8 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National or State banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the work, or a deposit made by him into such check or money has been examined by the officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

The Department of Public Parks reserves the right to reject any or all the bids received in response to this advertisement if it should deem it for the interest of the city so to do, and to readvertise until satisfactory bids or proposals shall be received. If the contract is awarded will, in each case, be awarded to the lowest bidder.

Blank forms for proposals and forms of the several contracts which the successful bidder will be required to execute, can be had at the office of the Secretary, and the plans can be seen and information relative to them can be had at the office of the Department, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street.

M. C. D. BORDEN, WALDO HUTCHINS, J. HAMPDEN ROBB, Commissioners of Public Parks.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, Nos. 49 AND 51 CHAMBERS STREET, NEW YORK, April 10, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS, in the City of New York, will, on the 23rd day of April, 1888, at 11 o'clock A. M., at their offices in the Empire Savings Bank Building, Nos. 49 and 51 Chambers street, in said city, hear and consider all statements, objections and evidence that may then and there be offered in relation to proposed changes in the classification of avenue streets, roads and public places in that part of the "Fordham Heights District" bounded on the north by Berrian Landing road, on the east by Aqueduct avenue, on the south by the Twenty-fourth Avenue, and on the west by Sedgewick avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward of the City of New York.

The contemplated changes consist in changing the following streets, etc., as follows: Berrian Landing road (formerly Fordham Landing road), East One Hundred and Eighty-fourth street (proposed to be named Hampden street), Aqueduct avenue, Andrews avenue, Loring place, Franklin place, Dayton place and Osborne place. A map showing the contemplated changes is on exhibition in said office.

M. C. D. BORDEN, WALDO HUTCHINS, J. HAMPDEN ROBB, Commissioners of Public Parks.

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 2332, No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging Eleventh avenue, from Kingsbridge to D. Dymann street. List 2604, No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, from Eighth to St. Nicholas avenue, with trap-blocks. List 2602, No. 3. Paving Sixty-sixth street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, with trap-blocks. List 2608, No. 4. Paving One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, with trap-blocks. List 2607, No. 5. Fencing vacant lots on west side of Western Boulevard, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street. List 2608, No. 6. Fencing vacant lots on west side of

Western Boulevard, from One Hundred and Fourteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

List 2605, No. 7. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Lexington and Fourth avenues, Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets.

List 2620, No. 8. Fencing vacant lots on the northeast corner of Fourth avenue and One Hundred and Fourth street.

List 2621, No. 9. Fencing vacant lots on the south side of Fifty-sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

List 2622, No. 10. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging One Hundred and Second street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue.

List 2624, No. 12. Sewer in Sixty-fourth street, between Avenue A and First avenue.

List 2625, No. 13. Sewer in Seventy-sixth street, between Avenue A and East river.

List 2626, No. 14. Sewer in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Nineteenth streets.

List 2628, No. 15. Paving Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh street, with granite-blocks.

List 2629, No. 16. Paving Ninety-sixth street, from First to Third avenue, with trap-blocks.

List 2630, No. 17. Flagging sidewalks in One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Boulevard.

List 2632, No. 18. Sewer in One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, between Brook and St. Ann's avenues, with branch in St. Ann's avenue, between One Hundred and Forty-eighth and One Hundred and Forty-ninth streets.

List 2633, No. 19. Sewer in Westchester avenue, from St. Ann's avenue to Trinity avenue.

List 2634, No. 20. Sewer in One Hundred and Fourth street, between West End and Riverside avenues.

List 2635, No. 21. Paving Ninety-ninth street, from the Boulevard to Tenth avenue, with trap-blocks.

List 2636, No. 22. Setting and re-setting curbstones and flagging on Fifth street from Lewis street to the East river bulkehead.

List 2642, No. 23. Sewer in East Gramercy place, from Twentieth to Twenty-first streets.

List 2643, No. 24. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Ninety-ninth and One Hundredth streets, First and Second avenues.

List 2647, No. 25. Regulating, grading, setting curbstones and flagging Seventy-seventh street, from the Boulevard to Riverside Drive.

List 2647, No. 26. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by One Hundredth and One Hundred and First streets, First and Second avenues.

List 2648, No. 27. Sewers in Madison avenue, between One Hundred and Third and One Hundred and Fifth streets.

List 2649, No. 28. Fencing vacant lots on block bounded by Eighty-eighth and Eighty-ninth streets, Madison and Fourth avenues.

List 2650, No. 29. Sewer in Ninety-first street, between Avenue A and First 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 all streets, avenues, boulevards, etc., in the City of New York, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 1. Both sides of Eleventh avenue, from Kingsbridge road to Dyckman street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 2. Both sides of Twenty-second street, from Eighth avenue to Avenue St. Nicholas, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 3. Both sides of Sixty-eighth street, from Eighth avenue to the Boulevard, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 4. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, from Seventh to Eighth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 5. East side of Western Boulevard, from One Hundred and Twenty-fourth to One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street.

No. 6. Both sides of Western Boulevard, from One Hundred and Fourteenth to One Hundred and Sixteenth street.

No. 7. Block bounded by Lexington and Fourth avenues, Ninety-third and Ninety-fourth streets.

No. 8. Commencing at the northeast corner of One Hundred and Fourth street and Fourth avenue, extending northerly about 102 feet on east side of Fourth avenue, and 100 feet on north side of One Hundredth street.

No. 9. Both sides of Fifty-sixth street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 10. West side of Twelfth avenue, between One Hundred and Twenty-ninth and One Hundred and Thirtieth streets.

No. 11. Both sides of One Hundred and Second street, from Eighth to Ninth avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets and avenues.

No. 12. Both sides of Sixty-fourth street, between Avenue A and East river.

No. 13. Both sides of Seventy-sixth street, between Avenue A and East river.

No. 14. Both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Seventeenth to One Hundred and Nineteenth street, including lots situated within 60 feet from Madison avenue on One Hundred and Seventeenth and One Hundred and Eighteenth streets.

No. 15. Both sides of Madison avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-seventh streets, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 16. Both sides of Ninety-sixth street, from First to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 17. Both sides of One Hundred and Fifty-first street, from Avenue St. Nicholas to the Boulevard.

No. 18. Both sides of One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, from Brook and St. Ann's avenues, and west side of St. Ann's avenue, from One Hundred and Forty-eighth to One Hundred and Forty-ninth street.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR AN ADDITIONAL STORY TO WASH-HOUSE, CHARITY HOSPITAL, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND, NEW YORK.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, 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 Thursday, May 3, 1888. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for an Additional Story to Wash-house, Charity Hospital, Blackwell's 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 estimated received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

THE BOARD OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, AS PROVIDED IN SECTION 64, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

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

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

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

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

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, as follows: 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, and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, 1880, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of this security shall, in addition to the justification and acknowledgment, be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.

No bid or estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the State or National banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of FIVE PER CENTUM OF THE AMOUNT OF SECURITY REQUIRED FOR THE FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE OF THE CONTRACT. Such check or money must not be included in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-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, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

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

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

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

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 Department, where the plans will be on exhibition for the information of bidders.

Dated New York, April 19, 1888.

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

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

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR AN ADDITION TO THE MAIN BUILDING, TO BE USED AS A KITCHEN, DINING-ROOM AND WASH-HOUSE, AT THE WORK-HOUSE, BLACKWELL'S ISLAND.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR THE aforesaid job, in accordance with the specifications and plans, will be received at the office of the Depart-

EDWARD GILON, Chairman, PHILIP M. HAVERTY, CHARLES E. WENDT, EDWARD CARL, Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, No. 11 1/2 CITY HALL, NEW YORK, April 17, 1888.

ment of Public Charities and Correction, No. 66 Third avenue, in the City of New York, until 9 o'clock a. m. of Thursday, May 3, 1888.

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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 securities to every effect, and a person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, each in the penal amount of TWELVE THOUSAND (\$12,000) dollars.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person is 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, in any respect, has any interest 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.

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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 if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and provide such 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.

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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 is 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, in any respect, has any interest 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.

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1,600 bushels fine good sized Cabbage, 100 bushels Oats, 32 pounds net per bushel, 100 bales prime quality Timothy Hay, tare not to exceed 2 pounds; weight charged as received at Blackwell's Island.

100 barrels prime quality Charcoal, 3 bushels each, 120 dozen Shoe Blacking.

DRY GOODS, ETC. 50 dozen handkerchiefs, 20 dozen Fine Combs, 25 dozen Dust Brushes, 12,000 yards Gingham, 14,000 yards Perfumery, 8,000 yards Blue Denim, 25,000 yards Cotton Jean, 10,000 yards Ticking, 6,000 yards Awning Stripes, 6,000 yards Hickory Stripes, 50,000 yards Brown Muslin, 30,000 yards Bandage Muslin, 30,000 yards Shirting, 100 pieces Old Muslin, 1,500 yards Red Flannel, 1,000 yards Blue Buttons, 3,000 yards Crash Toweling, 100 gross Coat Buttons, 50 gross Dress Buttons, 50 gross 1 1/2 Buttons, 100 gross Suspender Buttons, 25 great gross Brae Buttons, 50 great gross B 22 Buttons, 100 dozen White Spool Cotton O. N. T., No. 30, 100 dozen Buttons, 500 dozen pairs Men's Socks, 50 dozen pairs Boys' Socks, 300 dozen pairs Women's Stockings, 25 barrels Stain, 125 dozen Women's Straw Hats, 125 dozen Boys' Straw Hats, 25 dozen Children's Straw Hats.

LIME, CEMENT AND OILS. 50 barrels first quality Common Lime, 25 barrels first quality Rosendale Cement, 25 barrels first quality Portland Cement, 25 barrels Standard White Kerosene Oil, 150 1/2 test, 100 barrels pure Spirits Turpentine.

LUMBER. 6 pieces first quality Spruce, 8" x 8" x 20 feet, 50 pieces first quality Spruce, 4" x 5" x 16 feet, 24 pieces first quality Spruce, 3" x 4" x 16 feet, 12 pieces first quality Spruce, 4" x 6" x 20 feet, 100 feet first quality Spruce, 2" x 2" x 24 feet, 1,000 feet first quality Box Boards for roof, dressed, tongued and grooved, 2,500 feet first quality Pine Weather Boards, dressed, tongued and grooved, 4,000 feet first quality clear, thoroughly seasoned, edged or vertical grained Georgia Yellow Pine Flooring, tongued and grooved, dressed and planed, 12 pairs Sash, first quality White Pine, 1 1/2" opening, 4 feet 6" x 12 feet 10", 48 Sash Weights for above sash.

All lumber delivered at Blackwell's or Randall'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, April 20, 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 and Lumber," with his or their name or names, and the date of presentation, to the said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of the Board of Public Charities and Correction.

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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 Department. Dated New York, April 9, 1888. CHARLES E. SIMMONS, President. HENRY H. PORTER, Commissioner. THOMAS S. BRENNAN, Commissioner. Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, APRIL 16, 1888.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF THE Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows: At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Ninety-ninth Street Hospital—Unknown man, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; dark brown hair, moustache and chin beard.

Unknown man from No. 45 Oak street, aged about 45 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair, mixed with gray, brown moustache and chin beard, blue eyes. Had on blue pea jacket, gray and brown striped vest and pants, blue flannel shirt, red flannel undershirt and drawers, red woolen socks, elastic gaiters.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Edward Thomas, aged 55 years. Committed March 9, 1888. At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Mary Murphy, aged 63 years; 5 feet 8 1/2 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Transferred from Almshouse, September 9, 1887. At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Joseph Behlig, aged 53 years; 5 feet 4 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat and vest, gray striped pants, gaiters, black derby hat.

Joseph Pignier, aged 29 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted brown coat and vest, blue striped vest, gaiters, brown derby hat. Nothing known of their friends or relatives. By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, APRIL 11, 1888.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF THE Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows: At Morgue, Bellevue Hospital, from Chambers Street Hospital—Unknown man, aged about 35 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; dark hair, light brown moustache, brown eyes. Had on white shirt, gray knit undershirt and drawers; no other clothing.

Unknown man from Pier 28, North river, aged about 40 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; brown hair, moustache and beard about two weeks' growth. Had on dark diagonal coat and vest, dark pants, white shirt. Unknown man, from Ward 31, Bellevue Hospital, aged about 55 years; 5 feet high; light brown hair mixed with gray.

At Workhouse, Blackwell's Island—Lizzie Smith, aged 34 years. Committed March 21, 1888. Willam B. Weiss, aged 61 years. Committed March 26, 1888. Nellie Meyer, aged 65 years. Committed March 26, 1888. At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Blanche Deane, aged 23 years; 5 feet 3/4 inch high; brown hair and eyes. Transferred from Workhouse 6 November 26, 1886.

Deekla Viesmeyer, aged 36 years; 5 feet 2 1/2 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Transferred from Workhouse November 15, 1886. At Homoeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Charles H. Lawson, aged 62 years; 5 feet 9 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted black coat, vest and pants, blucher shoes, black derby hat. Nellie Hayes, aged 22 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted brown cotton shawl, black merino waist and skirt, laced shoes, black straw hat. Margaret Keardon, aged 72 years; 5 feet 3 inches high; gray hair and eyes. Had on when admitted black striped shawl, purple calico waist, black merino skirt, buttoned gaiters, black straw hat.

At Charity Hospital, Blackwell's Island—Johannes Steuels, aged 42 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown hair and eyes. Had on black coat, vest and pants, colored shirt, white shirt, boots, black derby hat. Nothing known of their friends or relatives. By order, G. F. BRITTON, Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION, No. 66 THIRD AVENUE, NEW YORK, APRIL 19, 1888.

TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, OILS, LIME AND LUMBER.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES, ETC.

9,400 pounds Dairy Butter; sample on exhibition. Thursday, April 19, 1888.

2,000 pounds Maracaibo Coffee, roasted. 1,000 pounds Macaroni. 100 pounds Whole Pepper. 40,000 pounds Brown Sugar. 1,000 pounds Corn Starch, in pounds. 7,000 pounds Oolong Tea.

100 barrels of Rye. 50 barrels first quality Salt Soda, about 340 pounds net per barrel. 50 dozen Sea Foam. 50 dozen Potatoes. 50 prime quality City Cured Smoked Hams, to average about 14 pounds each. 400 dozen Fresh Eggs, all to be candled. 450 barrels good sound White Potatoes, to weigh 129 pounds net per barrel. 50 barrels prime Red or Yellow Onions, to weigh 150 pounds net per barrel. 100 barrels prime Carrots, 130 pounds net per barrel.

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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.

FISH STANDS (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, LIVERY.—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.

HORSE TROUGHS.—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 water-cock.

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 seven dollars and fifty cents each; and for each horse-power over fifteen, the sum of five 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 any other portion of the premises. Urinals shall be charged two dollars per annum each.

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, hopper-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, per year, ten dollars.

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No horse-troughs or horse-watering fixtures will be permitted in the street or on the sidewalk, except upon license or permit taken 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 overflowing sidewalks or streets, 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, or on the sidewalk or street, or to become dangerous in winter 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, portico houses, eating-saloons, confectioneries or other buildings are strictly prohibited.

The use of hose for washing sidewalks, stoops, areas, house-fronts, yards, courts, 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 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 559, Laws of 1887, amending section 152 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, passed June 9, 1887, the following changes are made in charging and collecting water rates:

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 here-tofore 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 and penalties of every nature.

4th. A penalty five dollars 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 penalties 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 so-called extra water rents of every nature, imposed or incurred prior to June 9, 1887, will be canceled or referred on the books of the Department.

D. LOWBER 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 Bureaux 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 rebates 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 occupying the premises, or 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 unwarrantable waste of an element so valuable and essential 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 their applications for reduction of water rents, no 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 occurred 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, and that 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.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS.

DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS, STATE'S ZETUNG BUILDING, NEW YORK.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 817 OF THE City Consolidation Act of 1882, it is hereby advertised that the books of "The Annual Record of the Assessed Valuation of the Real Personal Estate" of the City and County of New York, for the year 1888, will be open for examination and correction from the second Monday of January, 1888, until the first day of May, 1888.

All persons believing themselves aggrieved must make application to the Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments, at this office, during the period said books are open, in order to obtain the same period.

Applications for correction of assessed valuations on personal estate must be made by the person assessed to the said Commissioners, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. at this office, during the same period.

MICHAEL COLEMAN, EDWARD C. DONNELLY, THOMAS L. FEITNER, Commissioners of Taxes and Assessments.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

SALE OF FERRY, HOUSTON STREET TO CITY OF BROOKLYN.

THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM 1 foot of Houston street, East river, in the City of New York, to Grand street, City of Brooklyn, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Comptroller's office, on Wednesday, the 25th day of April, 1888, at 12 o'clock M., for the term of five years from May 1, 1888, under a lease from the City containing the usual covenants and conditions of ferry leases, as provided by law and the ordinances of the Common Council, a form of which lease can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and deposit with the Comptroller, at the time of sale, twenty-five per cent. of the amount bid, which shall be credited on the first quarter's rent or be forfeited to the City if the lease is not executed by the purchaser when notified by the Comptroller.

The lessee will be required to give bonds in double the amount of the yearly rental, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the faithful performance of the covenants of the lease, and the payment of the rent quarterly.

The right to reject any bid is reserved, if deemed to be for the interest of the City.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, APRIL 13, 1888.

SALE OF FERRY, CORTLAND STREET TO JERSEY CITY.

THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM 1 foot of Cortland street, North river, in the City of New York, to Jersey City, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Comptroller's office, on Wednesday, the 25th day of April, 1888, at 12 o'clock M., for the term of ten years from February 1, 1888, under a lease from the City containing the usual covenants and conditions of ferry leases, as provided by law and the ordinances of the Common Council, a form of which lease can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and deposit with the Comptroller, at the time of sale, twenty-five per cent. of the amount bid, which shall be credited on the first quarter's rent, or be forfeited to the City if the lease is not executed by the purchaser when notified by the Comptroller.

The lessee will be required to give bonds in double the amount of the yearly rental, with two sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Comptroller, conditioned for the faithful performance of the covenants of the lease and the payment of the rent quarterly.

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CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, APRIL 13, 1888.

SALE OF FERRY, DESBROSSES STREET TO JERSEY CITY.

THE FRANCHISE OF THE FERRY FROM FOOT of Desbrosses street, North river, in the City of New York, to Jersey City, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Comptroller's office, on Wednesday, the 25th day of April, 1888, at 12 o'clock M., for the term of ten years from February 1, 1888, under a lease from the City containing the usual covenants and conditions of ferry leases, as provided by law and the ordinances of the Common Council, a form of which lease can be seen at the office of the Comptroller.

The highest bidder will be required to pay the auctioneer's fee and deposit with the Comptroller, at the time of sale, twenty-five per cent. of the amount bid, which shall be credited on the first quarter's rent, or be forfeited to the City if the lease is not executed by the purchaser when notified by the Comptroller.

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CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, APRIL 13, 1888.

MANHATTANVILLE.

On One Hundred and First street, north side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 102, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 5, 6. Lots to be sold separately.

On One Hundred and Second street, south side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 102, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 7, 8. Lots to be sold separately.

On One Hundred and Second street, north side, two vacant lots, 25 feet by 100 feet 11 inches each, Block No. 102, Ward No. 28, one hundred feet west of Ninth avenue. Sales Map, Nos. 9, 10. Lots to be sold separately.

MANHATTANVILLE.

Northwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-ninth street and Twelfth avenue, one vacant lot, piece or parcel of land, known as Ward No. 73, Block No. 12865, in the Twelfth Ward. Sales Map No. 11.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE.

The highest bidder will be required to pay ten (10) per cent. of the purchase money and the auctioneer's fee on each lot immediately after the sale; thirty (30) per cent. upon the delivery of the deeds, within thirty days from the date of the sale; and the balance, fifty (50) per cent. of the purchase money, or any portion thereof, may remain, at the option of the purchaser, on bond and mortgage, for five years, with interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, the mortgages to contain the customary thirty days' interest and ninety days' tax clauses.

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

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

The right to reject any bid is reserved.

Lithographic maps of the above real estate may be had at the Comptroller's Office, Stewart Building, No. 280 Broadway, after April 20, 1888.

By order of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, under resolutions adopted at meetings held March 28 and April 6, 1888.

THEO. W. MYERS, Comptroller.